



Sabbath Worship - August 19, 2023

A Place to Belong! A Place to Grow!

Your prayers are appreciated and requested for:

⇒ Those who desire healing and mercy during their ongoing health challenges.

- **Jerry Lea** *(health challenges)*

- **Bill Jamerson** *(health challenges)*

Membership Transfers—First Reading:

Incoming Membership Transfer: Anne Romena Lair, Stockton Adventist Church, Stockton, CA

Outgoing Membership Transfer: Dorothy Escalera, Yountville SDA Church, Yountville, CA

We are happy to welcome Anne Lair and family to our PAC! Anne is transferring her membership from Stockton Central SDA Church. She recently married Chuck, a long time friend from high school, after her previous husband died of cancer about five years ago. Chuck is a Butte County Deputy Sheriff. Anne and Chuck live in the country in Oroville with their three children: Lucas (17 yrs), Jared (12 1/2 yrs) & Aeris (11 yrs). All 3 children attend school in Biggs. Anne also works in Biggs as a Special Education teacher at Biggs High School.

Chuck likes scuba diving and Anne likes gardening. They are both avid readers. They are also a musical family. All three children are involved in music, and Anne likes to sing. Since Anne likes being involved in children's ministry, she volunteers as PAC Primary Children's Sabbath School leader. Ann led our Vacation Bible School this past summer with the help of many wonderful volunteers.

Anne feels God has been so good to them. He has picked them up when they were mostly broken and has made them whole! They have come to Paradise primarily because of their children as PAC has such a strong youth program that their children can be involved in. Welcome to the PAC community, Lair family!

Flower for today's service are provided by Gerry & Dottie Chinnock in honor of their 50th Wedding Anniversary on August 22nd! Congratulations, Dottie & Gerry!

Pathfinder Club Sign-Ups—Come register on Wednesday, August 23, 2023 at 6:30 pm in the Pathfinder Room. Remember this is a special year since it is the year before International Pathfinder Camporee meets in August 2024! See you soon!

Adventurers Registration—Come register, Sunday, August 27 from 2-3:30 pm at the Chico Adventist Church (1877 Hooker Oak Avenue, Chico). Ages 4-9 are welcome! Feel free to call or text Launa Rasmussen at (707. 256.9354) if you have any questions.

Save the Date!—On October 8th the Chico Adventist Church and Paradise Adventist Church will hold a dental/medical/vision clinic in conjunction with Chico Adventist Church. More details to follow.

Coming Soon to PAC—A library cart with books for the whole family to borrow and enjoy. If you would like to participate in this new ministry, please contact Dottie Chinnock or Carolyn Scarbrough.

Prayers requested for Jerry Lea who is recovering from surgery after falling and breaking his back. Jerry is in California Park Rehabilitation Hospital, Chico. He welcomes visitors.

Prayers and words of encouragement for Bill Jamerson, age 99, who is recovering well from a recent stroke. Words of encouragement can be mailed to Bill Jamerson (Carson Tahoe Transitional Rehabilitation Center, 1001 Mountain St., Carson City, NV 89703) or texted (530.717.5318) Thank you for sharing God's love to Bill and June.

PAC Junior/Earliteen Sabbath School is in need of help. As of October, we are hoping to add a 3rd division (Junior/Earliteen) to keep up with the needs of our kids. We will have a planning meeting on Sept.2 immediately following church. Please contact Anne Lair (209.406.5376) or Dottie Chinnock (530.518.1285) if you have an interest in this area.

Volunteers Needed—Are you looking for a ministry where you can make a difference in the lives of our students each week? If so, PAA desperately needs shuttle drivers who can drive a shuttle once a week in the afternoon from Paradise to Chico. If you would like more information or if you are interested in volunteering, contact Jason Eyer (530.966.4430).

PAC Hawaii Disaster Fund—PAC leadership is grateful for the love that Hawaiian Conference leadership showed our church through sending volunteers and gifts to the PAC following the Camp Fire. We are grateful to show that love and appreciation in return through creating a special PAC Hawaii Disaster account our members can donate to. If you would like to make a donation toward Hawaii Conference disaster recovery, you can do that directly through the Hawaii Conference or make a donation to the PAC Hawaii Disaster fund (mark donations "Maui") and we will make sure the your gifts are shared with the Hawaii Conference.

Welcome Doug & Millie Brown—PAA welcomes Doug Brown as PAA interim principal! Doug has had multiple years of experience as a principal including principal of Lodi Academy. He love students and is passionate about sharing God's love with them. Doug and his wife Millie are settling into their new home and are excited to meet new friends of the PAA community and beyond! Please introduce yourself. They would love to meet you!

Pastoral Transitions—As some of you are already aware, Hamiltons have accepted a call to serve the Grand Junction Seventh-day Adventist Church in Colorado. While it is impossible to anticipate the timing of these transitions, we trust that God is moving. It is difficult to walk away from the incredible things God is doing here in the Paradise Adventist Church, but we believe He will finish what He started. More than that, we are going to miss the amazing friends and family we have here in California. We love you all dearly.

We believe in the recovery of Paradise and have given our guts to this post-fire chapter. We have experienced church in its purest form. We have watched God work miracles beyond our wildest expectations. This decision has come after a lot of prayer, processing and seeking God's will for us. Grand Junction, Colorado, here we come!

As we press forward in this new chapter, we expect God to do good things, both here in California and in Colorado. Please join us in praying for the next pastoral staff here in Paradise, our church that awaits us in Grand Junction, and for us as we make this transition.

Pastor Steve



Sabbath Worship

August 19, 2023

Worship Service

11:00 am

Church Life...

Gregg & Nancy Quattlebaum

Ministry Highlight...

Joelle Chinnock

In Praise of our Savior...

Dawn, Devon, and Kate Horning (Vocal)
Erik Lindgren, Daphne Mesa (Vocal and Guitar)
Breasa Mesa (Vocal and Ukulele)
Cason Lindgren, Keaton Horning (Guitar)

Delinda Hamilton (Worship Coordinator)

Intercessory Prayer...

Glenna Eady

Today's Loose Offering...

PAC Ministries Fund

Randy Horning

Message...

Summer Mission Trip Highlights

Jin Cha, Hornings, Lindgrens, and Mesas

Benediction...

Jin Cha



Church Life

This Week...

- Friday PAA Family Dinner and Vespers Night, 4-8 pm (20 Seth Ln., Chico)
(All Highschool age—PAA/Non-PAA students welcome)
Sabbath Celebration begins, 7:58 pm
- Sabbath Adults' & Children's Sabbath Schools, 9:30 am
Worship Service—11:00 am (PAA Gym); Online, 11:30 am (via *Facebook and YouTube*)
Sabbath Celebration ends, 7:57 pm
- Sunday..... United Prayer, 7:30-8:30 am (connect via Zoom link)
- Tuesday..... Daniel Bible Study, 7 pm (Center St. Warehouse, 6153 Center St.)
- Wednesday..... Ladies' Bible Study & Prayer, 8:30 am (Kin. Sabbath School Rm—Dottie Chinnock)
Prayer Meeting, 6:30 pm (PAA Library)
- Friday Sabbath Celebration begins, 7:48 pm
- Sabbath Adults' & Children's Sabbath Schools, 9:30 am
Worship Service—11:00 am (PAA Gym); Online, 11:30 am (via *Facebook and YouTube*)
Teacher Dedication Sabbath
Sabbath Celebration ends, 7:47 pm

Future Events...

- August 23 Pathfinder Registration, 6:30 pm (Pathfinder room)
- August 27 Adventurer Registration, 2-3:30 pm (CAC-1877 Hooker Oak Avenue, Chico)
- Sept. 6..... Pathfinder Club Meeting, 6:30 pm (Pathfinder room)
- Sept. 10 Adventurer Club Meeting, 2 pm (CAC-1877 Hooker Oak Avenue, Chico)
- Sept. 10-15..... PAE Wagon Trip
- Sept. 30 Communion Sabbath
- Oct. 20..... Love Paradise Day
- Oct. 20-22..... NCC JR/SR Retreat
- November 3-4..... Untangling Our Relationships Seminar
- Dec. 30..... Communion Sabbath

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA'S CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S RETREAT

AT LEONI MEADOWS CHRISTIAN RETREAT CENTER



*"Blessed is the one
who trusts in the Lord,
whose confidence is in Him"
Jeremiah 17:7 NIV*

BRAVE WOMEN, STRONG FAITH



CAROL KENT
GUEST SPEAKER

Carol Kent's life was turned upside-down when her only child, a graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy, was arrested for a serious crime. Life hands most of us unexpected challenges that mean life as we once thought it would be, turns out differently from the "normal life" we anticipated.

Carol's messages will lift your heart to a place of renewed hope and brand-new courage.

Sandy Smith-Gunnarson is a singer, songwriter, and recording artist with over 40 years of ministry experience. She has a heart that beats for women and worship, focusing on walking through tough seasons in the workplace, personal relationships, and at home.

Be blessed as Sandy musically shares the messages God has put on her heart.



**SANDY SMITH
GUNNARSON**
GUEST ARTIST

OCTOBER 6-8 & 13-15, 2023

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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 Worship Service (Gym, 5699 Academy Drive)

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

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