

What's Happening

01.12.21

New Magazines Available

There are new issues of *The Adventist Review* January 2021 for adults, as well as *Kids View*, which is The Adventist Review for kids and those who will always be kids at heart. These are located in the foyer of the church. [You may also view the magazine online HERE.](#)

Feeding the Hungry

ABCCM Daily Bread @ Sunrise

Our church is mentioned, along with **Tricia Markoff**, in the latest ABCCM news booklet. [Click here to see the article that appears in the ABCCM 2020 news booklet.](#)

New Sunset/Offering Calendar

2021 Sunset/Offering calendars are available for pick up in the foyer of the church, or you may access it [HERE](#).

Tuesday

01.12.21



Seeking Revival DAY 7 — PRAYING GOD'S PROMISES

“Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you” (Matthew 7:7). Impossible Victories Become Possible Jesus redeemed us so “that we might receive the promise of the Spirit through faith” (Galatians 3:14). But how do we build faith in what He has promised? How should we pray so that we are sure of being filled with the Holy Spirit? How does a revived heart lead to real-life Christian maturity? . . .

To read the entire devotional, [click HERE](#) and choose Day 7--*Praying God's Promises*.

Zoom Prayer Time

If you are interested in joining a prayer time via Zoom with others in North America, you

will find a link to join at 7:00 p.m. each evening through January 16, 2021. [To Join at 7:00 pm, click HERE.](#)

Wednesday 01.13.21

Midweek Service

Journey Through Scripture on **Wednesday, January 13, at 7:00 PM** via Zoom as we explore the troubling outcome of Jephthah's vow & victory starting in Judges 11:34. May you be blessed during this time of prayer and Bible study as we come to know the LORD better while gaining gospel insights for our lives.

To connect with video, click on the following

link: <https://pishah.zoom.us/j/99799581763?pwd=aHgvZUxrLzVEU2N0K29kNIQ3bys3QT09>

(Meeting ID: 997 9958 1763; password: 672803).

To join by phone: 1-888-270- 9936; enter Conference code: 716910.



Seeking Revival DAY 8 — OBEDIENCE THROUGH JESUS

“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new.”

2 CORINTHIANS 5:17

Steps of Faith

Remember when Jesus performed His first miracle during the wedding at Cana? Mary, the mother of Jesus, told the servants, “Whatever He says to you, do it” (John 2:5). By saying this, Mary built the confidence of the servants in Jesus. When He asked them to fill the water jars, they did exactly as He asked. Then Jesus said, “Draw some out now, and take it to the master of the feast” (verse 8). Once again, they followed His request, even though it seemed strange—and they soon realized they had just witnessed a miracle. Take a look at the individual steps again:

- By her instructions, Mary built up the servants’ **trust in Jesus**.
- The servants expressed their trust and willingness by doing just what Jesus asked. In other words, they took the **preparatory steps** that allowed for the miracle.
- **Then Jesus alone performed the miracle.**

The servants did nothing to turn the water into wine—but would the miracle have happened without their preparatory steps? . . .

[To read the rest of the devotional, click HERE](#) and choose Day 8--***Obedience Through Jesus.***

Thursday
01.14.21



Seeking Revival DAY 9 — DO I WORK FOR GOD--OR DOES HE WORK FOR ME?

“I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me.”

GALATIANS 2:20

Created for Good Works

Zsolt, a theology student from Austria, was discouraged. He had been invited to evangelize in Kenya, but only 30 guests showed up each night during the first week. He had hoped for many more. Frustrated, he locked himself in his room and prayed for four hours. . . .

[To read the rest of the devotional, click HERE](#) and choose Day 9--***Do I Work For God--Or Does He Work Through Me?***

Friday
01.15.21



Seeking Revival DAY 10 — SEEKING REVIVAL TOGETHER

“Not by might nor by power, but by My Spirit,’ says the Lord of hosts”
ZECHARIAH 4:6

What’s Next? Three Steps for a Spiritual Restart

Would you like to experience spiritual renewal together with your church family? . . .

[To read the rest of this article, click HERE](#) and select ***Seeking Revival Together***.

Sabbath

At the Church

10:30
Mission Spotlight
Prelude Music

10:45
MPA Junior Class

To join by livestream, go to:

<https://www.mpasda.org/live-stream>

Offering: Church Budget

To give online, go to:

<https://adventistgiving.org/#/org/ANT8JB/envelope/start>

Next Week

The Women’s Prayer Circle

The Women’s Prayer Circle meets **Tuesday at 10:00** am via Zoom. To join, contact Rosemarie Clardy at 828-665-2895.

Church Board

The church board will meet **Tuesday, January 19, 2021 at 7:00 pm** via Zoom. This will be followed immediately by a church-wide business meeting.

Church-Wide Business Meeting

There will be a church-wide business meeting on **Tuesday, January 19, 2021 at 7:30 pm** via Zoom, immediately after the church board meeting. We will discuss our annual state of the church mission/vision review and 2021 budget vote.

Celebrate

January Birthdays

12 Shane Bedwell
13 Pam Suarez
14 David Markoff
20 Rhonda Hattar, David Young, Leontiy Litvinchuk
23 Rob Busche, Ruthie Brooks
24 Alicen Thomas
25 Shari Bellchambers
28 Ariana Horton
29 Joshua Michael

Pray

Prayer Requests

Susan Goforth—healing after knee surgery
J R Rogers—healing
Family of Louis Canosa
Lynn Miles—health
All those affected by Covid-19
Healthcare workers

MPA Person of Prayer

12 Isaac De La Torre
13 Austin Gonzalez
14 Hannah Guenin
15 Alexis Jones
18 Rachel Hampton
19 Lauren Elliott

Cancelled

Annual Married Couple's Retreat CANCELLED
February 12-14, 2021.

Mark Your Calendar

Religious Liberty Sabbath

January 23, 2021

Your Religious Liberty Offering will sponsor *Liberty* magazine subscriptions to high-level government officials, federal, state, and provincial judges, and prominent social and religious leaders throughout North America. Your generous gift will also be used to

support the North American Division litigation fund—resources needed to defend and preserve your religious liberty in court when necessary. And a portion of your offering is returned to your local union to aid in religious liberty promotion and education.

For more information, go to: www.libertymagazine.org.
Brochures are available in the foyer of the church.

Reminders

Volunteers Needed

The ABCCM Hominy Valley Crisis Center located at 1914 Smokey Park Hwy here in Candler is in need of volunteers on weekdays. If you are available & interested in this amazing ministry, please contact Christy Shortridge at 828-398-6942 or christy.shortridge@abccm.org to find out more concerning how you can help make a difference in meeting the needs of our community. If you would like to talk with someone from our church family about their volunteer experience, please reach out to Glen Hughes or Bob & Sherry Blehm.

House and Office Cleaning Available

Our church member Tracy Dadak does house and business office cleanings and has some openings. Please call and leave a message at 828-776-1231.

Donations Needed for our Hominy Valley Community

Items needed are: canned food items, powdered milk, oil, spaghetti noodles, and dried beans. Hygiene items needed: paper towels, toilet paper, laundry detergent, and deodorant. Place these items in the ABCCM basket.