



Albion, PAA Senior-Parent Campout, August 28, 2021

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Sabbath Worship - September 4, 2021

A Place to Belong! A Place to Grow!

SABBATH SCHOOL CLASSES

9:30 a.m.

Community In Christ

PAE/PAA Library — This class will be continuing its study of the book of Matthew; taught by Dan Appel, John Kempton, and Randy Waring. This is a hybrid class (in-person/online).

The online portion will be **via Zoom at 9:15 am on Sabbath mornings!** (Meet and Greet—9:15 am; Lesson study—9:30 am.)

<https://paradiseadventist.zoom.us/j/97168844409?pwd=WWVGMIkQmk0V28xSkhYT28vcUJtTQT09>

Meeting ID: 971 6884 4409; Password: 795651

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Sabbath School Quarterly

PAA Math and Physics Classroom (across the PAA Quad) — This class will be taught by team members Greg Baron, Joseph Lee, Milton McHenry, and Carolyn Scarbrough.

Ladies' Bible Study Sabbath School

Staff Lounge on the PAE/PAA School Campus (Admin. Bldg.) — This Bible study is lead by Julie Kitto. This is a hybrid class (in-person/online). Contact Julie (530.990.6503) if you would like to join this Ladies' Study Group.

Children's and Youth Sabbath Schools

Grades 1-6 meet at 9:30 am and will now meet in the room at the bottom of the stairs under the Gymnasium. Kindergarten children are invited to come at 9:45 am. Parents: Please plan to pick up your child/children promptly at 10:45 am.

Grades 7-12 will meet in the PAA Student Lounge.

PAC Prayer Committee Scripture of the Week

“If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you.”

James 1:5

SABBATH WORSHIP SERVICE

11:00 a.m.

Church Life...

Tom Adams

In Praise of our Savior...

Katie Hamilton, Julia Lockwood (vocals), Isaac Peterson (vocal/guitar),
Ethan Kitto (cello), Nic Baumbach (bass),
Seth Mallory (piano)
Anthony Grado (percussion)
Isaac Peterson (Worship Coordinator)

Special Music...

Isaac Peterson

We gratefully return of His blessings to us...

PAC Ministries Fund

Intercessory Prayer...

Joseph Lee

Today's Message...

"My Educational Journey"

Randy Waring



Church Life...

Prayer Requests and Praises. . .

Your prayers are appreciated and requested for:

⇒ Those who are suffering pain after the loss of a loved one.

- **The Unterseher/Sackett Family** *(loss of Eunice Sackett Dunn)*
- **The Gryte Family** *(loss of Silva Gryte)*
- **The Aagaard/Selby Family** *(loss of Gail)*
- **The Thorp Family** *(unexpected loss of son, Cheyne)*
- **Joni Rasmussen** *(unexpected loss of her father, Keith)*
- **The McDonald Family** *(loss of John's father, John Ray McDonald Senior)*
- **Janie Benner** *(loss of husband, Norm)*
- **Rudy Martinez** *(loss of wife, Minnie)*
- **The Osifo Family** *(loss of Myrna's mother)*
- **The Chinn Family** *(loss of Van Chinn)*

⇒ Those who desire healing and mercy during their health challenges:

- **Charla Appel** *(blood clots to the lungs)*
- **Frank Dodini** *(back surgery recovery)*
- **Tony & Kris Gerrick** *(health challenges and move to Utah)*
- **Carrie Lambert** *(recovery from spinal surgery)*
- **Susan Mallory** *(health challenges)*
- **John McDonald** *(health challenges)*
- **Anne Morris** *(health challenges)*
- **Mark Morris** *(health challenges)*
- **Cindy Watts** *(health challenges)*
- **Ron White** *(health challenges)*

⇒ Pray for wisdom for the **PAA Board, Planning Committee, and Constituents** as they plan for PAA's long-term future.

⇒ For wisdom for **PAC Leadership** in development of church ministry on the Ridge through church and school, and as rebuilding plans begin.

⇒ For wisdom for the **Vision Committee** as they develop a vision for our new PAC facilities.

⇒ For the outpouring of the **Holy Spirit** on PAC, PAE, and PAA.

⇒ For those affected by the **Dixie Fire**, the **River Fire**, and the **Caldor Fire** through displacement or loss of home or property *and* for the safety of those who continue to bravely and tirelessly fight these fires.

Many of our Elders will be contributing to the visitation responsibilities on behalf of our Pastoral Staff. In case of emergency this weekend, please call the Elder-On-Call: Glenna Eady (530.559.6948)

Church Life...

Welcome to the Paradise Adventist Church! We strongly encourage everyone to wear a mask consistently while indoors and to use hand sanitizer frequently. Butte County has seen an increasing number of cases and currently the CDC is recommending masks for all individuals while indoors whether vaccinated or not. We believe this is important to allow us to continue to meet in person for worship and fellowship, and to protect those in our communities who are most vulnerable, including children under the age of 12 and anyone with health conditions that place them at increased risk for more serious illness if exposed to COVID-19. If you need a mask, our deacons will have them available.

You Are Invited Tonight to join us for a fun evening together. Starting at 6:30 pm, we will be serving home-made ice cream in the PAA/PAE Quad. There will be a vegan ice cream option available. (Please bring your favorite ice cream topping to share and chairs for each member of your family.) Vespers will be held in the Quad, followed by Game Night in the Gym. We hope to see you there!!

The **Women's Bible Study** Sabbath School class will be starting a new series next Sabbath, September 11 using the Beth Moore curriculum about the life and ministry of Jesus: *Jesus, the One and Only*. This is a hybrid class. All are welcome to join either in person or via Zoom. If you would like more information, please contact Julie Kitto (530.990.6503).

It's PAA Soccer and Volleyball Season—The dates and times for upcoming home games are listed on the calendar under Future Events. (Please check the website for any schedule changes due to fire or Covid restrictions: paradisecougars.com). Please come out and support our students!

Connect with the Cougar Tracks—You are invited to subscribe to PAA's weekly email newsletter by clicking on the following link tinyurl.com/4e6ky8rk or QR code.



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Saturday Night,
September 11, 7:00
pm—Jordan St. Cyr
(Christian recording artist and writer of the song *Fires*) will be in concert at the Paradise Performing Arts Center. Tickets are free but donations are encouraged and proceeds will go to the *Rebuilding Paradise*

Foundation. Tickets may be reserved on Eventbrite (<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/faith-through-fire-with-jordan-st-cyr-tickets-165422387815>).



Church Life...

Save the Date—A *Youth Canoe Trip* is planned for September 18,19. Stay tuned for details!

It is with sad hearts that we share the news that **Eunice Sackett Dunn** passed away on Wednesday, September 1 at the age of 86. Eunice was a long-time resident and member of PAC. She was instrumental in Sabbath School leadership, the *Widow's Mite* and *God Girl* ministries and many other areas of service. We invite you to remember in prayer: Ronda (and Raleigh) Unterseher, John Sackett, Wally Sackett and the entire Sackett/Unterseher family. Condolences may be sent to Ronda & Raleigh Unterseher at 570 West Lassen Ave., Chico, CA 95973.

We regret to inform you that **Silva Gryte**, mother of Gary Gryte and previous Paradise resident and PAC member, passed away on May 9, 2021 in Mariposa, CA at the age of 94. Cards may be sent to Gary (and LaDonna) Gryte at their new address on the Monterey Bay Academy Campus: 783 San Andreas Rd., LaSelva Beach, CA 95076.

We invite you to remember Dick and Vicki Thorp in your prayers after the unexpected loss of their son, **Cheyne**. Please, no phone calls at this time. Cards may be sent to 555 Vallombrosa Ave. #89, Chico, CA 95926.

We are saddened to announce the passing of Chico resident, **Gail (Selby) Aagaard** after a short, but severe illness (unrelated to COVID). Our thoughts and prayers are with her husband Earl, their two children, Laura and Thor, and the entire Selby and Aagaard families. Gail was raised in the Chico Church, and attended PJA '61-'63. A Celebration of Life Service will be held in the Chico Church on Sabbath, September 25 at 3:00 pm.

We invite you to remember in prayer those who are affected by the *Dixie*, *River*, and *Caldor* fires. If you would like to reach out in support of those affected by the *River* and *Caldor* fires, please consider a donation to the *NCC Disaster Relief Fund*, which provides cash support for basic human needs to SDA members and those connected to NCC churches and schools during the first 14 days after a mandatory evacuation. If you would like to donate in support of those affected by the *Dixie* fire, we invite you to visit the *Paradise Chamber of Commerce* website for a list of those entities coordinating efforts for Dixie Fire Relief.

A Message from Leoni Meadows Director Craig Heinrich—*I want to express my complete appreciation for the constituents of the Northern California Conference and how they have absolutely poured out their love and attention and blessings on us. I am overwhelmed by the number of people who have contacted me. We came close to losing the entire camp, but the big buildings were saved, and we can rebuild the rest and come back strong! Sadly, we lost between 90 and 95 percent of the growth on our 1,000 acres. I want to especially acknowledge Cal Fire. Two of its fire units dug in and saved the camp! During the pandemic shutdown of the past year, our staff has been raking and clearing in preparation for the eventuality of a fire. I am grateful for all their hard work. I really believe that Leoni Meadows was saved thanks to Cal Fire, the work during the shut-down, and – most of all – God's mercy. What an amazing God we serve! - Craig Heinrich, Leoni Meadows Executive Director (Reprinted from Northern Lights weekly newsletter.)*
We invite you to remember in your prayers the individuals impacted by this fire as well as the



Church Life...

- Friday Sabbath Celebration begins, 7:33 pm
- Sabbath **Adults' & Children's Sabbath Schools, 9:30 am** (see page 2)
Indoor Worship Service—11:00 am (PAC Gym); **Online , 11:30 am** (via Facebook)
All-Church Ice Cream Social, Vespers, and Game Night, 6:30 pm (PAA Quad/Gym)
Sabbath Celebration ends, 7:32 pm
- Sunday United Prayer, 7:30 am (via Zoom – contact Anita Lee)
- Tuesday PAA Varsity *Volleyball* Home Game, 5:30 pm (PAA Gym)
PAC Finance Meeting, 7 pm (PAA/PAE Staff Lounge)
- Wednesday PAE Wagon Trip, Sept 8-15
United Prayer, 8:30 am (PAE/PAA Library—contact Dottie Chinnock)
Pathfinders, 6:30 pm (Pathfinder Room)
- Thurs PAA Varsity *Soccer* Home Game, 4:00 pm (PAA Field)
PAA Varsity *Volleyball* Home Game, 5:30 pm (PAA Gym)
PAC Board Meeting, 7 pm (PAA/PAE Library)
- Friday PAA Varsity *Volleyball* Tournament, 8 am—4 pm (PAA Gym)
Sabbath Celebration begins, 7:22 pm
- Sabbath **Adults' & Children's Sabbath Schools, 9:30 am** (see page 2)
Indoor Worship Service—11:00 am (PAC Gym); **Online , 11:30 am** (via Facebook)
Jordan St. Cyr Community Inspirational Concert, 7:00 pm (Paradise Performing Arts)
Sabbath Celebration ends, 7:20 pm
- Sunday United Prayer, 7:30 am (via Zoom – contact Anita Lee)

Future Events...

- Sept 13 **PAA** Varsity *Volleyball* Home Game, 5:30 pm (PAA Gym)
- Sept 14 **ABC** Pre-paid drop off, 11:30 am (Chico Adventist Church, 1877 Hooker Oak)
*Please order 48 hours in advance (916.486.7730) \$5 delivery fee applies
- Sept 18,19 *Youth Canoe Trip*, (Contact Pastor Larry for details)
- Sept 23 **PAA** Varsity *Soccer* Home Game, 4:00 pm (PAA Field)
PAA Varsity *Volleyball* Home Game, 5:30 pm (PAA Gym)
PAA Board Meeting, 7 pm (PAA/PAE Library)
- Sept 28 **PAA** Varsity *Soccer* Home Game, 4:00 pm (PAA Field)
PAA Varsity *Volleyball* Home Game, 5:30 pm (PAA Gym)

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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Available to Serve You. . .

Paradise Seventh-day Adventist Church Worship

9:30 am Sabbath Schools (5699 Academy Drive)

11:00 am Indoor Worship Service (Gym, 5699 Academy Drive)

approx. 11:30 am Online Worship Service Components (via Facebook)

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