



FINDING GOD AT THE INTERSECTION OF OUR LIVES

October 15, 2022

ON CAMPUS TODAY AT GLENDALE CITY CHURCH, OCTOBER 15:

- 8:30 a.m.: **Spanish-language service** with Pastors Johnny and Clara Ramirez-Johnson speaking on our YouTube page. (In-person gathering is on hiatus for now.)
- 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. Book study: "Before You Lose Your Mind: Deconstructing Bad Theology in the Church" by Keith Giles.
- 9:30 a.m.: **The Living Project Support Group**, 9:30 a.m., meets weekly in Room 4. "Telling my story. Listening to your story. Living our story."
- 11:00 a.m.: **Sanctuary Worship** with Pastor Leif Lind. Also available online, <https://YouTube.com/c/GlendaleCityChurch>.
- 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.
- 12:00 p.m.: **Open Table Worship:** "Bible Economics: What the Church Has Ignored". Join our worship in the Chapel as we receive teaching from Walter Brueggeman on money, food, housing, and neighborliness.

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. To prepare for each meeting, see Herb's study guide or podcast (<https://RenewedHeartMinistries.com>).

ON CAMPUS NEXT SATURDAY AT GLENDALE CITY CHURCH, OCTOBER 22:

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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

Prelude “Sonata I – Adagio” *Felix Mendelssohn*
Kemp Smeal, *organ*

Call to Worship The grace of Jesus Christ be among us. *Leif Lind*
The love of God be among us.
The communion of the Holy Spirit be with us all. **Amen.**

Opening Hymn “O God, You Made the Sabbath Day” *Carolyn Winfrey Gillette*
2000; Tune: TALLIS’ CANON

(1) O God, you made the Sabbath day, your gift, your law, your healing way.
You also made, within each heart a longing for this day apart.

(2) You gave your children, long-oppressed, your freeing gift of Sabbath rest.
You give us Sabbath freedom, too: our lives are more than work we do!

(3) Life’s sacred rhythm seems long gone; the world, unblinking, carries on.
Your Spirit calls us! Slow our pace that we may hear your word of grace.

(4) Christ Jesus lives! He makes us new! On Sabbaths now, we worship you.
With hearts uplifted, joy restored, your church goes out to serve you, Lord.

Welcome & Prayers of the Congregation *Todd Leonard*
(Please remain standing for prayer)

Anthem “He that shall endure to the end” from *Elijah* *Mendelssohn*
Clarissa Shan, *Director*

Scripture Reading **Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:2, 3** *Clarissa Shan*
The prophecy that Habakkuk the prophet received.

**How long, Lord, must I call for help, but you do not listen? Or cry out to you,
“Violence!” but you do not save? Why do you make me look at injustice? Why do
you tolerate wrongdoing? Destruction and violence are before me; there is strife,
and conflict abounds.**

Therefore the law is paralyzed, and justice never prevails. The wicked hem in the
righteous, so that justice is perverted. ———

Then the Lord replied: “Write down the revelation and make it plain on tablets so that a
herald may run with it.

**For the revelation awaits an appointed time; it speaks of the end and will not
prove false. Though it linger, wait for it; it will certainly come and will not delay.**

Anthem	"He, watching over Israel" from <i>Elijah</i> Clarissa Shan, <i>Director</i>	<i>Mendelssohn</i>
Sermon	"When God Is Silent: The Other Side of Faith"	Leif Lind
Call to Offering		Leif Lind
	<i>(Unless otherwise marked, loose offering goes to local church expense)</i>	
Offertory	"O rest in the Lord" from <i>Elijah</i> Argenta Walther, <i>mezzo-soprano</i>	<i>Mendelssohn</i>
Musical Video Response	"By Gentle Powers"	* <i>Dietrich Bonhoeffer</i>

(1) Surrounded by such true and gentle powers,
So wondrously consoled and without fear,
Thus will I spend with you these final hours
And then together enter a new year.

Refrain:

By gentle powers lovingly surrounded,
With patience we'll endure, let come what may.
God is with us at night and in the morning
And certainly on every future day.

(2) The worries of the old year still torment us.
We're troubled still by long and wicked days.
Oh Lord — give our frightened souls the healing
For which you've chastened us in many ways.

(3) And though you offer us the cup so heavy,
So painful, it's the most that we can stand.
Not faltering, with thanks we will accept it
And take it as a gift from your good hand.

(4) And should it be your will once more to grant us
To see the world and to enjoy the sun,
Then we will all the past events remember
And finally our life with you is one.

**Written December 19, 1944 by Dietrich Bonhoeffer in prison, as encouragement to his fiancée Maria, just weeks before the end of World War II and his execution in a Nazi concentration camp. (Translation: Ulrich Schaffer, 1977; music: Siegfried Fietz. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-dWCPeH6BA8>.)*

Benediction		Leif Lind
Postlude	"Sonata I – Allegro assai vivace"	<i>Felix Mendelssohn</i>



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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The memorial service for **Mike Quishenberry's father Phil** will be held at Calimesa SDA Church at 4 p.m. **next Sabbath, Oct. 22**, as well as livestreamed <https://calimesasda.com>.

For those who may want to send condolences to the **family of Judson Ravi** after his recent passing, his daughter Jen Parker's address is: 1613 Bayita Lane NW, Albuquerque, NM 87107.

Please keep **Anna Greathouse, Margery Rich, and Jesse Martin** in prayer with ongoing health issues.

L.A. Forum, October 22, 3 p.m.: **Alexander Carpenter** will be presenting a report on the General Conference's Annual Council. The meeting will be live as well as on <https://zoom.us/j/92678916358> (Zoom meeting ID: 926 7891 6358).

Glendale Adventist Academy "Home and School Association" is hosting a **free admission Movie Night** on Saturday, **Oct. 29** at 6:30 p.m. (700 Kimlin Dr., Glendale). Bring friends, family, chairs/blankets, and cash to purchase snacks if you want.

GAA Fall Concert, "What a Wonderful World", Oct 26, 7 p.m. in the GAA Auditorium. All welcome!

November 5 is our annual Day of Remembrance when we remember all who have passed away in the past 12 months. Please give the names of loved ones and friends who you want to be remembered that day. You may inform one of the pastors or contact **our new campus administrator, Irma Acosta**, at our church office, 818-244-7241 or 610ecalifornia@gmail.com (*note the new church office email address*).



❶ **Dietrich Bonhoeffer**, German Protestant minister and theologian implicated in a World War II plot to assassinate Hitler. (He was hung in a Nazi concentration camp just days before the end of the war.)

❷ **Magda** and her minister husband **André Trocme** rescued thousands of Jewish and other refugees in the small French village of Le Chambon during World War II. She never considered herself to be a "saint" or worried about fulfilling "God's will" — she was just "doing what needed to be done".