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 26th - ACS Open Tuesday 27th - ACS & ARC Open Wednesday 28th - Prayer Meeting 7pm Sabbath 1st - Worship Services

Looking Ahead

June 25 - Not Just For Kids Classes "The Art of Making Scones" June 30 & July 7 - Not Just For Kids Classes "Crochet for Everyone" July 9 - Not Just For Kids Classes "Summer Baking" July 17-21 - Vacation Bible School

Preaching Schedule

July 1 - Jeff Pierson July 8 - Darrel Crane July 15 - Pastor Mel Baga

Scripture Focus for Today

"This is the message that was written: Mene, Mene, Tekel, and Parsin. This is what these words mean: Mene means 'numbered'—God has numbered the days of your reign and has brought it to an end."

Daniel 5:25-26

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 PastorMel Baga, DMinYouth PastorAdam Weeks, MATreasurerJim BrewsterAdministrative AssistantScott Wallace

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June 24, 2023

Worship Gathering

10:45 AM

Prelude · Robinson Bende

Welcome

Praises · Jenell, Deborah & Friends

Prayer · Virgil Starr

Giving · Local Conference Advance

Children's Story · Gil Riojas

Mission Spotlight · Adventist Community Services Video

Scripture Reading · Zachary Allington · Daniel 5:25-28

Message · Brian Toppel "I Am More Than a Number"

Closing Song · Praise Team

Prayer · Brian Toppel

Postlude · Robinson Bende

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

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

Hearing assistance available at sound booth • Sunset today 8:33pm

Announcements

This Week's Birthdays.

Happy birthday to the following: Marilyn Cuccia Jun 24, Shawn Wallace Jun 24 & Barry AcMoody Jun 25. If we missed your birthday, please contact the church office to let us know.

Membership Transfers. Second Reading.

Transfer Out: Samuel Munoz to the Granite Bay Hilltop SDA Church.

Transfer In: Jonah Jewkes from the Palo Cedro SDA Church.

Pastor Mel On Vacation Until July 10.

If there is a need, please contact either the church office, Pastor Adam Weeks or Jeff Pierson.

Auburn Youth Summer Activities.

Pastor Adam Weeks is working on a fun summer for our youth. Their first activity is tonight in the Youth Room for a fun game and movie night. It begins at 8:30pm. All youth are welcome to join! Please see Pastor Adam for more info.

Parents as Partners Series: Involvement

Pine Hills prioritizes providing highquality education and value for our students. The best way to support student success is by partnering with parents. In our "Parents As Partners" series, we will be sharing our program standards for parental involvement, including ways for parents to participate in the classroom and at school events and support for learning at home. This week, we will be focusing on the importance of parental involvement. We encourage parents to volunteer in the classroom, at events, and on the school board. Volunteering at the school can be a rewarding experience for parents and an essential part of Christian education. To find out more for your child or grandchild, friend or neighbor, 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, scan the QR code on the insert, or contact Grace Ferolino or Lisa Ojeda for more info and details.

Not Just For Kids Classes.

The next available classes are "The Art of Making Scones" on June 25, "Crochet for Everyone" on June 30 and July 2 and "Summer Baking" on July 9. Cost is \$5 for each and due at class time and they all begin at 10am. 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.

Church Sermon Podcast Available.

Missed a sermon or want to hear it again? Simply search "Auburn SDA Church" on your favorite podcast service or online at aubsda.org/audio.

ACS & ARC Are Looking for Volunteers.

If you have a passion for helping out the community on Monday or Tuesday mornings this summer, please contact ACS at (530) 823-0345 or the ARC at (530) 887-8693. This is also a great way for students to help out and earn some community service hours during the summer.

Church Office Closed Mon-Wed.

Due to vacation schedules, the church office will be closed from Monday-Wednesday. It will open again on Thursday. If you need anything, please feel free to send us an email at office@aubsda.net.

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-

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 June 15, 2023. Week 24. Thank you for your faithful giving.

	Budgeted	Received
Church Budget	\$89,003.08	\$83,496.20
Student Assistance	\$4,615.38	\$6,180.37
Youth Ministries	\$13,384.62	\$15,405.00

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: \$213,451.43 (As of 5/31/23 - Updated Monthly)