

CULVER PALMS CHURCH OF CHRIST

December 14, 2025

"a family for you"

The Culver Palms family of Christians exists to worship God joyfully and make disciples of Jesus by reaching out with the Good News of Salvation in Christ, strengthening believers for lives of deeper faith and service, and ministering to our local community in the Name of Christ.

SERVICES & LOCATION

9:30 am Adult Bible Study	Fellowship Hall Rm #114 (also via Zoom)
9:30 am Children's Bible Class	Preschool thru 5 th Grade
9:30 am Youth Group Bible Class	Teen Room
10:00 am Fellowship	Fellowship Hall for Coffee & Donuts
10:30 am Worship Service	Auditorium (also via Zoom)
Children's Worship	Preschool thru 3 rd Grade will be released during Worship Service

JOIN A LIFE GROUP

Check out the Calendar below or find a list of Life Groups in the "Small Groups" tab at <https://culverpalms.org/>

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Adult Bible Class, Sun, 9:30 am, Fellowship Hall, Rm 114

Burrito Project, 7:00 pm every other Tue, Dec 23. Contact Keith Brisco: (310) 283-8819.

ReOrient Youth Group, Youth Rm, Dec 17, 7:00- 8:30 pm.

Young Adult Life Group (under 40 yrs) - Dec 18. Contact Brandon: brandon.scheirman@gmail.com.

Zoom Life Group, Thursdays, 7:30 pm. Everyday Revolutionary by JD Greear: How to Transcend the Culture War and Transform the world. See Gail gailbrisco@gmail.com or cell (424) 232-1313

Culver City Life Group, Dec 14, 5 PM - In-person family friendly life group! We'll enjoy a meal and study the Word. Contact Catherine Cummings at tooboyz9800@gmail.com

Divine Acceleration Prayer Service (Zoom), Jan 3, first Saturday monthly, 7:30-8:30 am. Greg McNair: gmcnair@broomeff.org.

Christmas Potluck Lunch! - Sun, Dec 21 - Immediately following service. See Julie Levier

Shepherds

Paul Bost Keith Brisco Ron Halbert
Jeff Nicholson Elizabeth Smith

Ministers & Staff

Mark Manassee – Senior Minister
Jiana Manglicmot – Youth Minister
Pudens Tian – Chinese Minister
Layla Brisco – Associate Youth Minister
Angela Manassee – Administrative Assistant
Ron Arsenault – Facilities Manager
Marsha Lovett – Business Manager

Additional Contact Information

Young Adults: Brandon Scheirman - brandon.scheirman@gmail.com

ReOrient Youth Group: Jiana Manglicmot – jiana@culverpalms.org

Children's Ministry: childrensministry@culverpalms.org or Layla Brisco - layla.brisco@gmail.com

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Email: church@culverpalms.org

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Phone: (310) 202-7667

*To be added to our family and friend's **CULVER PALMS E-BLAST**, please email church@culverpalms.org*

Welcome to Culver Palms (please give your info below to a Shepherd or put in donation box at back of the auditorium)

Name _____ Date _____
Address _____ New Address? _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Phone Number _____ Add me to the email blast? _____
Email _____

This is my: ___ 1st time ___ 2nd time ___ 3rd time ___ More?

How did you hear about Culver Palms? _____

Contact info made easy!

We are blessed to have you with us in worship today. Use this QR code to share your contact info or use the tear-off slip.



ORDER OF WORSHIP

#1016 – This Little Light of Mine

Welcome & Family Life: Jiana Manglicmot

Call to Worship: Dean Shaw

#997 – *O Come, All Ye Faithful*

#998 – *What Child is This?*

Opening Prayer: Dean Shaw

O Come, O Come Emanuel

Advent – Layla Brisco and Elizabeth Smith

Come Thou Long Expected Jesus

Christmas Pageant

Communion Meditation: The Hissoms

#1001 – *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing*

Scripture Reading: Luke 1:57-80 by Alyssa Bost

Sermon: “Those Who Sit in Darkness” - Advent: Hope for a Weary World by Mark Manassee

#1012 – *Go Tell It On The Mountain*

Intercessory Prayer: Ron Halbert

#1018 – *Joy to the World*

Benediction: Dean Shaw

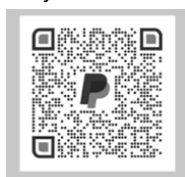
***Pre-school thru 3rd Grade, are dismissed for Children’s Worship.**

****Requests welcome now for prayer, confession, and thanksgiving.**

If interested in baptism, please contact a shepherd or a minister.

GIVING MADE EASY

To “give” to Culver Palms: go to <https://culverpalms.org/giving> or use the QR codes for Culver Palms Church of Christ. For PayPal, use the “send to a friend” option. Thank you.



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- **Children's Ministry Volunteers**, Alyssa Bost 317-979-6389.
 - **Meal Train** (Contact Alyssa Bost; see email blast for links)
 - **Scheirman Family** following birth of Amelia
 - **Manassee Family** check diet guidelines in eblast
 - **The Blessing Box: Food Donations** children collect funds after Worship Service for this blessing 1st Sunday of each month
 - **Family First, First Sunday of Month**

PRAYER REQUESTS

Betty Majidi had surgery. Please pray for her recovery.

Christal Lord requests prayers for her friend, **Kathy Shaffer**, who needs immediate cancer surgery.

Please pray for **Gail Brisco’s father**, who suffered a fall. Initial test results have been favorable but pray for his rehabilitation.

Jennifer Dill requests prayers for **Brenda Jackson**, who’s in the ICU.

Mark Manassee requests prayers that **Angela** continues to improve enough to allow her oncologist to begin chemotherapy.

The Henegar family requests prayer for the family and friends of **Justin Seguencia**, who was struck and killed by a car, the day before Thanksgiving. He was only 22.

Charles Zimmer requests prayers for his daughter, **Tamika**, who suffered a stroke and is currently in the hospital.

Rich & Julie Levier request prayers for their friend, **Mike**, who received a cancer diagnosis. Pray for comfort and treatment options.

September Hill requests prayers for daughter, **Hayden Hill**, as she teaches English in Bulgaria.

Randi Hissom requests prayers for her stepfather, **Randy Koctar**, who fell and broke his shoulder. It’s a long recovery process.

Continuing requests:

Shepherds request prayers for the **World**, our **Nation**, our **Neighborhood**, and our **Congregation**.

*Please lift-up our Partners-in-the-Gospel: **Alexander & Eleni Millrytos**, Athens, Greece; **Cheryl Lee**, Xi’an, China; **Florence for Youth in Action**, Uganda, East Africa. **Predisan Health Ministries**, Catacamas, Honduras; **Our Chinese Ministry** and their outreach.*

I WOULD LIKE MORE INFORMATION ABOUT: ____ How to begin a relationship with Christ ____ How to become part of this church family
____ Young Adult Ministry ____ Children’s Ministry ____ Middle/High School Ministry ____ Life Groups

PRAYER REQUESTS OR COMMENTS: ____ **Public Prayer** ____ **Confidential Prayer**

Name of Requestor: _____

Request: _____
