

April 7, 2018

Welcome ...

We welcome you to the Paradise Adventist Church! We invite you to join us as we study the Word of God. May we more fully understand the deep love of the One who first loved us.

Today's Focus ...

He told them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field. Go! I am sending you out like lambs among wolves." ~ Luke 10:2, 3

A Place to Belong!

A Place to Grow!

Sabbath School

9:45-10:45 a.m.

We are discipled through the sharing of God's Word. The various topics being studied today:

Young Adult Sabbath School

Fellowship Center, Section A — This class is for Young Adults in their 20's and 30's and is led by Courtney Rasmussen.

A Study of the book of Ephesians

Fellowship Center, Section C — Community in Christ is taught by team members Tom Adams, Dan Appel, Steve Braswell, Dan Martella, Ralph Neidigh, Doug Snider, and Randy Waring.

Foundations of Faith

Finding Jesus in the Middle of it All

What do the foundational Bible teachings reveal to us about Jesus? What difference do they make for our life today? This class is designed for new believers and those exploring faith and God's Word. Everyone is welcome. (Taught by Alan & Glenna Eady in the Upper Room)

Preparation for the End Time

The Cosmic Controversy

Groups that discuss the traditional quarterly lesson study meet in the following locations:

Rear Sanctuary, East Šide — Steve Trenholme Sanctuary Balcony — Mons Jensen, Joseph Lee, Stefan Cummings

Sanctuary Training Chapel (Off Foyer) — Barry Pratt, Brad Brown

Fellowship Center (Section B) — John & Liv Johansson, Joe Gorbea, Ron Hivale, Milton McHenry

Worship Service

Church Life ...
Doug Snider

In Praise of our Savior ...

We will be led in worship by:
Greg Baron, Gary Gryte, Richard Thorp
(Praise Team)
Cindy Waring (Piano)
Joanne Cochrane (Organ)
Gary Gryte (Worship Coordinator)

We gratefully return of His blessings to us ...

Lambs' Offering: PAA *Building for Eternity*Main Offering: PAC Ministries Fund

Intercessory Prayer ...
Roger Cain

Today's Message ...

Luke 10 – *The Radical Prayer* Fred Spruell

Our Mission

Living In Jesus, Sharing God's Love

Our Vision

Through God's grace, the Paradise Seventh-day Adventist Church is becoming a loving, contagious, Spirit-led family that lives in Christ and bears fruit through passionate worship, biblical truth, and caring service.

Our Core Values

Discipleship, Faith, Family, Grace, Leadership, Member Ministries

Church Staff

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April 7, 2018 Church Life...

"You are worried and upset about many things, but few things are needed—or indeed only one." Luke 10:41b,42a

If you are interested in becoming a foster parent, there will be a short presentation by Family Solutions of Chico during the announcement portion of the service today. After the service, there will also be a table in the foyer which you may visit for more information.

Leve Paradise You are invited to come to the Community Park on Pearson Road on Sunday, April 22 at 9 am to join a project team to clean up and beautify Paradise. Lunch will be served back at the park at 12 pm. Sign ups are available in the Church Lobby *Today*. Call Garrison Chaffee (707.694.4521) for more information.

Our next Monthly Fellowship Meal (potluck) is next Sabbath, April 14, in the Fellowship Center starting 15-20 minutes after the Worship Service ends. Everyone is invited to participate by bringing two different types of dishes to serve 12 people each. (For single individuals, or if you are not able to bring two dishes for 12, just bring a bagged salad with a bottle of dressing, a whole ripe melon, or a prepared dessert to serve 8-10 people. Please don't stay away!) If you have any questions, please contact Nancy & Tom Adams (530.877.8066) who will be coordinating this meal.

A Simple Gesture — The pick-up date is next Sabbath, <u>April 14</u>. We have the privilege to feed the hungry in our community through the Simple Gesture "Green Bag" program. Please put your green bag by your front door by 9:00 a.m. Our Community Services (ACS) benefits from this program. If any of you wish to join the program, please call ACS at 530.872.9548.

Church Family Vespers, Potluck Supper & Game Night—Volleyball, Basketball, Table Games, and Ping Pong! Next Saturday Night, April 14 in the PAA Gym at 6:30 p.m.

Annual PAA Music Department Fundraiser— "Fiesta Del Sol" is coming up Sunday, April 15 at 6:00 p.m. in the PAA Gym. (See insert.)

It's time for the last veggie food and frozen fruit order of this school year! Order forms are posted on the slat wall in the foyer. The proceeds from these sales go to the Senior Class at PAA. Thank you so much for your generous support! Please deliver your completed form with a check made out to PAA by Thursday, April 19 to the school office. Your order can be picked up at the school office starting Wednesday, May 2. For questions, contact Carol Nash at 530.520.5140 or crtnash@gmail.com.

BLOOD DRIVE—Our next blood drive will be on Sunday, April 22 from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm in the Youth Center. Because so many people have had the flu and had to defer donating, the blood supply is low. *BloodSource* is requesting that as many as possible donate now. Prior to donating, eat breakfast, drink plenty of fluids, and bring a photo ID with you. **Reserve your slot by signing up in the church foyer today.** Questions? Call Charlie Rollo at 530.228.5772.

PAA's Annual Men's Challenge (Youth Event) will be held May 4—6 at Leoni Meadows Camp. This year's theme is *Becoming a Man of God.* All high school aged young men are welcome whether they attend public high school, home school, or are PAA students! Activities will include the famous Leoni Meadows' high ropes course, zip line, and go-karting. The cost is \$65 by April 23; \$85 after April 24. The Registration Deadline is April 27. If you have any questions or would like to register, please call Brenda Muth (530.877.6540) or Garrison Chaffee (707.694.4521).

Lost and Found—If you are missing a Bible, please feel free to look for it in the Church Library. Other lost and found items such as umbrellas, water bottles, caps, sunglasses, etc. may be claimed in the old Information Room. Unclaimed items will be given to Community Services after April 15. Thank you!!

Serving You Today ...

Joanne Robinson, Monica Stewart,

Max Werdmuller

Plant Deacon Ron Evans Welcome Center Connie Huitt Library Attendant......Lisa Fairchild Personal Ministries.....Liv Johansson

Elder on Call (weekend emergencies only) Charlie Rollo (530.228.5772)

Many of our Elders are contributing to the visitation responsibilities on behalf of our Pastoral Staff. In case of emergency this weekend, please call the Elder On Call.

Prayer Requests...

Your prayers are appreciated and requested for:

- ⇒ Those who are suffering pain after the loss of a loved one.
- ⇒ Healing and mercy for those experiencing health challenges:
 - Debby Cheary (health challenges)
 - Tony Gerrick (recovery from severe sepsis)
 - Cooper Harvey (health challenges) (9 month old grandson of Bob & Melinda Hillock) - Penny Stratton (recovery from heart surgery)
 - Andrea Lewis (health challenges; cards only please) Paul Westbrook (health challenges)
- Paul Manolescu (health challenges)
- Cheri Masse (recovery from heart attack)
- Mark Morris (health challenges)

Church Family News...

We wish a very Happy Birthday to Ray Hixson (311 Burden Terrace Paradise, CA 95969) who will be turning 100 on Friday, April 13!

We regret to inform you of the passing of long-time PAC member Betty Driver on April 2 at the age of 91. Services will be held this afternoon in Atrium at Feather Canyon Retirement Center at 2:00 p.m. We invite you to remember her family in your prayers.

PAA Upcoming Events





	Week of Prayer
April 14	PAA Students (Grades 5-8) present
	Worship Service at PAC
April 15	Music Department Fundraiser
_	—Fiesta del Sol
April 20	Love Paradise Community Service Day
May 19	
	(PAC Worship Service)
May 20	Golf Tournament
•	End of Year Celebration
•	8th Grade Graduation

Annual PAA Music Department Fundraiser-

"Fiesta Del Sol" is coming up Sunday, April 15 at 6:00 p.m. in the PAA gym. Tickets are available at the school office and are \$25 per adult, \$10 for ages 6—12, and children under 6 are free.



Our March Finances

(as of March Month End)

RUN WITH THE VISION



For your March donations to Run with the Vision and the School Mortgage which enabled us to pay an extra \$15,000 directly on principle!

PAC MINISTRIES FUND

(First Quarter 2018 Summary)

	JAN	FEB	MAR	March 31 YTD Deficit
Income	\$ 28,973	\$ 34,657	\$ 46,342	
Expense	\$ 54,644	\$ 57,746	\$ 66,212	
Shortfall	(\$ 25,671)	(\$ 23,089)	(\$ 19,870)	(\$ 68,630)

As you can see from the above table, our donations and income for PAC Ministries Fund are more than one month behind in covering our expenses.

We ask you to prayerfully consider putting an extra \$5 or more in an offering envelope each Sabbath to help us catch up on this shortfall.

Thank you for your support!

E-giving made E-A-S-Y!

Want to get to our E-giving easily? Use your phone to scan this QR code. (You can download QR Scanner on your phone in the app store.) It will take you right to the E-giving on our church web site.



This Week ...

Today Prayer Time, Training Chapel (9-9:45 am)

ALL Sabbath Schools (9:45-10:45 am)

Worship Service, Sanctuary (11 am)
—Study of Luke 10, Fred Spruell

Sabbath Celebration Ends (7:35pm)

Tomorrow United Prayer, Fellowship Center (7 am)

Pathfinder Bike-a-thon (Sacramento)

Food With Friends Ministry, Fellowship Center (12 noon)
Open Volleyball, PAA Gym (6-8 pm)—All Ages Welcome!

Monday...... Women's Bible Study (*Discerning the Voice of God*), Upper Room (7 pm)

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Tuesday......Prayer Time, Upper Room (6 am)
ACS (Adventist Community Services) 8:30-11 am

- (Food Pantry, Clothing, Furniture and Linens when available)

Growing in Wisdom Bible Study,

—Plantation Clubhouse, 208 Berry Creek Dr. (3 pm) Adventurers/Pathfinders, Youth Center (6:30 pm)

Church Finance Meeting, Upper Room (7 pm)

Wednesday...... Men's Fellowship, Upper Room (7 am)

Breathe Prayer Meeting, Upper Room (10 am)

Thursday...... Church Board Meeting, Upper Room (7 pm)

Friday Sabbath Celebration Begins (7:42 pm)

Next Sabbath..... Prayer Time, Training Chapel (9-9:45 am)

ALL Sabbath Schools (9:45-10:45 am)

Worship Service, Sanctuary (11 am)

-Study of Luke 12, PAA Grades 5-8

Monthly Church Fellowship Meal (potluck),

Fellowship Center (12 noon)

Intergenerational Game Night, PAA Gym (6:30 pm)

PAC Events Coming Up...

April 17Worship Coordinators' Meeting

April 18School Board Meeting

April 19-22Pathfinder Bible Expeience (NAD Final in Orlando)

April 20Love Paradise Community Service Day

April 22 Church Blood Drive

April 2590 is the New 70— Member Luncheon

April 26-29Pathfinder Teens Rock Climbing (Yosemite)

May 3 Mission Trip Payment #3 Due

Care Team Meeting Elders' Meeting

