

Welcome!

Happy Sabbath! Thank you for joining us for worship this Sabbath. Feel free to use this bulletin to help you find your way around, for a great Sabbath experience. If you need anything, please feel free to ask a greeter or church volunteer.

This Week

Monday 3rd - ACS Open
Monday 3rd - Faith Builders Study
Tuesday 4th - ACS & ARC Open
Wednesday 5th - Prayer Meeting 7pm
Sabbath 8th - Worship Services/Full
Moon Bike Ride at 5:30pm in Cool

Looking Ahead

Sept 30 - Oct 2 & Oct 7-9 - NCC Christian Women's Retreat at Leoni Meadows
Oct 8 - Full Moon Bike Ride Activity
Oct 30 - Fall Festival at Pine Hills
Nov 12 - Broadside of a Barn Social at Porco's

Preaching Schedule

Oct 8 - Pastor Mel Baga
Oct 15 - Brian Toppel
Oct 22 - Pastor Mel Baga

Scripture Focus for Today

"You must not have any other god but me." **Exodus 20:3**

Our Purpose

Our church exists to sow in our community the love of Jesus inviting all to **give** our lives to him, **gather** at his feet, **grow** in community, and **glow** in witness and service.

Values

We believe that **grace** changes lives.
We believe that **community** nurtures growth
We believe that **prayer** opens doors.
We believe that **sacrifice** makes great things happen.
We believe that **teamwork** gets the job done.
We believe that **excellence** honors God.
We believe that **compassion** reveals our heart.

Objectives

We want to build a culture of **evangelism**.
We want to have a thriving **group life**.
We want to inspire a life of **worship**.
We want to encourage a life of **giving**.
We want to become a **praying** church.
We want to **equip** and empower our volunteers.
We want to **protect** our house of prayer.
We want to **serve** our community well.
We want to **administer** our church life well.

Church Staff

Lead Pastor
Youth Pastor
Treasurer
Administrative Assistant

Mel Baga, DMin
Adam Weeks, MA
Jim Brewster
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SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

October 1, 2022

Worship Gathering

10:45 AM

Prelude • Ellie Funada

Welcome • Pastor Mel Baga

Praises • Nathan Krussow & Friends

Prayer • Deborah Price

Giving • Church Family Budget

The Ordinance of Humility*

The Lord's Supper

Special Music • Vivian, Isabella & Ava

Message • Pastor Mel Baga "Stop Trying to Be Your Own God"

2nd sermon, *Cascading Grace: The Ten Commandments as Grace for Relationships* series

Closing Song

Prayer • Pastor Mel Baga

Postlude • Ellie Funada

*In designated rooms: Women: Primary/Junior Room, Men: Youth Room
Families & Couples: Fellowship Hall

Live stream & video archive of services at facebook.com/auburnsdachurch
Sermon archive available at aubstda.org/audio or as a CD in the Resource Center
Hearing assistance available at sound booth • Sunset today 6:48pm

Announcements

Updated Health Guidance.

Feel free to wear a mask and use hand sanitizers as you see fit. They are available in the lobby and throughout the church campus.

Sermon Series Continues Today.

Cascading Grace: The Ten Commandments as Grace for Relationships. Today, we take our first deep dive by looking into the first commandment. What does it mean to not have any other gods before Yahweh? While the sermon title gives the answer away, the Devil, they say, is in the details.

Communion Sabbath Today.

All are welcome to participate in the service today.

Fellowship Lunch Next Sabbath.

Please bring your favorite vegetarian dish to share. All members and guests are welcome to join.

Membership Transfers-Second Reading.

Transfers In: Barry & Jenny AcMoody from the Colfax SDA Church.

Transfers Out: David & Susan Woods to the Lewiston, Idaho Church. Mike & Nan Sutter to the Palo Cedro, CA Church. Charleen Nugent to the Grass Valley Church. Donna & Dallas Melashanko to the Tonasket, WA Church. Ligia Borlean to the Carmichael Church.

Monday Faith Builders Bible Study.

Starting a new series beginning on

Monday, Oct. 3 and going for 10 weeks. Follow Jesus in the Sanctuary—Our Redeemer, High Priest and Pattern. See How the Parables Illumine Jesus Plan of Salvation. For more info, please contact Marilyn Herron at (530) 823-3573.

Full Moon Bike Ride Activity.

Next Saturday evening, Oct. 8 we are having a bike ride activity beginning at 5:30pm meeting in the parking lot behind the firehouse in Cool. (7200 St Florian Ct, Cool) We'll be riding during the sunset, then we'll have worship and then riding back under the full moon. Four miles of riding total. Please contact Pastor Adam for more details.

Outstanding School Series: Parents as Partners.

What makes a school outstanding? Faith-based intellectual development, community spirit, and mutual respect are just some of the factors that make Pine Hills Adventist Academy great. Active parental involvement make a BIG difference at Pine Hills. We view education as a partnership between parents and educators. Many families volunteer their time on campus or even from home. By participating in their child's education, they also contribute to our learning community and are examples of leadership to all of our young scholars. If interested in sending your child to PHAA, please contact the school office at (530) 885-9447.

Sabbath School 9:30 AM

Lower Division. Cradle Roll (ages 0-3), Kindergarten (age 4-1st grade), Primary (2-4th grade), Juniors (5-7th grade) Located in the Courtyard area.

Youth. Led out by Pastor Adam Weeks. (8th grade and up) Meets in the Youth Room.

Adult Sabbath School

1.) **A Conversation About the Scriptures** - Led by Jeff Pierson & Brian Toppel. Exploring various chapters in 1 Corinthians. Meets in Fellowship Hall Room 1.

2) **Sanctuary Sabbath School Class** - Join as we study and go through the seven churches in Revelation and discuss together. This week is led out by Pastor Mel Baga. Meets in the Sanctuary, left side.

Community Outreach

Adventist Community Services (ACS)

This week. Monday, 9am to Noon (services to the unsheltered) Tuesday, 9am to Noon (services to needy individuals and families). **Needs.** Donations are currently on pause for the moment due to limited space. Exceptions are only for men's jeans and men's shoes. Thank you for your continued support **Services Provided.** (a) Clothing; (b) Diapers & baby wipes; (c) Kitchen items; (d) Linens; (e) Hygiene kits for unsheltered; (f) Hot showers on Mondays with towels and toiletries provided; (g) Hot lunches or sack lunches for unsheltered; (h) Food pantry, including USDA food and fresh produce from the garden/orchard during harvest season for family units with housing; (i) Access to computer for connecting with families, agencies, or making and submitting resumes/job applications. **Wish to volunteer?** Contact Pam Haddad,—haddad@wizwire.com, (530) 906-1676 or ACS (530) 823.0345

Auburn Renewal Center (ARC)

This week. Open on Tuesdays and some Thursdays from 9am to 1pm **Services Provided.** Medical, vision, dental, chiropractic and counseling. Please call to make an appointment. **Wish to volunteer?** Volunteers needed to help run the front desk. Looking for nurses, medical doctors, physicians assistants or psychiatrists (retired or still in practice) to help fill in on Tuesday or a future Thursday. We'll find a day that's a good fit for you. Contact Steve Holm at: steveholm@goldrush.com, (916) 425-6766 or the ARC (530) 887-8673.

Community Garden & Orchard

Services Provided. Harvests from our community garden and orchard are given to ACS clients. Excess harvest are shared with Interfaith Food Pantry, other families in need, and our church family. **Wish to volunteer?** If you would like to help in the garden or orchard please contact James Maddox—(916) 500-8765 or Julie Magee (916) 955-2144

Financial Update

As of September 24, 2022. Week 13. Thank you for your faithful giving.

	Budgeted	Received
Church Budget	\$49,500.00	\$32,894.33
Student Assistance	\$2,500.00	\$2,406.00
Youth Ministries	\$7,250.00	\$6,675.00

Church Funds

Church Building Fund: Goes towards needed infrastructure projects around the church (roofing, LED lighting, A/C, locks, etc.)

Youth Ministries Fund: Goes towards supporting Pastor Adam and the youth.

Student Assistance Fund: Goes towards helping families that need financial help to send their child to Pine Hills.

ARC & ACS Funds: Goes towards supporting the ministries of each.



Point your smartphone camera at the QR code above to give online.

Giving Options

- During the worship service
- In the lobby
- By mail
- Adventist Giving app
- Online at aubsda.org/give

Tithe Year-to-Date: \$269,553.72
(As of 8/31/22 - Updated Monthly)