

# announcements

Please help preserve our reverence in worship  
by **SILENCING YOUR CELL PHONES.**

**WORK BEE MARCH 29:** There will be a Work Bee at the late Fred Woods home, his wife Jane is truly needing some assistance to help consolidate mementos and things of Fred's.

**CHEF MARK ANTHONY RETURNS HERE IN APRIL:** Celebrity Chef Mark Anthony returns to our church to present his "Free Dinner and a Message" event, **April 27** at 6:00 pm. See poster on bulletin board for more information.

**TUESDAY EVENING PRAYER MEETING:** Will remain on hiatus until sometime after the Pastor's back surgery. At this time that will tentatively be in mid March.

**WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY 6:30 PM:** We are having Bible Studies here at the Leach SDA Fellowship Hall every Wednesday evening beginning at 6:30pm. Beginning a new study entitled "Search for Certainty" by Mark Finley. For further information contact Mary Fry at 731-307-1933, if no answer send text message.

**CARD MINISTRY:** The Leach Seventh-day Adventist Church Greeting Card Ministry provides encouragement to our congregation and community by sending greeting cards to those in need. If you know of someone who needs extra encouragement, please notify Becky Ross with name and address.

**THE LEACH CHURCH FOOD PANTRY:** Operates on a monetary donation basis only by marking the amount you want specified for this with "Community Service" on your tithe envelope under the Local Church Budget section. If you know of someone in need, contact Aaron Sirk or Sandy Gentry.

**COLLECTION:** Sister Ola Twing of our church is collecting labels from vegetarian canned foods. If you have any of these items you would like to donate, please include the entire label. For more information, contact Sister Ola at our church.

**MORE EVENTS COMING UP IN 2020:**

**MARCH 5-7:** KY-TN Music Festival at Highland Academy.

**MARCH 27-28:** Memphis Festival of Faith.

**APRIL 19:** Mother/Daughter retreat at Paradise Ranch. Register at kytn.net or call 615-859-1391.

**APRIL 24-26:** Young Adult retreat at Indian Creek Camp.

**MAY 22-30:** KY-TN Camp Meeting, "Guided by the Word" at Highland Academy.

*(More information on each of these events will be posted when/if received.)*

**The Mission** of the Seventh-day Adventist Church is to proclaim to all people the everlasting gospel in the context of the three angels' messages of Revelation 14:6-12, leading them to accept Jesus as their personal Savior and to unite with His church, and nurturing them in preparation for His soon return.

## SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST BELIEVE . . .

- ... In the entire Bible as the inspired Word of God. (*2 Timothy 3:16*).
- ... In the Holy Trinity: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. (*John 17:1; Acts 5:3-4*).
- ... In Salvation only through Jesus Christ. (*Acts 4:10-12; Ephesians 2:8-9*).
- ... In the new birth. (*John 3:1-7; 2 Corinthians 5:17*).
- ... In the imminent, literal, visible return of Jesus. (*Acts 1:11; Matthew 24:29-34*).
- ... In the Ten Commandments as God's infallible rule for living, and as the standard for the judgment. (*Exodus 20:3-17; James 2:10-12*).
- ... In the sanctity of God's Seventh-day Sabbath.  
*(Genesis 2:2-3; Exodus 20:8-11; Isaiah 58:13; Mark 2:28)*.
- ... In the resurrection of the dead. (*John 5:28-29; 1 Thessalonians 4:15-16*).
- ... In immortality only through Jesus Christ, which is given at His return.  
*(Job 19:25-27; 1 Timothy 6:15-16; 1 Corinthians 15:51-52)*.
- ... In all the gifts of the Spirit. (*Ephesians 4:8-11; Revelation 12:17 & 19:10*).
- ... In baptism by immersion, the Lord's Supper, and the Ordinance of Humility.  
*(Mark 1:9-10; Romans 6:3-5; 1 Corinthians 11:23-26; John 13:3-7)*.
- ... In the proclamation of God's last day message of love and judgment.  
*(Revelation 14:6-12)*.
- ... In glorifying the Creator through healthful living. (*1 Corinthians 10:31*).
- ... In the support of the Gospel ministry through our tithes and offerings.  
*(Malachi 3:18; Psalms 50:5)*.

## sermon notes




## Leach Seventh-day Adventist® Church



Blessed are the merciful,  
for they will be shown mercy.

*Matthew 5:7*

9575 Highway 70 • Cedar Grove, TN 38321  
Worship Service begins every Saturday at 9:15 am with  
Sabbath School classes immediately following at 10:30  
Pastor: John Baker 731-571-5138  
Head Elder: Aaron Sirk 731-614-6543

***This is the day that the Lord hath made! Let us rejoice and be glad in it!***

**Sabbath, February 29, 2020**

**WELCOME!**

to our visitors and members who are worshipping with us today. We welcome you in Christian fellowship and hope you will return to worship with us again. We give thanks to God for your presence and prayer. As we rejoice together, He fills us with renewed strength to face another week.

**GATHERING FOR WORSHIP**

Song Service & Announcements ..... **9:15 a.m.**  
Prelude ..... Elders Enter  
Introit ..... *Congregation: Please Stand*  
Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.  
I can feel His mighty power and His grace ~  
I can hear the brush of angels' wings.  
I see glory on each face.  
Surely the presence... Surely the presence...  
Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.  
Invocation ..... *(Please Remain Standing)*

**PRAISING OUR GOD WITH MUSIC**

Opening Hymn .....

**WORSHIP IN TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

Offertory ..... *Congregation: Please Be Seated*  
(Evangelism-NAD)  
Doxology ..... *Congregation: Please Stand*  
Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. A-men.

**REJOICING WITH GOD'S LITTLE ONES**

*Congregation: Please Be Seated*  
Lamb's Offering ..... Our Children  
Children's Story .....

**PRAISING OUR GOD IN PRAYER**

*Congregation: All Who Are Able, Please Kneel*

Pastoral Prayer .....  
Prayer Response .....  
Hear our prayer, Oh Lord; Hear our prayer, Oh Lord;  
Incline Thine ear to us, and Grant us Thy peace. ~A-men.

**TURNING OUR THOUGHTS HEAVENWARD**

*Congregation: Please Be Seated*

Worship in Special Music .....  
Scripture Reading ..... **Matthew 5:7**  
[New King James Version (NKJV)]  
*Blessed are the merciful, For they shall obtain mercy.*

**MESSAGE FROM GOD'S WORD**

**"BACK TO BASICS – MERCY"**

*ELDER AARON SIRK*

**RESPONDING TO GOD'S CHALLENGE**

Closing Hymn .....

**DEPARTING WITH JOY & PEACE TO SERVE**

Benediction .....

"Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit," Matthew 28:19

**Celebrate Sabbath School!**

**ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL PROGRAM**

Welcome and Remarks ..... **10:30 a.m.**  
Lesson Study .....  
Closing Prayer .....

**SABBATH SCHOOL INSTRUCTORS**

**CHILDREN:** Becky Ross

**JUNIOR YOUTH:** Mary Fry

**ADULT:** Aaron Sirk, Bill Davis, Heather Floyd

**PLEASE ACCEPT OUR INVITATION TO JOIN US EACH WEEK IN SABBATH SCHOOL**

***Why Celebrate Sabbath School? - - -***

- Because God's Work and His Will is Being Done
- Because God's Love is Being Shared
- Because God's Word is Being Studied and Taught!
- Because the Sabbath Day is Being Observed

**OUR PRAYER LIST**

*Please remember this week with special prayer:*

Pastor John & LeAnne	Marie Fry	Pam Kober
Mary Frances Acor	Mary Fry	Rose Mixon
Rhonda Applegate	Richard Fry	Judy Opal
Jan Brown	Lisa Fuller	Brenda Pearson
Billie Browning	Sandy Gentry	<i>Addie Powers</i>
Priscilla Camper	Ed Hill	Jeramie Redmond
Jim Corwonski	Judy Holt	Becky & Frank Ross
Iris Crider	Glen & June Huey	Kameron Seay
Bill & Judy Davis	Jace Jones	Elizabeth Thomsen
Weldon Dunn	<i>Mason Kee</i>	Jeni Triplett
Mike Foster	Johnie Kelly	Lisa Willis
Travis Freeman		Kenneth Wooley

When there is nothing left but God, that is when you find out that God is all you need.

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[leachtn.adventistchurch.org/online-sermons](http://leachtn.adventistchurch.org/online-sermons)

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**GOD'S HOLY SABBATH CONCLUDES AT 5:49 TODAY AND BEGINS AGAIN NEXT FRIDAY AT 5:54**

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