

Welcome!

Happy Sabbath! Thank you for joining us for worship today. 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 29th - ACS Open/Church Office Closed for Memorial Day
Tuesday 30th - ACS & ARC Open
Wednesday 31st - Prayer Meeting 7pm/
Spanish Diabetes Class
Sabbath 3rd - Worship Services/
Honoring Our Auburn Graduates

Looking Ahead

June 8 - 8th Grade Graduation at Auburn Church
June 10 - Baccalaureate Sabbath
July 17-21 - Vacation Bible School

Preaching Schedule

June 3 - Pastor Mel Baga
June 10 - Pastor Mel Baga
June 17 - Pastor Adam Weeks

Scripture Focus for Today

“When he had washed their feet and put on his outer garments and resumed his place, he said to them, “Do you understand what I have done to you? You call me Teacher and Lord, and you are right, for so I am. If I then, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another’s feet.” **John 13:12-14**

Our Mission

Our reason for existence

We are here to make disciples of everyone including ourselves until Jesus returns.

“Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Teach these new disciples to obey all the commands I have given you. And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age.” (Matthew 28:19-20)

Our Discipleship Process

Our roadmap for transformation

We Worship

“You must love the LORD your God with all your heart, all your soul, all your mind, and all your strength.” (Mark 12:30)

“Fear God... Give glory to him... Worship him who made the heavens, the earth, the sea, and all the springs of water.” (Revelation 14:9)

We Connect

“Love each other with genuine affection, and take delight in honoring each other.” (Romans 12:10)

“The second is equally important: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’ No other commandment is greater than these.” (Mark 12:31)

We Serve

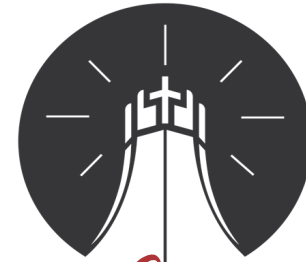
“God has given each of you a gift from his great variety of spiritual gifts. Use them well to serve one another.” (1 Peter 4:10)

“We serve God whether people honor us or despise us, whether they slander us or praise us.” (2 Corinthians 6:8)

Church Staff

Lead Pastor	Mel Baga, DMin
Youth Pastor	Adam Weeks, MA
Treasurer	Jim Brewster
Administrative Assistant	Scott Wallace

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SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

May 27, 2023

Worship Gathering

10:45 AM

Prelude · Havilah Baga

Welcome

Praises · Addy Van Zant & Friends

Prayer · Janice O’Haver

Giving · Local Conference Advance

Children’s Story · Dave Krussow

Scripture Reading · Alexander Weeks · John 13:12-14

Message · Pastor Adam Weeks “Service With a Smile”

Closing Song · Praise Team

Prayer · Pastor Adam Weeks

Postlude · Havilah Baga

Live stream & video archive of services on our church Facebook and YouTube pages

Sermon archive available at aubstda.org/audio or as a CD in the Resource Center

Hearing assistance available at sound booth • Sunset today 8:19pm

Announcements

This Week's Birthdays.

Happy birthday to the following: Adam Weeks May 27, Roger Haddad May 28 & Claire Ludwig Jun 01. If we missed your birthday, please contact the church office to let us know.

Current Sermon Series.

Our four part sermon series titled "What Is Our Why?" Why are we here? What is our purpose for existence? How does our purpose affect how we do church? We will answer these questions and more.

Still Accepting Students.

Pine Hills Adventist Academy, which you so generously support throughout the year, is planning for next year while finishing up this school year. As teachers are working hard to have our children complete their assignments and be ready for their summer break, we are also preparing for next year. Enrollment is STILL open for next year, and we need to get the word out so parents and students can ensure their seats in the next year's classrooms. Applications are available now. Invite your friends, family and neighbor children to learn more about what Pine Hills offers, please contact the PHAA school office at (530) 885-9447.

Summer VBS Program.

On July 17-21, we are having a VBS program here at the church nightly from 6-8pm. The theme for this year is "Fiercely Faithful: God Always Keeps His Promises." If interested in helping or pre-registration, please fill out your info at the VBS station in the lobby, or contact Grace Ferolino or Lisa Ojeda for more info and details.

Not Just For Kids Classes.

The next class will be on Sunday, June 4 from 10am-1pm and it will cover CPR/AED Training. Cost is \$5 and due at

class time. Please see the bulletin insert for a list of more upcoming fun classes for all ages. If you are interested in teaching a class or joining a class, please contact Susan Excell for more info at (530) 368-2994.

Summer Youth Vespers Planning.

Pastor Adam Weeks is working on a fun summer for our youth and needs your help. If you are interested in either hosting or planning a youth vespers over the summer, please contact Pastor Adam or fill out the form on our eNewsletter and we'll contact you soon.

Community Services Open House.

Next Sabbath, June 3 after the worship service, ACS will be open for anyone to check out and tour around the many things that our ACS ministry provides every single week. There will also be snacks and refreshments at each of the different departments as well. This is a perfect opportunity to learn more about the impact they have in our community to be the hands and feet of Jesus.

Is Your Child Graduating This Year?

We are making a list of graduates through Kindergarten to College of all of our Auburn Church graduates. Please contact the church office to let us know so we don't miss anyone. We'll be recognizing and celebrating their achievement next week during the worship service.

VBS Volunteer Meeting.

All volunteers helping with this summer's VBS are invited to attend a meeting on June 10, after the Fellowship Lunch at 1pm in the Youth Room. We hope to see you there and it is not too late to sign up to volunteer to help. Please contact Grace Ferolino or Lisa Ojeda for more info.

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) **Video Sabbath School Class** - Join as we watch and go through various topics in video form, followed by a discussion. Current video series: The Chosen. Led out by Robinson Bende and Lisa Ojeda. Meets in Adult Classroom 5 across from the Kitchen.

3) **Sanctuary and the 2300 Days** - From Babylon to 1844 what could the Sanctuary possibly mean for my life today? Led out by Virgil Starr. Meets in the Sanctuary,

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). **Current Needs.** Egg cartons of all kinds, Bedding (king/queen sized sheets), blankets, towels, men's jeans, summer clothes and men's shoes. Thank you for your continued support **Services Provided.** Clothing; Diapers & baby wipes; Kitchen items; Linens; Hygiene kits for unsheltered; Hot showers on Mondays with towels and toiletries provided; Hot lunches or sack lunches for unsheltered; Food pantry, including USDA food and fresh produce from the garden/orchard during harvest season for family units with housing; Access to computer for connecting with families, agencies, or making and submitting resumes/job applications. **Wish to volunteer?** Please contact ACS (530) 823.0345 or Pam Haddad—gpammy82@gmail.com, (530) 906-1676.

Auburn Renewal Center (ARC)

This week. Open on Tuesdays and some Thursdays from 9am-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 May 20, 2023. Week 20. Thank you for your faithful giving.

	Budgeted	Received
Church Budget	\$74,169.23	\$66,992.67
Student Assistance	\$3,846.15	\$4,813.60
Youth Ministries	\$11,153.85	\$12,552.00

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 vital 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 or church office hours
- Adventist Giving app
- Online at aubsda.org/give

Tithe Year-to-Date: \$163,264.53
(As of 4/30/23 - Updated Monthly)