March 23, 2019

LomaLinda UniversityChurch

of Seventh-day Adventists

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Church at Worship — March 23

SANCTUARY — **9:00 & 11:45 A.M.**

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

Video Announcements		
Prelude	*Surely the Presence of the Lord Is in This Place*	*arr. Chuck Mahronic*
Pastoral Welcome		Darold Retzer
Hymn of Praise	*Crown Him With Many Crowns*	No. 223
Prayer		Filip Milosavljevic
Prayer Response	*O How He Loves You and Me* Sanctuary Choir	*arr. Dick Bolks*
Child Dedication	Laia Sabate Yan Gandra Lisboa	Shawna Campbell[1] Roy Ice[2]
Tithes and Offerings	Local Church Budget *(Loose offerings go to church budget.)*	
Offertory	*I Will Sing of Jesus' Love* *Oh How He Loves You and Me*	No. 183 *Kurt Kaiser*
Lamb's Offering		
Children's Feature		Gisèle Roddy
Children's Song	*I've Got Peace Like a River*	*Traditional*
Baptism	Débora Gandra Lisboa Felipe Gandra Lisboa Fabio Lisboa e Cruz	Roy Ice[2]
Anthem	*The Lord Is My Shepherd* Sanctuary Choir	*arr. Mack Wilberg*
Meditation[2]		
Scripture Reading	Matthew 22:33-40, TNIV (Pew Bible, p. 1473)	Eddie Sanker Reggie Jackson
Sermon	**Tuesday** *The Final Week* (part 3 of 9)	Gilda Roddy
Hymn of Response	*Send Forth Your Word*	*William Bradbury*
Closing Prayer		Gilda Roddy
Postlude	*Fugue-Finale on "O God Our Help in Ages Past"* *(Please maintain reverence during the postlude.)*	*Paul Manz*

Ariel Quintana, conductor, Sanctuary Choir
Karis Boling, Gilbert Hernandez, producers

Marvin Ponder, chorister
Grace Chung, organist

[1]First Service [2]Second Service

Church at Study

SANCTUARY — **10:30 A.M.**

Congregational Singing		Leslie Ferguson, Jr.
Opening Hymn	*We Gather Together*	No. 8
Prayer, Welcome, and Introductions		Lolita Campbell
Special Feature	**Diet, Alcohol, and Hard-line Drugs**	John Scharffenberg
Prayer for the Offering		Jeff Cassidy
Offering	Church Expense *(Place mission offering in envelope.)*	
Offertory	*There's No Disappointment in Jesus*	*John C. Hallett*
Lesson	*Judgement on Babylon*	Rade Milosavljevic
Closing Prayer		Rade Milosavljevic
Postlude	*Selected*	*Various*

Superintendent: Rade Milosavljevic **Pianist:** Ella Milosavljevic **Producer:** Elsie Chan

High School & Adult Sabbath School Classes

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

Young Adult

Praxis / 10:00 a.m., Wong Kerlee

Rooted / 10:00 a.m., Griggs Hall rm 138

Advent Hope / 9:00 a.m., Centennial Complex/ Damazo Amphitheater

Adults

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

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

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

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

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

Gathering Place / 10:20 a.m., Prince Hall break rm

Gary Chartier / 10:15 a.m., Griggs Hall, rm 2A

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

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

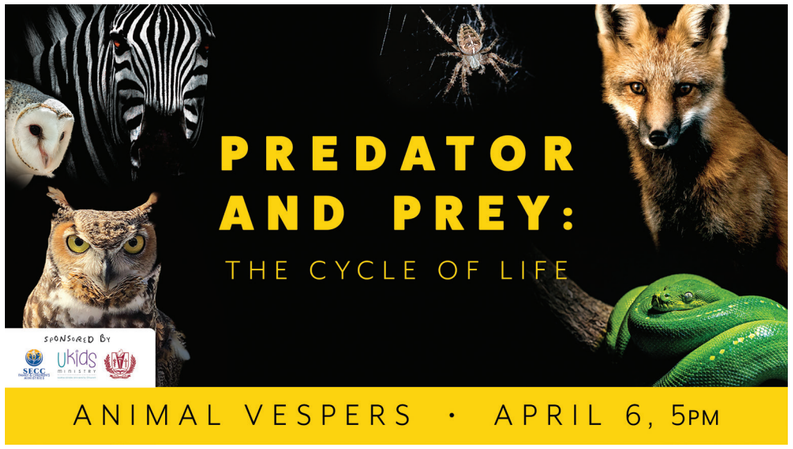
Sabbath Seminar / 10:30 a.m., Centennial Complex, rm 3208

Language Based

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

Hungarian Worship Group / 4 p.m., LLUC rm 103 1st and 3rd Saturdays

Southern Asia Fellowship Worship Group / 6 p.m. rm 108



Church & Community 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 lluc.org.

"Should Drugs Never Be Used?" will be the challenging topic of John Scharffenberg's devotional for the Intercessory Prayer Meeting this coming Wednesday at 7 p.m. in room 105. The worship talk will be followed by small group prayer time.

The School of Allied Health invites you to join them for a special pre-screening of the new animated Pilgrim's Progress Movie. John Bunyan's epic masterpiece has encouraged and inspired many on their own Christian journey. Doors open at 6 p.m. and the movie begins at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, March 28, in the LLUC sanctuary. For more information visit www.pilgrims.movie.

A Qualified Charitable Distribution to LLUC can help you satisfy the RMD rule and help protect your income from taxes. For information, contact Betsy Matthews at the church office.

Loma Linda Academy's Alumni Homecoming, celebrating the honor year classes ending in 4 and 9, will be April 13 on the LLA campus. Events will include an alumni roll call, class photos, a provided luncheon, tours of the campus, and an alumni and student art exhibit. Find out more details and RSVP at www.lla.org/alumni.

Loma Linda Mini Maker Faire: Children and adults can engage in hands-on learning with artists, engineers, quadcopter pilots, cooks, fire fighters, quilters, botanists, musicians. Admission is $5/per person, $3/students on Sunday, April 7, at Loma Linda Academy. For more information, visit lla.org/makerfaire.

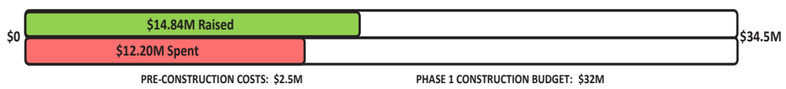
Child Dedications & Baptism

Laia Sabate was born February 11, 2018. Her parents are Gerard Sabaté and Shanna Newbold. Gerard, an alumnus of Loma Linda Academy and Loma Linda University School of Dentistry, practices dentistry in Redlands; Shanna, an alumnus of Loma Linda Academy and Loma Linda University School of Medicine, is an emergency room physician at Redlands Community Hospital. Laia has one big brother, 4 year-old Wyatt.

The Lisboa family have chosen, as a family, to commit their lives to God today. They have recently moved to the U.S. from Brazil. **Fabio Lisboa e Cruz** felt the impression of the Holy Spirit in his life, especially through a series of Bible studies, he made the decision to be baptized. He enjoys spending time with his family and the outdoors. **Débora Gandra Lisboa** felt the Holy Spirit working in her life and opening her eyes to the good news of the gospel. She likes to spend time with her family and travelling. **Felipe Gandra Lisboa** felt the impression of the Holy Spirit calling him to follow Jesus and believes that this is the best choice for his life. He enjoys time with his family, studying, and going to church.

Yan Gandra Lisboa was born on December 21, 2018. His mother Débora has a degree in obstetric nursing, his father Fabio does business marketing, and his older brother Felipe is a student.

Financial Corner



Calendar

Monday, March 25	
5:30 p.m.	Women's Prayer Group, room 102
Tuesday, March 26	
6:30 p.m.	Experiencing God: Bible Study on The Gospel of Luke, room 105
Wednesday, March 27	
6:00 p.m.	Open Prayer Circle, "Prayer, Praise, and Petitions," room 103
7:00 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer Meeting, "Should Drugs Never Be Used?" John Scharffenberg, room 105
Thursday, March 28	
12:00 noon	Sandwiches and Salvation will not be meeting
Friday, March 29	
7:00 p.m.	Night Church (Praxis), Young Adults, the Courtyard
Sabbath, March 30	
9:00 & 11:45 a.m.	"Wednesday," *The Final Week* (part 4 of 9), Roy Ice, sanctuary
10:30 a.m.	LLUC Sabbath School, "I Make All Things New," Warren Johns, sanctuary

Sunset Today - 6:57 p.m. Sunset Next Week - 7:08 p.m.

Sermon Introduction

Have you ever known anyone with authority issues? Authority is the theme running throughout today's gospel as we come to Tuesday of Holy Week. "Who do you think you are?" "What gives you the right to tell me what to do?" or to use a phrase from my childhood, "You're not the boss of me!" This represents our usual way of understanding authority issues.

Jesus had just made his triumphal entry into Jerusalem. He was exhibiting enormous and miraculous powers. The crowds were absolutely enthralled by him; his courage and boldness in confronting the institutions of power was astounding. Of course, they would want to question his authority. Jesus was clearly a threat to the religious and social leaders of the day.

The authority of Jesus was of a completely different order altogether. The authority of Jesus was worked out in his welcoming of sinners, in his welcoming of little children, in his welcoming of the outcasts. Ultimately, the authority of Jesus was worked out in a life of service, not ruling—a life hallmarked by betrayal and personal sacrifice, rejection, torture, and a criminal's death on the cross. That is where the authority of Jesus lay—not in some sort of power game that brought with it prestige and wealth and the respect of the people. The religious leaders had never seen anything like that before, and they had no idea how to respond to it.

The challenge to us in this passage is the extent to which we are prepared to develop the authority God has given us, in this community, to love and to serve.

Gilda Roddy, Pastor for Pastoral Care

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

Church Office Hours: M.–Th., 8am – 5pm ; F., 8am–noon. Closed Tu., 8:30–9:30am