

Prayer Concerns

Julie Gibbs  
Paul Coleman and Family  
Sylvia Childs  
Jean and Linda  
Alex Briceno and family  
Donna Ebnit  
La Dawn Guest (friend of Lavern Burn)

Emmett Watts  
Bernita Wallar  
Paul Thomas, brother to Mary Hutchings  
(Mary Hutchings' friends)  
Michele Storment and her father, Maxi Stormen  
Audrey Seifert ( Surgery- Grandmother of Zack Seifert)  
Tim Endicott's Mother

As a church of prayer, every Sabbath we will print the names of people requesting special prayer for two weeks.

If you have a prayer request or a praise report, please fill out a gray card in the pews and hand it to a Deacon or drop it in the offering plate. If you would like a member of the Pastoral Staff to contact you regarding your request, please indicate this on your prayer request card as well. Each request is remembered during the staff meetings and is kept confidential unless requested to appear in the bulletin

Our year end deficit is \$34,200.00  
So far, we've received \$14,884.81

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Church Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Welcome to the  
*Garden Grove Seventh-day Adventist Church*  
December 26, 2009



**Children's Sabbath School***(see classroom directory in Lobby)*

Cradle Roll	birth-age 3 years
Kindergarten	age 4 - age 6 years
Primary	age 7 - age 9 years
Juniors	grades 5 & 6
Earliteens	grades 7 & 8

**Youth, Collegiate, Young Adults (9:30 am Breakfast & Praise)****Youth Chapel**

Youth (10:00 am)	ages 14 - 21	Library
Collegiate/Young Adults (10:00 am)	ages 18 - 35	Youth Chapel

**Adult Classes**

Tom Neslund	Adult Quarterly	North Room
Spanish Class,	Spanish Quarterly	Board Room
Vietnamese Class	Vietnamese Quarterly	Mother's Room
Friends in Prayer	The Book of Daniel	Pathfinder Room
Jack Johnson	The Gospel of John	Fellowship Hall

**Upcoming Events**

Sab, Dec 26:	9:30 am	<b>Sabbath School</b>	Various Classrooms
	10:50 am	<b>Divine Worship Service</b>	Main Sanctuary
	12:30 pm	<b>International Potluck</b>	Fellowship Hall
Wed, Dec 30:	9:00 am	<b>Community Services</b>	
Thu, Dec 31:		<b>NEW YEARS EVE</b>	
Fri, Jan 1:		<b>NEW YEARS DAY</b>	
Sab, Jan 2:	9:30 am	<b>Sabbath School</b>	Various Classrooms
	10:50 am	<b>Divine Worship Service</b>	Main Sanctuary
		<b>Communion Sabbath</b>	

**Holiday Office Hours:** Wednesday - Thursday 10:00 am - 6:00 pm*Celebrate this Season with Garden Grove SDA Church*December 5: *"Do not be afraid..."*December 12: *"I bring you good news of great joy..."*December 19: *"Today...a Savior has been born..."*December 26\*: *"...for all the people..."*Sermon Title: **"FOR ALL THE PEOPLE!"**

\* Look for all the sponsored flags. Congregation invited to wear native dress and bring a special international dish for the potluck.

**Incoming Transfers**

Minh Tam Lam	OC Vietnamese Church
Trihn Hoang Lam	OC Vietnamese Church
Dien Truy Tran	OC Vietnamese Church
Thinh Tran	OC Vietnamese Church
Thong Tran	OC Vietnamese Church
Joana Nguyen	Garden Grove Korean Church
Anthony Soltan	La Sierra Univesrity Church
Muna Soltan	La Sierra University Church
Nadi Soltan	La Sierra University Church
Jenni Subriar	La Sierra University Church
Greg Ticer	La Sierra University Church

**Outgoing Transfers**

**GARDEN GROVE SDA CHURCH**

December 26, 2009

10:50 a.m.

GATHERING CAROLS

*“Silent Night”*  
*“O Holy Night”*  
*“Hark the Hearld Angels Sing”*

Triple Ex Ministries

CHURCH LIFE & WELCOME

Steve Rivera

INVITATION OF GOD’S PRESENCE

Polynesia/Pacific Islands

HYMN OF WORSHIP

*“O Come All Ye Faithful”*

Triple Ex Ministries

FLAG PROCESSIONAL

OFERRING APPEAL

U.S.A/Mexico

OFFERTORY

Silvino & Melissa Briceno

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Asia  
(Vietnamese/Korea)

SPECIAL MUSIC

Silvino & Melissa Briceno

SCRIPTURE

Luke 2:8-12

Marianna Maukovich

MORNING MESSAGE

“For All the People!”

Dan Smith

SONG OF REPOSE

*“Joy to the World”*

Triple Ex Ministries

BLESSING

Pastor Dan Smith

POSTLUDE

Carol Meckstroth

Organist: Carol Meckstroth

## This Month's Scripture

<sup>8</sup>And there were shepherds living out in the fields nearby, keeping watch over their flocks at night. <sup>9</sup>An angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. <sup>10</sup>But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. <sup>11</sup>Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord. <sup>12</sup>This will be a sign to you: You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger."

Luke 2:8-12

## Worship Service

**Worship Planner:** Steve Rivera

**Praise Leader:** Joel Tameifuna

**Sound Tech:** Sam Lopez Richard Schilk

**Offering:** The offering today will support Local Church Budget.

**Sabbath Rest** continues until 4:47 pm tonight.

**Fellowship Lunch:** We're having a special International Potluck on December 26.

**Greeters:**

This Sabbath - Linda Jolly, Michelle Storment  
Next Sabbath - Gunda Neslund & Bertie Krell

## Community Announcements

**This week:** There is a special gift (one per family) and a feature based on the story of Pastor Dan's father, Pastor D. Kenneth Smith, who was part of the Little Rascals as a young boy growing up in Hollywood.

**Our Service Streaming Online Live** starting today! Let your long distance friends and family know they can check it out on our website, [www.gardengrovesda.com](http://www.gardengrovesda.com).

**The Gift Goes On** will not be meeting this week – December 26. But, keep the gift-giving spirit going and going.....

**Religious Liberty Month** is coming up soon. For more information on what Religious Liberty means, visit our church website at [www.gardengrovesda.com](http://www.gardengrovesda.com).

**Dimes for Tuition Assistance:** The Earliteen Sabbath School would like to thank you for helping them save 4555 dimes for Tuition Assistance. Call 714-534-4694 for information about Orangewood Academy. Adventist Education -- it is worth it!

**Due to Holiday Office Hours,** try to have your End of Year Contributions in TODAY or postmarked by December 31.

**Bulletin Deadline for Announcements** is **Tuesday 5:00 pm**. E-mail announcements to [bulletin@gardengrovesda.com](mailto:bulletin@gardengrovesda.com) or call 714-534-1987.

**Special Office Hours:** This week, office will be closed on Monday and Tuesday. In case of emergency, contact Amanda Johnston at (949) 436-6837.

## Women's Ministries

**Message from WM about Tea Party:** Thank you, thank you, thank you for your support & help in organizing & accomplishing another successful, spirit-filled & magical evening of holiday friendship, fun & great food, service & entertainment on December 5. From the table decorators to the dining room volunteers to, of course, the featured speaker, entertainers & guests, it was a memorable time had by all. (Full letter on Bulletin Board)

**Annual Adopt-A-Family Christmas program --** Thank you to all who played Santa this year in giving a little extra to families in need as part of the CASA Adopt-A-Family program. Your generosity and blessings are appreciated by the GGSDA Women's Ministry and the lives you've touched.

## Adventurers/Pathfinders

**The Next Adventurers/Pathfinder** meeting is January 2. No other meetings this month.

It's not too late to join Adventurers/Pathfinders! Please contact Sandra Caldwell at 562-920-2110, Alex Caldwell (Acwaverun@msn.com, 562-920-2110) or Justin Setiawan (jspathfinder@gmail.com, 714-767-0404) for more info and to sign-up today!

## Youth/Young Adult Ministries

**Remoding the Youth Chapel:** We've gotten clearance to do a little remodeling. Stay tuned on details of where and when that might be happening.

## Orangewood's Corner

**More Joyous Sounds of Christmas** was postponed due to an unfortunate accident Mr. Woods, the music director, suffered after our Christmas Concert, resulting in a broken wrist and hand. The Elementary – Preschool Christmas Program will be rescheduled after the first of the year.

**Financial Aid Workshop:** La Sierra University and Pacific Union College are sponsoring a financial aid workshop for all high school students and parents on Thursday, January 14th at 7:00 p.m. Please rsvp. with Ms. Duran via email at [mduran@orangewoodacademy.com](mailto:mduran@orangewoodacademy.com).