



MARCH 22, 2025

PACIFIC UNION COLLEGE CHURCH exists to provide spiritual support for the employees and students of Pacific Union College and the surrounding community. We believe that God intended our lives to be fulfilled through being like our Creator—creative, lovers of beauty, empowering and freedom-loving, gracious, loyal, just, and merciful. Jesus modeled these characteristics and sent His Holy Spirit to bring them to full bloom in the lives of those who will trust God with the task. We are part of the worldwide Seventh-day Adventist denomination.

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BIBLE STUDY GROUPS & SABBATH SCHOOLS

WORSHIP SERVICE 11:00 am prelude music - 11:15 am service

Adults, In Person, 9:30 am:

A Safe Place | Class based on the 12-Step Principles of AA | Education Department Building

Adults, Online, 9:30 am:

Choir Zoom Sabbath School | Melodie Roschman, “To Keep One’s Balance While the Earth Moves”: Barbara Brown Taylor and the Life of Faith”
Join Zoom meeting at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85040922192?pwd=dDJKSm9qVfhkWC9VbIRoNXJyY2t0dz09>
Meeting ID 850 4092 2192
Passcode CZSS

Adults, In Person, 10:00 am:

Training Chapel | Taught by rotation of Katrina Blue, Nate Furness, Young-Chun Kim, Jim Wibberding, and Ross Winkle
SS 2 | Lesson Discussion
SS 10 | Inspire - Create for a Cause
SS 13 | Ron Bunch, “Love and Justice: The Two Greatest Commandments”

Children and Young People, 10:00 am:

Tiny Tots/Kindergarten (birth-age 6) | *not meeting today; classroom open for families to use*
Primary (grades 1-4) | SS 4
Juniors (grades 5-6) | *not meeting today; please come to Primary*
Junior High (grades 7-8) | SS 3
Youth (grades 9-12) | Scales Chapel

Free Downloads of S.S. Curriculum:

Sabbath School Net – ssnet.org/study-guides or free iPad app, “Sabbath School,” on iTunes
Gracelink – www.gracelink.net
Alive in Jesus – www.aliveinjesus.info

The following organizations are affiliated with the ministry of PUC Church

Pacific Union College	www.puc.edu	Howell Mountaineers Pathfinder Club	
PUC Prep (9-12)	www.pucprep.org	PUC Church Adventurer Club	
PUC Elementary (K-8)	www.pucelementary.org	Northern California Conference	nccsda.com
Discoveryland Preschool	discoveryland-preschool.com		

- Gathering Music** Janel Tasker, piano
- Welcome & Church Life** Pastor Nate Furness
- Opening Hymn** No. 483, *I Need Thee Every Hour*
- Giving** Scott Hopgood, Northern California Conference Advance and Red Schoolhouse Tuition Assistance
- Offertory** *Panis Angelicus (Bread of Angels)*, César Franck
LeRoy Peterson, violin; Janel Tasker, organ
- Children’s Story** Fred Hassard
- Songs of Praise** *At the Cross*
Wonderful Merciful Savior
- Prayer** Julie Yamada
- Message** Pastor Nate Furness, “The Scandal of Grace”
Luke 15:1-10
- Postlude** *Rejoice, the Lord Is King*, arr. Philip Keveren
Karen Han and Janel Tasker, piano duet

Praise Team:

Glanelle Ejurango, Kristina Gaines, Becky St. Clair, Keren Baez-Castro, vocals;
Karen Han, piano; Pastor Lem Garcia, guitar and vocals

CHURCH LIFE

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS Second Reading Coming: Kimber Beardsley, Glendale SDA Church, Phoenix, AZ; Chris Stottlemeyer and Dorinda Stottlemeyer, Azure Hills SDA Church, Grand Terrace, CA

KIDS' ACTIVITY BAGS are available at the narthex desk. Please return after church.

ALL-CHURCH POTLUCK today in the Fireside Room after church. Please bring two vegetarian dishes to share. Visitors and students welcome!

FRIENDS OF KAREN WALLACE are invited to a Celebration of Life today from 1-3 pm at the Las Cumbres Community Center, 18260 Las Cumbres Road, Los Gatos, 95033. For those not able to attend in person, please join on Zoom (link below). Karen, a 1968 PUC graduate, former PUC Church member, and daughter of the late Elton and Evelyn Wallace, passed away on Monday, December 9, 2024. Join Zoom meeting at <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85793743171?pwd=MwWhNEbrATX5Sr68vhe0bQS72RsTB7.1> Meeting ID: 857 9374 3171 Passcode: 289861

LUNCH & LEARN. "Healthy Living for Your Brain and Body" is the topic for the April 2 Lunch & Learn from 11 am-1 pm in the Fireside Room. Carmen Benavides with the Alzheimer's Association will present. For centuries, we've known that the health of the brain and the body are connected. But now, science is able to provide insights into how lifestyle choices may help you keep your brain and body healthy as you age. Join us to learn about research in the areas of diet and nutrition, exercise, cognitive activity and social engagement, and use hands-on tools to help you incorporate these recommendations into a plan for healthy aging. RSVP for the free lunch to (707) 963-8555 x 101. For more up-valley events for seniors, visit riandahouse.org.

COMMON TABLE ON SPRING is due to return in just under two weeks! The first meal will be on April 2. For this next run, the Common Table will be offered on the first and third Wednesdays of the month from April-June 2025.

CHURCH LIFE

SAVE THE DATE! Rich Aguilera returns to Angwin Saturday, April 12, at 7:30 pm with "The Creation Case: Live Event," an exciting, Bible-based, multi-media stage show for the whole family! Join Rich on this exciting, edge-of-your-seat adventure of discovery as we learn about the conflict between evolution and creation and explore and discover amazing evidence about God, our Creator. Rich Aguilera is an experienced children's ministries leader, presenter, and writer. He has authored several books and writes a regular column in *Guide* magazine as "The Mud Guy." He also wrote and directed the movie "The Mysterious Note," a film about stewardship. His previous live show, "Dinosaur Encounter," was presented at Paulin Hall in 2023. "The Creation Case: Live Event" will be held in Paulin Recital Hall on the PUC campus and hosted by PUC Church Children's Ministries. Everyone, all ages, welcome! Purchase your ticket (\$12 each) at thecreationcase.com/pacific.

REVIVALIST SPEAKER LEE VENDEN will be speaking at The Haven Church April 18-26, sharing an inspiring message titled "The Revelation of Whom." This is the last seminar series Pastor Venden will give before retiring, so please mark your calendars. Everyone is welcome. Meeting time details are given in olio.

CHRISTIAN MEN'S RETREAT. Christian Men's Retreat "Built for Freedom" is May 2-4 at Leoni Meadows. Join men of faith from all over California and beyond for a weekend of fellowship and renewal. Speakers will be Marty Miller and Tom Pyke. Register at leonimeadows.org or call (530) 626-3610 ext. 1. This retreat is for men 16 and older. If you would like more information, please call or text Mark Pacini at (707) 494-0277.

THANK YOU. David Davies would like to thank the whole Angwin community for the huge outpouring of sympathy and support following Anita's death. I received 41 beautiful cards with handwritten notes full of love and sympathy plus the 80 or so friends who came to the memorial service. It's made my life adjustment so much easier. Thanks.

CHURCH FAMILY

HAPPY MARCH 22-31 BIRTHDAY TO:

22 – Kerry Baldwin	27 – Jayson Uribe
22 – Alice Lim	28 – Chawn Evens
22 – Jason St. Clair	28 – Cindy Veness
24 – James Dick	30 – Mark Ivey
24 – Ted Dunker	31 – Daniel Cummins
24 – Julie Lee	31 – Robert Hargrove
25 – Peter Lecourt	31 – Steve Penners
26 – Marvin Douglas	31 – Katie Sculatti
26 – Charles Tatosian	31 – Julie Yamada
27 – Thomas Steck	

IF YOUR BIRTHDAY is missing from this list, is listed incorrectly, or if you do not want your birthday listed, please contact the church office.

IT IS WITH UNIMAGINABLE SORROW that we announce that Timothy Wheeler went to sleep in Jesus' loving arms in the early morning hours of February 18 with his parents by his side. We are so grateful for the generosity and unfailing support of friends and family, including many people we don't know but who knew and loved our beloved Timothy, during his long battle. A celebration of Timothy's life will be held on Sabbath, March 29, at 4 pm in the Fireside Room for our PUC Church and community family and Northern California friends and loved ones. Please join us as we reminisce and honor Timothy, our cherished son, brother, nephew, cousin, friend, coach, and so much more. —Wheeler family

IT IS WITH DEEP SORROW that we announce the passing of Nick Hope, a resident of Calistoga and among the last living Holocaust survivors in Northern California. He passed away March 10 after battling complications from pneumonia and the flu. Nick celebrated his 100th birthday in September, surrounded by family and friends. He is survived by his three children Victor Hope, Jenny McLaren, and George Hope, and three grand-children. His beloved wife Nadja, also a Holocaust survivor, died in 2015. A funeral will be held at the St. Helena SDA Church next Sunday, March 30, at 11 am followed by a graveside service.

SERVICE & GENEROSITY

PUC CHURCH MINISTRIES

Church Budget Jan.-Mar.	\$126,000
Donations Received as of 3/20/25	\$72,118
Shortfall	\$53,882

Scan this QR code to give online through Adventist Giving or bookmark your browser to adventistgiving.org/#/org/ANPIKL/envelope/start. To receive a receipt at year's end for your contributions, please use an offering envelope or donate online.



ANGWIN COMMUNITY SERVICES THRIFT STORE is open Tuesdays from 8 am-2 pm, Wednesdays from 3:30-5:30 pm, and the first and third Sundays of the month from 10 am-1 pm. **THE HAVEN THRIFT STORE** is open Tuesdays from 8 am-3 pm and the first and third Sundays of the month from 8 am-1 pm in Deer Park at 700 Sunnyside Road.

EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS. The Northern California Conference and Pacific Union Conference scholarship application process is now open for the 2025-2026 school year. The application deadline is April 30, 2025. Visit nccsda.com/education/scholarships to apply. Please note that church membership verification and pastor recommendation requests must go to the church where parents have their official membership. PUC Church members, please direct requests to church@puc.edu. For those planning to apply for tuition assistance through PUCE and/or the PUC Church for the '25-'26 school year, please complete and turn in an application and a copy of the first page of your tax returns by April 4, 2025. More information and the tuition assistance application can be found at the PUCE school office or at www.pucelementary.org/financial-information. To apply for tuition assistance and scholarships at PUC Prep, visit www.pucprep.org/tuition-aid.

CALENDAR

TODAY

9:30 & 10a Sabbath Schools, various locations
11:00a Gathering Music, Sanctuary
11:15a Church Service, Sanctuary
12:30p Church Potluck, Fireside Room
1:00-3p Karen Wallace Celebration of Life, Zoom
7:23p Sundown

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

8:00a-2p Angwin Community Services Thrift Store open
8:00a-3p The Haven Thrift open

WEDNESDAY

3:30-5:30p Angwin Community Services Thrift Store open
PG&E Answer Center, Fireside Room

THURSDAY

11a-12p Yoga: Stretch & Flow, Fireside Room

FRIDAY

7:29p Sundown, Sabbath begins

NEXT SABBATH

9:30 & 10a Sabbath Schools, various locations
11:00a Gathering Music, Sanctuary
11:15a Church Service, Sanctuary
4:00p Celebration of Life for Timothy Wheeler, Fireside Room
7:30p Sundown

NEXT SUNDAY

11:00a Memorial Service for Nick Hope, St. Helena

MARCH 18-28

Prep Reformation Tour

MARCH 21-30

PUC & Prep Spring Break

MARCH 22-30

PUC Elementary & Foothills Spring Break

MARCH 29

Celebration of Life for Timothy Wheeler, Fireside Room

MARCH 31

Teacher In-Service; no school Prep & PUCE
PUC Spring Quarter begins
School resumes, Foothills

APRIL 2

Lunch & Learn, Fireside Room
Common Table on Spring, St. Helena

APRIL 12

"The Creation Case: Live Event," Paulin Recital Hall