

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunset tonight—5:02 p.m. Next Friday—5:08 p.m.

“All are welcome — whoever you are, whatever your journey or background.

God excludes no one, and neither do we.”

An Emergency Fund offering will be collected at the doors after the service

- **Elder of the Day**—Judson Ravi • **SERMONS: Jan 18**—Todd Leonard • **Jan 25**—Leif Lind
- **Feb 1**—Cherise Gardner • **Feb 8**—Todd Leonard

The **L.A. Adventist Forum** will meet Sabbath, January 25, at 3 p.m. in the Chapel of the Good Shepherd. The speaker is **Maury Jackson**, Ph.D., Asst. Prof. of Practical Theology at the H.M.S. Richards Divinity School, La Sierra University. Topic, “Revelation—Flawed Biblical Cosmography Still Expresses an Inspired Revelation of Hope: A Theological Reflection on Genesis 1:6-8 in Sermon Form.” All are welcome.

How about making a crafty New Years resolution to join Lit Knitters! Our next meeting is **tomorrow**, January 12, 11 a.m. in the Youth Room (under the Chapel). At this meeting we will be discussing what we will read, craft, and which community projects to participate in. We would love to have you! For more information, check out our Facebook, or contact Didi Mumford at dmumford1@aol.com.

Please note that **potluck this month** will be **January 25**, rather than the usual date.

The Los Angeles Northeast chapter of the **National Depression Bipolar Support Alliance** meets **every Tuesday** at Vallejo Drive, 6–8 p.m. For more information, contact Wanda Sellers: 818-352-4346 or dbsalosangelesne@org.

Church Member in Burbank Seeking Ride to Sabbath Services. If you live near or travel through Burbank on Sabbath mornings, there is a City Church member who would like to ride with you. If you would be interested in providing an occasional ride to this person, please contact the church office.

Do you have a **vehicle you no longer need**? A **church member** in need would appreciate a vehicle, and the donation would be a tax-deductible item. Please contact the church office if interested.

Need help in pre-planning with funerals & cemetery property? Our church member, **Mirta Marconi-Rothacher** is qualified and licensed with Forest Lawn to assist you. Please phone Mirta at 818-220-6486.

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

- **CHAPEL — SABBATH SCHOOL QUARTERLY (TRADITIONAL):** Current study theme: “Discipleship — The Master of Discipleship” by Dan Solis. After our world succumbed to sin and its consequences, Christ showed us how to lead others back to the fullness of life that he promises to each one of us. The Master Disciple-maker gave us an example that we may follow in answering the Great Commission (Matt. 28:19-20).
- **GRACE CENTER (FELLOWSHIP HALL, north end) —** Current book study: “The Rise and Fall of the Bible: The Unexpected History of an Accidental Book” by Timothy Beal. Early Christianity thrived for centuries without any Bible (or even agreement on which books to include in scripture). The author reveals how the idea of the Bible as an inerrant rulebook is a relatively modern concept, dating from the 19th century.
- **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.



Glendale City Seventh-day Adventist Church

January 11, 2014

The Ordinance of Humility — 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Family footwashing meets in the south side of Fellowship Hall.

Women's footwashing meets in the north side of Fellowship Hall.

Men's footwashing meets in Room 13, under the Chapel.

Those who wish to may sit in the Sanctuary for meditation and reflection.

Worship 11:00 a.m.-12:10 p.m.

Prelude “Gabriel’s Oboe” from *The Mission* *Enio Morricone*

Call to Worship *Michael Quishenberry*

The grace of Jesus Christ be among us.

The love of God be among us.

The communion of the Holy Spirit be with us all. **Amen.**

Hymn of Praise “O Praise Ye the Lord” *No. 20*

Greetings and Prayers of the Congregation *Doug Schultz*
(please remain standing for prayer)

Prayer Response *O Jesus, blest Redeemer, sent from the heart of God, Hold us, who wait before Thee, near to the heart of God.*

Anthem “Send Out Thy Light” *Charles Gounod*

Worship in Giving

Offertory “Thy Word” *Michael W. Smith & Amy Grant*
Jennifer Wallace, mezzo-soprano

Scripture Reading **Matthew 3:13-17** *Tom Chatt*

Anthem “God of Grace and God of Glory” *Paul Langston*

Homily “Into the Wild” *Michael Quishenberry*

Communion Hymn “It Is Well With My Soul” *No. 530*



AT THE TABLE

*Seventh-day Adventists practice open Communion,
so we invite all members and guests to participate.*

Breaking the Bread

Leif Lind

We remember Jesus who took bread in his hands, broke it, gave it to his friends, and said, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. Take, eat, this is my body, which is for you. Do this to remember me."

Offering the Cup

Larry McFarland

We remember Jesus who took the wine cup in his hands and gave thanks for it. He gave it to them and said, "This is the new covenant sealed by my blood. When you drink from it, do this in memory of me. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise them up at the last day."

Congregational Response

**God of the past and the present,
with this bread and wine we remember your Son.
We thank you for his life, his death, and resurrection.
We look for his coming in glory
and in him we give ourselves to you.**

Prayer

Leif Lind

God of love, send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts, that as we receive this bread and wine we shall by faith receive the body and blood of Christ.

Congregational Response

**Called to follow him, help us to reconcile and unite.
Called to serve, give us hope in our calling.**

Deacons will distribute the bread and wine.

Receiving the Bread

Leif Lind

The Bread we break is a sharing in the body of Christ.

Receiving the Cup

Larry McFarland

The Cup we take is a sharing in the blood of Christ.

Congregation Response

We who are many are one body, for we all share the one bread.

Partaking of the Bread

Leif Lind

Here are bread and wine; the gifts of God for the people of God.

Partaking of the Cup

Larry McFarland

May we who share these gifts, be found in Christ and Christ in us.
Take, eat and drink.

Congregational Prayer Response

**May we who share Christ's body live his risen life;
we who drink his cup bring life to others.
We whom the spirit enlightens give light to the world.**

Hymn of Response

"Sent Forth by God's Blessing"

No. 407

Benediction

Leif Lind

Musical Response

"God Be In My Head"

John Rutter

Postlude

"Fanfare-Rondeau"

Jean-Joseph Mouret

LOG ON

GLENDALE CITY CHURCH ONLINE CAMPUS

Starting this month, Glendale City is launching its Online Campus Church to its members, with regularly scheduled rebroadcasts of the Sabbath morning service at:

8 p.m. Wednesday & Friday evenings

11 a.m. Saturday mornings

Simply log on to <citychurch.churchonline.org> and watch the service video, with its inspiring music and preaching! And, if you wish, log on to the "Chat" box with comments, questions, prayer requests, or suggestions. Let us know if you're interested in learning more about becoming a Chat Host, addressing viewers' needs as they arise.