

Divine Worship

10:35am

Prelude & Meditation

Welcome & Announcements Elder Micah Armantrout

Praise through Music Becky Garner

11:05am

Call to Worship

“Speak Lord. . . .”

Invocation Elder Micah Armantrout

Opening Hymn *Trust and Obey* #590

Tithes & Offering Church Budget Cal Minesinger

Offertory *We Gather Together* Arr. Edward Kremser

Children’s Story Chris Armantrout
Offering collected during children’s story is for the RAES Worthy Student Fund

Scripture & Prayer *2 Chronicles 32:7, 8* Jeff & Becky Massey
Testimony Arlene Raines

Special Music Shannon Armantrout

Sermon Pastor William Little
God Will Fight Your Battles

Closing Hymn *All the Way* #516

Benediction Pastor William Little

Postlude *In Celebration* Arr. Sikes
(Deacons Dismiss Congregation)
Organist: Karen Brown
Pianist: David Hill

Presiding Elder Next Sabbath Ervin Brown

Prayer Connection

Do you have a prayer request? Elders will have a special prayer in the Pastor’s study each Sabbath before church service. Please choose the following to request a prayer be added to the list:

- Contact the Pastor or Head Elder
- Email ridgetopprayer@comcast.net.
- Submit through the Ridgetop Church website.
- Fill out a Prayer Request Card and bring up for Sabbath prayer.

Please note: In order for prayer requests to be announced during church service or to place a person’s name in the prayer connection section of the bulletin, we ask that you first obtain permission from that person or someone in their immediate family. Then notify one of the elders (as mentioned above) letting them know you have obtained permission. Thank you for taking this in consideration.

We encourage each one to participate in our prayer ministry by remembering the following in prayer throughout the week.

Cal Minesinger

Bill and Nancy Adcock

Betty Carter

Joseph DePasquale

Family of Dorothy Ruth Carris

Family of Santo Sanzone (especially his wife, Millie, Rose Sanzone’s aunt)

Brenda Rodgers

Ellie Griffin

Tony Estella

Charlene Carney

Bob & Mary Kurzynske

Dan & Cathy (friends of J.D. Phillips)

Shirley Raines

Carol Sivey

The Marcellus Family

Dana Shriver (Dennise Stroud’s Mom)

Audrey Mustow

Jason Blankenship

Jeremy Blankenship

Nicole Shubin

Jeanine Shaffer and family

Heather Stephens

Dana Kenerson’s mother

Patty & Billie James

Tony & Julie Estella’s daughter

Academy Students and Teachers

RAES Students and Teachers

Rose Sanzone

Connie Badillo (Cindy Fisher’s sister)

Newt & Debbie Sewell

Ricky Trumper

Roger Draper (Karen Brown’s friend)

Evelyn Thomas

Tracy Davis

Geoffrey Farrar

Susan Anglin

Vanessa & Hannah Randolph

Joe Sexton

Carol Oldham/daughter Jennifer Lanius

Gene Paul King Jr. (Estella fam. friend)

Richard Trumper

Mark Davis

Ron Dotson

Olivia Mascarena and family

Jason Massey and family

O. J. Gonzalez

Sabrina & her mom Scohcil & family

The Paramedic

Joyce Fussell

Phillip Powell (Jim & Dennise Stroud’s nephew)

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Thank you for honoring the Bulletin deadline of Wednesday at 5:00pm.

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Pastor William Little

November 17, 2018

“But if we walk in the light, as He is in the light we have fellowship with one another.”

1 John 1:7

Sabbath School

9:15am

Opening Exercises

Song Service Cindy Fisher, *Chorister*
Gary Fisher, *Pianist*

Opening Song

Welcome Cal Minesinger

Scripture & Prayer Cal Minesinger

SDA Mission Focus DVD

Closing Prayer Cal Minesinger

9:40am

Church at Study

You are welcome to attend the Sabbath School class of your choice:

- Class 1: Adult Class (yellow A)
- Class 2: Ervin Brown Adults (sanctuary)
- Class 3: Young Adults (yellow room B)
- Class 4: Academy Youth (room near back entrance)

The younger ***Children’s Division*** classrooms are located across the foyer, at the right hand side of the sanctuary. Juniors are in the purple room, and Teens are next to them.

*Sabbath School concludes at 10:30am.
Children’s Sabbath School concludes at 10:35am*

We want to extend a warm welcome to visitors and members alike. We hope you are blessed as you worship with us today.

If you are without a church home, we invite you to worship with us each Sabbath.

Church Ministries

Community Services Needs for November: Thank You Pathfinders and Adventurers for the awesome amount of food collected for Community Service! We could use more **canned tomatoes**. As we are in the hot soup time of year, tomatoes are a popular and necessary ingredient! Thank you!

Prayer Meeting takes place **Wednesday evenings at 7:00pm**. Join us for Bible study, prayer, & fellowship. Study books will be available at the meeting. Join us! Our study book is Dennis Smith's *40 Days Prayers and Devotions*.

Women's Ministries Join us for our meeting tomorrow, **November 18th in the yellow room at 1:00pm!** Come for great fellowship and yummy snacks! Leaders for Women's Ministries are Julie Estella 804-4443 and Dennise Stroud 202-5356. **Also Join the Cookie Bake on Sun., Dec. 2nd.**

Men's Ministry is a group of men whose focus is to grow closer to God. A fellowship to lean on and help hold one another accountable for the decisions we as men of God make in leading not only our church but our households and bringing our families closer to God. Leaders for men's Ministry are Micah Armantrout and Shane Stewart. Email us at Ridgetopmenministry@gmail.com

Young Adult Ministry is a place for college students and young families alike to come together in mission, study, leadership, and praising God. Led by Shane Stewart and Micah Armantrout. Email us at Ridgetopyoungyoungadult@gmail.com.

Ryan's The Senior's Lunch at Ryan's Buffet on Gallatin Road in Goodlettsville usually meets the **third Wednesday** of each month at 12:30pm. See Betty Carter for info. **Be sure to join us on Wednesday, December 19th!**

Community Services is open every Tuesday morning (except holidays) from 9:00-11:00am behind the school gymnasium. For information or if anyone knows of someone in need of services, please contact Jim Raines at 615-557-5959.

Pathfinders Club The Ridgetop Ridgerunners. We meet weekly on **Wednesdays from 6:00-8:00pm during the school year**. For more information on how to join in the fun, contact Becky or Jeff Massey at (615)496-2056/58.

Adventurers Club The 2017-18 year, has begun! Our regular meetings are held on the **1st & 3rd Tuesdays of each month from 3:30-5:00pm at the school during the school year**. Contact Marilyn Kenerson on bringing your child or volunteering at 615-859-2502. All kids are welcome to come!

Ridgetop Adventist Elementary School

A fully accredited K-8 elementary school operated by the Ridgetop SDA Church. The school is EDGE Certified and has provided Christian Education for over 50 years. For further information, call the school at 859-0259 or visit the school website: ridgetop22.adventistschoolconnect.org

Announcements

Today, First Reading for Church & School Positions:
Asst. Special Music Coordinators-David Yates, Mark Chism
School Treasurer-Ervin Brown

Sabbath School Council Meeting Today
Following Potluck in Aaron Raines' Classroom



Today! Hosting Angels will have their quarterly meeting in a school classroom after potluck on November 17. If you would like to serve on a host team, if you would like to share ideas, or hear reports of the hosting Angels please come and bring your calendars. Praise God, this has been and is a very successful project. Thank you, as God blesses you to serve with Sabbath hosting. Contact Bonnie for joining the Hosting Angels Team.



COOKIES & COCOA AT THE PARK IS DEC 7! Once again, we have the opportunity to provide refreshments to the Ridgetop Community following the Christmas Parade on Dec 7. Please use the sign up sheet in the foyer to volunteer to provide cookies or assist at the Park. Contact Lisa Berger at 615-207-7864 for more details.



Women's Ministry: Special Meeting Sunday, Dec 2nd. On Sunday, Dec 2, join us at the RAES gym kitchen for baking cookies for the Cookies & Cocoa in the Park event! This is a fun and productive way to serve our community. We supplied many dozens of cookies of all kinds last year! So put on your chef's hat and apron, bring supplies for your favorite cookies and be there at 10:00am! Contact Julie or Dennise for more information.



RAES Board Meeting Nov. 29, 2018 at 6:45 PM



Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting lessons are currently from the "40 Days" book. All are invited to come out and fellowship together about this amazing journey. See you at 7 pm on Wednesday nights in the yellow room.



Thanksgiving Food Boxes
Do you know someone who needs a Thanksgiving food box? Please contact Jim Raines at 615-557-5959, or Brenda Dempsey at 615-513-1319.

Life Events



Heartfelt sympathy and prayers to the family of Dorothy Ruth Carris. Teresa Johnston's mother who passed away November 9, 2018 in hospice care at NHC in Hendersonville, TN. Celebration of Life is being held today at Hendersonville Gardens Funeral Home, 353 E. Main St., Hendersonville, TN 37075. Visitation with the family is from 2:30 to 3:30, with service to follow at 3:30pm. Dorothy, age 87, was born in Ft. Lauderdale, FL and later moved to Hendersonville, TN. She was a very active member of Madison Campus SDA Church for over 60 years. In her spare time she enjoyed gardening and knitting. Please keep the family in prayer as they go through this sad and difficult time of loss.

Directory Changes/Additions:

Kevin & Alison Blankenship, 725 Arrowfield Dr., Clarksville, TN 37042
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New Contact Info? Please let Helen Kelly know so we can keep the directory up to date.



November Birthdays

11/02	Jim Bollinger	11/16	Denise Phillips
11/04	Dennis Rodgers	11/19	Jason Blanchard
11/06	Riley Bryant	11/20	Larisa Raines
11/06	Katherine Carpenter	11/20	Jack Wheeler
11/08	Boniface Marcellus	11/20	Aimee Greene
11/08	Cathy Vance	11/23	David Yates
11/10	Blanca Miglin	11/23	Liz Torkelson
11/10	Samantha Canas	11/25	Malachi Armantrout
11/10	Maria Rudneva	11/26	Shelley Solomon
11/12	Barbara Qualley	11/29	Laura Brock
11/15	Christopher Bell		



November Anniversaries

11/02	Jim & Peggy Bollinger	11/17	Rob & Ellie Griffin
11/08	Tony & Julie Estella	11/22	Brian & Christy Beard
11/10	Meryl & Barbara Hodge	11/26	JD & Denise Phillips

Church Calendar

Sunset Today: 4:38pm **Sunset Next Friday:** 4:34pm

Nov 17 **Sabbath** Speaker: Pastor William Little 11:00am
Famous Fellowship Potluck 12:30pm
Hosting Angels Update Meeting
Sabbath School Council Meeting
Sunshine Band 2:15pm
Carris Family Visitation 2:30pm
Celebration of Life 3:30pm

Nov 18 **Sunday** Church Work Bee 8:00am-1:00pm
Women's Ministry Meeting 1:00pm

Nov 19-23 M-F RAES Thanksgiving Break

Nov 20 **Tuesday** Community Service 9:00-11:00am
Adventurers 3:30-5:00pm

Nov 21 **Wednesday** Pathfinders 6:00pm
Prayer Meeting 7:00pm

Nov 22 **Thursday** Happy Thanksgiving!

Nov 24 **Sabbath** Speaker: Elder Micah Armantrout 11:00am

Pastor William & Daniela will be visiting family for Thanksgiving (November 22-25) In case of emergency contact Elder Tony Estella. Have a very blessed & Happy Thanksgiving!

Upcoming Events

Nov 26 Church Board Meeting 7:00pm
Nov 29 RAES Board Meeting 6:45pm
Dec 02 Women's Ministry Meeting: Cookie Bake at RAES
Dec 07 Cookies & Cocoa in the Park
Dec 07 Highland SDA Church 7:00pm: *A Living Nativity*
Dec 08 Highland SDA Church Music Concert 10:45am
Jan 26 KY-TN Acrofest at Highland Academy
Feb 16 RAES Boxtops 4 Education collection deadline

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Sermon Notes