

Church Life

Welcome to the West Covina Hills SDA Church Family!

We pray you will hear God speak to you through various ways and through His people. If you don't have a church home we would love to have you consider making us your church home. **Guests and members please share with us your presence and any other information on the Communication Card in the pews and place them in the offering plate, thank you!**

We also have wireless services for the hearing impaired.



Please see a Deacon for assistance.



THIS WEEK:

TODAY, Aug 27th — Speaker: Special Musical Service —10:45 a.m.

Baptisms

6:30 p.m.—Get Connected

8:00 p.m.—Youth Sponsored Family Game Night

Wednesday, Aug 31st - 7:00 p.m.— Bible Study

7:00 p.m.— Greek/Hebrew Class

Friday, Sept 2nd — 7:00 p.m.—Grounded Youth Vespers

7:30 p.m.—Prayer Warriors

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Sabbath, Sept. 3rd — Speaker: Lew Gray —10:45 a.m.

6:30 p.m.—Get Connected

Wednesday, Sept. 7th - No Bible Study

No Greek/Hebrew Class

Friday, Sept 9th — 7:00 p.m.—Grounded Youth Vespers

7:30 p.m.—Prayer Warriors

Flowers this week are in celebration of Terence San Diego's achievement in passing the nursing board exam! Congratulations, Terence!

Flower Chart is back! You can sign up to purchase flowers for the sanctuary (which you can take with you) to acknowledge a special day, event or person. ONE per Sabbath only! First come, first pick! Price is still only \$45. The chart is on the bulletin board in the hallway.

New Believers Sabbath School class is beginning in Pastor Lew's office this week at 9:30 a.m. If you are interested in studying the "basics" of Adventist faith, plan to join this class!

Upcoming Bible Study Series: The Wednesday night Bible Study will be looking at the Seven Churches in Revelation. We will begin this study on September 14th at 7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. All are welcome to join!

August/September 2016

Adventurers

28 Registration 10:00 a.m.—Noon
10 Club Meeting 3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.
11 Club Meeting 10:00 a.m.—Noon

Pathfinders

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11 Club Meeting 10:00 a.m.—Noon
16-18 SCC Pathfinder Camporee, Prado Park (Fri—Sun)

Cheerful Giving! August 2016

Church Budget Monthly Goal:	\$16,900.00
Received to date in August	\$16,433.29
Short YTD as of July 31:	(\$ 3,304.42)
Total Scholarship Need per Month: (2015/16)	\$ 1,300.00
Lambs' Offering in August:	\$ 729.10
Local Evangelism Goal:	\$40,000.00
Received to date:	\$36,837.69

Mark any special offerings on the tithe envelope.
All loose offerings go toward Church Budget.

Ministry Leaders

Adventurers - Alma Castaneda
Adventurers—Riris Huliselan
Children's S.S. Coordinator - Maria Botello
Church Clerk - Celeste Mercy
Head Deacon - Guidel "Guy" Rivera
Head Deaconess - Pauline Reid
Elder, Co-Head - Sam Ang
Elder, Co-Head - Harry Walker
Evangelism/Personal Ministries - Harry Walker
Evangelism/Personal Ministries - Sam Ang
Get Connected Ministry—Marisela Garcia
Greeters Ministry - Audree Luevano
Health & Temperance Ministry - Corneliu Baci
Health & Temperance Ministry—Sharon Tanghal
Health & Temperance Ministry—Jenne Walker
Home & School - Caroline Light
Interest Coordinator - Corneliu Baci
Men's Ministry— James Dawson
Music Committee - Alan Beaumont
Music Committee—Casey Hughes
Music Committee—Gene Manners
Pathfinders - Sam Ang
Pathfinders - Genemar Porsona
Religious Liberty - Daniel Benitez
Sabbath School Secretary - Linda Barrett
Treasurer - Debbie Ang
WCH School Board Chair - A. D. Hall
Wedding Coordinator—Marisela Garcia
Women's Ministry Leader - Mickie Hall
Youth Ministry Leader—Pastor Jillian Lutes

West Covina Hills Seventh-day Adventist Church

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West Covina Hills Seventh-day Adventist Church is now on Facebook

Pastor: Lew Gray

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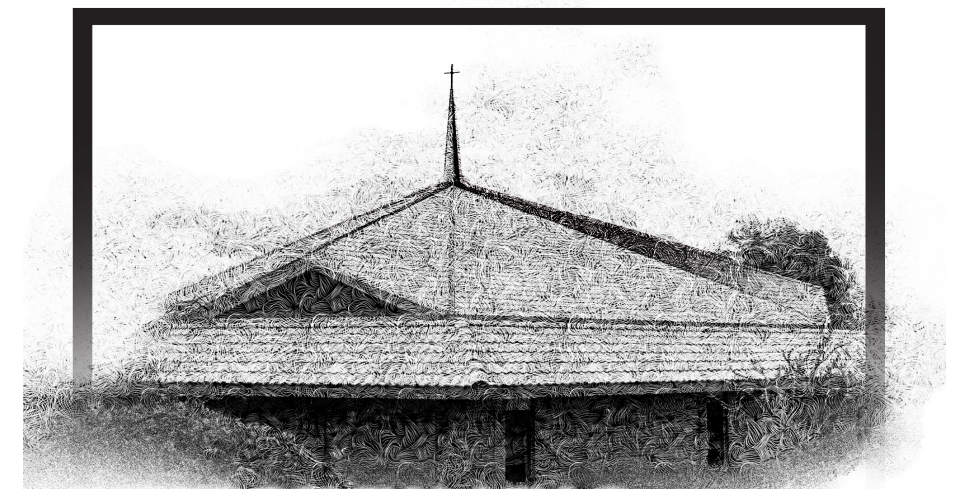
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Rejoice always, **pray without ceasing**, in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18



WEST COVINA HILLS SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

2016

CREATION HEALTH:

THE YEAR OF WHOLENESS

Spiritual, Physical, Mental, Emotional, Financial and Family



AUGUST 27, 2016

Vision Statement

Our community will know the one true God and His Son, Jesus Christ which is eternal life. (John 17:3)

Mission Statement

"Christ's method alone will give true success in reaching the people. The Saviour mingled with men as one who desired their good. He showed His sympathy for them, ministered to their needs, and won their confidence. Then He bade them, 'Follow Me.'" MH p143

"Prayer is the key in the hand of faith to unlock heaven's storehouse, where are treasured the boundless resources of Omnipotence." SC, pp. 94, 95

The bulletin is available on our website.

Sabbath School at 9:15 a.m.

Adults may attend any of these classes:

Class #1 (Sanctuary)	“To Know God”	Harry Walker
Class #2 (Training Room)	“His-story Class”	Adolfo Garcia
Class #3 (Library)	“Open Discussion”	Mildred Williams
Class #4 (Sanctuary)	“Contemporary Application”	Rotating Teachers
Class #5 (Pastor’s Office)	“New Believers”	Lew Gray
Class #6 (Choir Room)	“Young Adults”	Sam Ang/Chris Ostos

Sabbath School Quarterlies: If you are in need of the Sabbath School Quarterly you can go on-line at www.ssnet.org, select “current lesson.”

www.BibleInfo.com

Children/Youth may attend any of these classes:

Beginners	(Ages Birth-3)	Robyne Gray
Kindergarten	(Ages 3-5)	Isabel York
Primary 1	(Grades 1-2)	Maria Botello
Primary 2	(Grades 3-4)	Melanie Rumbaoa
Juniors	(Grades 5-6)	Richard Alamillo
Earliteens	(Grades 7-8)	Jennifer Walker
Youth	(Grades 9-12)	Susan Benitez/Tony York

www.kidsbibleinfo.com

Participants Today

P.A.	Daniel Benitez
Church Chorister(s)	Chester Hickman
Organist	
Church Pianist/keyboard	Jeremy Ang
Ushers and Deacons-Leader	Morris Sianturi
Greeters 9-10 a.m.	Ernesto Davis
Concierges greeters 9-10 a.m	Jo Davis
Greeters 10-11 a.m.	Steven Alfaro
Concierges greeters 10-11 a.m.	Cristi Alfaro and Suzy Salinas
Worship Coordinator (s)	Al Acevedo
Sabbath School Secretary	Rose Carson/Linda Barrett

West Covina Hills Adventist School News

DATES TO REMEMBER: September



- 1 Ice Cream Social & Back to School Night—5:00—7:30 p.m.
- 5 Labor Day—No School
- 12-16 ITBS Testing Week
- 24 L.A. County Fair

Please continue your prayers for our school

We thank the WCH church family for all their continued support.

West Covina Hills SDA School Office: 626-859-5005
Principal: Donald Krpalek Fax: 626-859-5724
Website: www.wchas.adventistfaith.org
Follow us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/WCHASchool



Sunset Time

This week— 7:26 Next week— 7:17

Wi-Fi —wchsdachurch7

Our Church at Worship

10:35 a.m.

Song Service

Leader: Gene Manners

“All Hail the Power of Jesus Name”	229
“O, How I Love Jesus”	248
“Worthy, Worthy is the Lamb”	246

10:45 a.m.

Prelude	Jeremy Ang
Welcome & Announcements	Marisela Garcia

Please place your communication card in the offering plate

Hymn of Praise	“To God Be the Glory”	341
Chorister		Chester Hickman
Baptisms	Dustin Durrett, Chisom Nwosu, Oluchi Nwosu	Lew Gray
	Gabriel Tena, Giulian Tena	
Special Music	“Who Am I?”	Udee Nwosu
Prayer		Harry Walker
Tithes & Offering	Conference Worthy Students	Hilda Onsoe
Offertory		
Children’s Story		
Lambs Offering	“Step by Step”	WCHAS Students
Scripture	Psalm 105:1-2	Megan Walker

***** West Covina Hills Summer Music Program “To God Be the Glory” *****

“Praise Him, Praise Him”	All Participants
Narration (throughout program)	Marilyn Villiers
“The Majesty and Glory”	Casey Hughes
“In Moments Like These”	Kiara Light
“Your Great Name”	Dorothy Gadsby
“Majesty”	Victor Jones & Francisco Mowatt
“It Took a Miracle”	Monique Palaad
“You Amaze Us”	FRIENDS
“Great Getting Up Morning”	4 His Glory
“Peacespeaker”	4 His Glory
“It Is Well”	PraySingHymn
“My Tribute” (“To God Be the Glory”)	Eileen James

Hymn of Dedication	“How Great is Our God”	PraySingHymn
	Medley	
Benediction		Lew Gray
Postlude		PraySingHymn

Thank you for placing your mobile phone and pagers on silent mode!

Prayer and Praise

Please pray for: Celia Adam, Linda Barrett, Amy Bauzon, Grace Casey, David Che, Esther Chow, Liz Corless, Sarah Corless, Richard Dizon, Humberto Espinosa, Betsy Hirayama, Kathy Ann Jenny, Johnson family, Timothy Kim, Evangeline & Steve Murphy, Esther Ramos, Sergio Antonio Salinas, Roosevelt Sampson, Virginia Shull, Jill Korolsky-Smith, Eddy Supriadi, Fred Urbina, Marina Williams **and for those who are currently serving our country:** Danny Castillo, Jason Corless, Greg Ramirez, Scott Robertson, Brendon Roller, and TJ Wear.

Homebound Members: For information regarding homebound members call the church office at (626) 915-7819.

“Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn” Romans 12:15

THEME OF WORSHIP

Names of Program Participants

Abby Bagiuo	Francisco Mowatt	Kiara Light
Casey Hughes	Fred Nelwan	Marilyn Villiers
Chester Hickman	Gary Benjamin	Monique Palaad
Colin Villiers	Genevieve Nelwan	Oliver Tanghal
Devon Nelwan	Ike Dela Piqa	RJ Ticzon
Dorothy Gadsby	James Dawson	Sharon Tanghal
Ed Baguio	Kent Carillo	Valene Rosas
Eileen James	Kenny Miranda	Victor Jones

Baptismal Candidates

Chisom Nwosu— All my life, I have learned about the love that God has for us. 1 John 4:10 has helped me understand how great His love is for me. “This is real love-not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son as a sacrifice to take away our sins.” Now that I have a deeper understanding of this verse, I feel blessed. If Jesus can give up His life for a sinner like me, I know that I want to be a part of my Savior’s family in heaven.

Oluchi Justine Nwosu— In this life everyone goes through tough times, but I have learned to depend on the Lord. When I am afraid I remember the Lord tells us in Isaiah 41:10, which reads, “Fear not, for I am with you; Be not dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you. Yes, I will help you. I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.” After reading this, I remember the Lord is always right there by my side.

Gabriel Tena—I am 16 years old, a junior at West Covina High School. I love being with friends and family because we always find a way to have fun. My favorite Bible text is John 14:27. I chose to be baptized because I have accepted Jesus into my life.

Giulian Tena—I was born on November 8, 2003 in West Covina, CA. My parents are Gilbert and Glenda Tena and my siblings are Nicole and Gabriel Tena. I like to dance sometimes and I’ve been to most of the States in the U.S. My most favorite people to talk to and be with are my relatives. “Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you.” Colossians 3:13. I chose to be baptized because I believe that God will come back for us and because I have accepted God into my life.



Health Nugget

Cell Phone Etiquette

Dear Amy: I have grandchildren in their 20s.

When they are invited for dinner at our home, they often sit down with cell-phone in hand, attempting to hold a conversation or text while eating.

When I remind them that we do not permit cellphone use at the dinner table, they cease, but I wonder whether there is a better way to handle this situation. Any suggestions? Frustrated Grandpa

Dear Grandpa: Cellphone etiquette is a big deal, not only for flummoxed elders (who reached adulthood without this constant distraction), but also for young cellphone users who have had to develop their own techniques for trying to regulate this behavior. And, by the way, sometimes elders are the worst offenders.

Several millennial readers have made the following suggestion, as being something that works for them: When out at a restaurant, everyone places their cellphone in the middle of the table. The first person to reach for it picks up the check.

You can modify this at home by asking for the group to agree that the first person to reach for their phone does the dishes.