

## Order of Worship

10:50 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

(Please turn off all cell phones & pagers for the worship service)

**Prelude** *Gabriel's Oboe* from "The Mission" *E. Morricone*

**Opening Hymn** "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" No. 12

**Call to Worship** Smuts van Rooyen

Oh, sing to the LORD a new song!

Sing to the LORD, all the earth.

Sing to the LORD, bless His name.

**Proclaim the good news of His salvation from day to day.**

**Declare His glory among the nations,**

**His wonders among all peoples.**

**Greetings & Prayers of the Congregation** Leif Lind

(Please remain standing for prayer)

**Prayer Response**

Hear our prayer, O Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord,

Incline thine ear to us, and grant us thy peace.

**Anthem** "Blessed Be the Lord" *Dale Wood*

**Morning Offering** Zacharias Abaro

**Offertory** "It Is Well With My Soul" *arr. K. Mocklebust*  
Sanctuary Bell Choir

**Children's Sermon** Hope Smith

**Anthem** "Blessed Assurance" *P. Knapp,*  
Sanctuary Bell Choir *arr. L. McKechnie*

**Scripture** **John 17:20-26** Arlene van Rooyen

**Sermon** "We Can Answer Jesus' Prayer" Smuts van Rooyen

**Closing Hymn** "At First I Prayed for Light" No. 488

**Benediction** Smuts van Rooyen

**Musical Response**

**Postlude** "Festival Toccata" *P. Fletcher*

## Sabbath School Options

Class	Age	Location	Symbols/Leaders
Beginners	0-3 yrs	Room 3	Elephant
Kindergarten	3-5 yrs	Room 4	Giraffe
Primary	6-9	Room 2	Eagle
Junior	10-13 yrs	Room 1	Lion
Teen	14-18 yrs	Room 10b	Fish
Young Adult	19-99 yrs	Youth Center	
Armenian	General	Room 11	
Romanian	General	Room 13	
Pastor	General	Fellowship Hall	Leif Lind
SS Quarterly	General	Chapel	Cherise Gardner

## Worship Options

Option	Location	Sequence
Sanctuary Service	Main Sanctuary	Every Sabbath
Romanian Service	Chapel	1st and 3rd Sabbaths
Armenian Service	Chapel	2nd and 4th Sabbaths

## Activities

Event	Location	Sequence
Bell Choir	Youth Center	Friday at 8:00 pm
Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room	Sabbath at 9:15 am
Pathfinders	GAMC Gymnasium	Tuesday at 6:45 pm
Sunshine/Jubilate Singers	Room 10b	Sabbath at Noon
Bible Study		Monday at 7:00 p.m.
Marathon Clinic	Verdugo Park	Sunday at 7:00 a.m.

## Church Directory

### Pastoral Staff

Smuts van Rooyen, Senior Pastor (626-256-4240)  
Cherise Gardner, Family & Children's Ministries (909-809-7439)  
Hovik Sarrafian, Armenian Senior Pastor (909-796-9536)  
Vartkes Azadian, Armenian Associate Pastor (626-335-6507)  
Dorin Lataeanu, Romanian Senior Pastor (909-528-2545)  
Leif Lind, Church Administrator (909-557-5230)

### Officers

Head Elder Don Greathouse (626-796-8579)  
Head Deacon John Nielsen (818-904-0825)  
Head Deaconess Eleanor Posner (818-281-5822)  
Church Board Chair Vincent Haynes (213-276-2131)  
Choir Director Brenda Mohr (brendajmohr@gmail.com)  
Organist Kemp Smeal (714-658-4885)  
Children's Choir Director Ariel Quintana (818-552-2421)  
Bell Choir Director Victoria Lucero (818-244-7241 office)  
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Church Clerk Beverly Tarr (626-449-7319)  
A+ School Board Chair Anooosh Keshishzade (818-241-9353 school)  
A+ School Principal Warren Dale (818-384-2820)  
Pathfinder Director Wayne Libby (818-522-4297)  
Facilities Administrator

### Church Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.; Friday 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

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# Glendale City Seventh-day Adventist Church



November 14, 2009

## Scripture Reading

### John 17:20-26

My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me.

**I have given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one:**

**I in them and you in me.  
May they be brought to complete unity  
to let the world know that you sent me  
and have loved them even as you have loved me.**

Father, I want those you have given me to be with me where I am, and to see my glory, the glory you have given me because you loved me before the creation of the world.

Righteous Father, though the world does not know you, I know you, and they know that you have sent me.

**I have made you known to them,  
and will continue to make you known  
in order that the love you have for me may be in them  
and that I myself may be in them.**



## Closing Hymn No. 488, "At First I Prayed For Light"

1. At first I prayed for light:  
Could I but see the way,  
How gladly, swiftly would I walk  
To everlasting day!
2. And next I prayed for strength:  
That I might tread the road  
With firm, unfaltering feet, and win  
The heaven's serene abode.
3. And then I asked for faith:  
Could I but trust my God,  
I'd live infolded in His peace,  
Though foes were all abroad.
4. But now I pray for love:  
Deep love to God and man;  
A living love that will not fail,  
However dark His plan.
5. And light and strength and faith  
Are opening everywhere!  
God waited patiently until  
I prayed the larger prayer.

## Thanksgiving Food Drive



Questions?—Call Warren Dale at 818-384-2820.

Our Pathfinders are collecting non-perishable food for Thanksgiving baskets. Your donation of food will help a family have a special Thanks-giving dinner this year, and in the process, make memories to last a lifetime.

### Donation Date:

**Sabbath, November 21, City Church.**

Pathfinders will be here to pick up the food and distribute it to needy families in Glendale. *If you cannot be here, drop off food at the Church Office during office hours.*

### *CALLING ALL VEGETARIANS!!!*

Wondering what to do with those free turkeys you earn at the supermarket every November? Bring them to church! We will distribute them in our Thanksgiving baskets.

## City Church Announcements

*Welcome to City Church! May you be blessed in worship today.*

**Today!** "Find Your Roots: Digging Deeper in Faith" is the theme for the new **Young Adult Sabbath School Class** from 10 a.m.–10:50 a.m. in the Youth Center. Come and see—we think you'll be surprised!

**Year-end Contributions.** In completing the work of the Chapel, we are in the process of getting an organ. We are \$26,000 short of the total funds needed. Those who are interested in making year-end contributions are invited to consider this as one of your possibilities.

**Frozen and canned vegetarian food** will be available for distribution today after the worship service for those who need it. Please see Eleanor Posner after church for further information.

There will be a **potluck today** in the Fellowship Hall after the worship service. Everyone is welcome!

The **Annual Christmas Concert** will be Friday, December 4 at 7 p.m., featuring the Sanctuary Choir and Bell Choir, Glendale Academy Chorale, Kemp Smeal, the Brass Quintet, and special guest soloists, followed by a reception in the Fellowship Hall. Invite your friends and family to this wonderful start to the holiday season.

Two Church member families **looking for a two bedroom apartment** in the Burbank/Glendale area. One couple with no children or pets—contact Grace 818-641-6231. Second couple with two children—call church office.

Pastor/Student in **need of donated furniture** for apartment; immediate needs are a bed and sofa. Contact Grant Agadjanian, 805-368-4847.

SDA female looking for a **room to rent** (\$450-\$550). Works for Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, looking for a quiet place and person. Please call Jacqueline 323-877-7806.

Church member Katherine White is looking for someone to give her a **ride to church** at least once a month. Please contact the Church Office for more information.

## Upcoming Sermons & Events

**Elder of the Day**

**Anoosh Keshishzade**

**November 21**

Thanksgiving Sabbath

Smuts van Rooyen

**November 28**

Smuts van Rooyen

**Sunset tonight – 4:50 p.m. Sunset next Friday – 4:46 p.m.**