

## Order of Worship

10:50 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

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

(Please note below the changes in the worship service format)

<b>Prelude</b>	“Prelude on Psalm 34”	<i>Herbert Howells</i>
<b>Call to Worship</b>		Cherise Gardner
	The grace of Jesus Christ be among us. <b>The love of God be among us.</b> The communion of the Holy Spirit be with us all. <b>Amen.</b>	
<b>Hymn of Praise</b>	“Wonderful Words of Life”	No. 286
<b>Prayers of the Congregation</b>		Rudy Torres
	(Please remain standing for prayer)	
<b>Prayer Response</b>		(No. 495)
	O Jesus, blest Redeemer, sent from the heart of God, Hold us, who wait before Thee, near to the heart of God.	
<b>Anthem</b>	“The Heavens Are Telling” from <i>Creation</i>	<i>J. Haydn</i>
<b>Children’s Sermon</b>		Todd Leonard
	(Opportunity for members to greet each other while children are gathering for their sermon)	
<b>Anthem</b>	“The Lord Is My Light”	<i>Frances Allitsen</i>
<b>Scripture</b>	<b>Luke 4:14-22a</b>	Hugh Gardner
<b>Sermon</b>	<i>Jesus: Not What We Imagined</i> “The Future Starts Today”	Cherise Gardner
<b>Offertory</b>	“Now Heav’n in Fullest Glory Shone” from <i>Creation</i> Steve Pence, <i>bass</i>	<i>J. Haydn</i>
	(Unless otherwise marked, loose offering goes to local church expense)	
<b>Hymn of Response</b>	“Christ for the World”	No. 370
<b>Benediction</b>		Cherise Gardner
<b>Musical Response</b>	“Amen”	<i>John Rutter</i>
<b>Postlude</b>	“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee” Myrna Haynes, <i>piano</i> ; Kemp Smeal, <i>organ</i>	<i>arr. Nielsen/Young</i>

Whether you’re a regular member or a visitor, we encourage you to continue to fellowship with our church family! Please also feel free to contact any of our pastoral staff if you have a question or need help.

## Sabbath School Options (9:30-10:30 a.m.)

<u>Class</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Symbols/Leaders</u>
Children’s Meet & Great	All	Multipurpose Room	Sanctuary Basement
Beginners	0-3 yrs	Room 3	Elephant
Kinder/Primary/ & Junior	4 yrs to 6th grade	Room 1	Lion
Earliteen	7th & 8th grade	Room 4	Eagle
Teen	14-17 yrs	Youth Room, 10	Chapel Basement
Armenian	General	Room 11	
Romanian	General	Room 13	
Grace Center	General	Fellowship Hall	Leif Lind
SS Quarterly	General	Chapel	Vincent Haynes

## Worship Options

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

## Activities

<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Sequence</u>
Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room	Sabbath at 9:15 a.m.
Pathfinders	Fellowship Hall	1st & 3rd Sabbath, 12 p.m.
Bible Study	Council Room	Tuesday at 6:00 p.m.
Children’s Choir	Room 10b	Sabbath at Noon
Marathon Clinic	Verdugo Park	Sunday at 7:00 a.m.

## Church Directory

### Pastoral Staff

Todd Leonard, Senior Pastor (818-441-3364)  
Cherise Gardner, Family & Children’s Ministries (818-244-7241)  
Leif Lind, Church Administrator (909-557-5230)  
Rudy Torres, Pastor Emeritus

Hovik Sarrafian, Armenian Senior Pastor (909-796-9536)  
Vartkes Azadian, Armenian Associate Pastor (626-335-6507)  
Dorin Lataeanu, Romanian Pastor (909-528-2545)

### 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 Sébastien Vallée (831-420-7584)  
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### 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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## Responsive Reading

### Luke 4:14-22a

Jesus returned to Galilee in the power of the Spirit,  
and news about him spread through the whole countryside.

**He taught in their synagogues, and everyone praised him.**

He went to Nazareth, where he had been brought up,  
and on the Sabbath day he went into the synagogue,  
as was his custom. And he stood up to read.

The scroll of the prophet Isaiah was handed to him.  
Unrolling it, he found the place where it is written:

**“The Spirit of the Lord is on me,  
because he has anointed me  
to preach good news to the poor.**

**He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners  
and recovery of sight for the blind,  
to release the oppressed,  
to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favor.”**

Then he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant and sat  
down. The eyes of everyone in the synagogue were fastened on  
him,  
and he began by saying to them,

**“Today this scripture is fulfilled in your hearing.”**

All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words  
that came from his lips.



## Closing Hymn # 370: “Christ for the World”

1. Christ for the world we sing;  
The world to Christ we bring  
With loving zeal;  
The poor and them that mourn,  
The faint and overborne;  
Sin-sick and sorrow-worn,  
Whom Christ doth heal.

2. Christ for the world we sing;  
The world to Christ we bring  
With fervent prayer;  
The wayward and the lost,  
By restless passions tossed,  
Redeemed at countless cost  
From dark despair.

3. Christ for the world we sing;  
The world to Christ we bring  
With joyful song;  
The newborn souls, whose days,  
Reclaimed from error’s ways,  
Inspired with hope and praise,  
To Christ belong.

## 1st Anthem: “The Heavens Are Telling”

The heavens are telling the glory of God,  
The wonder of his work displays the firmament;  
Today that is coming speaks it the day,  
The night that is gone to following night,

In all the lands resounds the word,  
Never unperceived, ever understood.

## 2nd Anthem: “The Lord Is My Light” (Psalm 27)

The Lord is my light and my salvation. Whom, then shall I fear?  
The Lord is the strength of my life. Of whom then shall I be afraid?  
Though a host of men were laid against me, yet shall not my heart be afraid;  
And tho’ there rose up war against me, yet will I put my trust in Him.  
For in the time of trouble, He shall hide me in His tabernacle.  
Yea, in the secret places of His dwelling shall He hide me,  
And set me up upon a rock of stone.

## Church Financial Snapshot

**YEAR TO DATE 2013 (FOR 2 WEEKS, THROUGH JANUARY 12)**  
**BUDGETED LOCAL FUNDS INCOME \$16,058**  
**ACTUAL LOCAL FUNDS RECEIVED \$13,756**  
**SHORTFALL \$2,302**

Online giving of tithes or special projects? Simply go to [www.glendalecitysda.org](http://www.glendalecitysda.org)  
“Online Giving,” then to the link “Donate to Glendale City Church Here.”

## City Church Announcements

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

**New Worship Service Format.** You may notice some **changes in our Order of Service.**  
This is a three-month trial period and we appreciate your feedback!

### ADULT BIBLE STUDY OPTIONS:

- CHAPEL — SABBATH SCHOOL QUARTERLY (TRADITIONAL): Current study theme: “Origins” by L. James Gibson. A look at Creation as described in scripture and how this relates to other biblical teachings.
- GRACE CENTER (FELLOWSHIP HALL) — Current book study: “The Future of Faith” by Harvey Cox. Observes how the Christian faith has changed since Bible times, and considers current and likely future trends and what this means for each of us.

**Note:** *Potlucks will now be on the 3rd Sabbath of each month.*

**Prayer concern:** We are sad to announce that long-time member Travis Dixon passed away on Thursday this week after a lingering illness. Service are pending.

**L.A. Adventist Forum, today,** Chapel, at 3:00 p.m., will feature Sam McBride, Ph.D., Professor, Department of English and Communication, La Sierra University. Topic: “C. S. Lewis and the Seventh-day Adventist Church.” Dr. McBride will address what he has termed the “C. S. Lewis ‘Great Project,’” which explores all the diverse genres in which Lewis wrote, and how Seventh-day Adventism relates to it. All are welcome.

**Mid-week Bible Study Class** “God in the 66,” Tuesday, Council Room, 6-8 p.m.

**Join us for a Community Service volunteer opportunity, Sabbath, February 2** after church in the Multipurpose Room. We will assemble sack lunches for Ascencia Family Shelter. There will be a luncheon for helpers as well. See you there!

Please plan to stay for our **Community Service Activity directly after church next Sabbath, February 2.** We are assembling sack lunches for the families at the Glendale Ascencia Winter Shelter. If you have boxes, please bring them. Please contact Didi at [dmumford1@aol.com](mailto:dmumford1@aol.com) if you would like to know more about assisting this family shelter.

**Attention Adventist Creatives!** Here is an opportunity to share your gift with the world—the first ever *inSpire Design and Songwriting Contest*, sponsored by Pacific Union Conference. Now accepting applications through February 22, 2013. Make a difference with your artistic/songwriting abilities and win an iPad. [www.visitinspire.org/contest](http://www.visitinspire.org/contest).

**New contact information?** Please remember to contact the church office or the pastoral staff if you have had any change in personal contact information (phone, address, email etc.). This will help us to keep our records up to date and facilitate communication. Thank you!

### Youth Events

**Godly Play** is every first and third Sabbath of the month, 11:30 a.m. in Room 2 (Giraffe).

The regular **Pathfinder** meetings will be on the **first and third Sabbath** of the month in the Youth Room after the worship service from 1:00–3:30 p.m.

**Youth Game Nights** are on the **second Saturday night of every month** at 6:00 p.m., in the Youth Room.

## Upcoming Sermons & Events

**Elder of the Day**  
**February 2**  
**February 9**

**Don Greathouse**  
**Todd Leonard**  
**Leif Lind**

**Sunset tonight – 5:16 p.m. Sunset next Friday – 5:24 p.m.**