

ATTITUDE OF GRATITUDE

Erin and Jan Stone



Jan grew up in Loma Linda, After practicing for many years as a general surgeon, she is now semi-retired. She does wound care in long-term care facilities and volunteers each week teaching minor surgery to family medicine residents. In her free time she plays violin in the LA Doctors Symphony Orchestra.

Erin attended college in North Carolina and medical school in Loma Linda. He is also semi-retired and practices geriatrics/internal medicine at long-term care facilities. He later obtained an MA in religion with an emphasis on inter-religious studies.

The Stones have attended Vallejo Drive for over 30 years. Jan sings in the choir and has played piano in the lower division Sabbath School classes. Erin is an adult Sabbath School teacher and chairman of the Vallejo Drive Church Endowment Board. They both helped with the church Home Again LA ministry last month. They are thankful for the fellowship of the church family, and the various ministries of the church.

We at the Vallejo Drive Church would like to thank Jan and Erin for all of their enthusiasm, dedication, and hard work in ministry. Perhaps you too will hear God's call to serve in one of the many ministries we have here. God doesn't call the qualified, He qualifies the called. Whatever talents and skills you have, He can use you.

PRAYER REQUESTS

We invite you to add these people to your prayer list:

Petra Rodriguez; Sally Warner Church Leadership
Wanda Seiber; Valentina McAdams Pastoral Staff; Church Staff
Helen Adarme; The McGregor Family Conference Leaders

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Are you receiving our Weekly Newsletter via e-mail? Sign up today:

Text NEWSLETTER to 22828, or e-mail office@vallejodrive.church

Scan a QR code below! Open your camera app and point it here, and click the link.

See our newsletter, contact a pastor for bible study/prayer, and check out a list of ministries by scanning below. Connect Cards are also available at the pews.



NEWSLETTER



JOIN A MINISTRY



CONTACT A PASTOR

DIVINE WORSHIP

March 11, 2023
11:00 am

Prelude	<i>Gabriel's Oboe</i> by Ennio Moricone	Haesung Park, organ Nestor Pardo, oboe
Welcome	Church Life	Travis & Charelyn Paulson
Introit	<i>Let Heavenly Music Fill This Place</i> by Gordon Young	Chancel Choir H. Quintana, director Haesung Park, organ
Call to Worship		James Hearn
Congregational Praise	<i>Our God</i> By Micah Stampley	Vallejo Drive Worship
Greeting Time	<i>Lord I Lift Your Name on High</i> by Rick Founds	James Hearn
Congregational Hymn	<i>Great Is Thy Faithfulness</i> by Joachim Neander	Vallejo Drive Worship Haesung Park, organ
Garden of Prayer		Janet Takamune
Prayer Response	<i>O How He Loves You And Me</i> by Kurt Kaiser & Dick Bocks	Chancel Choir & Congregation
Special Tribute	Wayne Hooper	Men of the Choir
Children's Feature		Tim Olaore
Choral Anthem	<i>A Pure Heart</i> by Craig Courtney	Chancel Choir Haesung Park, piano
Offering Call	Local Church Budget	Terry Benson
Sermon	Our Father Forgives—Part 2 Matthew 6:12	Terry Benson
Congregational Response	<i>The Heart of Worship</i> By Matt Redman	Vallejo Drive Worship
Blessing		Terry Benson
Postlude	<i>Prelude in C minor, BWV 546</i> by J. S. Bach	Haesung Park, organ
Recessional		

CHURCH LIFE

WELCOME & HAPPY SABBATH! Thank you for choosing the Vallejo Drive Church to celebrate the Sabbath and blessing us with your presence. We are so happy that you are with us today. May God richly bless you!

COMMUNITY OUTREACH SABBATH: Come and reach our local community during our Community Outreach Sabbath. We have 3 groups that will be going out to minister to our local mission, hospital, and nursing home. Please contact Pastor Ben Garcia for more details or call the church office.

HOME AGAIN LA: We are teaming up with Home Again Los Angeles again for another week of supporting families in need on our church campus, April 9-16. Please contact Fred Cline or Ben Garcia if you would like to volunteer to be an overnight host or a dinner volunteer for this special week.

EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS: 2023-2024 Pacific Union Conference Educational Scholarships are now open. Please email the church office at office@vallejodrive.church on how to apply. Deadline: Monday, May 15, 2023.

FOR LEASE: 1 bedroom apartment, Freshly painted, new flooring; \$1,600/month; water and electrical included; walking distance from AHG; Located on Holly Drive: easy access to 134 and 2 freeways. Call BARCo Management at 818-500-7257 for viewing and details required.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES:
April 2: Quilting Meeting to finish quilts
April 8: Blessing of quilts and delivery to hospitals

The church needs a **FACILITY MANAGER** to help maintain our church campus. Please contact Pastors Aivars or Garcia for more info or to submit a resume.

GLENDALE ADVENTIST ACADEMY EVENTS:
For more information, contact GAA (818)-244-8671.

ADVENTIST HEALTH GLENDALE is having exercise classes on our church campus on Monday & Tuesdays. Visit adventisthealth.org/livewell or 818-409-8354.

CHURCH FINANCES

Year-To-Date: March 17, 2023

Tithes Received 2023	\$172,185.20
Tithes Received 2022	\$161,969.15
Local Church Giving 2023	\$36,728.12
Local Church Expenses 2023	\$66,743.28

CHURCH EVENTS

March 31	Young Adult Vespers	7 pm, Café
April 1	Community Outreach Sabbath	Various Locations
April 2	Women's Ministries: Quilting	Fellowship Hall
April 8	Blessing and Delivery of Quilts	Hospitals
April 9-16	Home Again Los Angeles Week	Church Campus
April 28	Young Adult Vespers	Café
May 20	Sermon: Buenaventura Garcia Music: Glendale Adventist Academy	Sanctuary
May 26	Young Adult Vespers	Café

MINISTRIES & OUTREACH

KIDS CONNECTION

Ages 3 - youth

A safe and fun VBS-style Sabbath School,
"where kids learn how to connect with each other and with God"
Every Sabbath at 9:45 a.m. in the Chapel

ADVENTURERS & PATHFINDERS

Adventurers (Pre-K—4th grade) and Pathfinders (5th – 8th grades) meet the 2nd and 4th Sabbaths from Sept– May, along with special events & activities. Email adventurers@vallejodrive.church or text (818) 571-2031 for more information.

HIGH SCHOOL & YOUTH

VDrive Youth Ministries is a Gospel connection which aligns high school teens to quality relationships in order to build their experience with God.
Sabbath School in the Youth Room on Sabbath mornings.

YOUNG ADULTS

every Sabbath at 9:45 am | Breakfast and Café Hour for ALL
2nd Fridays | Friday Chats Night via Discord
every last Friday | Young Adult Vespers

Contact the church office for information on how to join these events.

ADVENTIST FITNESS CLINIC

Grab your tennis shoes & come run, jog, or walk with the Adventist Fitness Clinic!
Sundays at 7:00 am | Verdugo Park—1621 Canada Blvd.
For information call Irvin Henry at (818) 625-2952

PRAYER & POWER TOOLS

Bring your shovel and drill, and come help make our church beautiful by gardening and doing basic maintenance. Contact Irvin Henry for more information.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: KOINONIA & SEEKING JESUS

Come study the Bible and learn more about God and His love. 2 classes on Wednesdays via Zoom. Contact Doug Warner for more information
headelder@vallejodrive.church

GUEST INFORMATION

- **CONNECT CARDS** are available in the pews. Please fill them out and place in the offering plates or leave at Hostess Desk.
- **LISTENING DEVICES** are available the Hostess Desk for guests who are hearing – impaired.
- **CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY BAGS** are available at the Hostess Desk for children ages 3 to 8. Please return them at the end of the service.
- **CHURCH PARKING** for those with disabilities or the elderly is designated in both parking lots closest to the church (Holly Drive or Vallejo Drive). Please park courteously.
- **FREE BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK** every second and fourth Sabbath following the worship service in the courtyard.
- **BREAKFAST EVERY SABBATH MORNING** at the Young Adult Café, first door on your left from Holly Drive parking lot, from 9:45 am to 11:00 am. Come enjoy food and fellowship!
- **KIDS CONNECTION** in the Chapel! Our children's Sabbath School program starts at 9:30 am, right before the little ones divide into their respective classes. Come join the fun in learning about Jesus!

SABBATH SCHOOL CLASSES

ADULT CLASSES

Adult Sabbath School	10:00-10:40	Sanctuary
Spanish Sabbath School/ Escuela Sabática	10:00-10:40	1st Floor, Room 104A
Sabbath School Discussion Group	9:45 -10:30	Fellowship Hall Upstairs

CHILDREN & YOUTH CLASSES

Kids Connection at 9:45 am	All Ages	Educational Complex Chapel
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Classes meet after Kids Connection

Beginners	Birth - 36 months	1st Floor, Room 116A
Tiny Tots	3 & 4 years	2nd Floor, Room 206A
Kindergarten	5 - 7 years	2nd Floor, Room 204B
Primary	3rd & 4th grades	2nd Floor, Room 202A
Juniors	5th & 6th grades	2nd Floor, Room 208A
T4C Earliteens	7th & 8th grades	1st Floor, Room 104A
VDrive - Youth	9th to 12th grades	1st Floor, Room 106A
Young Adults	18 and up	Café

STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

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