



July 21, 2018

Welcome ...

We welcome you to the Paradise Adventist Church! Thank you for joining us as we worship our Lord, Creator, and Savior. What a blessing it is to have you celebrate this Sabbath with us!

Today's Focus ...

We often think that God loves us in spite of our sins. The simple reality is: God loves us. We can do nothing to improve our position with Him. At work I can impress my boss, by working hard. I can impress patients by how I treat them. I can impress the clerk at the market by how I interact. However, God just loves us. No questions. Obviously, He wants what is best for us, and that means living within His Will. Because He loves us, He wants us to be happy. That, too, means living within His Will. One thing we can always expect from God is a complete embrace of His love. As we celebrate the Communion, and look forward to that Great Feast at the end of time, let us remember that more than anything: God loves us!

A Place to Belong!

A Place to Grow!

Sabbath School

9:45-10:30 a.m.

We are disciplined 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 Romans

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)

The Book of Acts

Life in the Early Church

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

Rear Sanctuary, East Side — 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

Communion Worship Service

10:45 a.m.

Church Life ...

Doug Snider

In Praise of our Savior ...

We will be led in worship by:

Gerry Chinnock, Danae Davis,

Julie Kiraly, Randy Waring

(Praise Team)

Kim Stewart (Flute)

Joanne Cochrane (Organ)

Joanne Cochrane, Cindy Waring (Keyboards)

Joanne Cochrane, Cindy Waring (Worship Coordinators)

We gratefully return of His blessings to us ...

Lambs' Offering: PAA *Building for Eternity*

Main Offering: PAC Ministries Fund

Intercessory Prayer ...

LaFreedda Thomas

Today's Message ...

Arms Wide Open

Brian Dudar

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

After hours call 530.877.4454; dial extension:

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Paradise Seventh-day Adventist Church

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And he took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to them saying, "This is my body given for you; do this in remembrance of me." Luke 22:19

Celebration of Communion Service: Today at 10:45 a.m. Please note that ALL Sabbath Schools will be shortened by 15 minutes and end at 10:30 a.m. so that we may begin our Communion Worship Service in the Sanctuary at 10:45 a.m. **Parents of Small Children:** Please plan on picking up your children from their Sabbath School divisions accordingly.

Foot Washing Locations: **Families** — Youth Center; **Persons with Disabilities** — Upper Room; **Couples** — Fellowship Center, Sections A & B; **Ladies** — Fellowship Center, Section C; **Men** — Primary Room.

To Facilitate Ease of Serving the Communion Emblems, we invite you to sit in the **even-numbered rows** when returning to the Sanctuary from the foot washing. (If more seating is necessary, please sit in the middle of the odd-numbered pews.)

Communion Offering: At the end of our service today, the Deacons will receive a communion offering at the doors. This offering goes into our Member Assistance Fund.

Plant Deacon needed! The church is in need of another plant deacon—one for the second Sabbath of each month. The primary duty for a plant deacon is unlocking and locking the doors to the Sabbath School rooms and Sanctuary. One would need only to serve in this capacity once per month. This is a very simple, yet important, ministry in which you could serve your Church Family! Training will be provided for all aspects of this ministry. For more information, please contact Frank Dodini (530.872.1999, or dodini@sbcglobal.net).

If you missed *The Stewpot* bulletin insert last week, extra copies may be found on the Foyer Slat Wall.

To prepare your heart and mind: Next week Pastor Roger Cain will bring us a message entitled, "It Is Finished." You are invited to reflect on Luke 23 while keeping the following questions in mind—If you only had a very short time to live: 1. What would you do? 2. What would you say? Let us pray that we will see more clearly the great gift that God has given to us and ask as the penitent thief did for Christ to remember us when His kingdom comes.

Adventist Community Services (ACS) will be closed from August 1—September 3 for their summer break. They will reopen on Tuesday, September 4. Please hold your non-monetary donations during this period of time. Or, you may take your donations to the Adventist Health Feather River Hospice Thrift Shop.

Summer Schedule Changes: Please don't forget to check page 4 for upcoming events as well as cancellations or rescheduled events.

PAA Summer Hours: Monday through Thursday 9 a. m.—12 noon. Afternoons by appointment. Please call 530.877.6540.

Serving You Today...

Greeters	Joyce Atchison (Leader), Angel Clark, Gus Mamoulelis, Gloria Selby, Penny Stratton, Theodore Westbrook, Maureen Wisener
Deacon	Ron Thomas
Plant Deacon	Frank Dodini
Welcome Center	Susan Kelly
Library Attendant	Janelle Miller
Personal Ministries	Hannelore Neumann
Pastor on Call (<i>weekend emergencies only</i>)	Dan Martella (707.494.4739)

*Pastoral Visit: If you would like a pastoral visit,
please contact your specific pastor of choice or the Church Office.*

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:**
 - **Trisha Ashby** (*sister of Fred Mitchell; health challenges*)
 - **Jenny Brandt** (*daughter of Angel Clark; healing from cancer*)
 - **Virginia Holley** (*sister of Mary Maxson; health challenges*)
 - **Bryon Lauderdale** (*son of Mary Jo Lauderdale; serious health challenges; member of Chico SDA Church*)
 - **Mark Morris** (*health challenges; Windsor Chico Care Center—Visitors Welcome!*)
 - **Paul Westbrook** (*health challenges*)

David Stahl went to his rest on June 9th at the age of 88. David was the husband of Dixie Stahl (6440 Rix Ln. Paradise, CA 95969) and the father of Patricia Cayton (6440 Rix Ln., Apt. A Paradise CA 95969), Christine Hunt (6440 Rix Ln. Paradise CA 95969), Daniel Stahl (1331 Brill Rd., Paradise, CA 95969), and Robert Stahl (6259 Oak Way Paradise CA 95969). No services are planned at this time.

We are saddened to announce the passing of Terry Dutton last Thursday, July 12th at Pine View Care Center at the age of 85. No services are planned at this time.

We welcome you to please keep our Youth in your prayers for safety during their surfing trip.



Nominating Committee...

Second Reading: Liz Dickinson, PAA School Board Member;
Dave Sawyer, ACS Co-Leader.

Church Family News...

Happy Birthday to Jacob Klotz (5900 Canyon View Dr. Apt. 117, Paradise) who will be celebrating his 93rd birthday next Sabbath, July 28!

Congratulations to:

- ◇ **Brian & Cheryl Mallory** on the July 15 wedding of their daughter, Chloe Mallory to Austin Mapa in Walnut Grove, CA. Please call the Church Office for address.
- ◇ **Glenn & Diane Bentjen** on the July 20 wedding of their daughter, Kimberly Bentjen to Niko Babovic in Rhode Island. The couple will be making their home at 345 Shady Glen Drive, Greenwich, Rhode Island, 02818.

HERE'S WHAT'S COOKING THIS SUMMER...

Junior Chef Cooking Camp

Prizes! *Samples!*

August 6 - 9, 2018
9:30 am to 12:30 pm
Grades 5 - 8
Girls and Boys

Lunch! *Food Art!*

Fellowship Hall
Paradise Adventist Church
\$20 charge
(limited scholarships available)
Class size limited to 10
Call 877-4454

Join us for Friends, Food and Fantastic Fun.



Sponsored by PAC Health Ministries

August 6-9

9:30 am—12:30 pm

Junior Chef Cooking Camp

Open to Boys & Girls in Grades 5-8

Space Still Available!!

Class size limited to 10

Camp Fee—\$20

(Limited Scholarships Available)

Oats, Peas, Beans and Barley Grow

Thursday, August 16, 6—8 pm

PAC Fellowship Center

Registration is \$7.00 at the Church Office

Wooden Spoon Plant Based Cooking Series
is proud to present

Oats, Peas, Beans and Barley Grow
(It's not just a kid's song)

Methuselah's diet still lives!
Bring in the flavor of grains and legumes

Nutrition labels reveal all!



Thursday August 16, 2018
6-8 pm
Paradise Adventist Church
Fellowship Hall
5720 Academy Dr
Cost is only \$7.00
877-4454

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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** *Redwood Camp Meeting (through July 28)*
 Prayer Time, Training Chapel (9-9:45 am)
 ALL Sabbath Schools (9:45-**10:30** am)
 Communion Worship Service, Sanctuary (**10:45** am)
 —Brian Dudar; *Arms Wide Open* (Luke 22)
Sabbath Celebration Ends (8:30 pm)
- Tomorrow** *United Prayer*, Fellowship Center (7 am)
Food With Friends Ministry, Fellowship Center (12 noon)
 Open Volleyball, PAA Gym (6 pm)
- Monday** Women's Bible Study, Upper Room (6:30 pm)
- Tuesday** Prayer Time, Upper Room (6 am)
 ACS (Adventist Community Services) 8:30-11 am
 (Food Pantry, Clothing, Furniture and Linens when available)
- Wednesday** Men's Fellowship, Upper Room (7 am)
 Women's Bible Study, PAA Library (8 am)
Breathe Prayer Meeting, Upper Room (10 am)
- Friday** **Sabbath Celebration Begins (8:24 pm)**
- Next Sabbath** Prayer Time, Training Chapel (9-9:45 am)
 ALL Sabbath Schools (9:45-10:45 am)
 Worship Service, Sanctuary (11 am)
 —Roger Cain; *It Is Finished* (Luke 23)

PAC Events Coming Up...

- August 2** Care Team Meeting
 Elders' Meeting
- August 5** ~~Blood Drive~~ **Canceled**
- August 6-9** **Junior Chef Cooking Camp**
- August 7** **Church Finance Meeting**
- August 9** **Church Board Meeting**
- August 11** Monthly Potluck
- August 14** **Pathfinder Registration for New Season**
- August 15** School Board Meeting
- August 16** **Wooden Spoon Cooking Class**
- August 18** **Teacher Dedication Sabbath**
Intergenerational Supper/Vespers/Game Night
- August 21** **PAA First Day of School**
 Worship Coordinators' Meeting
- September 3** **Labor Day Holiday! Church Office Closed**
- September 6** Care Team Meeting
 Elders' Meeting
- September 8** Monthly Potluck

