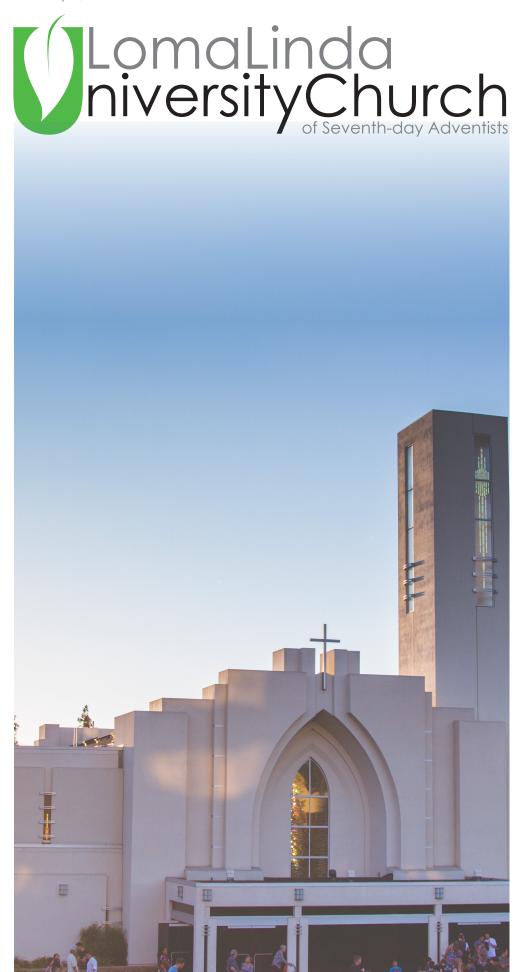
January 4, 2020



11125 Campus Street, Loma Linda, CA 92354

Church at Worship January 4

SANCTUARY 9:00 & 11:45 A.M.

Out of respect for worshipers around you, please silence all electronic devices.

Video Announcements

Musical Meditations

David S. Penner, producer

Prelude Prelude on "O God, Our Help In Ages Past" Charlton Palmer Pastoral Welcome Darold Retzer Hymn of Praise To God Be the Glory No. 341 Prayer Roy Ice Congregational Hear Our Prayer, O Lord No. 684 Prayer Response **Building Highlight** Doug Mace Tithes and Offerings Local Church Budget (Loose offerings go to church budget.) Offertory Redeemed! No. 338 Special Music He Was Found Worthy arr. J. J. Smith Marshall Kelly Scripture Reading Isaiah 9:2, 6-7, TNIV Roger Seheult (Pew Bible, p. 1031, 1032) Homily Filip Milosavljevic **Light Has Broken into the Darkness**

Ordinance of Humility

Hymn of Commitment/ Take My Life and Let It Be No. 330 Distribution of Emblems Scripture Reading Shawn Uraine

Prayer Ralph Watts

The Lord's Supper

Hymn of Hope We Have This Hope No. 214 Ben Gardner, trumpet

Sending Filip Milosavljevic

Postlude Tomaso Albinoni Adagio in G minor

Andrew Caster, cello; Kimo Smith, organ (Please maintain reverence during the postlude)

> Kristian Leukert, Adrian Pressley, choristers Kimo Smith, organist

Kimo Smith

Church at Study

Opening Hymn

SANCTUARY 10:30 A.M.

Congregational Singing Ike dela Peña

O Day of Rest and Gladness Prayer, Welcome, and Introductions Noreen Chan Tompkins

No. 382

Musical Selection Joel Martinson Aria

Cheryl Van Ornam, organ

Mission Spotlight **Kids First**

Prayer for the Offering Noreen Chan Tompkins Offering Church Expense

(For mission offering mark envelope.)

Prelude in A flat Major Frédéric Chopin Offertory

René Ramos, piano

Lesson From Reading to Understanding Calvin Thomsen

Calvin Thomsen Closing Prayer

Postlude La Beatitude Charles Piroye

Cheryl Van Ornam, organ

Superintendent: Noreen Chan Tompkins Pianist: René Ramos

High School & Adult Sabbath School Classes

High School ReGen / 10:00 a.m., Wong Kerlee

Young Adult

Praxis / 10:00 a.m., rm 101 Advent Hope / 9:00 a.m., Centennial Complex/ Rooted / 10:00 a.m., Griggs Hall rm 138 Damazo Amphitheater

Adults

Adult Sabbath School / 10:30 a.m., Sanctuary

Sabbath Seminar / 10:30 a.m., Centennial

Producer: David Colwell

The Bible Lab / 10:30 a.m., Randall Amphitheater

Branson Legacy Sabbath School / 10:30 a.m., Centennial Complex, rm 3111

Spanish Sabbath School / 10:15 a.m., Centennial Complex, rm 3232

The Connecting Place / 10:30 a.m., LLUC rm 103

Hungarian Worship Group / 4 p.m., LLUC rm 105

1st and 3rd Saturdays

Complex, rm 3208

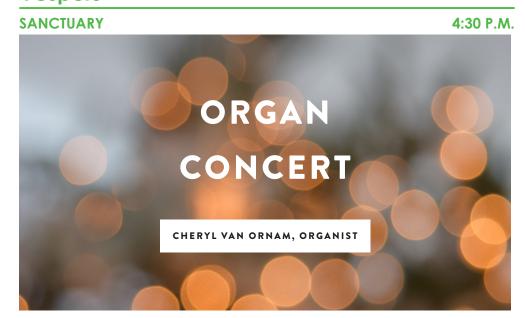
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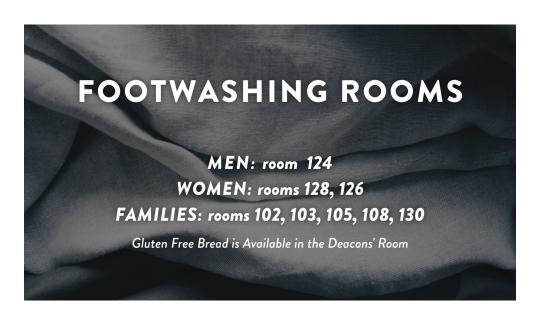
Faith & Science / 10:25 a.m., Mortensen Hall

Gathering Place / 10:20 a.m., Prince Hall break rm Southern Asia Fellowship Worship Group / 6:30 p.m. rm 108

IN Light / 10:30 a.m., rm 102

Ken Hart / 10:30 a.m., West Hall (School of Nursing), rm 1105







Church Life

Offering today: local church budget. Next week: local church budget. All loose and undesignated offerings are applied to church budget. You may give online by visiting Iluc.org.

With deep sadness we announce the death of Gary Stanhiser on December 22. He is survived by his wife Ruth, three children, sister Barbara, and three grandchildren. A memorial service was held at the Campus Hill Church on January 3.

LLUC Campers will meet at Sea View Estates Spa and RV Park in Salton City, January 10 to 12. LLU church service will be live via satellite at 9 a.m. with a potluck after the 10:30 a.m. meeting. Contact Glenn or Jodee Nichols at (909)824-7565 for more information and reservations.

The LLUC Literature Ministry urgently needs about 400 square feet of ground-level storage for literature that must be protected but accessible. Donated space would be highly appreciated by LLUC Literature Ministry, but modest monthly rent will be considered. For further details on this immediate need and to discuss a possible location, please call (909)796-9307 or (951)269-1994.

Senior Game Night: Bring your favorite game or join one of the tables playing Mexican Train, Rook, or a variety of table games. Or just visit with some old or new friends. Light refreshments will be served January 18 from 6 to 9 p.m. in room 105.

Be a part of the 10 Days of Prayer! Join our LLUC teleconference line by calling (909)361-6220, enter ID: 11125#, January 8 to 18, from 6 to 6:45 a.m. Pertinent information can be viewed and downloaded at tendaysofprayer.org.

Thank you church family for your generosity and faithful commitment during our Giving Season. Your donations have been vital to sustaining progress on our building program. We look forward to moving in soon! On behalf of your pastoral staff, a sincere thank you, thank you, thank you is offered as *We Build for His Kingdom!*

Back to Basics Sermon Series: The LLUC church year begins by going Back to Basics. What are the fundamental elements of coming to Jesus and of walking with him? Whether you are considering the possibility of a discipleship journey with Jesus or you have been traveling this road for a long time, join Randy Roberts in considering the fundamental aspects of Christian faith. Together the congregation will explore how—in community—all benefit by going Back to Basics.

The Bible in Asia Minor. Turkey and Greece: Join this amazing exploration of biblical and cultural history in Asia Minor. The tour will be August 31 to September 22, 2020. For information or to register, go to lluc.org, click "trips" on the homepage to view details. For additional questions, contact Shirley Gregg at shirleym4u2@gmail.com.

Special presentation: 1919 Bible Conference: Adventist Flirtation with Fundamentalism, will be presented by Michael Campbell, Ph.D., who has authored a book that discusses the impact this conference had on how we read our bibles and relate to the gift of prophecy. This two-part series will be held next Friday, January 10, at 6:30 p.m. and Saturday, January 11, at 4:30 p.m. in the sanctuary.

Community Life

The Loma Linda Cultural Arts Association welcomes a demonstration by an award-winning California artist Wendy Li Bertrams, who, working in oils and water media by turns, continually reminds us of the natural beauty of our surroundings Bertrams will focus on her oil painting methods during her presentation. Our setting favors conversation with the artist during her demonstration. The public is welcome on January 5 at the Senior Center.

Free teeth cleaning for grade school age children will be provided in the dental hygiene clinic at LLU School of Dentistry on January 17, 24, 31, February 7, 21, 28, and March 13. A parent or guardian must accompany the child and bring a list of any medications the child may be taking. To make an appointment, call the Dental Hygiene Clinic at (909)558-9417.

"Nature, Theology, and Photography": Thomas Jay Oord, an award-winning photographer and theologian, will discuss God the Creator. He will share nature photographs that will inspire and provoke new ways of thinking about God. This presentation will be held on Sabbath, January 4, at 3 p.m. in Damazo Amphitheater, Centennial Complex. It is cosponsored by LLU Humanities, Branson Legacy, and Sabbath Seminar classes. Contact (909)558-7478 or humanities@llu.edu for information.

Calendar

Monday, January 6 5:30 p.m.

Women's Prayer Group, room 102

Tuesday, January 7 6:30 p.m.

Experiencing God Bible Study, room 105

Wednesday, January 8 6:00 p.m.

Open Prayer Circle, "Acts of the Apostles," room 103
10 Days of Prayer-1 "Our Need of the Holy Spirit," Intercessory

Prayer Meeting, room 102

Thursday, January 9 12:00 noon

7:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

Sandwiches and Salvation, room 105

Friday, January 10 6:30 p.m.

1919 Bible Conference: Adventist Flirtation with Fundamentalism

(part 1 of 2), Michael Campbell, sanctuary

Night Church (Praxis), Young Adults, the Courtyard

Sabbath, January 11 9:00 & 11:45 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m.

"Believing," *Back to Basics*, (part 1 of 5), Randy Roberts, sanctuary LLUC Sabbath School, "From Jerusalem to Babylon," sanctuary Centennial Reflections on the *1919 Bible Conference: Adventist Flirtation with Fundamentalism* (part 2 of 2), Michael Campbell,

sanctuary

Sunset Today - 4:53 p.m.

Sunset Next Week - 4:59 p.m.

Sermon Introduction

The little children's song "This Little Light of Mine" should make one ponder what that light was in the song. Jesus' light dawned on this planet like the morning sun on a dark sky when He came as a babe some 2,000 years ago. That light has never gone away. Yet, one might think, "What can a baby do to save the entire planet?" Never underestimate this child and the light He has brought: "Before Him every knee will bow" (Phil. 2:10). At this moment, though, the planet is in chaos. A third of the countries in the world are involved in wars. Malnutrition and clean water are still the main causes of death for children. Half the population lives on less than a few dollars a day. As one historian put it, the 20th century was the bloodiest century of all time compared to all others combined. Likewise, during the time of Christ, darkness, terrorism, killing, and unrest pervaded, too.

While it seems like hope is lost until Jesus returns to this dark earth filled with hate, war, politics, economic uncertainty, and unrest, we are promised that this same light that Christ brought will also be given to His believers (John 8.12). As believers,

we need to ask the significance of having "the light." Ellen White beautifully notes in her devotional classic on the life of Jesus that during the time of Christ, "There were souls looking for light" (*Desire of Ages*, p. 32). Is that you today? Are you looking for the light? Are you willing to be the light in dark places?

Today, we will see that as light grows, darkness fades even in the most ravaged of places like in my homeland of former Yugoslavia, and hope rises in people's lives. But it is contingent on Jesus' followers being the light.

Will you sing this with me? I mean . . . *live* this with me?

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine, This little light of mine, I gonna let it shine.

Filip Milosavljevic, Young Adult Pastor

Together in Prayer

Prayer is accepting the invitation to come into God's presence. Join in prayers for LLUC's worship services, for God's will for our local and worldwide church, for the sick, for children, and any other requests Sabbath mornings, room 104, 9 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Weekly prayer teleconference, Fridays, 6 - 6:45 a.m. Call (909)361-6220, then enter the conference ID number 11125#.

Questions or Comments: www.lluc.org