

Order of Worship

10:50 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

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

Prelude “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” *Johann Walther*

Hymn of Praise “Lead On, O King Eternal” No. 619

Call to Worship Smuts van Rooyen

From God comes the wonder of Creation

We will worship God the Creator

From God comes healing for our brokenness

We will worship God our Redeemer

From God comes the strength to face each new day

We will worship God our Sustainer

Greetings & Prayers of the Congregation Leif Lind

(please remain standing for prayer)

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!

Anthem “Onward, Ye Peoples!” *Jean Sibelius*

Call to Offering Didi Mumford

Offertory “Wayfaring Stranger” *Traditional*
Jennifer Appleberry, *solo*

Mother’s Day Tribute Cherise Gardner

Anthem “I Am Alive and I Can See” *Susan N. Callaway*

Scripture **Acts 2:1-4, 12-21** Trayfena & Adrianna Zambre

Sermon “The Color of Lightning & the Sound of Thunder” Smuts van Rooyen

Closing Hymn “Oh Holy Dove of God Descending” No. 270

Benediction Smuts van Rooyen

Musical Response

Postlude “Crown Imperial—A Coronation March” *Wm. Walton*

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	Marquita Kibble

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)
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Leif Lind, Church Administrator (909-557-5230)

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Officers

Head Elder	Don Greathouse (626-796-8579)
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Head Deaconess	Eleanor Posner (818-281-5822)
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Organist	Kemp Smeal (714-658-4885)
Secretary	Victoria Lucero (818-244-7241 office)
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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



May 7, 2011

“Revealing Christ, affirming all.”

Responsive Reading

Acts 2:1-4, 12-21

When the day of Pentecost came,
they were all together in one place.

Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven
and filled the whole house where they were sitting.

**They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated
and came to rest on each of them.**

All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit
and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

Amazed and perplexed, they asked one another,
“What does this mean?”

Some, however, made fun of them and said,
“They have had too much wine.”

**Then Peter stood up with the Eleven,
raised his voice and addressed the crowd:
“Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem,
let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say.**

These men are not drunk, as you suppose. It's only nine in the morning!

No, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel:

**“In the last days, God says,
I will pour out my Spirit on all people.
Your sons and daughters will prophesy,
your young men will see visions,
your old men will dream dreams.**

Even on my servants, both men and women,
I will pour out my Spirit in those days,
and they will prophesy.

**I will show wonders in the heaven above
and signs on the earth below,
blood and fire and billows of smoke.**

The sun will be turned to darkness
and the moon to blood
before the coming of the great and glorious day of the Lord.

And everyone who calls
on the name of the Lord will be saved.



1st Anthem: “Onward, Ye Peoples!” (Sibelius)

Onward ye peoples strive for the Light!
The Light that the Lord hath given us for our guide;
Who through murk and darkness of night
Hath led us in safety unto our reward.

See how the fiery pillar is gleaming,
Lighting our steps, when dark is the way.
And the Light of the World cleaveth the gloomy blackness of night
That else would engulf us.

See the cloudy pillar to shield us
Safe when the sun would blister us,
Then forward, where faith revealeth the way!
For God is our guide, and He will never fail.

Fires are gleaming, voices are singing
Forth from Mount Nebo's heaven storming heights.
Salem! Salem! Hark, they call us upward and on to our Father's home.

Salem! Salem! on the horizon,
Urging us on to God and our home;
And the heavenly choir doth ring from Mount Neboh.
Piercing the blue like a living light. Amen!

2nd Anthem: “I Am Alive and I Can See”

Come by here, O Lord, listen to my plea;
Do not pass me by for I cannot see.
Come by here, O Lord, touch my darkened eye;
Wake my spirit from sleeping,
O Lord, and do not pass me by.
I am alive and I can see.
I once was blind but Jesus touched me,
I am alive and I can see!
If you are blind and begging for a touch of light,
Listen to my story of how He gave me sight.
No one else could save me, this I know is true.
And what he did for me I know that He will do it all for you!
I am alive and I can see!

Fellowship Potlucks

Fellowship Potlucks are a wonderful opportunity for creating community: enjoy visiting with new and old members and getting acquainted with visitors, all while savoring good food. It's also a great day to invite friends. Mark your calendar and join us in creating and enriching our community! See you there!

NEXT POTLUCK: May 28 @ 12:30 p.m.

Members—we encourage you to bring a main dish and the Church supplies the rest.

Upcoming Sermons & Events

Elder of the Day

May 14

May 21

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Meredith Jobe

Smuts van Rooyen

Smuts van Rooyen

“Except 4 Grace” Concert, 2:30 p.m.

Sunset tonight – 7:41 p.m. Sunset next Friday – 7:47 p.m.

City Church Announcements

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

New Sermon Series. Pastor Smuts begins a series of sermons today on the *revitalization* of the Church.

Church Board members, please remember the special Board meeting on Tuesday, May 10, at 7 p.m.

Long time Adventist **Olive Canright Harrower** passed away on Monday, April 18. A memorial service for her will be on May 14, 2 p.m. at the Santa Monica SDA Church.

Second Saturday Series next Sabbath, May 14, 4:00 p.m. Admission: free-will offering. This month's concert will feature soprano Lori Stinson, a frequent concert and opera soloist both in the greater Los Angeles area and nationwide, together with Kemp Smeal, member of the Los Angeles Chapter of the American Guild of Organists, who has performed in U.S. cities and Europe. A reception will follow in the courtyard. All are welcome!

The next L. A. Adventist Forum is Sabbath, May 28, at 3 p.m. in the Chapel. The speaker is Smuts van Rooyen, Ph. D., Senior Pastor of Glendale City S. D. A. Church. His topic, "A Denominational Crisis and Its Aftermath in the Life of One Minister." All are welcome.

Burbank church member needs **transportation to our church on Forum Sabbaths** each month. If you are able to assist, please contact the church office or John Nielsen.

Delegates for the 63rd Constituency Session are reminded that the meeting will be held on **Sunday, May 15** at the White Memorial.

Sabbath, May 21 “Except 4 Grace” Concert, 2:30 p.m. This gospel music program is sponsored by Missions of Love (www.molmissionsoflove.com), an independently run **Adventist program that helps troubled kids in California** struggling with the disadvantages of poverty, crime, and lack of help with their grades in school. The 501(c)(3) company provides many life-building programs, including mentoring and teaching music (at times, supplying kids with music instruments), health and nutrition, gang intervention and prevention, literacy and language development, English classes, parenting and life skills, spiritual strengthening and guidance, intergenerational activities, and more. The belief that kids can be helped through music is reflected in their ongoing concert tour throughout Adventist and other churches with the Except 4 Grace Singers.

The Albert McNeil Jubilee Singers CDs are now available at the Media Center (three different CDs at \$10-\$15 each).

Local Adventist church member interested in **housekeeping job**; one or two days per week is adequate. For work references or contact phone numbers, please call the church office 818-244-7241.

Glendale City Health Education:

May 2011

Spring Into Good Health, Part 1

I admit it. I'm goofy: I love Spring Cleaning. Maybe it's the childhood memories of our family listening to Chet Atkins and Marty Robbins (Dad's favorites) while we washed windows; or my two younger sisters and me donning thick pairs of socks and sliding across the waxed kitchen floor to polish it. Perhaps it's the feeling of pure satisfaction running through every fiber and cell for a completed task, or the peaceful yet fresh feeling that accompanies a deeply cleaned and de-cluttered house. Also, there are health and safety benefits to the yearly Spring Cleaning ritual.

Here are tips for your Spring Cleaning:

- If you use a wood-burning fireplace, check for creosote. This can be done yourself, but call a chimney sweep for the cleaning. When hiring a chimney sweep, make sure they are certified by the Chimney Safety Institute of America. A clean chimney in spring can prevent a fire in autumn.
- Remove dust and dust mites to decrease allergens and asthma. Wash bedding and the children's stuffed animals in 130° F water, or send to an environmentally green laundry. Replace mattress pads and pillows that can't be washed or cleaned, and wash or vacuum draperies. Vacuum mattresses, box springs, upholstery, dust boards, walls, and ceilings. Change heating and air conditioning filters.
- Clean the rugs and carpets to remove dirt, dust, and soil. Thereafter, consider implementing a "no shoes in the house" policy.
- When going through closets and dressers, and cupboards, create three piles. One pile is for items to keep, another pile for items to donate, and another pile for items to sell. It has been said that getting rid of excess clutter would eliminate 50% of the housework in an average home.
- Clean out medicine cabinets. Discard expired and no longer used medications (but don't throw them down the drain or toilet. Instead, dissolve them with water (including liquid medications); mix with kitty litter or coffee grounds and place in a sealed container in the trash; or ask a pharmacist for advice. Be sure to remove prescription bottle labels so that your personal information is not stolen.
- Gather old cans of paint, solvents, thinners, glue, and toxic cleaning products from the garage and under sinks. These can be taken to S.A.F.E. Centers throughout Los Angeles County. The center closest to Glendale is at 1025 Randall St., Sun Valley, open Sundays from 9 a.m.–3 p.m. (See website in notes for additional information.)

- Remove mold and grease naturally with vinegar, lemon juice, baking soda, or steam, which are also better for you, your family, and your home. See references below.

If you're not feeling motivated to do Spring Cleaning this year, start with spending just 5 minutes cleaning a drawer. Who knows, you may get inspired to do the entire dresser or cabinet. And remember what Peter Walsh said, "People hold onto stuff like their kids' old clothing as a way of holding onto the past. Or they keep things they think they might need someday as a way to control the future. Spring cleaning is all about personal satisfaction. It is the time of year that triggers homeowners to **revive their home and renew their lives.**" For more information contact Kathy McFarland.

- * When to Clean a Chimney Flue. The Family Handyman. <http://www.familyhandyman.com/DIY-Projects/Home-Safety/Fire-Safety/when-to-clean-a-chimney-flue/Step-By-Step>
- * Melissa Conrad Stoppler. "Ten Spring Cleaning Tips for a Healthier Home." MedicineNet.com. <http://www.medicinenet.com/script/main/art.asp?articlekey=60895>
- * Kim Painter. "Close the Lid on Old Medicine." USA Today, 4/23/2007. http://www.usatoday.com/news/health/painter/2007-04-22-old-medicine_N.htm
- * City of Los Angeles Sanitation Department of Public Works, Special Materials: Hazardous Waste. http://www.lacitysan.org/solid_resources/special/hhw/safe_centers/index.htm
- * Nicole Sforza. "10 Unexpected Natural Cleaners." Real Simple. www.realsimple.com/home-organizing/cleaning/more-surprising-natural-cleaners-0000000011572/index.html
- * Debora Mitchell. "Switch to Natural Cleaning Products." Volunteer Guide. www.volunteerguide.org

Glendale City Health Education Events

May is National Women's Health Month! This year, "Woman Challenge" (from the Office on Women's Health, U.S. Health and Human Services) has partnered with the President's Challenge. The President has a goal of one million Presidential Active Lifestyle Awards (PALAs). All you need to do is commit to physical activity for six out of eight weeks. We, at Glendale City, are creating a group to encourage one another to be active on a regular basis. For more information contact Kathy McFarland.

Mark your Calendars! May 28, Cooking Class: Salads Make a Meal

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