

ATTITUDE OF GRATITUDE

Dr. Haesung Park



Today we feature one of our outstanding musicians—our organist, Haesung Park.

Born into a devoted Christian family in Seoul, South Korea, Haesung was baptized at age 10 in her local Presbyterian church. Musical talent runs in her family—her aunt, a piano professor, began teaching her at just four years old. By the end of middle school, her gifts were so advanced that she was accepted into a prestigious arts high school for gifted musicians. She later earned her Bachelor of Music from the Korean National University of Arts.

In 2005, her passion for music brought her to the United States. She earned a Master of Music at Boston University and a Doctor of Musical Arts (DMA) with honors in both piano and organ from the University of Southern California (USC). In 2014, she won first prize in the organ division of the Los Angeles International Liszt Competition. Originally planning to return to Korea, she instead remained in the U.S. after receiving a special green card for “Extraordinary Ability Artists.”

Her accomplishments are many: Haesung has collaborated with members of the LA Philharmonic, LA Opera, and Santa Barbara Symphony. She was the first Korean organist to perform a solo recital at Harvard University’s Flentrop Organ Recital Series and appeared as a soloist with the Santa Barbara Symphony in Saint-Saëns’ Organ Symphony No. 3. Today, she serves as an adjunct professor of piano and organ at Pepperdine University, while also maintaining a private piano studio for young musicians. In 2015, she met her husband, Dr. Jonathan Lee, an accomplished dentist, and they were married two years later.

Haesung’s first introduction to Vallejo Drive Church came when she performed here with an LA-based ensemble. She had heard about the church’s rich musical heritage and its beautiful Casavant organ from her mentor, Dr. Ladd Thomas, and immediately loved the instrument.

When asked what drew her to Vallejo Drive, she said, “God has given me a gift of music. I want to use that gift for His glory. I like all the talented people here. It is a sheer joy to be working with great people. Besides, the pastors are very accessible, and I think they work hard.”

Today, Dr. Haesung Park is not only our gifted organist and pianist, but also a devoted teacher to many of our church children. Her faith, artistry, and passion testify to the power of music in bridging cultures and enriching the proclamation of the gospel. We are truly blessed to have her as part of our church family.

WORSHIP

Prelude	<i>Prelude in G Major (F. Mendelssohn)</i>	Organ
Introit	<i>Jesu, Joy of Man’s Desiring (Bach)</i>	Chancel Choir & Organ
Invocation		Pastor Aivars Ozolins
Opening Hymn	<i>We Gather Together #8</i>	Chorister & Organ Vallejo Drive Worship
Welcome & Greeting Time		Pastor Cindy Ramirez-Hui
Children’s Story		Myra Wong
Songs of Worship	<i>Praise To The Lord The Almighty What a God</i>	Vallejo Drive Worship
Garden of Prayer		Irvin Henry, Jr.
Congregational Prayer Response	<i>Great is Thy Faithfulness</i> (please remain kneeling)	Vallejo Drive Worship
Choral Anthem	<i>A Pure Heart</i> (Courtney/Martin)	Chancel Choir & Piano
Sermon	<b>“On the Hill”</b>	Pastor Jonathan Henderson
Worship in Giving & Benediction		Pastor Jonathan Henderson
Congregational Response	<i>Doxology</i>	Vallejo Drive Worship
Postlude	<i>Allegro maestoso e vivace from Sonata No. 2 (F. Mendelssohn)</i> (please remain seated)	Organ

Organist/Pianist: Haesung Park, DMA  
Praise Team Director: Matt Daley, DMA  
Chancel Choir Director: Helene Quintana, DMA

PREACHING SCHEDULE

September 20, 2025: Pastor Calvin Gardner  
September 27, 2025: Pastor Jonathan Henderson

CHURCH LIFE

WELCOME AND HAPPY SABBATH!

Thank you for choosing Vallejo Drive Church as your place of worship. We pray that you will be blessed today.

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS (2<sup>nd</sup> Reading & VOTE)

Out: Judy and Steve Clendenin to Granite Bay Hilltop SDA Church  
In: Kathleen Diaz from Culver City SDA Church  
Maite Real-Cervik from Glendale City SDA Church  
Queenika Joseph from New Generation SDA Church of North Miami

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Please pray for Jacqueline Baptiste, Petra Rodriguez, Susan Lindner, Alan Demascus, Francis Ciera, Trevis Wanjohi, Kayla, Lucy Wanjohi, Stephenson & Boke, Wesley family, Birmingham family, and for our members affected by the SoCal fires.

SCC OFFERING SCHEDULE: [scc.adventist.org/treasury](https://scc.adventist.org/treasury)

Sept 13: World Budget:-Adventist World Radio  
Sept 27: SCC Disaster Relief

9:30 am SABBATH SCHOOL & 10:15 am MISSION FEATURE in CHAPEL

This Sabbath, Sept 13: Schubert Palmer: General Conference Update

HOME AGAIN LA OUTREACH

Contact Maite & Andrew Cervik on how you can provide dinner and breakfast for families in need this week Sept 15-17, on Oct 13-15, and Dec 8-10.

WOMEN’S MINISTRIES

The Secret Sister Post Office is open til Oct 25. Bring your Secret Sister a note & a small gift. Stop by our Secret Sister Post Office in the lobby and receive your package!  
For more info, please contact Alma Wesley at (747) 215-0611.  
Secret Sister Adventure: Upcoming Events  
(spouses are invited to all events!)  
Sept 13: Secret Sister Potluck, Adarme Home (text Alma for address)  
Oct 4: Secret Sister potluck, Fellowship Hall  
Oct 26: Secret Sister Luncheon and Reveal Party, Fellowship Hall

GAA NEWS

Please continue to support and pray for our constituent school Glendale Adventist Academy, their faculty, staff, and students. 818-244-8671.

## CHURCH EVENTS

Sab, Sept 13	Secret Sister Potluck	1 pm, Adarme House
Sun, Sept 14	Quilting Bee	9 am, Fellowship Hall
Sept 15-17	Home Again LA Outreach	see Maite Cervik
Fri, Sept 19	Young Adult Vespers	7 pm, Eagle Rock
Sab, Sept 20	World Pathfinder Day	11 am, Sanctuary
	Bible Olympics	3 pm, Chapel and FH
Fri, Sept 26	The Beacon Bible Study	6:30, Youth Room
Sab, Sept 27	Communion	11 am, Sanctuary
	Praise Music Workshop	3 pm, Church Campus
Sab, Oct 4	Secret Sister Potluck	1 pm, Fellowship Hall

## MINISTRIES & OUTREACH

**FOOD BANK:** Come help feed those in need! To volunteer to receive, pick up donations, or distribute food, please contact Pastor Ben. Receiving donations at church on Mondays & Fridays. Food Distribution: Mondays 2:30pm to 4 pm & Sabbath afternoons.

**LAUNDRY LOVE MINISTRY:** For those in need of laundry services: every 3rd Tuesday at 1157 N Pacific, Glendale For more info, contact Doug at 818-935-4317 or Pastor Cindy.

**ADVENTURERS & PATHFINDERS** Adventurers (PreK-4th grade) and Pathfinders (ages 10+) meet on the 2nd and 4th Sabbaths, from Sept to June. [adventurers@vallejodrive.church](mailto:adventurers@vallejodrive.church) or text 818-571-2038

**TEENS4CHRIST:** T4C Hangout: A Friday after-school activity with games, snacks, and vespers for 7th and 8th graders. Fridays at 3 pm. [vallejodrive.church/T4C](http://vallejodrive.church/T4C)

**THE BEACON (YOUTH):** 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday: 6:30-9 pm: Glow @ The Beacon (Vespers) | 4<sup>th</sup> Friday: 6:30-9 pm: Bible Study

**YOUNG ADULTS:** 1st Sabbath of month: Afternoon Bible Study  
2nd Sabbath: Social Event | 3rd Friday: Joint Vespers with Eagle Rock SDA Church

**EXERCISE OPPORTUNITIES**  
Come exercise with our Adventist Fitness Clinic on Sundays at 7am at Verdugo Park. Contact Irvin Henry Jr. at (818) 625-2952 for more information.  
During the week, join AHG LiveWell’s Exercise program Mon-Wed [here at church!](#)  
Contact Sara Neal at (818) 409-8354 for dates and times.

**WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY GROUPS**  
Mondays 7 pm on Zoom: Koinonia- led by Elder Doug Warner  
Wednesdays 6pm on Zoom: Seeking Jesus- led by Pastor Mark Papendick  
Wednesdays 7pm in-person: Bible Study- led by the Pastoral Staff

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!** Join our Media/AV team & be part of bringing worship to life, both in person and supporting our livestream. Contact Mavis 818-419-4429

**WOMEN’S MINISTRY:** Baby Quilts: Capable hands needed to complete baby quilts for LA General Medical Center’s NICU. **Meetings 2025: Sept 21, Oct 19, Nov 16, Dec 21. 2026: Jan 18, Feb 15, March 15, April 19, May 17, June 28.** Contact Alma 747-215-0611 or Winna 818-919-9228 for more information. Can’t come to quilt? Visit [vallejodrive.church/women](http://vallejodrive.church/women) for a list of supplies. Sponsor a Baby Quilt! \$35 only!

**MUSIC MINISTRY REHEARSALS--everyone is welcome!**  
Praise Team: Contact Matt Daley for more info: [worship@vallejodrive.church](mailto:worship@vallejodrive.church)  
Bell Choir: Fridays at 7:15 pm in the Bell Room. Contact the church office for info  
Choir: Saturdays at 9:15 am, in the Choir Room. Contact the church office

## CHURCH INFORMATION

**LISTENING DEVICES** are available at the Hostess Desk for guests who are hearing impaired.

**CHILDREN’S ACTIVITY BAGS** are available at the Hostess Desk for children ages 1 to 9. Please return them at the end of the service.

**HANDICAPPED PARKING SPACES** are available for people with disabilities and the proper placards in our two parking lots: 4 spaces in our Holly Drive lot, 3 spaces in our Vallejo Drive lot, and 2 spaces right in front of our Sanctuary.

## FINANCES

Year to Date: September 12, 2025

Total Local Church Giving	\$684,258.38
Total Local Church Spending	\$743,499.10
Budget Giving (incl. in local)	\$261,713.60
Budget Spending (incl. in local)	\$363,230.07
Tithes Received 2025	\$764,234.37
Tithes Received 2024	\$718,361.43

## SABBATH SCHOOL

**KIDS CONNECTION at 9:45 am in Room 106 for 0-12 years old**  
Contact Audrey Zorek (818) 256-6147 [kidsconnection@vallejodrive.church](mailto:kidsconnection@vallejodrive.church)

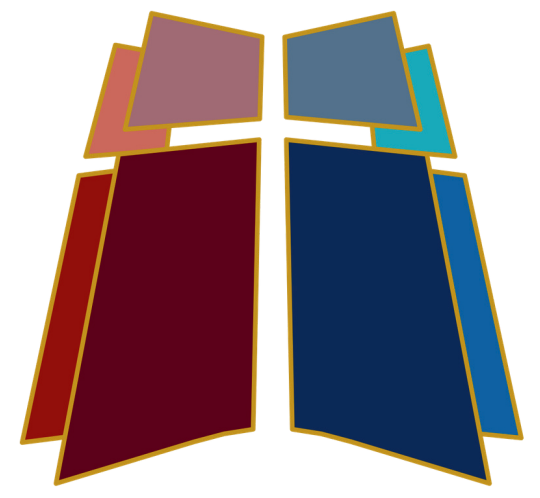
Beginners	Birth - 36 months	1st floor, Room 116A
Kindergarten	4 - 5 years old	2nd floor, Room 206A
Primary	1 <sup>st</sup> - 3 <sup>rd</sup> grades	2nd floor, Room 202A
Juniors	4 <sup>th</sup> - 5 <sup>th</sup> grades	2nd floor, Room 208A

10 am: TEENS4CHRIST (Earliteens, 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades) 1<sup>st</sup> floor, Rm 104A  
9:45 am: The Beacon (Youth/High School) 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Room 202A

10-10:45 am: Young Adult Sabbath School (Cafe)  
9:30-10:15 am: Adult Sabbath School Lesson Study (Chapel)  
10:15-10:45 am: Adult Sabbath School Mission Program (Chapel)  
9:45-10:30 am: Fellowship Hall Class (Fellowship Hall)  
9:30-10:50 am: Spanish SS/Escuela Sabática (1st Floor Room 104A)  
10-10:45 am: Gospel Conversations (Outside Hallway)

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Grace<sup>on the</sup>Hill

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September 13, 2025

“On the Hill”

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