

## TO SERVE YOU IN MINISTRY

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For Livestream and Online YouTube church service videos go to church website above.

**UNITED PRAYER:** Sun. & Fri. from 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.**

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**MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS: (Second Reading)**  
**Incoming:** Franz Mischke from Bonita SDA Church in National City

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

## OUR WEEKLY CALENDAR

Today: **Noonish – Church Potluck in Fellowship Hall**  
12:10 p.m. – Prison Ministry  
– Women’s Ministry in Board Room during Potluck  
2:30 p.m. – Outreach in the Community

Monday: 6:30 p.m. – Pickle Ball contact Aldie Garcia

Tuesday: 6:30 p.m. – Pathfinders & Adventurer Club Meetings

Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. – Prayer Meeting

Thursday: 6:30 p.m. – Pickle Ball contact Aldie Garcia

Friday: 7:00 p.m. – Ohana at the Hill Home, dates vary

Next Sabbath: 11:00 a.m. – **Worship Service** – Pastor Andreas Mellas  
Offering: Hope Channel International, Inc. (GC)

## FUTURE EVENTS

**Apr 12** United Prayer in Sanctuary (2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, & 5<sup>th</sup> Sabbath) after service

**Apr 19** Outreach in the Community at 2:30 p.m. (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sabbaths)

**Apr 20** Adventurer Sea World Trip – **NEW DATE**

**Apr 21** Church Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m. in Board Room in FH

**Apr 25** Adventurer Campout Friday to Sunday April 25-27

**May 03** Women’s Ministry in FH Board Room at 1:30 p.m.

# 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*

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## THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

April 5, 2025, 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>	"Holy Sabbath Day of Rest"	#381
<b>Introit</b>	"Glory Be to the Father"	
	<b>(congregation please kneel wherever possible)</b>	
<b>Invocation</b>	Efren Montalban	
<b>Welcome /Announcements</b>	Efren Montalban	
<b>L.I.F.E.</b>	Efren Montalban	
<b>Hymn of Praise</b>	"Fairest Lord Jesus"	#240
<b>Morning Prayer</b>	Efren Montalban	
<b>Prayer Response</b>	"Hear Our Prayer, O Lord"	#684 Congregation
<b>Lamb's Offering/Children's Story</b>	Darrel Wadham	
<b>Worship in Giving (Local Church Budget)</b>	Efren Montalban	
<b>Offertory</b>		
<b>Message in Song</b>	Nathanael Montalban	
<b>Scripture Reading</b>	Colossians 1:23-27	Pathfinder
<b>Message</b>	"Christ In You, The Hope Of Glory"	Pastor Andreas Mellas
<b>Closing Hymn</b>	"Not I, but Christ"	#570
<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):** Luis & Karina Gutierrez

**Lead Deacon:** Darrel Wadham     **Deaconesses:** Hermie & Naomi M.

**Chorister:** Florence Montalban     **Pianist/Organist:** Nathanael Montalban

**Sunset Today: 7:11 p.m.**

**Sunset Next Friday: 7:15 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

<b>Song Service</b>	<b>9:15 a.m.</b>	Chorister – Aida Alberro
		Pianist – Nathanael Montalban
<b>Welcome</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	Aida Alberro
<b>Scripture &amp; Prayer</b>		Jaime Alberro
<b>Special Music</b>		The Alberro Family
<b>Mission Story</b>		Lisa Alberro
<b>Closing Prayer</b>		Aida Alberro

**9:50 – 10:50 a.m.** Adult General Study in Sanctuary Pastor Andreas Mellas

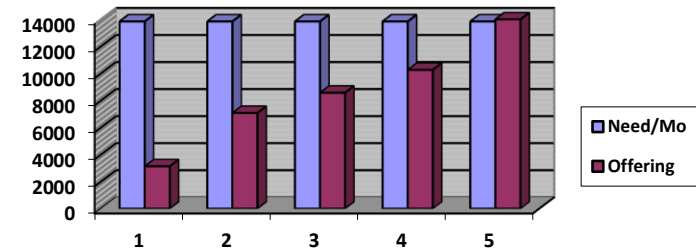
Additional Adult & Spanish Classes are held in Fellowship Hall.  
Guests are welcome to join any class.

**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 March 2025



## CHURCH BUDGET REPORT 2025

Weekly Budget	\$ 2,873	Received last week	\$ 4,239
YTD Expected Expense	\$ 37,350	Received YTD	\$ 33,012
YTD Actually Spent	\$ 28,690		

**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.

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**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.

### **SECC OF SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST 2025 CHURCH OFFERING SCHEDULE**

#### **JANUARY**

- 04 Local Church Budget
- 11 Religious Liberty\* (NAD)
- 18 Local Church Budget
- 25 Conference-Wide Church & School Building Fund

#### **FEBRUARY**

- 01 Local Church Budget
- 08 Adventist Television Ministries Evangelism\* (NAD)
- 15 Local Church Budget
- 22 Conference-Wide Church & School Building Fund

#### **MARCH**

- 01 Local Church Budget
- 08 Adventist World Radio\* (GC)
- 15 Local Church Budget
- 22 Conference-Wide Evangelism
- 29 Local Church Budget

#### **APRIL**

- 05 Local Church Budget
- 12 Hope Channel International, Inc.\* (GC)
- 19 Local Church Budget
- 26 SECC K-12 Scholarship Fund

#### **MAY**

- 03 Local Church Budget
- 10 Disaster & Famine Relief\* (GC & NAD)
- 17 Local Church Budget
- 24 PSR Lodge Remodel
- 31 Local Church Budget

#### **JUNE**

- 07 Local Church Budget
- 14 Women's Ministries Offering\* (NAD)
- 21 Local Church Budget
- 28 PSR Christian Youth Camp Scholarships

#### **JULY**

- 05 Local Church Budget
- 12 World Budget\* (GC)
- 19 Local Church Budget
- 26 Conference-Wide Church & School Building Fund

#### **AUGUST**

- 02 Local Church Budget
- 09 Christian Record Services for the Blind\* (NAD)
- 16 Local Church Budget
- 23 PSR Christian Youth Camp & Retreat Center
- 30 Local Church Budget

#### **SEPTEMBER**

- 06 Local Church Budget
- 13 World Budget\* (Emphasis: Radio Ministries) (GC)
- 20 Local Church Budget
- 27 Conference-Wide Evangelism

#### **OCTOBER**

- 04 Local Church Budget
- 11 Union Designated
- 18 Local Church Budget
- 25 Calxico Mission School

#### **NOVEMBER**

- 01 Local Church Budget
- 08 Annual Sacrifice for Global Mission\* (GC)
- 15 Local Church Budget
- 22 Conference-Wide Church & School Building Fund
- 29 Union Designated

#### **DECEMBER**

- 06 Local Church Budget
- 13 Adventist Community Services\* (NAD)
- 20 Local Church Budget
- 27 Conference Advance

<b>THIRTEENTH SABBATH OFFERINGS 2025</b>	
Northern Asia-Pacific Division (NSD).....	First Quarter
Southern-Asia-Pacific Division (SSD).....	Second Quarter
Southern Africa-Indian Ocean Division (SID)....	Third Quarter
South American Division (SAD).....	Fourth Quarter
<b>MISSION INVESTMENT PROJECTS 2025</b>	
Mid-America Union +	
North Pacific Union +	
Pacific Union +	
*Special Offerings	+Special Project

## 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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