

Order of Worship

10:50 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

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

Prelude "Toccata and Fugue in F" *Dietrich Buxtehude*
Ty Woodward, *organist*

Call to Worship

O God of the morning and of the evening hours,
let your Spirit come on us here gathered.

This is the holy place where we, your people, call on you in faith,
joining heart and voice in thanksgiving and praise to your name.

"Come, let us worship the Lord."

Hymn of Praise "Dear Lord and Father" No. 480

Greetings & Prayers of the Congregation Leif Lind

(please remain standing for prayer)

Prayer Response Turn your eyes upon Jesus, (No. 290)
Look full in His wonderful face;
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim
In the light of His glory and grace.

Anthem "Ain'-a That Good News" *Spiritual*
arr. W. Dawson

Call to Offering Jerry Wahagheghe

Offertory Rachel Hyman

Children's Sermon Cherise Gardner

Anthem "This Little Light o' Mine" *Spiritual*
arr. J. Work

Responsive Scripture **Psalm 95** Jesse Martin
A Sabbath Psalm

Sermon "The Only Way to Enter Rest" Smuts van Rooyen

Closing Hymn "And Can It Be?" No. 198

Benediction Smuts van Rooyen

Musical Response

Postlude "Finale"(from *Symphony No. 6*) *Chas. M. Widor*

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	10-12 yrs	Room 1	Lion
Teen	13-19 yrs	Room 10b	Fish
Armenian	General	Room 11	
Romanian	General	Room 13	
Pastor	General	Fellowship Hall	Leif Lind
SS Quarterly	General	Chapel	Harold Fanselau

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
Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room	Sabbath at 9:15 am
Pathfinders	GAMC Gymnasium	Tuesday at 6:45 pm
Children's Choir	Room 10b	Sabbath at Noon
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 (626-484-8436)
Leif Lind, Church Administrator (909-557-5230)

Hovik Sarrafian, Armenian Senior Pastor (909-796-9536)
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Manea Moldoveanu, Romanian Church representative (562-463-0531)

Officers

Head Elder	Don Greathouse (626-796-8579)
Head Deacon	John Nielsen (818-605-0057)
Head Deaconess	Eleanor Posner (818-281-5822)
Church Board Chair	Vincent Haynes (213-276-2131)
Sanctuary Choir Director	Jean-Sébastien Vallée (831-420-7584)
Children's Choir Director	Lissie Quishenberry (lissie@crazyladymusic.com)
Organist	Kemp Smeal (714-658-4885)
Secretary	Victoria Lucero (818-244-7241 office)
Treasurer	Dean Vendouris (818-244-7241 office)
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A+ School Board Chair (interim)	Glen Christensen (plbboss@aol.com)
A+ School Director	Malisa Smith (818-241-9353 school)
Pathfinder Director	Warren Dale (818-384-2820)
Facilities Administrator	Wayne Libby (760-409-6719)

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



October 15, 2011

"Revealing Christ, affirming all."

Responsive Reading

Psalm 95 “A Sabbath Psalm”

Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD;
let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.
**Let us come before him with thanksgiving
and extol him with music and song.**

For the LORD is the great God,
the great King above all gods.
In his hand are the depths of the earth,
and the mountain peaks belong to him.
The sea is his, for he made it,
and his hands formed the dry land.

**Come, let us bow down in worship,
let us kneel before the LORD our Maker;
for he is our God
and we are the people of his pasture,
the flock under his care.**

Today, if only you would hear his voice,
“Do not harden your hearts as you did at Meribah,
as you did that day at Massah in the wilderness,
where your ancestors tested me;
they tried me, though they had seen what I did.
For forty years I was angry with that generation;
I said, “They are a people whose hearts go astray,
and they have not known my ways.”
**So I declared on oath in my anger,
“They shall never enter my rest.”**



Fellowship Potlucks

Our “once-a-month” Fellowship Potlucks will happen *twice* in October!
All are welcome.

October 22 @ 12:30 p.m.

We encourage you to bring a main dish and the Church supplies the rest.

October 29 @ 12:30 p.m.

*This is the A+ 30th Anniversary, all encouraged to attend.
Bring salad, entrees, and fruit.*

Closing Hymn #198: “And Can It Be?”

1. And can it be that I should gain
An int’rest in the Savior’s blood?
Died He for me, who caused His pain?
For me, who Him to death pursued?
Amazing love! how can it be
That Thou, my God shouldst die for me?

Refrain:

Amazing love! How can it be
That Thou, my God, shouldst die for me?

2. He left His Father’s throne above,
So free, so infinite His grace;
Emptied Himself of all but love,
And bled for Adam’s helpless race;
’Tis mercy all, immense and free;
For, O my God, it found out me.

3. Long my imprisoned spirit lay
Fast bound in sin and nature’s night;
Thine eye diffused a quick’ning ray,
I woke, the dungeon flamed with light;
My chains fell off, my heart was free;
I rose, went forth and followed Thee.

4. No condemnation now I dread;
Jesus, and all in Him, is mine!
Alive in Him, my living Head,
And clothed in righteousness divine,
Bold I approach th’eternal throne,
And claim the crown, through Christ my own.

First Anthem: “Ain’-a That Good News”

I got a crown up in-a the Kingdom,
Ain’-a that good news!

I’m a-goin’ to lay down this worl’,
Goin’-a shoulder up-uh my cross,
Goin’-a take it home-a to my Jesus,
Ain’-a that good news!

I got a harp up in-a the Kingdom,
Ain’-a that good news!

I got a robe up in-a the Kingdom,
Ain’-a that good news!

I got a Savior in-a the Kingdom,
Ain’-a that good news!

Good news, good news, good news, my Lawd!
Ain’-a that good news, my Lawd!

Upcoming Sermons & Events

Elder of the Day
October 22
October 29
November 5

Wanda Koffman
Smuts van Rooyen
30th Anniversary of A+ Children’s Center
Smuts van Rooyen

Sunset tonight – 6:21 p.m. Sunset next Friday – 6:11 p.m.

City Church Announcements

*“All are welcome — whoever you are, whatever your journey or background.
God excludes no one, and neither do we.”*

At Rest. This week we lost our church member Jean McVeigh. Please pray for her sisters as they mourn their loss. Memorial Service is pending, but will be at City Church.

Hebrew music artist **Rachel Joy Hyman** will perform at City Church **today** at 5 p.m. in this special concert entitled *Psalms of Light*. She will also sing the **offertory piece this morning**. Let her hauntingly beautiful music inspire you! All welcome, admission free; love offering will be taken.

We welcome Pastor **Lawrence Downing** and attorney **Kent Hansen** to our **Leadership Training Workshop today!** Church members who agreed to serve as church officers should plan to attend this workshop immediately after the worship service today. There will be an **Italian-themed potluck**, so please try to bring a 10-12 serving dish (Deaconess/Greeter—entrée; Sabbath School Teachers—salad; Elders/Endowment/Finance—dessert; Deacons and Junior Deacons—in charge of set-up and clean-up; all other officers—beverages). If you have questions or unable to attend, please contact Dave Ferguson. Job descriptions will be handed out for each office, and instruction given on team building as well as special presentations by our speakers. Training will be completed by 4 p.m.

Young Adults Fellowship. We meet **today** in the multipurpose room from 10–10:45 a.m. Don’t know where the multipurpose room is? Look for the signs in the courtyard or downstairs, or ask a church member to guide you!

“God in the 66” Bible study meets as usual Tuesday, 6-8 p.m. in the Council Room (707-337-8002 or sierrablake@gmail.com for info).

A+ Adventist Children’s Center is in need of donations (cash or new items) for their upcoming **Spaghetti Fundraiser** dinner auction. Proceeds will benefit much needed repairs and a new carpet in the Fellowship Hall. We invite you to attend this great event! **Thursday, October 27, 5-8 p.m.** Adults: \$10; Children 2-8: \$5. RSVP by October 24: 818-241-9353. Thanks for making a difference at A+!

LA Adventist Forum next Sabbath, October 22, 3 p.m., Dr. Sigve K. Tonstad, speaking on “The Lost Meaning of the Seventh Day.” Dr. Tonstad, a native of Norway, holds doctorates in both theology and medicine and serves as a professor of Religion and professor of Medicine at Loma Linda University. All are welcome!

Flu Shots, next Sabbath, October 22, noon to 2:30 p.m. Nurses from Pegasus Home Health Care will be at church to help you duck the flu! There is no charge for Medicare B cardholders, just present your Medicare B card. Whether you have PPO health insurance or not it is \$25, paid to Pegasus (PPO can reimburse); cash, check, and credit/debit cards accepted. If you’d like to pay prior to Sabbath, you may write a check to Pegasus Home Health Care and leave at the church office, or give to Kathy McFarland.

SimplySouperSupper™—Friday, November 18, 7:00 p.m. Fellowship Hall/Chapel. SimplySouperSupper™ followed at 8:00 p.m. by the movie, *Forks Over Knives*, and a short discussion. You may attend the film without attending supper. *Space is limited for supper and an RSVP is required* by November 4. Donations accepted. For more info or to RSVP, contact Kathy McFarland.

An RN and friend of City Church is looking for a **room to rent 3-5 days** a week in or near Glendale. Willing to pay \$200-300 a month. Please contact the Church Office for more information.

Room Needed. A young woman needs a room Mon–Wed. in the Glendale area, willing to pay \$300 a month. Info: 818-546-8451 (Mon.–Thurs.).

Join Pathfinders! For all between 10-16 who enjoy camping, learning new things, and spending great times with friends! The Pathfinder Club provides a Christ-centered environment for youngsters to grow and learn. Tuesday evenings 6:45-8:45 p.m. at Adventist Hospital Community Center. Call Warren Dale—818-384-2820 for info.

We cannot always fit all announcements in the bulletin. Please sign up for our e-Newsletter to keep up with the latest events! www.glendalecitysda.org