

# CAMARILLO SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

**Sabbath, October 3, 2020**

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Welcome to our outdoor services today...

## CHURCH ONLINE

9:30am - **Sabbath School** - To be announced  
10:45am - **Worship Service** - Pastor Jason Whitley  
**Offering:** Church Budget

We Worship Together:

**PRELUDE:** Niccole Modell

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Pastor Jason

**CHILDREN'S STORY:** Bill Calkins

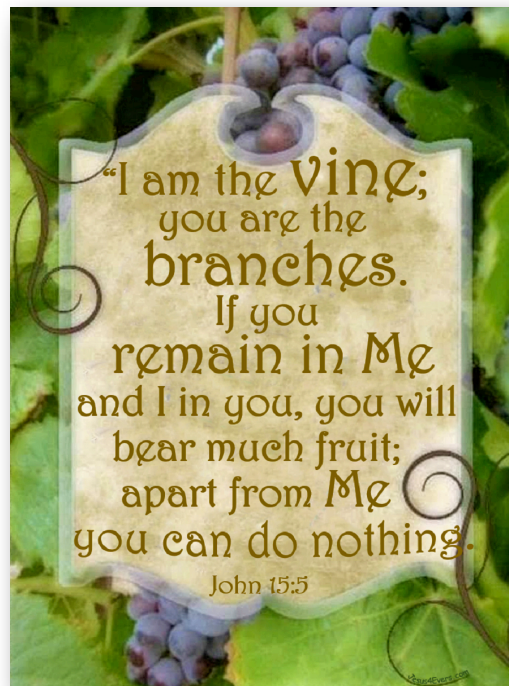
**OFFERING CALL:** Carl Randall

**OFFERTORY:** Niccole Modell

**SCRIPTURE & PRAYER:** John 15:5-8 - Anne Blech

**SERMON:** "GIFTS FOR US ALL" – Pastor Jason

**POSTLUDE:** Niccole Modell



## Next Week's Reminders:

### ► TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6:

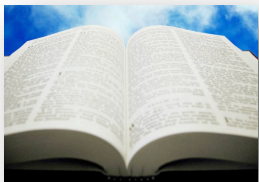
8:00 - 11:00am: **Pantry Set Up**

4:00 - 6:00pm: **Pantry Distribution** – **DRIVE THROUGH**, (must wear face coverings)

## Announcements:

**WELCOME!** We're glad you're with us in spirit, to worship and praise the Lord, our Creator and Redeemer.

**SUNSET TONIGHT:** 6:38pm.

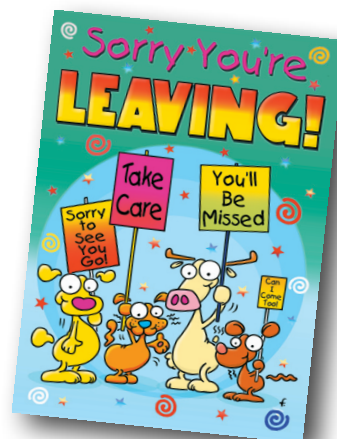


### **John 15:5-8 (NKJV)**

*<sup>5</sup> "I am the vine, you are the branches. He who abides in Me, and I in him, bears much fruit; for without Me you can do nothing.... <sup>7</sup>If you abide in Me, and My words abide in you, you will ask what you desire, and it shall be done for you. <sup>8</sup>By*

*this My Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit; so you will be My disciples.*

**FAREWELL PASTOR & MRS. JASON WHITLEY:** Sadly, today, October 3, is Pastor Jason & Roxanne Sarai's last Sabbath with us. *They will be greatly missed!* We are so thankful for Jason's leadership and service to our church the past 3 years. We send our love and prayers with this special couple, as they follow God's call to their new ministry at Culver City SDA Church. Please bring a lawn chair and your own lunch and join us under the shade trees after church, to wish the Whitleys a fond farewell. A table is being provided if you have brought a card or gift.



**YOUR TITHES & OFFERINGS** may be turned in online by using the "Giving" option on the home page of the church website, by mail to the church address, or dropped off in the new, secure, *locked* church mailbox. Thank you so much for your support at this critical time.



**OUR NEW PRAYER CHAIN LEADER is Kim Swarts.** You may send your prayer concerns to her at a new email, [PrayerCamSDA@gmail.com](mailto:PrayerCamSDA@gmail.com) Says Kim, *"I have prayed and see no reason not to step into keeping the "Prayer Chain" going at Camarillo SDA Church. I would consider it a privilege and honor."* We're so happy to see this vital prayer ministry continue! These sentiments from Anne Curry say it best: *"BLESSINGS on you Kim, for taking this on. I so did NOT want the Prayer Chain to stop. May God continue to bless all of you."*

**NEW SABBATH SCHOOL QUARTERLIES** for the 4th quarter (Oct-Nov-Dec) are available Sabbath mornings, and through the week in the church foyer, or by calling the church office to arrange for pickup, either at the office, or in the church mailbox at your convenience (lower section).

**IN DEEPEST SYMPATHY:** We are very sad to announce that **Dorothy "Dottie" M. (Ptacek) Hula**, mother of Suzanne (Jerry) Goodrich, passed away Sunday, September 27, 2020 in Omaha, Nebraska at age 90. Dottie is survived by her 6 children, 10 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. Thank you for keeping the family in your prayers for the comfort and peace of the Lord in their time of loss.

**IN DEEPEST SYMPATHY:** Our church lost a special member with the passing of **Virginia Chalmers Muff** on September 15, 2020 at 11:00pm. Ginny has been in a nursing home this past 1 1/2 years. She joined our church over 40 years ago when she moved to Camarillo with her husband Nick Muff. Ginny was exposed to Adventism through her mother who met Ellen G. White and became interested in the message. In 1943, as a young mother, Ginny sought Bible studies and was baptized. Although health has prevented her from attending church services for several years, her faith has remained strong and she rests now in the assurance of the Second Coming of Christ. Condolences may be sent to Ginny's daughter: Donna June Smith, 1183 E 3rd Ave., # 29, Post Falls, ID. 83854. *(Thank you to Lucille Loignon Elias, friend of Ginny for many years, for informing the church family of her passing.)*

**IN DEEPEST SYMPATHY:** With sadness we announce that **Siegfried Halm**, Starr Halm's former husband, passed away on Saturday, September 12, 2020. The family is remembering all the good times, and looking forward to seeing him again in God's kingdom. Please keep Starr, her children and grandchildren in your prayers during their time of loss.

**PULPIT SCHEDULE:** Oct. 3 - Pastor Jason Whitley. Oct. 10 - David Lowe.

**CHURCH BOARD MEMBERS:** Please plan on the following board meeting dates, via Zoom. Oct. 13 - 7pm. Nov. 17 - 7pm. (Contact Dave Pennock if you have any questions).

**OCTOBER IS SPIRIT OF PROPHECY MONTH** at your local Adventist Book Center. Learn more about Ellen G. White's books at [AdventistBookCenter.com/spiritofprophecy](http://AdventistBookCenter.com/spiritofprophecy).

**CHURCH E-MAIL LIST:** If you'd like to receive Camarillo Church office e-mails, please notify us by sending an e-mail with your request to Suzanne at: [office@camarillosda.org](mailto:office@camarillosda.org)

**THE PANTRY THANKS YOU** for your faithful support, which helps us make a positive difference to our neighbors in need. **SPECIAL THANKS to our VOLUNTEERS** - **we couldn't do this work without you!** We especially need more volunteers to help distribute food in the parking lot on Tuesday evenings.

**NEWSPPOINTS for 9-30-20** from Seventh-day Adventist Church North American Division:

<https://mailchi.mp/nad/newspoints-how-to-show-your-pastor-appreciation-in-october-california-wildfire-update-adra-names-president-blind-musician-shares-story?e=32d1d0ddeb>



August 24, 2020

Greetings Church Family,

I hope this email finds you well and that you have been safe amongst all the craziness that 2020 has had to offer thus far. I write to you with a very bittersweet feeling. This morning, Monday, August 24, I officially received a notification from the Southern California Conference declaring my transfer from interim senior pastor at Camarillo SDA to Senior Pastor at the Culver City SDA Church. This transition will take place officially on October 11 from the conference office.

What this looks like for me is this:

**September 14:** Sarai (Roxanne Sarai Molina) and I will be married

**September 14-28:** Honeymoon

**October 3:** My farewell

**October 10:** ~~Either my final sermon with you or~~ my first sermon with Culver City SDA.

**October 11:** Installed into Culver City SDA.

I know that this may come as a surprise to some while others have had a suspicion of this for many moons. I ask that you pray for Sarai and I in this transition. I also ask that you pray for yourselves as a community while you seek for a new senior pastor. I know that God will find a wonderful leader and God will continue to bless this church as He has in the past.

I can honestly say that I will miss you all. I have learned so much in these 3 years with you. There are so many life lessons to take with me and I will cherish them for the rest of my ministry. Thank you for all the help and support you gave to me and to this church. I could not have led without your willingness to be a part of this family. I love you all and I wish God's greatest blessings on you and your family.

Hopefully I will get to see you before October 10!

God bless you Camarillo Family,

*Pastor Jason Whitley*

# Praying for God's Family

*"Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask for in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours."* Mark 11:24 (NIV)

**PRAYER REQUESTS:** Please contact new Prayer Chain Leader **Kim Swarts**, [PrayerCamSDA@gmail.com](mailto:PrayerCamSDA@gmail.com) to submit and/or update your prayer needs and praises.

**PRAISES:** For the ministry of Pastor Jason Whitley to our church this past three years! Chad Hooper's brother, Clinton Hooper (cancer surgery recovery) is doing better - his 3-month check-ups have now been extended to 1 year checks.

**HEALTH CONCERNS:** John Negley, Sr. (cancer treatment); Ted Andres' sister (recovery from brain tumor surgery - has been in a coma); Janet Younce's sister Sharon (full recovery from spinal procedure); Henry Hernandez (pinched disc and calcium deposits on neck, leg numbness, muscle weakness); Linda (sister of Yoli Hernandez) - Covid-19; Dorothea Amey (cancer); Mike Godfrey - (stroke recovery); Gershon Napod's Mom - esophageal cancer, and Gershon's brother Levi; Evelyn DeLay; Jay Cummings; Larry Miller (serious health issues). Sharon Croombs-Schwartz - cancer treatment; Sharon Croombs-Schwartz's son - COVID-19, and her niece Amber - terminal cancer (please continue to pray for her salvation).

**UPDATE (Oct. 1):** My mom has been transferred from assisted living to my brother's house to pass on. It is a matter of days before Mom passes. - **Lisa Matthews**

**BEREAVEMENT:** For the grieving families of 207,000+ people who have died from COVID-19 in the U.S. and also all those killed or missing from the catastrophic wildfires and devastating hurricanes.

**PRAYER REQUEST from Kim Swarts:** "My son and his fiancée, who were getting married this Oct 10, received some horrible news. Hannah's (fiance's) best friend, Izzy, was tragically killed. She was hit by a train Monday (Aug 24th) while out jogging and taking pictures of the ocean. She lived in the area, but it took awhile to notify family. My son and Hannah have put a hold on the wedding plans for now; the young lady of 21 was going to be the maid of honor. We have all known her since she was 8 yrs old or so. It is so hard to process. We are in shock.

The take away from this painful situation is this. **Life is short, love everyone you know, let them know it, spend time with the people that matter to you, share the truth of your faith (The reason for the Hope within) with eternity in mind and always pray about EVERYTHING.** Please add the young lady's family to your prayer list. Izzy had 5 siblings and 2 sets of parents. She was loved and had a joy that everyone saw whenever she was in the room. I believe she was walking with Jesus and I hope and pray that I will see her again in heaven on that day..."

**OTHER CONCERNS:** 1) Starr Halm thanks you for your prayers for God's guidance as she looks for a place to live, that she will find just the place where the Lord wants her to be.

2) For all those who have been affected by the devastating hurricanes.

3) For people impacted by the horrendous wildfires, including the firefighters working in such difficult conditions. All people affected are in such need of God's intervention.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR PRAYERS...AND MANY THANKS TO OUR FATHER FOR HEARING THEM!**

**NEXT SABBATH, OCTOBER 10:** Message – David Lowe; Offering – Voice of Prophecy; Sunset – 6:30pm





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To watch the live broadcast of our Sabbath School, Worship Services, and some other church events online, click on LIVESTREAM at the left side of the church website home page. You can watch from any device. Also may be viewed on Roku, Facebook, or YouTube.

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