

## Order of Worship

10:50 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

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

**Prelude** "Alleluia! Sing to Jesus" *David Cherwien*  
Taylor Ruhl, *organist*

**Opening Hymn** "Alleluia! Sing to Jesus" No. 167

**Invocation** Smuts van Rooyen

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.**

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

### Prayer Response

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.

**Worship in Song** "Omnipotence" *Franz Schubert*  
Dave Ferguson, *solo*

**Morning Offering** Darlene Fleming

**Offertory** "Children of the Heavenly Father" *David Cherwien*

**Worship in Song** "Holy, Holy, Holy" *Traditional*  
"I've Got the Joy, Joy, Joy Down in my Heart"  
The Four C's Choir

**Scripture Reading** **Luke 15:25-32** Barbara Jones

**Worship in Song** "Ride On, King Jesus!" *Hall Johnson*  
Dave Ferguson, *solo*

**Sermon** "The Other Brother" Smuts van Rooyen

**Closing Hymn** "Children of the Heavenly Father" No. 101  
(First 4 verses only)

**Benediction** Smuts van Rooyen

**Postlude** "Festival Toccata" *Percy 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	10-12 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	Don Greathouse

## 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	Call Ariel Quintana	Friday at 8:00 pm
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 (909-809-7439)  
Leif Lind, Church Administrator (909-557-5230)

Hovik Sarrafian, Armenian Senior Pastor (909-796-9536)  
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### Officers

Head Elder	Don Greathouse (626-796-8579)
Head Deacon	John Nielsen (818-904-0825)
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Church Board Chair	Vincent Haynes (213-276-2131)
Choir Director	Brenda Mohr (brendajmohr@gmail.com)
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Children's Choir Director	Julaine Chilopoulos (818-888-8325)
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Secretary	Victoria Lucero (818-244-7241 office)
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Pathfinder Director	Warren Dale (818-384-2820)
Facilities Administrator	Wayne Libby (818-522-4297)

### 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



## May 29, 2010

*"Revealing Christ, affirming all."*

## Scripture Reading

### Luke 15:25-32

Meanwhile, the older son was in the field. When he came near the house, he heard music and dancing. So he called one of the servants and asked him what was going on.

**“Your brother has come,” he replied, “and your father has killed the fattened calf because he has him back safe and sound.”**

The older brother became angry and refused to go in.  
So his father went out and pleaded with him.

But he answered his father, “Look! All these years I’ve been slaving for you and never disobeyed your orders. Yet you never gave me even a young goat so I could celebrate with my friends. But when this son of yours who has squandered your property with prostitutes comes home, you kill the fattened calf for him!”

**“My son,” the father said, “you are always with me, and everything I have is yours. But we had to celebrate and be glad, because this brother of yours was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found.”**



## Glendale City Health Education Program Says...

*You know it's important...*

### The Advantages of Exercise, Part IV

Action without preparation lasts only a day or two. But you're ready to begin your new lifestyle of regular, consistent exercise if you've: selected a start date for your exercise program (within the next month – otherwise, you're still sitting on the fence); announced your commitment using – do you dare? – Twitter, Facebook, the *L.A. Times*, or told family/friends face-to-face; decided on when and where you'll exercise, and the types of exercise; and identified self-sabotaging thoughts and behaviors.

During the action phase, temptations and situations will arise, which you may not have prepared for. That's OK. They are opportunities to keep refining your plan. Four strategies will help you succeed during the action phase: environmental control, countering, and rewards. This week we will focus on the strategy of environmental control.

It may be necessary to change your home, work, and/or social environments to support you in your commitment to regular, consistent exercise. Begin by looking at what in your environment gets in the way of exercising. Have you scheduled appointments with yourself in your calendar? If exercising at home is the room, equipment ready? If you plan to exercise first thing in the morning, are you going to bed to ensure enough rest to get up earlier? If not, what is in the way? If you plan to walk 30 minutes during lunch do you have tennis shoes at work? Have you mapped out a route, enlisted co-workers to join? Is your music player, pedometer ready? Is the TV remote control too easy to find after dinner? Who will you be accountable to? One church member has an agreement with a friend whereby they email each other daily to report their actions. Have you prepared others who may not support or may sabotage your commitment? Take time to review your home, work, and social environments and refine your plan as needed to support you in your fitness/health goals.

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**11–18 year olds:** Mark your calendars for your very own Glendale City Health Education cooking class. This class will be held in conjunction with the exciting and upcoming Saturday evening, June 19, 2010 “Lock Down” with Pastor Cherise. More information will be forthcoming.

## Closing Hymn No. 101, “Children of the Heavenly Father”

1. Children of the heavenly Father, safely in His bosom gather;  
Nestling bird nor star in heaven such a refuge e'er was given.
2. God His own doth tend and nourish, in His holy love they flourish;  
From all evil things He spares them, in His mighty arms He bears them.
3. Neither life nor death shall ever from the Lord His children sever,  
Unto them His grace He showeth, and their sorrows all He knoweth.
4. Praise the Lord in joyful numbers, your Protector never slumbers;  
At the will of your Defender every foe man must surrender.

## City Church Announcements

**In Memoriam.** Frank Cochran, brother of Lee Cochran and long time resident of Glendale, passed away May 14 in Loma Linda. He ran and owned Cochran Automotive in Glendale for many years. Memorial services are pending for the end of June.

Please remember the **Wally Rabello family** in our prayers after his recent surgery.

**"Mystery at the Bar S Ranch", Fellowship Hall, June 13, 4 p.m.** Join us for dessert and an interactive theater performance to benefit the Second Saturday Series concerts. The clock will be turned back over 100 years by a talented cast; a murder is reported and you the audience are the jury! While enjoying your dessert, various suspects and witnesses will be questioned. Come enjoy an afternoon of fun! Tickets are just \$20 per person, purchased from the Church Office. All tickets will be held at Will Call the day of the performance. Flyers are available in the Narthex to share with friends.

Have you checked our **Church's website** recently ([www.glendalecitysda.com](http://www.glendalecitysda.com))? There have been several additions, including our **Motto** and our **Mission Statement**, as well as descriptions of our **Sabbath School programs** and links to **brief biographies for each of the pastoral staff** (see ["About Us"](#), ["Sabbath School"](#)). Please give us your feedback through the website or by contacting the pastoral staff or church office.

**End It Now** is a global campaign to raise awareness and advocate for the **end of violence and abuse against women and girls** around the world. This campaign, which extends to over 200 countries and territories, was launched by ADRA and the GC Women's Ministries Department. The campaign is the most important stand the Adventist Church has ever taken regarding violence against women and girls, a serious issue affecting Church and non-Church members alike. Through this campaign, more than 15 million members are expected to sign a U.N. petition to take a stand against global violence to women and girls. **Please sign the form** posted in the Narthex (you may sign more than once), to show your stand against this violence, and/or sign the petition on the Church's website at <http://www.enditnow.org>.

**On Eagle's Wings Music Ministry Concert, Saturday, May 29, 6 p.m. at Vallejo Drive.** The concert will feature the San Fernando Valley Academy Chorale, Hands of Praise, Ullanda Innocent-Palmer, and Joseph & James Hearn.

**Two female church members**, moving from Loma Linda, are looking for an apartment to rent in Glendale or surrounding area. One is an RN, the other interning at Glendale Adventist Medical. For information call the Church Office.

## Upcoming Sermons & Events

**Elder of the Day**  
**June 5**  
**June 12**  
**June 19**

Hugh Gardner  
Smuts van Rooyen  
Smuts van Rooyen  
Jared Wright\*

\*LSU M.Div. graduate/*Spectrum* blog contributor and reviews editor

**Sunset tonight – 7:58 p.m. Sunset next Friday – 8:02 p.m.**