

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, Jan. 7th — Speaker: Gerard Kiemeney—10:45 a.m.

L.A. Metro Region Director
5:30 p.m.—Get Connected

Wednesday, Jan. 11th—7:00 p.m. - Bible Study

7:00 p.m.— Greek/Hebrew Class

Friday, Jan. 13th — 7:00 p.m.-Grounded Youth Vespers/Young Adult Study

7:30 p.m.—Prayer Warriors

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Sabbath, Jan. 14th — Speaker: Iki Taimi—10:45 a.m.

Sr. Pastor of Genesis Gardena Community Church
5:30 p.m.—Get Connected

Wednesday, Jan. 18th—NO - Bible Study or Greek/Hebrew Class

6:30 p.m.—Finance Committee meeting
7:30 p.m.—Church Board meeting

Friday, Jan. 20th — 7:00 p.m.-Grounded Youth Vespers/Young Adult Study

7:30 p.m.—Prayer Warriors

A new 2017 flower chart is on the bulletin board in the hallway. Sign up to request flowers for a special Sabbath (birthday, anniversary, graduation, etc.). One family per Sabbath; first come, first choice. Price has not changed from our florist for several years. Currently it is \$45.

Transfer In—Second Reading:

Gayle Worrell from Croydon SDA Church, London, England

Membership via Profession of Faith—Second Reading:

Lewit Worrell

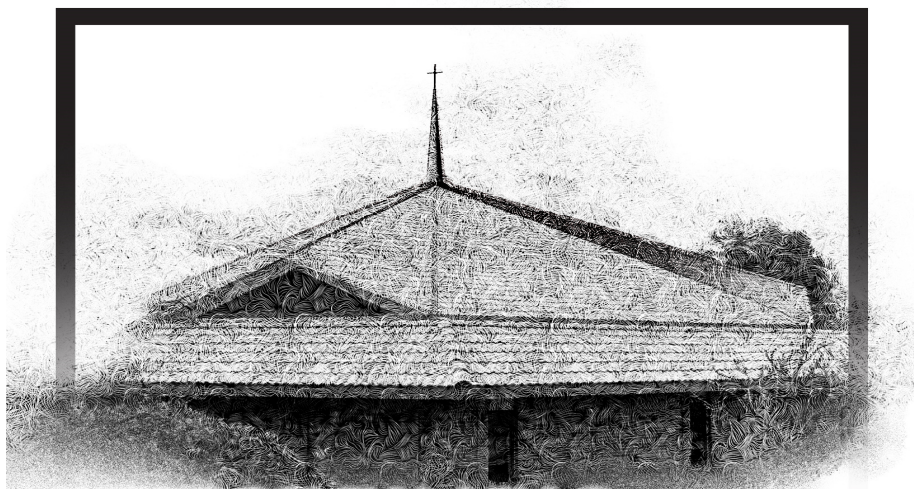
Cheerful Giving! January 2017

Church Budget Monthly Goal:	\$16,900.00
Received to date in December:	\$27,874.53
Over YTD as of December 31:	\$19,541.73
Total Scholarship Need for 2016/2017:	\$15,000.00
Lambs' Offering in December:	\$ 1,716.53
Received to date for 2016/2017:	\$ 6,962.31

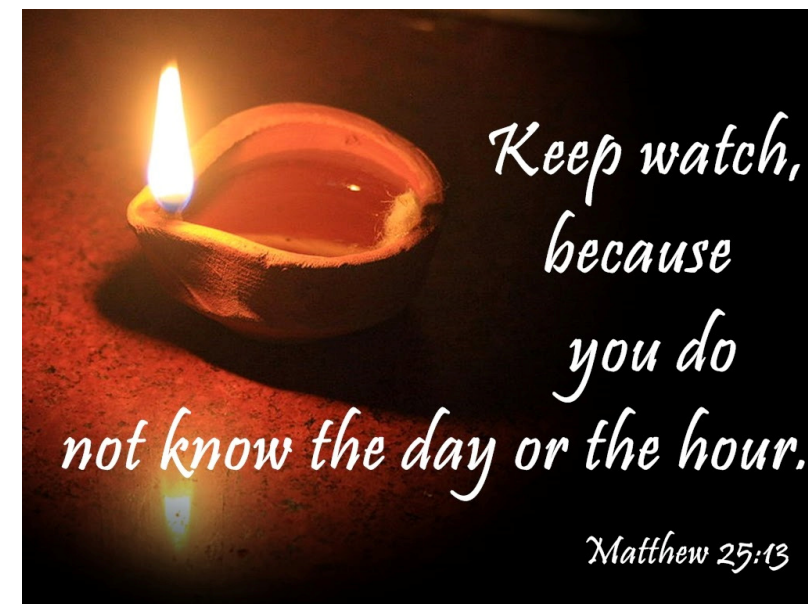
Mark any special offerings on the tithe envelope.
All loose offerings go toward Church Budget.

Ministry Leaders (2016/2018)

Adventurers - Stephen Lutes
Children's S.S. Coordinator - Maria Botello
Church Clerk - Celeste Mercy
Community Service—Morris Sianturi
Head Deacon - Alejandro Garcia
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 - Sam Ang
Home & School -
Men's Ministry— Richard Alamillo
Music Committee - Alan Beaumont
Music Committee—Casey Hughes
Music Committee—Gene Manners
Pathfinders - Susan Benitez
Pathfinders - Genemar Porsona
Religious Liberty - Daniel Benitez
Risk Manager— Guidel Rivera
Sabbath School Secretary - Linda Barrett
Treasurer—Debbie Ang
Visitation—Pastor Jillian Lutes
WCH School Board Chair - A. D. Hall
Wedding Coordinator—Josefina Davis
Wedding Coordinator—Bertha Galech
Women's Ministry Leader - Marisela Garcia
Youth Ministry Leader— Pastor Jillian Lutes



WEST COVINA HILLS SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH



Matthew 25:13

JANUARY 7, 2017

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.

West Covina Hills Seventh-day Adventist Church

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

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January 2017

Adventurers

21 Club meeting
22 Club meeting

3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.
10:00 a.m.—Noon

Pathfinders

14 Club meeting
15 Club meeting
21 Church Potluck hosting (no meeting)
22 Club meeting

3:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.
10:00 a.m.—Noon
10:00 a.m.—Noon



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)	“Contemporary Application”	Rotating Teachers
Class #3 (Library)	“Open Discussion”	Mildred Williams
Class #4 (Pastor’s Office)	“New Believers”	
Class #5 (Choir Room)	“Young Adults”	Sam Ang

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)	Lisa Lucero/Stephanie Ramirez
Kindergarten	(Ages 3-5)	Isabel York
Primary 1	(Grades 1-2)	Elizabeth Alamillo
Primary 2	(Grades 3-4)	Melanie Rumbaoa
Juniors	(Grades 5-6)	Maria Botello
Earliteens	(Grades 7-8)	Jennifer Walker
Youth	(Grades 9-12)	Susan Benitez

www.kidsbibleinfo.com

Participants Today

P.A.	Dan Ramirez
Church Chorister(s)	Casey Hughes
Organist	Edwin Rumbaoa
Church Pianist/keyboard	Melanie Rumbaoa
Ushers and Deacons-Leader	Harvey Reid
Greeters 9-10 a.m.	Hazelle Ticzon
Concierges greeters 9-10 a.m.	Rona Paguio
Greeters 10-11 a.m.	Oluchi Nwosu
Concierges greeters 10-11 a.m.	Chisom Nwosu and Sarah Nwosu
Worship Coordinator (s)	Al Acevedo
Sabbath School Secretary	Linda Barrett/Ester Tambunan

West Covina Hills Adventist School News

DATES TO REMEMBER: January



16—Martin Luther King, Jr. Day—No School

Please continue your prayers for our school

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

West Covina Hills SDA School

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Follow us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/WCHASchool



Sunset Time

This week— 4:56

Next week— 5:00

Wi-Fi —wchsdachurch7

Our Church at Worship

10:35 a.m.

Song Service

Leader: Gene Manners

“’Tis Almost Time for the Lord to Come”	212
“There’ll Be No Dark Valley”	208
“Jesus is Coming Again”	213

Prelude Edwin Rumbaoa

Welcome & Announcements Morris Sianturi

Please place your communication card in the offering plate

Hymn of Praise “Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service” 363
Chorister Casey Hughes

Prayer Lillian Patton

Tithes & Offering Church Budget Richard Alamillo
Offertory “Captive Us” Isabella & Anneliese Walder

Ministry Spotlight Sam Ream

Children’s Story Jillian Lutes
Lambs Offering

Scripture Matthew 25:13 Mary Munoz

Special Music “I Will Go” Martha Walder

Recapturing the Mission of Jesus

Message “Readiness for Jesus’ Soon Return” Gerard Kiemeney

Hymn of Dedication “Watch, Ye Saints” 598
Chorister Casey Hughes

Benediction Gerard Kiemeney

Postlude Edwin Rumbaoa

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

Prayer and Praise

Please pray for: Celia Adams, Linda Barrett, Barbara & Richard Brown, Grace Casey, David Che, Liz Corless, Sarah Corless, Richard Dizon, Betsy Hirayama, Kathy Ann Jenny, Johnson family, Richard Kemby, Andy Kim, Timothy Kim, Jackie LaFleur, Evangeline & Steve Murphy, Esther Ramos, Cherylee Robles, Roosevelt Sampson, Jill Korolsky-Smith, Eddy Supriadi, Fred Urbina, Betty Jo Walters, 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

Happy New Year, my friends!

During the next few months, we will be discussing “**Recapturing the Mission of Jesus.**” You will hear sermons from Southern California Conference key administrators (President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary). Each of the administrators will give Biblical input on what they sense is the mission of Jesus for this conference and the role that each of us plays in that mission.

Today’s sermon discusses, “Readiness for Jesus Soon Return.” We will be discussing Matthew 24 and 25 in light of the mission of Jesus and the urgent times in which we live.

Dear Church Family and Friends,

Robyne and I were overwhelmed with our shared December 31, 2016 worship service! The baptism of Joshua Holden and Tyler Gray reminds us of our mission from Jesus to “Go and make disciples”! This mission not only brings the “New Life” to those committing to God, but it revives each of us as we, by God’s leading, tell others the Good News!

We also want to express our appreciation to our guest musicians, Victor Jones and Francisco Mowatt, praising God with their instruments throughout the worship service. Thank you, Edwin, Melanie, Roberta, Gene, Corneliu, Hilda, Sharon, Haile—through music and word leading us in worship.

What a surprise to hear the choir close the service with a choral benediction “The Lord Bless You”! Every aspect of the service reminded us of the “Together We Can” culture we have sought to be faithful to by God’s grace.

We want to express our appreciation to Dr. Gerard Kiemeney and Diane for their presence, words and support each step of our ministry.

We were humbled that about 20 members from the Alhambra church came to share the worship service with our church family.

We cherished the hugs, well wishes, photos and smiles, along with the desire to have our paths cross as soon as possible! By the way, please send any photos to our email address—we will cherish them.

Say Glory! Lew and Robyne



Health Nugget

15 Health Tips for the New Year

Year after year we make resolutions to exercise regularly, eat well, and give up smoking and other bad habits. Following such basic rules can cut heart disease risk by 80 percent, diabetes risk by 90 percent and cancer risk by 50 percent, according to the Harvard Nurses’ Health Study. But most of us fail to keep our promises to ourselves. Last year, The Globe asked three prominent local experts for some practical ways to get -- and stay -- healthy.

Over the next several weeks, we will give you each of the 15 tips.

