



FINDING GOD AT THE INTERSECTION OF OUR LIVES

August 5, 2023

ON CAMPUS TODAY AT GLENDALE CITY CHURCH, AUGUST 5:

- 8:30 a.m.: **Spanish-language service** with Pastors Johnny and Clara Ramirez-Johnson speaking on our YouTube page.
- 9:00 a.m.: **Courtyard Café.** Enjoy simple breakfast foods & beverages in our courtyard.
- 9:30 a.m.: **Grace Sabbath School class** with Pastor Leif, both live in the Fellowship Hall and on Zoom, meeting ID 818-244-7241. Join with our book study: "Adventist Tomorrow: Fresh Ideas While Waiting for Jesus" by Dr. Jack Hoehn.
- 9:30 a.m.: **The Living Project Support Group** meets weekly in the Council Room. "Telling my story. Listening to your story. Living our story."
- 11:00 a.m.: **Sanctuary Worship** with Pastor Leif Lind as we celebrate our annual **Camp Meeting Sabbath.** Also available online, <https://YouTube.com/c/GlendaleCityChurch>. **Worship next Sabbath, August 12:** Sanctuary Worship service with Pastor Loren Seibold, editor of *Adventist Today*.
- 11:00 a.m.: **City Kids Children's Praise**, Room 2. By 11:15 a.m.: • **Tiny Tots** (0-3 years old, together with a parent or guardian) go to Classroom 2; • **Godly Play** (4-12 years) go to Classroom 1. Noon pickup.

• 12:15 p.m.: **OPEN TABLE WORSHIP.** Join Pastor Mike in the Chapel for sharing and conversation:

MUSIC: Juno & Joslyn: "Heart of Worship", "I Speak Jesus", and "Beautiful"
CONVERSATION: Pastor Mike Kim

THIS WEEK AT GLENDALE CITY CHURCH:

- 7:00 p.m. **Social Jesus Heartgroup** by Herb Montgomery, each Wednesday at <https://Zoom.us/j/8182447241>, discussing Jesus' call to bringing justice and equality to all. Study guide or podcast: <https://RenewedHeartMinistries.com>.

SATURDAY WORSHIP – 11:00 A.M. (PLEASE SILENCE YOUR ELECTRONIC DEVICES)

We welcome you as you worship with us online today. Please feel free to contact any of our pastoral staff if you have a question, want a visit, or need help:

- <https://glendalecitychurch.org>
- <https://facebook.com/glendalecitychurch>
- phone 818-244-7241

CAMP MEETING SONG SERVICE SDAH 469, 499, 524 (#1, #2, #4) Joslyn Sarshad
Taylor Ruhl, *organ*; Leif Lind, *piano* — all hymns on song sheet



Prelude “Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us” *arr. Eleanor Whitsett*
Taylor Ruhl, *organ*

Hymn of Praise “To God Be the Glory” SDAH 341 (#3)

Welcome & Prayers of the Congregation Lyndon Taylor

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. SDAH 290 (#5)

Scripture Reading **1 John 4:7, 8, 16-18** Gail Murphy

Dear friends, let us love one another, for love comes from God. Everyone who loves has been born of God and knows God. Whoever does not love does not know God, because God is love.

Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God in them. This is how love is made complete among us so that we will have confidence on the day of judgment: In this world we are like Jesus.

There is no fear in love. But perfect love drives out fear, because fear has to do with punishment. The one who fears is not made perfect in love.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

We are sad to announce that long-time member, **Colette Witt**, passed away on July 21. Our prayers are with the family at this time.

Next week, August 12, will be **Pastor Mike Kim's last Sabbath** with us. We wish him and his family God's blessings for their future, and will miss his spiritual guidance as well as his infectious sense of humor! A farewell luncheon will be held in his honor next Saturday, immediately following the church service.

Glendale Noon Concert, Wednesday, August 16 will feature works by Luigi Boccherini, Kaspar Kummer, and the premiere of a quintet for flute and strings by Los Angeles composer Kirstin Fife. Free admission to this concert series in our sanctuary (<https://glendalenoonconcerts.blogspot.com>).

Home Again L.A. Drive-Thru Food Distribution Event, Saturday, August 26, 8–10 a.m. at George Izay Park (1111 W. Olive Ave., Burbank, CA). Enter the parking lot on Griffith Park Drive; groceries are available while supplies last. (After parking, remain in your vehicle while volunteers load food into your trunk.) Further information: Lisa@HomeAgainLA.org or 818-562-7778.

GCC JUNE 13-26, 2024: 14-DAY TOUR TO 7 CHURCHES OF REVELATION (TURKIYE & GREECE, WITH CRUISE)! \$5,850 per person (optional 5-day add on to Rome: +\$1,350). Includes airfare, accommodation, meals, and sightseeing! For adults as well as Academy students and families. Discover the lands of **ancient treasures and Christian history!** Visit the **Seven Churches of Revelation!** See **Ephesus** (inc. resting place of John and Mary); **Troas, Isle of Patmos** (where John wrote Revelation), **Crete, Santorini, and Athens.** In **Rome**, visit the Colosseum and prison where Paul was held, visit the Holy Staircase. **Payments to GCC: Deposit of \$400 + 1st payment: \$2,500 by Nov. 5; 2nd payment: \$2,500 by Feb. 5; final payment: \$450 by Apr. 5.** More info, contact tour leader **Clara Jorge Ramirez, Ph.D.**, 909-382-1913 or drcjorgeramirez@gmail.com.

 **WHAT ARE CAMP MEETINGS?:** "A series of meetings held for a number of days [often 10], generally in a rural or semirural setting, with provision for encampment on the grounds; a type of meeting now peculiar to the Seventh-day Adventist Church and a few other denominations. Camp meetings are held in various sections of the world, usually annually, and at times when the weather is suitable for such occasions.... Camp meetings originated among the Presbyterians in Kentucky in the early years of the nineteenth century and later flourished especially among the Methodists. SDA camp meetings began in 1868, five years after the General Conference was incorporated in 1863. The background for the SDA gatherings was in the Millerite camp meetings of 1842-1844, in which both James White and Joseph Bates, early leaders of the SDA Church, had participated, and in similar meetings held by the Methodist Church with notable success.... Steering away from the basically evangelistic nature of the nineteenth-century camp meetings, SDAs today tend more and more to utilize these yearly sectional gatherings as spiritual meetings for the church members, though not ignoring opportunities for neighborhood evangelism." — *The Seventh-day Adventist Encyclopedia*.