

**ANZA BORREGO DESERT STATE PARK CAMPOUT DEC. 21-25 (sponsored by UCG-LA).** UCG-Los Angeles is sponsoring a winter campout with varied activities at Anza Borrego Desert State Park Sunday, Dec. 21 – Thursday, Dec. 25. Our members are invited. Flyers with details are on the Information Table.

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**Deacons and Deaconesses**

**Deacons**

David Marcum  
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 Cindy Neumann  
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 Shelly Thomas  
 Ann Tower  
 Jean Updegraff  
 Debra Vidal

**Location of Services**

Starting Point Church  
 14071 Springdale St.  
 Westminster, CA 92683

**Mailing Address (for donations)**

United Church of God – Orange County (or UCG-OC)  
 P.O. Box 3463  
 Seal Beach, CA 90740

**Congregation website:**

**Webcast**

<https://www.ucg.org/webcast/orange-county-ca>

Includes cybercast access (password required) plus local bulletin, calendar, sermons and UCG member resources.



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## Announcement Bulletin

**December 13, 2025**

**Hymn Leader:** Mr. Dave Wallauch

**Sermonette:** Mr. Gary Snyder

**Sermon:** Mr. Mario Seiglie

### Sabbath Thought

**Introduction to the Psalms (part 5)**

*Wiersbe's Commentary*

Some of the psalms are laments to the Lord, written by people in dire circumstances. There are also messianic psalms that point forward to the Lord Jesus Christ. There are also psalms of praise and thanksgiving, royal psalms, wisdom psalms, psalms of affirmation and trust, penitential psalms, and even imprecatory psalms calling down God's wrath on the enemy.

*-- Submitted by Mario Seiglie*

**BIBLE STUDY AFTER SERVICES TODAY**

Our next Bible Study will be after services today, December 13, a 4:15 p.m. – We are covering 1 Corinthians 7-8.

**STOP USING THE UCG BOOKLET 3x5 MAILER and BUSINESS CARDS**

The Home Office has a new website and a new URL and the QR code for the UCG Booklets. The URL and the QR code on our mailer and business cards are no longer correct. Please stop distributing the mailer and business cards and throw them away if you have any.

### OUR LOCAL CHURCH COUNCIL 2026-2027

We have our local church council members for Jan. 2026 – Dec. 2027. We don't need to ballot this year because we did not go over the maximum allotted for each category

Elders: Howard Marchbanks, Mario Seiglie, Roy Tower

Deacons/Deaconesses: Cindy Neumann, Michelle Thomas, Jean Updegraff

General Membership: Teresa Chen, Mike Masten, Ray Roberts, Carmen Snyder.

The next meeting will be Monday, January 12, at 7:00 via Zoom. The chairman and vice chair for the next council term will be selected at that meeting.

**There will be short membership meeting for our attendees right after services next Sabbath, December 20.**

### DO WE HAVE YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION – OR HAVE YOU CHANGED ANY INFORMATION

We like to have up-to-date contact information from those who attend. If you are new or have recently changed your address or any contact information (or if you prefer a cell phone even if you also have a landline), please fill out the form on the Information Table and/or contact Jean Updegraff at (714) 546-4695 or email her at [jeanupde@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jeanupde@sbcglobal.net).

### ZOOM PROPHECY CLASS

**Upcoming Prophecy Class:** The next regional Bible Class on Prophecy will be on **\*December 17th, Wednesday, at 7 p.m. (Coast Time).** Scott Ashley will be presenting material on **Prophecies of the Church in the End Times.** There will be another class on Dec. 30 (Tuesday) on The Seven (7) Beatitudes of Revelation

### Zoom link:

**<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82602380629?pwd=TDNEQXowcFJZR3ZZN3AwUzIydkV3Zz09>**

### WOMEN'S ENRICHMENT WEEKEND JANUARY 23-25, 2026 - registration deadline next Sabbath, December 20= +

Our next Women's Enrichment Weekend will be held on January 23-25 again at the Embassy Suites in Brea. This is our 23rd Women's Weekend - theme is "Bearing Fruit in Every Season of Our Lives."

The brochure and registration form are posted on our UCG-Orange County's church website: [orange-county-ca.ucg.org](http://orange-county-ca.ucg.org) (look under "Announcements") and brochures and separate registration forms are also available on our Information Table. The registration deadline is Dec. 20. so please begin making your plans. If you need financial assistance to attend days only, please contact Jean Updegraff. If you have items for the fundraiser, please give them to Carmen Snyder by January 10.

### AMBASSADOR BIBLE COLLEGE MAGNETIC YEARLY CALENDAR – deadline today December 13

This calendar/planner features God's Holy Days and Feasts for the year 2026. The calendar is a 11 by 8½-inch glossy magnetic calendar that features a blank section on the lower portion for additional information such as reminders and lists. This calendar can be written on with any dry erase marker.

This year's ABC class has already pre-ordered and printed calendars, so they are ready to be distributed for **\$10 each**. The funds help support the ABC class this year.

### How to order the Calendar

If you would like a calendar, please contact Jean Updegraff and pay her the \$10. The calendars will be distributed at church when we get them. Jean's contact info: (714-546-4695; [jeanupde@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jeanupde@sbcglobal.net)).

### PRAYER REQUESTS

Roy Tower, Wolfgang Spengler, Knox Anson, Rebeca Azar, Christa Sanchez, Nancy Dailey, Cheri Musser, Irene Larvie, Lincoln Marini, Jeff Lewis, Ramona Morrisette-Nagai, Mark Dyches, Enrique Vidal, Pam Snyder, Jimmy Ortiz, Carmel Cini, Brad & JoAnn Slater, Helene Rosenberg, Melanie Bryan and Brennan Hilgen

### COFFEE SOCIAL ROTATION

| Date    | Region in Charge                                                |
|---------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| Dec. 13 | #2 (North & East) - Towers                                      |
| Dec. 20 | <b>#1 (West) – Moore (swap with Central who did it Dec. .6)</b> |
| Dec. 27 | #4 (South) - Marinis                                            |

**SUNSET:** Sunset this evening is at 4:43 pm; next Friday at 4:46 pm.