

Church News

We are sad to announce the passing of **Sascha Allen**, the morning of June 26. Funeral arrangement information to follow.

Please keep **Kelsey Mumford in your prayers** as she leaves for Connecticut to attend a 5-week Math and Science Summer Program at Choate Rosemary Hall.

Congratulations to Joseph Chilopoulos on his graduation from Elementary school! Our apologies for inadvertently not mentioning it during last week's Graduation Celebration!

Youth Church is TODAY, Fellowship Hall. Today, City Church is hosting and welcomes Vallejo Drive youth to our campus. Breakfast at 9:30 a.m., followed by an engaging discussion, powerful Worship at 10:45, and lots of opportunities to connect and build friendships.

L. A. Adventist Forum, TODAY, 3 p.m. Chapel. The speaker is the Honorable Terry A. Bork, Judge of the Superior Court of California for the County of Los Angeles. Topic, "Seeking Justice in America: A Trial Judge's View." All are welcome.

City Church Parents, we want to hear from you! Your Pastoral Staff is inviting you to a lunch-conversation following **Worship on July 12 in the Fellowship Hall.** The Pastors want feedback about how we are meeting the spiritual needs of your families. You may also take this opportunity to give your input about children's and youth ministry plans you would like to see for coming year. Childcare will be provided.

Lit Knitters is going strong so if you'd like to join us, our next meeting is Sunday, July 6, 11a.m., Youth Room. "Like" Lit Knitters on Facebook, or for more info call Didi Mumford 626-676-2352.

The next **Young Adults' Open Door** gathering will meet Friday, July 11, 7:30 p.m.

Glendale Adventist Academy and Elementary are now accepting applications for enrollment. School starts August 20. Elementary info 818-246-4867; Academy info 818-244-8671.

City Church Online—citychurch-online.org! We have an audience of 6,000 from over 70 countries! During "Live" streaming you can chat with others watching; archived sermons are available, too. Become part of our ministry as a Chat Host. See Leif Lind for details, or call the Church Office.

Weekly Spiritual Blog at glendalecitychurch.org. Current discussion is Stuart Tyner's *Searching for the God of Grace*. Get a copy of the book from www.adventistbookcenter.com.

Listen to Sermons on iTunes! Find us on Facebook & Twitter! @CityChurchGlen or Online Campus @GCCChurchOnline.

Elder of the Day—Anoosh Keshishzade.

Church Budget—Total \$214,487; Budget \$225,467; Shortfall \$10,980.

Pastors & Church Staff *To contact anyone from the Staff, please call or email the Church Office.*

Todd Leonard, *Senior Pastor* • Cherise Gardner, *Family Ministries Pastor* • Rudy Torres, *Pastor Emeritus*
Arleene Chow, *Young Adults Director* • Leif Lind, *Church Administrator & Online Campus Director*
Anji Arm, *Children's Ministry Assistant* • Victoria Lucero, *Secretary*

Glendale City Church *of Seventh-day Adventists*



Welcome!

Thank you for joining us today.
Worship begins at 10:50 a.m.
in the Main Sanctuary.

June 28, 2014

*"Revealing Christ,
affirming all."*

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CITY CHURCH AT WORSHIP, 10:50 a.m.–12:10 p.m.
(please turn off all cell phones & pagers for the Worship Service)

Prelude “Jesu, Lover of My Soul” *arr. Kemp L. Smeal*

Call to Worship Todd Leonard

Holy One, open us to the movement of your Spirit.

You call us through your Spirit

that we may gather and celebrate the new community.

We are all different and still we share a yearning
that touches and compels us to join together with one another.

**Gather us so that the winds of love will blow through us,
and the fire of your passion will burn.**

Hymn of Praise “Amazing Grace” No. 108

Prayers of the Congregation Leif Lind
(Please remain standing for prayer)

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

Anthem “Awake the Trumpets” *G. F. Handel*

Children’s Story Arleene Chow

Anthem “How Great Thou Art” *Craig Courtney*

Scripture **Jonah 2:1-9, NIV** Dolores Herzo

From inside the fish Jonah prayed to the Lord his God.

He said: **“In my distress I called to the Lord, and he answered me.**

From deep in the realm of the dead I called for help, and you listened to my cry.

You hurled me into the depths, into the very heart of the seas,

and the currents swirled about me; all your waves and breakers swept over me.

I have been banished from your sight; yet I will look again toward your holy temple.

**The engulfing waters threatened me, the deep surrounded me; seaweed was
wrapped around my head. To the roots of the mountains I sank down; the earth
beneath barred me in forever. But you, Lord my God, brought my life up from the pit.**

When my life was ebbing away, I remembered you, Lord, and my prayer rose to you,
to your holy temple. Those who cling to worthless idols turn away from God’s love for them.
But I, with shouts of grateful praise, will sacrifice to you. What I have vowed I will make good.

I will say, ‘Salvation comes from the Lord.’”

Sermon “Jonah and the Swallowing-But-Not-Digesting Fish” Todd Leonard

Offertory “Still, Still with Thee” *John Ness Beck*
Charles Lane
(Unless otherwise marked, loose offering goes to local church expense)

Closing Hymn “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” No. 100

Benediction Todd Leonard

Musical Response “A Prayer of Saint Patrick” *John Rutter*

Postlude “On Christ the Solid Rock I Stand” *arr. Kemp L. Smeal*

Today’s music is provided by Kemp L. Smeal, Sanctuary Organist, & guest Sanctuary Choir
Conductor, Clarissa Shan.

*Whether you’re a regular member or a visitor, we encourage you to continue to fellowship
with our Church family after the worship service! Please also feel free to contact any of
our pastoral staff with any concerns you have.*