



October 13, 2018

## Welcome ...

We welcome you to the Paradise Adventist Church! Each Sabbath we have the cherished opportunity to join together in worship. Today, we invite you to join us as we focus our thoughts on the blessed gift of prayer.

## Today's Focus ...

*Prayer is the opening of the heart to God as to a friend. Not that it is necessary in order to make known to God what we are, but in order to enable us to receive Him. Prayer does not bring God down to us, but brings us up to Him.*

~ Ellen G. White

A Place to Belong!

A Place to Grow!

# *Sabbath School*

*9:45-10:45 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 Lisia 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)

## Oneness in Christ

### *Causes of Disunity*

*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

# Worship Service

11:00 a.m.

## Church Life ...

Doug Snider

## Children's Story ...

Tammi Eaton

## In Praise of our Savior ...

We will be led in worship by:

Dan & Charla Appel; Lily, Makayla, and Marilyn Chaffee;  
Gary Gryte; Brenda Muth; Reed Pendleton;  
Bob Taylor; Ronda Unterseher  
(Praise Team)

Ronda Unterseher (Oboe)  
Joanne Cochrane (Piano/Prelude/Postlude)  
Linda Pendleton (Worship Coordinator)

## We gratefully return of His blessings to us ...

Lambs' Offering: PAA *Building for Eternity*  
Main Offering: Voice of Prophecy

## Intercessory Prayer ...

Roselie Nystrom

## Introduction and Dedication of Hamilton Family ...

Dan Martella, Garrison Chaffee, and Brian Dudar

## Today's Message ...

Helen Cain, Lyndia Logan,  
and Steve Hamilton

## *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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Co-Head Elders .....	Brian Dudar, Randy Waring .....	(N/A)
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## *Available to Serve You ...*

### **Paradise Seventh-day Adventist Church**

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## October 13, 2018 Church Life . . .

*Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances;  
for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18*

**Today's Sanctuary Flowers** are presented to welcome our new **Lead Pastor and Family—Pastor Steve, Delinda, Katie, Ashley and Andrew Hamilton!!!** We are so delighted to have you join our church family here in Paradise! We ask God's blessing on you as you continue to further God's work in our Paradise Adventist Church and in our community. The church family is invited to join a reception following the worship service.

**A Simple Gesture** — The pick-up date is TODAY, October 13. 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.

**Come join us today** for our monthly fellowship meal (potluck) which will be held in the Fellowship Center starting 15-20 minutes after the Worship Service. Members are invited to participate by bringing two different types of dishes to serve 12 people each. Guests are most welcome to join us for excellent food and fellowship!

**Adventurers** are meeting on Sabbath afternoons! *Adventurers* is a Pre-Pathfinder club for families with children ages 4 – 9. We will meet today at 2:00 p.m. in the Collegiate/Adventurer room on the lower level next to the Youth Center. Come join us and find out about some of our special events coming up this month. Starting in November, we will move to the first and third Sabbath of the month. To register or to find out more information, please call or text Regina Pickett at 530.518.2223.

**Volleyball** will resume this Sunday night at 6:00 p.m. at the PAA gym. All are invited!

**The Pathfinders will be having a yard sale** on Oct. 21 at 7321 Skyway (across from Burger King) from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. If you would like to donate items, they may be dropped off the day of the sale or you can call Terry Parsons at 530.877.7815. Come and see all of the nice things we are selling.

**It's the season**—Pumpkin spice, falling leaves and school **Fundraisers**. Please check out the information on page 5 and support these great events.

## 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:**

- **Jenny Brandt** (*daughter of Angel Clark; healing from cancer*)
- **John McDonald** (*lung cancer, stage 3A, Please pray that it will be operable.*)
- **Bryon Lauderdale** (*son of Mary Jo Lauderdale; serious health challenges; member of Chico SDA Church*)
- **Mark Morris** (*health challenges*)
- **Paul Westbrook** (*health challenges*)

**We regret to inform you** that Tone Scarbrough passed away on Friday, October 5. She was the wife of Reg Scarbrough, the mother of Spencer and Espen (2495 Cassandra Drive, Butte Valley, CA 95965) and the daughter-in-law of Reg and Carolyn Scarbrough (3289 Clark Road, Butte Valley, CA 95965). Tone was a member of the Chico Adventist Church and served as the Home & School leader of Paradise Adventist Academy for several years. Details for services will follow at a later time. We invite you to remember the entire family in your prayers.

# Serving You Today . . .

- Greeters**..... Linda Martella (Leader), Bob Carli, Dennis Jamerson,  
Sig Neumann, Theodore Westbrook
- Deacons** ..... Gary Kitto/Joseph Lee
- Plant Deacon** ..... Frank Dodini
- Welcome Center** ..... Nancy Adams, Hannelore Neumann
- Library Attendant** ..... Joanne Robinson
- Personal Ministries** ..... Maralee Crew
- Elder on Call** (*weekend emergencies only*) ..... John Johansson (530.872.7258)

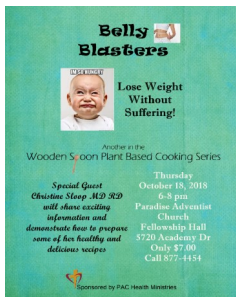
*Many of our Elders are contributing to the visitation responsibilities on behalf of our Pastoral Staff. In case of emergency this weekend, please call the Elder on Call.*

## PAC FYI

### Upcoming

#### Family Life & Intergenerational Ministries Events

- October 13 ..... **Vespers and Build Your Own Pizza Night!** Glow in the dark ultimate frisbee, game and gym night. Bring your favorite pizza topping and table game. Pizza dough, sauce and cheese provided. 5:30 p.m. at the PAA Gym.
- TONIGHT!** →
- October 21 ..... **Fall Color ATV Ride!** Join us for a fun 55 mile ATV ride through the beautiful fall colors in the high country beyond Butte Meadows on Sunday, October 21. We will meet at the Butte Meadows snowmobile park at 10:30 a.m. Bring water and your own picnic lunch. Helmets and liability release required. Minors must be accompanied by a parent.
- November 10 ..... **Church Family Movie Night with Warren Miller!** Refreshments available. 7:00 p.m. at the PAC Fellowship Center.
- December 8 ..... **Church Family Vespers, Potluck & Game Night!** Stay tuned for details. 5:00 p.m. at the PAA Gym.



**Belly Blasters**

**LOSE WEIGHT Without Suffering!**

Another in the Wooden Spoon Plant Based Cooking Series

Special Guest  
Christine Sloop, MD, RD  
will share exciting information and demonstrate how to prepare some of her healthy and delicious recipes

Thursday  
October 18, 2015  
6-8 pm  
Paradise Adventist Church  
Fellowship Hall  
5720 Academy Dr  
Only \$7.00  
Call 877-4154

Sponsored by PAC Health Ministries

*Coming Up*  
Thursday, October 18  
The next *Wooden Spoon* Plant-Based Cooking Class:  
**Belly Blasters**  
6—8 p.m.  
PAC Fellowship Center  
\*\* Special Guest—Christine Sloop, MD, RD  
Sign up in the Church Office  
Registration fee—\$7.00



### Adventist Community Services Needs

- ⇒ Blankets (Any Size)
- ⇒ Sleeping Bags

# Paradise Adventist Academy

Last month we featured our amazing volunteers who support the mission of Paradise Adventist Academy in so many practical ways. Today, you are invited to join the volunteer team! There are many opportunities to support our staff and students and to invest in the quality Christian education that the students attending our school are so blessed to



receive. We are currently looking for volunteers who are available and willing to serve in the library on Wednesday or Thursday mornings. We would love to have more volunteers assisting with our tutoring program. Additionally, we are looking for team members to serve on a Home and School team and to assist as event volunteers. Finally, we would love to fill our Marketing Team with members who are willing to participate in team meetings and assist in promotion of our wonderful school. If you would like to join the team of volunteers, please call Paradise Adventist Academy at 530.877.6540 and speak to Monte Nystrom or Brenda Muth.

## Did You Know?

If you have completed the *Verified Volunteer* training and background check for your volunteer position for the church, that gives you a head-start for volunteering at the school!



## PAA Upcoming Events

— Please Join Us! 

- October 19-21** .....Junior/Senior Retreat—  
Leoni Meadows
- October 28**.....Harvest Festival—(12 Noon—3:00 pm)  
*(Please see ad p. 5)*
- November 4**.....*Almond Bowl Run*—Chico
- November 29—December 1** Basketball Tournament and  
Youth Rally
- December 8** .....Grades 5 –8 present Christmas Play  
at PAC during Worship Service



### Sunshine Band Schedule (All at 3 pm)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Sabbath — Heritage (Genesis/Pine View)—8777 Skyway
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Sabbath — Cypress Meadows Post-Acute—1633 Cypress Ln.
- 4<sup>th</sup> Sabbath — Paradise Post-Acute—7419 Skyway
- 3<sup>rd</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> Sabbaths — (none)

# Our Church Finances

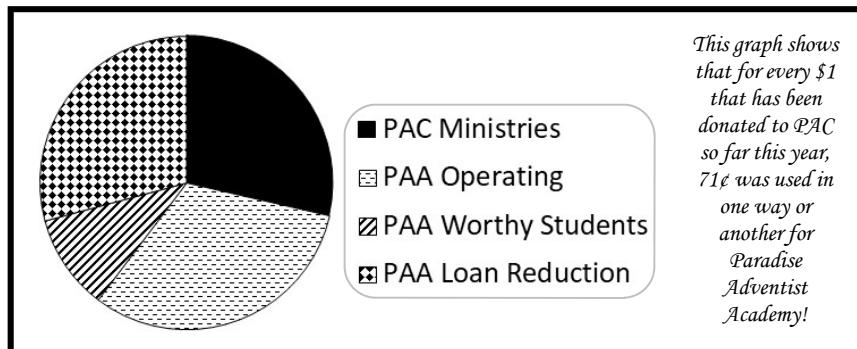
*To our Faithful Church Members:*

*Thank you . . .*

**for your overwhelming support of our Church Finances in 2018!**

On top of returning the Lord's Tithe of over \$1,013,000,  
you have generously donated another \$791,472 to PAC Offerings as of Sept. 30:

- ◆ \$251,250 for PAA Operating Expenses
- ◆ \$ 83,200 for PAA Worthy Students
- ◆ \$230,777 for School Loan Reduction
- ◆ \$226,245 for all PAC church ministries combined



**Let's keep the momentum going strong this final quarter —**

## **Why?**

**Because we will need**

**\$337,000**

**in PAC Ministries Fund donations  
in order to end this fiscal year in the black.**  
(This is \$65,000 lower or 16% less than last year!)

**Thank you . . . for your faithful giving for the PAC Ministries Fund!**

**Thank you . . . for your gifts to pay off our school loan!**

**Thank you . . . for your year-end generosity!**



## Other Events



**Wednesday, October 17<sup>TH</sup>**

**3:00PM to 6:00PM**

or while supplies last

**Paradise Adventist Church**  
5720 Academy Drive, Paradise

- Shots will be available to **ADULTS ONLY**
- Please do not arrive earlier than 2:30pm to get in line
- For safety reasons, walk-up patients cannot be served

For more information please call: 530.327.5730



**GET YOUR GARDENING GLOVES** and come help us make our church beautiful! **FALL CLEANUP** is October 28 from 8 am to 11 am. Bring clippers of all kinds blowers, and rakes. Trailers are needed to haul leaves etc to the dump. It is free yard waste week. Thanks for you help!

OUR ANNUAL  
**HARVEST FEST**

OCTOBER 28, 2018 · 12-3PM

FOOD CARNIVAL · CRAFTS · PRIZES

NINJA WARRIOR COURSE · HAY MAZE  
WAGON RIDES · GLOW IN THE DARK GOLF  
BOUNCE HOUSE · JACOB'S LADDER

PARADISE ADVENTIST ACADEMY  
5699 Academy Dr. Paradise, Ca · 95969

Designed by: Brandon Mascarenas



### Upcoming Events

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|------------|---|
| Mondays    | Freedom From Smoking                          |
| Tuesdays   | Diabetes Prevention                           |
| Wednesdays | Cooking Class                                 |
|            | <i>Oct. 24: Instant Pot Soups &amp; Stews</i> |
|            | <i>Oct 31: Everything Pumpkin</i>             |
| Thursdays  | Full Plate Living                             |

### LiveWell Center

7224 Skyway  
Paradise, CA 95969  
530.327.5730

Please see the posted calendar in the foyer for more information.

## This Week . . .

- Today ..... Prayer Time, Training Chapel (9-9:45 am)  
 ALL Sabbath Schools (9:45-10:45 am)  
 Worship Service focused on Prayer, Sanctuary (11 am)  
 —Helen Cain, Lyndia Logan, and Steve Hamilton  
 —**Welcome of New Lead Pastor and Family**  
**Monthly Potluck**, Fellowship Center (following the Worship Service)  
 Adventurers Meeting, Collegiate/Adventurers Room (2 pm)  
**Church Family Vespers, Pizza, & Game Night**,  
 PAA Gym (5:30 pm)  
**Sabbath Celebration Ends (6:31 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 am)**  
 Pathfinders, Youth Center (6:30 pm)
- Wednesday ..... Men's Fellowship, Upper Room (7 am)  
 Women's Bible Study, PAA Library (8 am)  
*Breathe* Prayer Meeting, Upper Room (10 am)  
**AH—FR, Drive Thru Flu Shot Clinic, PAC Parking Lot (3-6 pm)**  
 School Board Meeting, PAA, (6:30 pm)
- Thursday ..... *Wooden Spoon* Cooking Class, Fellowship Center (6 pm)
- Friday ..... **Sabbath Celebration Begins (6:21 pm)**
- Next Sabbath ..... Prayer Time, Training Chapel (9-9:45 am)  
 ALL Sabbath Schools (9:45-10:45 am)  
 Worship Service, Sanctuary (11 am)  
 —**Steve Hamilton—first sermon as our new Lead Pastor!**

## PAC Events Coming Up . . .

- October 21 ..... **Family Life Fall Color ATV Ride**  
*Adventurer* Bike Derby
- October 23 ..... Worship Coordinators' Meeting
- October 25 ..... Joint Meeting of Facilities Oversight and  
 Interior Design Committees
- October 26-28 ..... *Adventurer* Family Fun Weekend
- October 27 ..... Worship Service with Joedy Melashenko  
 focusing on 10/40 Window Missions
- October 28 ..... Landscaping Work Bee (8—11 am)
- November 1 ..... Care Team Meeting  
**Elders' Meeting**
- November 3 ..... Worship Service with PAA Jr. High/Elementary Speakers;