



FOR
*unto
you*
IS BORN
THIS DAY...

a Saviour

— LUKE 2:11 —

Sabbath Worship - December 23, 2023

A Place to Belong! A Place to Grow!

CHURCH LIFE

Your prayers are appreciated and requested for:

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

- **Seaton family** (loss of Carolyn Seaton)
- **Sharlene Spees** (loss of Nobel)
- **Davis family** (loss of Aaron Davis)

We welcome you to the Paradise Adventist Church Fellowship today! We are so glad that you are able to join us as we worship our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

It is with a heavy heart that we announce the passing of Nobel Spees, who was a PAC member for many years. Nobel was known for his friendliness to all he met. Even though the Spees moved out of the area awhile ago, they have always felt Paradise was their home town and PAC their home church. Condolences can be sent to Sharlene Spees (P.O. Box, Atascadero, CA 93422). Sharlene welcomes phone calls (805.369.4504). Thank you for sharing your support, care, and love with her.

Welcome to Anthony and Debbie Scaglione—We are happy to welcome Anthony and Debbie Scaglione to our PAC Family! They are transferring here from Fairfield Community SDA Church in Fairfield, Ca. They are happily retired. Prior to their recent retirement, Anthony was a computer operator and Debbie an Optician. They both love to work in the garden and look forward to gardening on their recently purchased property and home in Paradise. They have come to Paradise to be near Debbie's parents, Mary and Joseph Pleso, so they can help them as needed. Anthony and Debbie express their love for each other and their love for God. They know that God led them here for more reasons than taking care of Debbie's parents. Though they don't know all those reasons, they know this is where God wants them to be to do whatever He has in mind for them to do. Please join us in welcoming the Scagliones to our PAC community!

PINEWOOD DERBY

WORK SHOP

Pinewood Derby Car Shop Night—The “shop” will be open on Wednesday evenings from 6-8 pm starting on December 27th in preparation for the January 27th Pinewood Derby. Bring your pinewood derby car kits, your design and a parent to the PAA Shop. Enjoy the fun of making pinewood derby cars along side friends in preparation for the January 27th PAA event. Kits are available for purchase from CWW. Questions? Contact Devon Horning (530.354.6407).

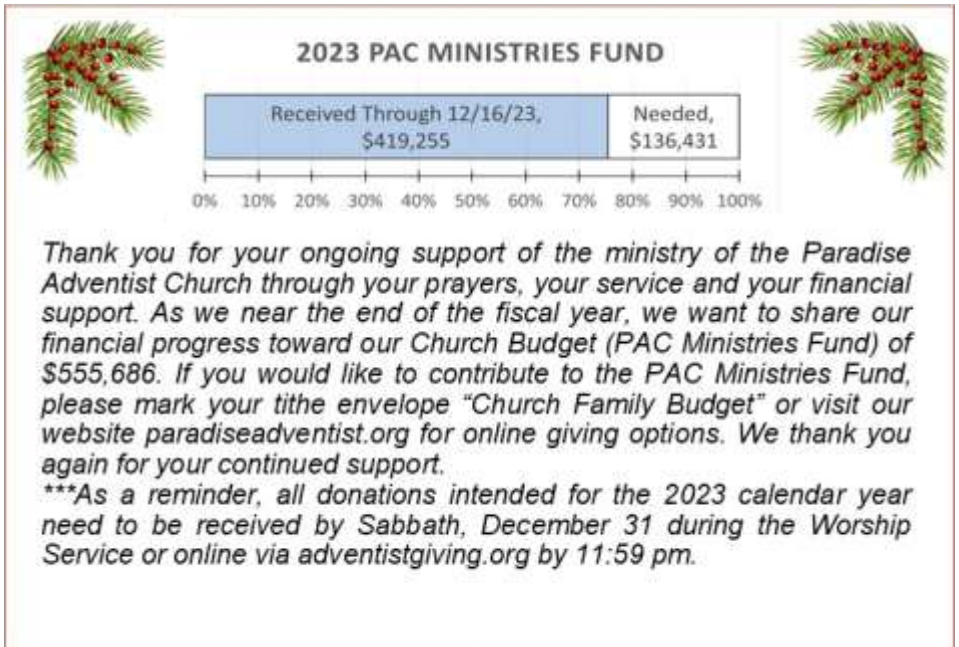
CHURCH LIFE

Membership Transfer: *2nd reading—Outgoing:* Season Braswell to Bellingham Seventh-day Adventist Church, Bellingham, WA; Donna Davis to The Experience, Meridian ID; Kurt & Gaylene Bower to The Experience, Meridian ID

2nd reading—Incoming: Anthony & Debbie Scaglione from Fairfield Community Church, CA

Foundations of Faith – A new Sabbath School class starts January 6th. We will meet in the PAA/PAC office Staff Lounge from 9:30-10:45 am. Note the Ladies' Bible study group will move to the Registrar's office space. The Foundations of Faith Sabbath School class is designed for new believers, new members, and those who want to review the foundations of their faith. Taught by Alan and Glenna Eady. Questions? 530.559.6948.

Save-the Date—PAA Constituency Meeting will be held on March 3 at 10 am in the PAA Gym. All constituents are invited to mark their calendars to attend this important meeting.



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 Elders-On-Call:
Sabbath, 12/23 Dr. Danny An (530.680.6715)
Sunday, 12/24 Matt Carlson (530.591.0184)*

Christmas Eve in the Foothills

*You and your family and friends are invited to begin Christmas
together at the Paradise Seventh-day Adventist Church,
Christmas Eve service
December 24, 2023
6:30 til 7:30 pm*

Sometimes, in all of the rush of the holidays, it's easy to forget what Christmas is all about - a celebration of the birth of Jesus in Bethlehem over 2000 years ago.

In an effort to put Jesus back in the center of his holiday, we are beginning a new tradition. One hour at the beginning of Christmas, together, worshipping the One who gave so much to come here to this earth for us. One hour to set the tone for the rest of the day. One hour to come and share the holiday spirit with those who also adore Him. Then, plenty of time to enjoy with your family whatever Christmas traditions you enjoy this time of year.

So, why not invite friends and family to join you this Christmas Eve for a special time of Christmas music and stories.



Where: Paradise Seventh-day Adventist Church.
Time: 6:30 til 7:30 pm.
Dress: Casual
Who: You and whoever you invite.
Bring: Your favorite Christmas cookies to share



December 23, 2023
11:00 am Worship Service

PRELUDE...

Cindy Waring

CHURCH LIFE...

Gregg & Nancy Quattlebaum

LAMB'S OFFERING...

Gregg & Nancy Quattlebaum

IN PRAISE OF OUR SAVIOR...

Greg Baron, Nic and Jackson Baumbach, Kaley Harris,
Kaylie Pontel, Taylor Roebuck (Vocal)
Ethan Kitto (Cello) Ethan Simandan and Cindy Waring (Piano)
Julie Kitto (Worship Coordinator)

CHILDREN'S STORY...

Roger Cain

TODAY'S LOOSE OFFERING...

Local Conference Advance

SPECIAL MUSIC...

Ethan Kitto, Kaylie Pontel, Ethan Simandan

INTERCESSORY PRAYER...

Greg Baron

MESSAGE ...

God is Bigger Than Santa Clause
Roger Cain

BENEDICTION...

Roger Cain

POSTLUDE...

Cindy Waring

PINEWOOD DERBY



PAA GYM:
5699
ACADEMY
DRIVE

JAN
27
2024

CHECK IN
AT 6PM;
RACE
START AT
7PM

FOR MORE INFO EMAIL: paaiclassof25@gmail.com
ENTRY FORMS CAN BE PICKED UP AND TURNED
IN AT THE OFFICE OR SENT BY EMAIL

CHURCH LIFE



This Week...

- Friday.....Sabbath Celebration begins, 4:46 pm
- Sabbath.....Adults' & Children's Sabbath Schools, 9:30 am
Worship Service—Roger Cain 11:00 am (PAA Gym)
Online, 11:30 am (via *Facebook and YouTube*)
Sabbath Celebration ends, 4:46 pm
- SundayUnited Prayer, 7:30-8:30 am (connect via Zoom link)
Christmas Eve Service, 6:30 pm (PAA Music room)
- MondayChristmas Holiday
- WednesdayLadies' Bible Study & Prayer, 8:30 am (Kin. Sabbath School Rm—Dottie Chinnock)
Pinewood Derby Shop night, 6:00 pm (PAA Shop)
Pathfinder Club Meeting, 6:30 pm (canceled)
Prayer Meeting, 6:30 pm (PAC Music Room)
- Friday.....Sabbath Celebration begins, 4:50 pm
- Sabbath.....Adults' & Children's Sabbath Schools, 9:30 am
Communion Worship Service—Dan Appel 11:00 am (PAA Gym)
Online, 11:30 am (via *Facebook and YouTube*)
Sabbath Celebration ends, 4:51 pm

Future Events...

- January 1New Year's Holiday
- January 2PAE Board, 7 pm (PAA Staff Lounge)
- January 9PAC Finance, 7 pm (PAA Staff Lounge)
- January 11PAC Board Meeting, 7 pm (PAA Library)
- January 12-19PAA Senior Class Trip
- January 15-16No School for PAE/PAA
- January 20*Secret of the Fossil* Movie Premier, 6:00 pm (COAS Gym)
- January 21PAC Business Meeting, 10 am (PAA Gym)
- January 21Adventurer Club Meeting, 2:00 pm (CAC-1877 Hooker Oak Avenue, Chico)
- February 2-4Freshmore Retreat
- February 4Adventurer Club Meeting, 2:00 pm (CAC-1877 Hooker Oak Avenue, Chico)
- March 3PAA Constituency Meeting, 10:00 am (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.

Paradise Adventist Church Staff

After hours call 530.877.4454; dial extension:

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| Interim Pastor | Keith Jacobson | 916.789.2285 (E-mail: kejacobson1@gmail.com) |
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| Disaster Recovery & Development Warehouse Manager | Chuck Wisener | (530.513.7118) |

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/YouTube)

Paradise Seventh-day Adventist Church Office

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