

SABBATH SCHOOL

9:45 - 10:45 A.M.

Please silence your phones!

Welcome & Prayer Ruth Counts

Lesson Study **The Eschatological Day of Atonement** Classes
(offering collected in classes)

Sheep May Safely Graze Sterling Flute Choir
by Johann Sebastian Bach

Reading Elizabeth's Story Myron Counts

Ave Maria Sterling Flute Choir
by Giulio Caccini

Reading Mary's Song Ruth Counts

Reading Anna's Testimony Ruth Counts

Merry Little Scherzo Sterling Flute Choir

Closing Prayer Ruth Counts

DIVINE WORSHIP

11 A.M. - 12:15 P.M.

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Welcome Fred Cline

Opening Voluntary *How Far is it to Bethlehem?* E. Remboldt
Peter Warlock Organist

Church Life Fred Cline

Invocation Please Stand Fred Cline
Remain Standing for the Hymn

Hymn of Praise **The Advent of Our God** # 117

Anthem *Awaken Us, O Lord* John St. Marie
Mark Hayes Choral Director

Children's Sermon Beth Taylor
Dismissal for Children's Worship Ages 4-12

Responsive Reading **Hymnal # 729** Sharon Nakadate

Anthem *The Light of the World* John St. Marie
Andrew Carter

Prayer *Hymn # 671* Mark Papendick

Sermon **Inspired From the Incarnation, We Imitate** Mike Kim
Matthew 3:1-12

Offering Church Budget

Offertory *Oh, Come, Emmanuel* Elisabeth Remboldt
Wilbur Held

Closing Hymn **Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne** #140
verses 1-3

Blessing

Closing Voluntary *As With Gladness Men of Old* E. Remboldt
William H. Harris

Thank you for listening quietly to the closing voluntary.

CHURCH LIFE

HOSPITAL VISITATION - Join Joseph Hearn and family as we sing Christmas carols to those who are in the hospital, today at 3 o'clock. Meet at the GAMC-Rehab entrance.

ANGEL TREE - Today is the deadline to deliver your gift.

CHRISTMAS CANDLELIGHT CONCERT - Invite your friends and family to our annual Christmas Concert next Sabbath at 6 p.m.

SOS THRIFT SHOP FOOD BANK - Will be distributing food on Thursday, December 19 from 12 - 3 p.m. Please share this information with your friends, relatives and neighbors whom may be in need.

ADVENTIST COMMUNITY SERVICES OFFERING - Your offering on December 14 will help ACS continue to transform communities and people's lives in practical ways. ACS accomplishes this through programs for youth, seniors and their caregivers, urban dwellers and more. Learn more at www.communityservices.org.

VIOLIN CONCERT - Featuring virtuoso violinist Miclén Laipang takes place at the Hollywood SDA Church (1711 N. Van Ness Ave., Hollywood) on Saturday, December 28 at 2:30 p.m. A freewill donation will be collected.

FOOD LABELS FOR EDUCATION - Bring your food labels from Campbell's Soups, Worthington, Loma Linda and Morning Star Farms products, also Labels for Education from cereals and other products. Drop them off at the Hostess Desk to help our schools.

NOTES OF ENCOURAGEMENT - This week we will send our encouragements and prayers to: **Trudy Lukehart** and **Ruth Gaspar**. Stop by the Hostess Desk to send your love and greetings. (If you know any church member who needs an encouraging note, please call Berenice at the church office.)

MEMBERSHIP ACTIVITY FOR NOVEMBER - second reading

Transfers Out: William & Kathleen Glennie
Ludelle Gallego
To: Glendale City Church, Glendale, CA
Eagle Rock Church, Los Angeles, CA

FREE blood pressure screening
on the patio
following the worship service
every first and third Sabbath

CHURCH FINANCES - Week #48

Year to Date Budget	\$ 528,376	Weekly Church Budget	\$ 11,008
Year to Date Received	\$ 317,360	Received Last Week	\$ 6,740
Philippines Relief	\$ 9,016	A/C Replacement Fund	\$ 144,671

DECEMBER SABBATH SCHOOL CALENDAR

DECEMBER 14: LYNDON JOHNSTON TAYLOR and his musical family along with friends have put together a Christmas musical program that will delight everyone. Let us continue celebrating the birthday of our King!

DECEMBER 21: RON and LEE ANN RADLEIN & FRIENDS will present a Christmas-themed words and music program, as we continue celebrating the birthday of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

DECEMBER 28: BARBARA HERNANDEZ invites you to spend a reflective time; pondering on God's Commandments for the New Year.

Elois Love Brooks
General Superintendent

Deacon of the Day: Joseph Hearn, Sr. **Elder of the Day:** Fred Cline

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Sunday, December 8 7 am	Adventist Fitness Clinic	Verdugo Park
Monday, December 9 7 pm 7:30 pm	T+S Group-Small Group Tujunganga Study Group	Evangelista's Home Fontamillas Home
Wednesday, December 11 7:15 pm	In the Flow Study Group	Fellowship Hall
Friday, December 13 7:30 pm 8:00 pm 4:44 pm	Vespers ST4GE - Youth THE WELL - Young Adults	Fellowship Hall VDrive Café Stillwater Café Sunset

High School

VDrive Youth Ministries is a *Gospel connection* which aligns teens to high-quality relationships in order to build their experience with God while helping them to discover a love for others. This ultimately leads to a decision for community in Christ as they grow in discipleship.

Let's Kick-it at ST4GE - Friday nights from 7-9 with food, games, music and more!

Sabbath School - Saturday mornings from 10-11 with food, fellowship, worship and the Spoken Word.

Young Adults

The Well is a community of young people who seek the experience of authentic Christian love and explore Christ's teachings to live them out. On **Friday nights** we gather to celebrate artistic expression, enjoy friendship and to wrestle with difficult questions of faith and the human experience. On **Sabbath mornings** we come together in scripture, prayer and song so that as we hear the gospel we will be drawn closer together in love.

- **Friday:** Supper and Discussion at 8 p.m. in the Café.
- **Sabbath Worship:** in the Chapel at 10 a.m.
- **Sabbath Brunch:** immediately following Worship in the Café.

OUTREACH & MISSIONS

Adventist Fitness Clinic

Since 1984 the Clinic has prepared many people to run, jog or walk to maintain health. Join us every Sunday at 7 a.m. at Verdugo Park, 1621 Cañada Blvd. in Glendale. For information call Irvin at 818-625-2952.

ShareOurSelves Thrift Shop

311-B Vallejo Drive, Glendale, CA 91206 - **818-409-8056**
HOURS: Mon-Thur 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Fri & Sun 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Food Bank - Thursday, December 19
from 12-3 p.m.

GUEST INFORMATION

● **LISTENING DEVICES** are available at the Hostess Desk for hearing-impaired guests.

● **SERMON INTERPRETATION:** From English to Spanish is available. Please check out audio devices at the Hostess Desk.

● **NURSING MOTHERS:** we have a private place for you in Room 107.

● **ACTIVITY BAGS** are available for children ages 3 to 8 at the Hostess Desk. Please return them at the end of the service.

● **CHURCH PARKING** for handicapped and elderly is designated in both parking lots closest to the church (Holly & Vallejo).

● **CLOSED-CIRCUIT TV** of the worship service is available in the Junior Room (Rm. 116A) or the Mothers' Room in the sanctuary (reserved as a quiet room for families with babies and sleeping children.)

● **AUDIO-VISUAL SERVICES** has many CDs and DVDs in stock to loan. Please stop by the foyer for more information and updates.

● **PURPLE CARDS** are available in the pews to provide contact information changes or to request information from the Pastoral Staff. Place in offering plates or leave at Hostess Desk.

PULPIT SCHEDULE

December	14	Mike Kim
December	21	Guest Speaker
December	28	Mike Kim
January	04	Mike Kim - COMMUNION

SABBATH SCHOOL CLASSES

ADULT CLASSES:

Classes for Adults	Sanctuary
Spanish Lesson	Agape Room #114
Discussion Group	Upstairs in the Fellowship Hall

CHILDREN & YOUTH CLASSES:

Cradle Roll	Birth-36 months	Second Floor	Rm. 206A
Kindergarten 1	3 & 4 years	First Floor	Rm. 104B
Kindergarten 2	5-7 years	Second Floor	Rm. 204B
Primary	8 years-4th grade	Second Floor	Rm. 202A
Junior	5th & 6th grades	First Floor	Rm 208A
Earliteen	7th & 8th grades	Second Floor	Rm. 116A
Youth	9th-12th grades	First Floor	Rm. 106A

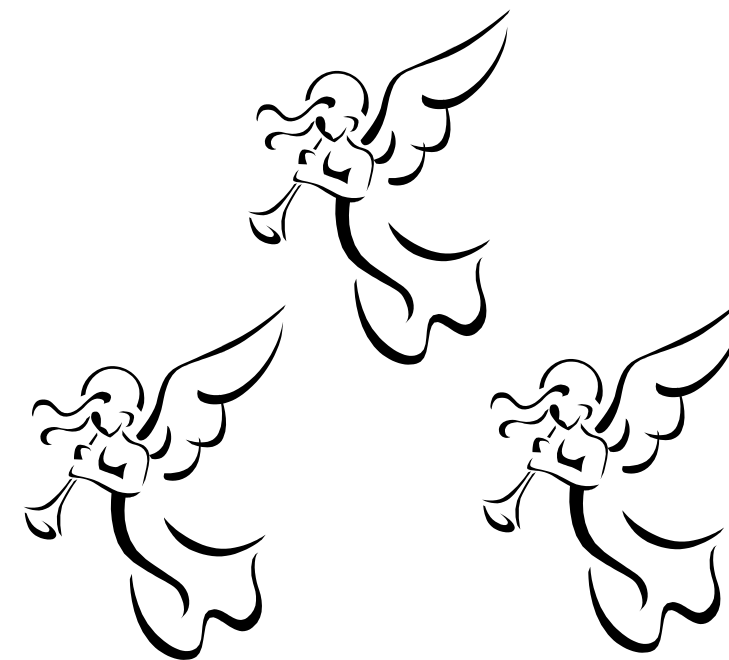
Educational Complex

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*“The voice of one crying out in the wilderness:
‘Prepare the way of the Lord,
make his paths straight.’”*

Isaiah 40:3

December 7, 2013

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