

## TO SERVE YOU IN MINISTRY

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**UNITED PRAYER:** Sun. & Fri. 7- 7:30 pm. **619-378-1053** access code **698425**.

**PLEASE:** Set cellphone ringers on **silent or vibrate** in order to encourage reverence in the sanctuary during services. **Thank you.**

**WALK WITH A DOC:** **Every 3<sup>RD</sup> Sunday** of the month at **9:00 am** at Kimball Park in National City. Meet Dr. Natalie Medina in front of Library.

**MEN'S MINISTRY:** Will have a Bible Study/Prayer every third Sabbath of the month from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. All men are invited to join.

### **MEMBERSHIP TRANSFER: (Second Reading)**

**Incoming:** Gary Baker from Clairemont SDA Church in San Diego, CA  
Gonzalo Macedo from San Diego Spanish SDA Church

**Outgoing:** Eric Giddings to Murrieta Springs SDA Church  
Tyler Hood to Shawnee SDA Church in Shawnee, OK  
Michael Gess to Washington Heights SDA Church in Apollo, PA

**GAIVREN MONTALBAN MEMORIAL:** **Tomorrow, May 3** Beaumont SDA Church 1343 Palm Ave, Beaumont, CA 92223 at 2:00 PM. Pray for the whole family.

**MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS AT END OF ONLINE BULLETIN.**

## OUR WEEKLY CALENDAR

Today: **Noonish – Church Potluck in Fellowship Hall**  
1:40 p.m. – Prison Ministry  
2:30 p.m. – Community Outreach  
7:30 p.m. – Vespers/Volleyball Night w/Pathfinder food sales  
Monday: 6:30 p.m. – Pickle Ball contact Darrel Wadham  
Tuesday: 6:30 p.m. – Pathfinders & Adventurer Club Meetings  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. – Prayer Meeting  
Thursday: 6:30 p.m. – Pickle Ball contact Darrel Wadham  
Friday: 7:00 p.m. – Ohana at the Hill Home, dates vary

Next Sabbath: 11:00 a.m. – **Worship Service** – Pastor Andreas Mellas  
Offering: Disaster & Famine Relief (GC & NAD)

## FUTURE EVENTS

**May 09** Men's Ministry Meeting during potluck in Board Room  
**May 12** Adventurers Investiture at 6:30 p.m. in Kinder Class Room  
**May 16** Community Outreach at 2:30 p.m. (1sr & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sabbath)  
**May 17** Pathfinder & Adventurers Club Fair at 8 am at La Siera Univ.  
**May 18** Church Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the FH Board Room

# Chula Vista

## Seventh-day Adventist Church



*Welcomes You!*

*"This is the day which the Lord has made:  
we will rejoice and be glad in it." Psalm 118:24*

**102 Fourth Avenue  
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**619-422-0405**

## THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

May 2, 2026, 11:00 a.m.

*"Oh come, let us worship and bow down;  
let us kneel before the Lord our Maker." Psalm 95:6*

<b>Hymn of Praise</b>	"Don't Forget the Sabbath"	#388
<b>Introit</b>	"Glory Be to the Father"	
	(congregation please kneel wherever possible)	
<b>Invocation</b>		TLT Hector
<b>Welcome /Announcements</b>		TLT Selah
<b>L.I.F.E.</b>		Pathfinders
<b>Hymn of Praise</b>	"Spirit of God"	#266
<b>Morning Prayer</b>		TLT Adriel
<b>Prayer Response</b>	"Hear Our Prayer, O Lord" #684	Congregation
<b>Lamb's Offering/Investiture</b>		Pathfinders
<b>Worship in Giving</b> (Local Church Budget)		TLT Giovanni
<b>Offertory Music</b>	"In Moments Like This"	Pathfinders
<b>Worship in Music</b>	"Come, Holy Spirit, I Pray"	Pathfinders
<b>Scripture Reading</b>	John 15:13	Marie
<b>Message</b>	"Servants and Friends" TLT's: Hector, Adriel, & Giovanni	
<b>Closing Hymn</b>	"I've Found a Friend"	#186
<b>Benediction</b>	Pastor Andreas Mellas	
<b>Hymn of Hope</b>	"We Have This Hope" #214	Congregation

\*Be seated as deacons dismiss to maintain reverence.

**To serve you this morning:**

**Greeter(s):** Greg Gouveia & Sonia Rosemann

**Lead Deacon:** Darrel Wadham    **Deaconesses:** Jessica & Trenda & Zyanya

**Pianist/Organist:** Nathanael Montalban    **Chorister:** Arnel Santos

**Sunset Today: 7:30 p.m.**

**Sunset Next Friday: 7:34 p.m.**

### WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS

"I was glad when they said to me, 'Let us go into the house of the Lord'"  
Psalm 122:1

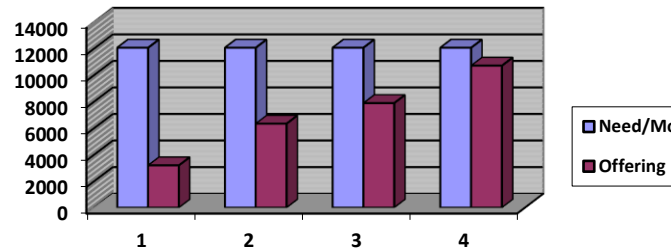
### THE CHURCH AT STUDY

Song Service	9:15 a.m.	Choristers – Arnel Santos
		Pianist – Nancy Hill
		Violinist – Marit Zurek
Welcome	9:30 a.m.	Naomi Guerrero
Scripture & Prayer		Calvin Calho
Special Music		Montalban Family
Mission Story		Florence Montalban
Closing Prayer		Naomi Guerrero
9:50 – 10:50 a.m.		Adult General Study in Sanctuary    Aldie Garcia

Additional Adult & Spanish Classes are held in Fellowship Hall.  
Guests are welcome to join any class.

**9:30-10:45 a.m.** Children's Sabbath School  
Classes are held in Fellowship Hall, by age division.  
Please let us know if you need assistance, we're happy to help guide you!

**Church Budget April 2026**



#### CHURCH BUDGET REPORT 2025

Weekly Budget	\$ 2,988	Received last week	\$ 2,820
YTD Budget	\$ 50,804	Received YTD	\$ 48,834
YTD Spent	\$ 48,834		

**GIVING:** Thank you for your faithful giving. Tithe and offerings can be sent to the church office or use online giving on our website [chulavistasda.org](http://chulavistasda.org) or at [www.adventistgiving.org](http://www.adventistgiving.org).

## **MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CHURCH TEXT LINE:** Sign up to receive encouraging texts and updates. Text livingfaith2020 to 84576.

**THE CHRISTIAN BOOK AND NUTRITION STORE:** In National City is still open. You will have to consult internet for new hours or call them at 619-475-1414.

**WE ARE UPDATING OUR DIRECTORY:** Please send your name, email, home address, and current phone number to church email at [office@chulavistasda.org](mailto:office@chulavistasda.org) Thank You.

**CHURCH SERVICE:** Join us from anywhere by watching our Worship Service Online at [www.chulavistasda.org](http://www.chulavistasda.org) . Click on Livestream during church service time or click on Prev. YouTube or Vimeo anytime.

**ADDITIONAL PARKING:** We have additional parking in the dirt lot. We encourage the young and able to park there to free up other parking for older adults. Thanks.

**Gentle Reminder from Safety Officer:** Please drive slowly on church grounds as we have children running around and darting out of buildings. Thank you.

**Prison Ministry:** Interested in volunteering, speak with Starry for info on process.

**NEW OFFICERS:** Go to Church Volunteer Policy Process link on church website. Or continue onto page three of this online bulletin to see the policy and links.

**REMINDER FROM SAFETY OFFICER:** Please observe 5 mph signs. Drive slowly on church grounds as children are moving between buildings. Thank you.

### **SECC OF SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST 2026 CHURCH OFFERING SCHEDULE**

#### JANUARY

03 Local Church Budget  
 10 Religious Liberty (NAD)\*  
 17 Local Church Budget  
 24 Conference Wide Church & School Building Fund  
 31 Local Church Budget

#### FEBRUARY

07 Local Church Budget  
 14 Adventist Television Ministries Evangelism (NAD)\*  
 21 Local Church Budget  
 28 Conference Wide Church & School Building Fund

#### MARCH

07 Local Church Budget  
 14 Adventist World Radio (GC)\*  
 21 Local Church Budget  
 28 Conference Wide-Evangelism

#### APRIL

04 Local Church Budget  
 11 Hope Channel International, Inc.\*  
 18 Local Church Budget  
 25 SECC – K-12 Scholarship Fund

#### MAY

02 Local Church Budget  
 09 Disaster and Famine Relief (GC and NAD)\*  
 16 Local Church Budget  
 23 Conference Wide Church & School Building Fund  
 30 Local Church Budget

#### JUNE

06 Local Church Budget  
 13 Women’s Ministries (NAD)\*  
 20 Local Church Budget  
 27 PSR Christian Youth Camp Scholarships

#### JULY

04 Local Church Budget  
 11 World Budget (GC)\*  
 18 Local Church Budget  
 25 Conference Wide Church & School Building Fund

#### AUGUST

01 Local Church Budget  
 08 Christian Record Services (NAD)\*  
 15 Local Church Budget  
 22 PSR Youth Camp & Retreat Center  
 29 Local Church Budget

#### SEPTEMBER

05 Local Church Budget  
 12 World Budget (Emphasis: Radio Ministries)\*  
 19 Local Church Budget  
 26 Conference Wide - Evangelism

#### OCTOBER

03 Local Church Budget  
 10 Union Designated  
 17 Local Church Budget  
 24 Calexico Mission School  
 31 Union Designated

<b>13<sup>th</sup> Sabbath Special Projects Offerings:</b>	
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Quarter</b>	<b>Southern Asia Division (SUD)</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter</b>	<b>Euro-Asia Division (ESD)</b>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter</b>	<b>Inter-American Division (IAD)</b>
<b>4<sup>th</sup> Quarter</b>	<b>North American Division (NAD)</b>

#### NOVEMBER

07 Local Church Budget  
 14 Annual Sacrifice for Global Mission (GC)\*  
 21 Local Church Budget  
 28 Conference Wide Church & School Building Fund

#### DECEMBER

05 Local Church Budget  
 12 Adventist Community Services (NAD)\*  
 19 Local Church Budget  
 26 Conference Wide Church & School Building Fund

## Church Volunteer Policy

Any SECC local church that will use volunteers in any capacity is required to follow this Church Volunteer Policy. There are two types of volunteers, volunteer 1 and volunteer 2 - volunteer level 2 requires additional requirements since they work frequently and closely with children. All volunteers must sign an acknowledgement form.

**Volunteers level 1&2 must** Sign and submit [SECC Volunteer Acknowledgement Form](#). Form is attached or can be accessed at link below.

### What to complete:

- (volunteer level 1) Training in Mandatory Reporting
- (volunteer level 2) Live Scan Fingerprinted Background Check
- Any volunteer with driving as part of their duties, a DMV check/clearance is required

## Child Abuse & Neglect Identification & Mandated Reporting

- **Where To Get the Training**
  - <https://mandatedreporter.ca.com>
  - upload the certificate of completion to VOLUNTEERS
- Must be done **every two (2) years**

### Volunteer Level 2

- Complete the **“Request for Live Scan Service” Form**
- **Once Request for Livescan Service form is completed, Google location of “Livescan” business closest to where you live, go get your fingerprinting process done.**
- **Pay for Livescan, obtain receipt and submit to church for Reimbursement**
- **Livescan is done only one time for volunteer level 2**

This information was condensed from:  
[seccadventist.org/2023/08/18/ab506-volunteers](https://seccadventist.org/2023/08/18/ab506-volunteers)

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