

Order of Worship

10:50 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

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

Prelude	“Hyfrydol” Angelica Prodan, <i>organist</i>	Healy Willan
Call to Worship		Dorin Lataeanu
	Give thanks to the God of heaven; his love endures forever. He gives food to all his creatures; his love endures forever. He remembers us when we are cast down; his love endures forever. Give thanks to the Lord of lords; his love endures forever.	
		— from Ps. 136
Hymn of Praise	“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee” <i>Lighting of the 1st Advent Candle during this hymn</i>	No. 12
Prayers of the Congregation		Doug Schultz
	<i>(please remain standing for prayer)</i>	
Prayer Response		(No. 100)
	Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see; All I have needed Thy hand hath provided, Great is thy faithfulness! Lord unto me!	
Vocal Solo	“Frumos e s-ascult (<i>He Hideth My Soul</i>)” Petruta Achiriloaie, <i>soloist</i>	Frances J. Crosby
Children’s Sermon		Jim Henneberg
	<i>Opportunity for members to greet each other while children make their way up front. A special Lamb’s Offering for student assistance fund will be collected right after the story.</i>	
Vocal Solo	“Ierusalim (<i>The Holy City</i>)” Joseph Fustos, <i>soloist</i>	Stephen Adams
Scripture	Luke 13:10–17 <i>(in Romanian and English)</i>	Marina Orbisoru, Edith Buenaobra
Sermon	“Conflict in the Synagogue”	Dorin Lataeanu
Call for Offering		Dorin Lataeanu
Offertory	“Wachet auf, ruft uns die Stimme” Angelica Prodan, <i>organist</i> <i>(Unless otherwise marked, loose offering goes to local church expense)</i>	J. S. Bach
Closing Hymn	“I Will Sing of My Redeemer”	No. 343
Benediction		Dorin Lataeanu
Musical Response		
Postlude	“Now Thank We All Our God” from <i>Cantata No. 79</i> Kemp Smeal, <i>organist</i>	J. S. Bach

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 if you have a question or need help.

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

Class	Age	Location	Symbols/Leaders
Children’s Meet & Greet	All	Multipurpose Room	Sanctuary Basement
Beginners	0-3 yrs	Room 3	Elephant
Kinder/1st Grade	4-7 years	Room 2	Giraffe
Junior	2nd to 6th grade	Room 1	Lion
Earliteen	7th & 8th grade	Room 4	Eagle
Teen	14-17 yrs	Youth Café, 10:00 a.m.	Chapel Basement
Armenian	General	Room 11	
Romanian	General	Room 13	
SS Quarterly	General	Chapel	
Grace Center	General	Fellowship Hall (N.)	Leif Lind
Living Project	General	Fellowship Hall (S.)	

Worship Options

Option	Location	Sequence
Sanctuary Service	Main Sanctuary	Every Sabbath
Romanian Service	Fellowship Hall	1st, 2nd, 3rd Sabbaths, 11 a.m.
Armenian Service	Chapel	Every Sabbath, 11 a.m.

Activities

Event	Location	Sequence
Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room	Sabbath at 9:15 a.m.
Marathon Clinic	Verdugo Park	Sunday at 7:00 a.m.

Youth Activities

Event	Location	Sequence
Godly Play	Room 2 (Giraffe)	1st & 3rd Sabbath, 11:20 a.m.
Youth Movie Night (grades 9–12)	Youth Room	4th Sabbath, 6:30 p.m.
Youth Church weekend	See Bulletin details	4th Friday & Sabbath
Youth Café	Youth Café	4th Fridays, 7:00 p.m.
Children’s Choir	Room 10b	Sabbath at Noon
Young Adult Lunch	Youth Café	Every Sabbath after Church

Church Directory

Pastoral Staff

Todd Leonard, *Senior Pastor* (818-244-7241 office) • Arlene Chow, *Youth and Young Adult Director* (818-472-5287) • Leif Lind, *Church Administrator & Online Campus Director* (909-557-5230) • Rudy Torres, *Pastor Emeritus* (714-318-1975) • Hovik Sarrafian, *Armenian Senior Pastor* (909-796-9536) • Vartkes Azadian, *Armenian Associate Pastor* (626-335-6507) • Dorin Lataeanu, *Romanian Pastor* (909-528-2545)

Church Officers

Head Elder	John Nielsen (818-605-0057)
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Sanctuary Choir Director	Sébastien Vallée (831-420-7584)
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Organist	Kemp Smeal (714-658-4885)
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Secretary	Victoria Lucero (818-244-7241 office)
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A+ School Board Chair	Glen Christensen (plbboss@aol.com)
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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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Glendale City Seventh-day Adventist Church



“Revealing Christ, affirming all.”

November 29, 2014

Responsive Reading

Luca 13:10–17 (Romanian)

¹⁰ Isus învăța pe norod într-o sinagogă în ziua Sabatului.

¹¹ Și acolo era o femeie stăpânită de optsprezece ani de un duh de neputință; era gârbovă și nu putea nicidecum să-și îndrepte spatele.

¹² Când a văzut-o Isus, a chemat-o și i-a zis: "Femeie, ești dezlegată de neputința ta."

¹³ Și-a întins mâinile peste ea: îndată s-a îndreptat și slăvea pe Dumnezeu.

¹⁴ Dar fruntașul sinagogii, mâniat că Isus săvârșise vindecarea aceasta în ziua Sabatului, a luat cuvântul și a zis norodului: "Sunt șase zile în care trebuie să lucreze omul; veniți, dar, în aceste zile să vă vindecați, și nu în ziua Sabatului!"

¹⁵ "Fățarnicilor", i-a răspuns Domnul, "oare în ziua Sabatului nu-și dezleagă fiecare din voi boul sau măgarul de la iesle și-l duce de-l adapă?"

¹⁶ Dar femeia aceasta, care este o fiică a lui Avraam și pe care Satana o ținea legată de optsprezece ani, nu trebuia oare să fie dezlegată de legătura aceasta în ziua Sabatului?"

¹⁷ Pe când vorbea El astfel, toți potrivnicii Lui au rămas rușinați; și norodul se bucura de toate lucrurile minunate pe care le făcea El.

Luke 13:10–17 (English, NIV)

¹⁰ On a Sabbath Jesus was teaching in one of the synagogues,

¹¹ and a woman was there who had been crippled by a spirit for eighteen years. She was bent over and could not straighten up at all.

¹² When Jesus saw her, he called her forward and said to her, "Woman, you are set free from your infirmity."

¹³ Then he put his hands on her, and immediately she straightened up and praised God.

¹⁴ Indignant because Jesus had healed on the Sabbath, the synagogue leader said to the people, "There are six days for work. So come and be healed on those days, not on the Sabbath."

¹⁵ The Lord answered him, "You hypocrites! Doesn't each of you on the Sabbath untie your ox or donkey from the stall and lead it out to give it water?"

¹⁶ Then should not this woman, a daughter of Abraham, whom Satan has kept bound for eighteen long years, be set free on the Sabbath day from what bound her?"

¹⁷ When he said this, all his opponents were humiliated, but the people were delighted with all the wonderful things he was doing.

Today's Vocal Solos

• **1st Vocal Solo:** "Frumos e s-ascult (*He Hideth My Soul*)"—Hymnal #520

• **2nd Vocal Solo:** "Jerusalem (*The Holy City*)":

Last night I lay asleeping
There came a dream so fair,
I stood in old Jerusalem
Beside the temple there.
I heard the children singing,
And ever as they sang
Methought the voice of angels
From heaven in answer rang.

Chorus:
Jerusalem! Jerusalem!
Lift up your gates and sing,
Hosanna in the highest!
Hosanna to your King!

And then methought my dream was changed,
The streets no longer rang.
Hushed were the glad Hosannas
The little children sang.
The sun grew dark with mystery,
The morn was cold and chill,
As the shadow of a cross arose
Upon a lonely hill.

Chorus:
Jerusalem! Jerusalem!
Hark! how the angels sing,
Hosanna in the highest!
Hosanna to your King!

And once again the scene was changed,
New earth there seemed to be.
I saw the Holy City
Beside the tideless sea.
The light of God was on its streets,
The gates were open wide,
And all who would might enter,
And no one was denied.
No need of moon or stars by night,
Or sun to shine by day;
It was the new Jerusalem
That would not pass away.

Chorus:
Jerusalem! Jerusalem!
Sing for the night is o'er!
Hosanna in the highest!
Hosanna forevermore!

Find City Church Online

City Church's Online Campus (www.citychurch-online.org) has recently expanded! In October we began a new schedule *every day of the week* — that is, 14 broadcasts per week! (**Wednesday** will mark the beginning of each new week's broadcast.)

Sunday through Friday at 8:00 p.m. PT & ET
Saturday mornings at 11:00 a.m., PT & ET

A daily schedule means we can minister to almost anyone most of the time!

We **could still use a few more chat hosts** for the services—welcoming viewers at the beginning, and wishing them God's blessing at the end of the service. Contact us and we can show you how to become a chat host; it is easier than you think. Become the blessing to those who are unable to worship with us in person!

City Church Online is also broadcasting San Francisco's **Church 1.0 service** Sunday–Friday at 3:30 p.m., and Saturday at 1:30 p.m. Pacific Time. The **L.A. Adventist Forum sessions** will likewise be broadcast every Saturday at 3:00 p.m.

Find us on Twitter! @CityChurchGlen or Online Campus @GCCChurchOnline.

Join our weekly spiritual blog @ www.glendalecitychurch.org. Currently we are discussing Stuart Tyners "Searching for the God of Grace."

City Church *Audio Sermons* available on iTunes or Video on YouTube ("Glendale City Seventh-day Adventist Church"). Subscribe and never miss a sermon.

City Church Announcements

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

We warmly welcome our guest Romanian visitors today, including Dr. Angelica Prodan, organist at the Campus Hill Church, Loma Linda and music instructor at the University of Redlands.

No young adult luncheon today, due to the holiday weekend.

Next Church Board will be Tuesday, December 2 at 7:30 p.m.

Annual Christmas Concert, December 5, 7:30 p.m. Be sure to mark your calendars for "A Baroque Christmas" presented by City Church's sanctuary choir, Mountainside Master Chorale, City Church–Vallejo Drive Bell Choir, Glendale Adventist Academy choir, and a 20-piece orchestra. Admission is free.

Memorial service for Dr. Anthony J. Kelly, will be Sunday, December 14, 12:30 p.m., Breath of Life Adventist Worship Center, 425 S. La Brea Ave., Inglewood 90301. Please continue to keep Sister Kelly and her family in your prayers as they go through this difficult time.

Adventist female & male student each looking for housing within about a 15-mile radius in Glendale. If you can house either, please contact the church office.

Part-time administrative secretarial position for the West Region director. For applications and information, please visit <http://scc-adventist-org.adventistfaith.org/Employment> or contact SCC Human Resources–818-546-8415; email: ghuerta@sccsda.org.

The Free Admission Glendale Noon Concert Wednesday, December 3, 12:10-12:40 p.m., will feature oboist Catherine Del Russo and pianist Mark Robson performing works by Cyril Plante and York Bowen, at First Baptist Church of Glendale, 209 N. Louise Street. For more information, email matt.andrews@fbcglenale.net or call (818) 242-2113.

Let Us Know When You Want a Visit. Our pastoral staff and elders are anxious to meet with you, pray with you, and support you. Help us help you! Contact the church office to set up a visit if you are being admitted to a hospital, or if you know of another member being admitted, get their permission and let us know as well. Hospitals will not contact us due to their patient privacy guidelines. As spiritual leaders, special time with you is one of our pastors' and elders' highest privileges.

ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL BIBLE STUDY OPTIONS (9:30-10:30 A.M.):

- CHAPEL — SABBATH SCHOOL QUARTERLY (TRADITIONAL)—Current study theme: "The Book of James" by Clinton Wahlen, associate director of the Biblical Research Institute. Scornfully called an "Epistle of Straw" by Martin Luther, the Book of James emphasizes the importance of practical works in the Christian life.
- GRACE CENTER (FELLOWSHIP HALL, north end)—Current book: "God's Foreknowledge & Man's Free Will" by Richard Rice, professor at Loma Linda University. Originally titled "The Openness of God" this classic book has created intense interest in evangelical Christian studies as it examines the "openness" of the future as God sees it. Does God see it before it happens or is the future "open" to change? Does he ever change his mind (Gen. 6:6; Ex. 32:14; Jonah 4:2, etc)? If he doesn't, does prayer change events in our lives? Come and be prepared to challenge your thinking!
- THE LIVING PROJECT (FELLOWSHIP HALL, south end)—Social and interactive sharing of personal, cultural, religious, scientific, and scriptural stories. As we connect with our stories we seek to discover our common story in God.

Upcoming Sermons & Events

Elder of the Day
Deacon of the Day
December 6
December 13
December 20
December 27

Christmas, Petting Zoo

Lee Posner
Jerry Wahagheghe
Arleene Chow
Todd Leonard
Todd Leonard
Leif Lind

Sunset tonight – 4:44 • Sunset next Friday – 4:43 p.m.