

SABBATH SCHOOL

August 1st – August 7th

❖ 9:15 am Morning Song Service

❖ 9:30 - 10:30 am Bible Study

“Unlimited Possibilities”

There are 3 Adult Classes

* In the Sanctuary – * In the Fellowship Hall

* Classroom in Basement

 Memory Verse Acts 4:31

SABBATH WORSHIP SERVICE

10:45 am - Welcome & Announcements

Doxology #694

Invocation Calvin Millet

Scripture: (Matthew 24:14) Ron Jenkins

Offering: (Women’s Ministries)

“But thou shalt remember the Lord thy God: for it is he that giveth thee power to get wealth, that he may establish his covenant.”
Deut.8:18

Children’s Story

[School Budget, Worthy Student, Summer Camp Scholarship]

Opening Hymn #547 ... “Be Thou My Vision”

Sharing Time.....Ron Jenkins

Pre-Prayer Response: # 671

Message: Calvin Millet

“You Choose or You Loose”

Closing Hymn #442 ... “How Sweet Are the Tidings”

Benediction Calvin Millet



Vegetarian Pot-Luck
In The Fellowship Hall

Everyone is invited!

A time to share your favorite dish!!

Fill the whole heart with the words of God. They are the living water, quenching your burning thirst. They are the living bread from heaven. Jesus declares, *“Except ye eat the flesh of the Son of man, and drink His blood, ye have no life in you.”* And He explains Himself by saying, *“The words that I speak unto you, they are spirit, and they are life.”* John 6:53, 63. Our bodies are built up from what we eat and drink; and as in the natural economy, so in the spiritual economy: it is what we meditate upon that will give tone and strength to our spiritual nature.

The theme of redemption is one that the angels desire to look into; it will be the science and the song of the redeemed throughout the ceaseless ages of eternity. Is it not worthy of careful thought and study now? The infinite mercy and love of Jesus, the sacrifice made in our behalf, call for the most serious and solemn reflection. We should dwell upon the character of our dear Redeemer and Intercessor. We should meditate upon the mission of Him who came to save His people from their sins. As we thus contemplate heavenly themes, our faith and love will grow stronger, and our prayers will be more and more acceptable to God, because they will be more and more mixed with faith and love. They will be intelligent and fervent. There will be more constant confidence in Jesus, and a daily, living experience in His power to save to the uttermost all that come unto God by Him.

As we meditate upon the perfections of the Saviour, we shall desire to be wholly transformed and renewed in the image of His purity. There will be a hungering and thirsting of soul to become like Him whom we adore. The more our thoughts are upon Christ, the more we shall speak of Him to others and represent Him to the world.

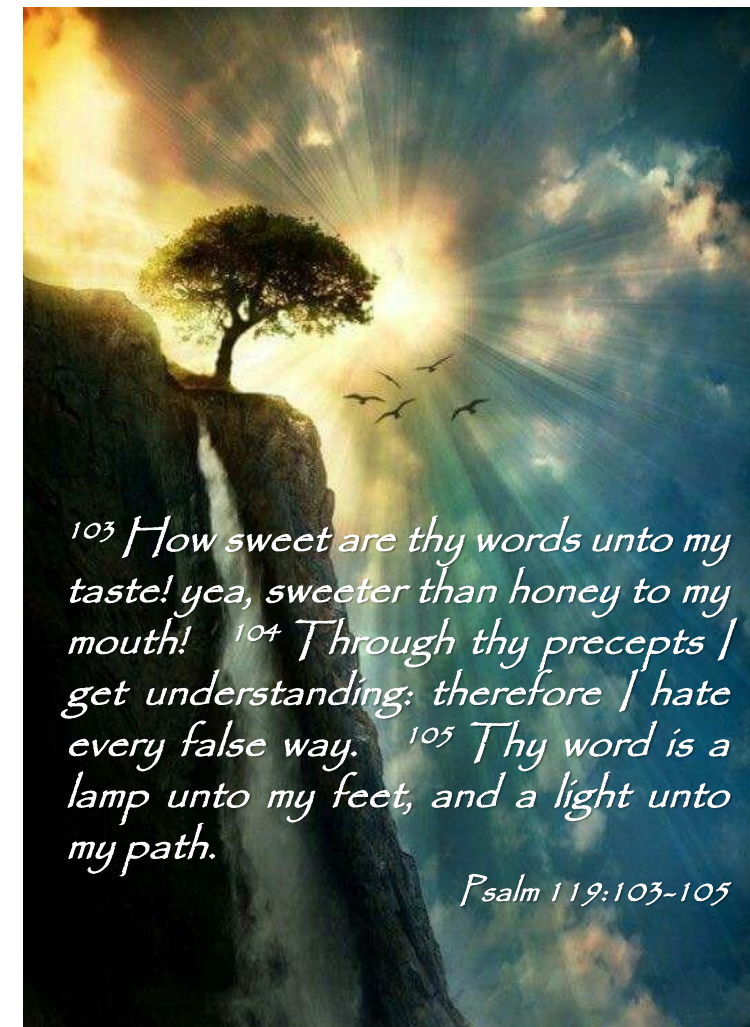
The Bible was not written for the scholar alone; on the contrary, it was designed for the common people. The great truths necessary for salvation are made as clear as noonday; and none will mistake and lose their way except those who follow their own judgment instead of the plainly revealed will of God.

We should not take the testimony of any man as to what the Scriptures teach, but should study the words of God for ourselves. If we allow others to do our thinking, we shall have crippled energies and contracted abilities. The noble powers of the mind may be so dwarfed by lack of exercise on themes worthy of their concentration as to lose their ability to grasp the deep meaning of the word of God. The mind will enlarge if it is employed in tracing out the relation of the subjects of the Bible, comparing scripture with scripture and spiritual things with spiritual. [STEPS TO CHRIST, pages 88.2-89.3]



Seventh-Day Adventist

Sabbath – August 8, 2020



103 How sweet are thy words unto my taste! yea, sweeter than honey to my mouth! 104 Through thy precepts I get understanding: therefore I hate every false way. 105 Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.

Psalm 119:103-105

WELCOME

Our Church Family extends a heartfelt welcome to everyone worshipping with us today, and our prayer is that you may feel the brush of angel's wings as you worship with us this Sabbath Day.

THIS WEEKS EVENTS

TODAY:

8:30 am Prayer Group meeting - Prayer Room

MONDAY:

**11:00 am "Ladies Bible Study"- Studying the Gospels
Sm. Classroom Fellowship Hall - ?? Call Joann Klassen**

WEDNESDAY:

5:30 pm -Prayer Meeting - "Steps to Christ"

6:30 pm - Church Board Meeting

FRIDAY - Preparation Day

NEXT SABBATH

Speaker: Pastor Elroy Offering: Local Church Budget

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **School Volunteers Needed - If interested Contact Jim Morris, Pastor, or Dovee Boyett.**
- **COVID Remember - If you are showing any flu symptoms please stay home. Mask are encouraged - Please respect others and practice social distancing of a few feet and use hand sanitizer at potluck.**

Bulletin Announcements Contact:

*Jim or Linda Morris
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(870)404-2135

**Sunset Today
8:01pm**

**Sunset Friday
7:54 pm**

IT IS ALL ABOUT PRAYER

Genuine Prayer Does Not Depend Upon Time or Place or Circumstances, cont'd - All your good purposes and good intentions will not enable you to withstand the test of temptation. You must be men of prayer. Your petitions must be not faint, occasional, and fitful, but earnest, persevering, and constant. It is not necessary to be alone, or to bow upon your knees, to pray; but in the midst of your labor your souls may be often uplifted to God, taking hold upon His strength; then you will be men of high and holy purpose, of noble integrity, who will not for any consideration be swayed from truth, right, and justice. (Testimonies for the Church 4:542, 543.)

We must pray constantly, with a humble mind and a meek and lowly spirit. We need not wait for an opportunity to kneel before God. We can pray and talk with the Lord wherever we may be. - (Selected Messages 3:266.)

Prayers in Public Should Be Short and Characterized by a Natural Tone of Voice - The long prayers made by some ministers have been a great failure. Praying to great length, as some do, is all out of place. They injure the throat and vocal organs, and then they talk of breaking down by their hard labor. They injure themselves when it is not called for. Many feel that praying injures their vocal organs more than talking. This is in consequence of the unnatural position of the body, and the manner of holding the head. They can stand and talk, and not feel injured. The position in prayer should be perfectly natural. Long praying wearies, and is not in accordance with the gospel of Christ. Half or even quarter of an hour is altogether too long. A few minutes' time is long enough to bring your case before God and tell Him what you want; and you can take the people with you and not weary them out and lessen their interest in devotion and prayer. They may be refreshed and strengthened, instead of exhausted.

A mistake has been made by many in their religious exercises in long praying and long preaching, upon a high key, with a forced voice, in an unnatural strain and an unnatural tone. - (Testimonies for the Church 2:617.)

Prayer, pages 214.5 -215.3; by E.G. White

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CHURCH OFFICERS:

Elders: Jim Morris [Head Elder], Calvin Millet,

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Assistant Head Deacon: David Bendler

Treasurer: Dorothy Hess

Assist. Treasurer: Frank Walker

SS Superintendent: Joanne Klassen

Church Clerk: Shari Jenkins

STEWARDSHIP BUDGET - August - 2020

Budget - Monthly.....	\$	3,601.00
Received Month to Date.....	\$	1,610.08

Still needed for Aug \$ 1,116.42

(Not included in the Church Budget \$\$)

Tithe Received	\$	9,666.58
School Budget Donations	\$	239.40

URGENT MAINTENANCE NEEDS

NEW ROOF FUNDS, Maintenance Acct. # 300:

Balance: \$1,065.00 {Funds Needed approx. \$22,000.00}

SANCTUARY/FOYER PAINTING & REPAIRS,

Maintenance Acct. # 202 - Balance: \$55 {Funds Needed approx. \$5,100.00}

REPLACEMENT OF WINDOWS (with Low-E glass)

Maintenance Acct/#205 Balance: \$55 {Funds Needed approx. \$3,100.00.}

CARPET\FLOORING & RE-UPHOLSTREY OF PEWS -

Maintenance Acct. #253 - Balance: \$10,784.05 {Funds Needed \$43,000}

NOTE: ** If we raise half of the above needed funds (approx. \$37,000); we may be able to secure a loan and complete all of these maintenance needs in quick succession.

CHURCH SCHOOL AIR-CONDITIONING (refurbished)

Maintenance Acct/#280 Balance: \$50 {Funds Needed \$470}