

ANNOUNCEMENTS for MAY 16, 2020

Reopening of Sanctuary Services – Sabbath, **June 6** is the tentative date for the reopening of Sanctuary Services for Corporate Worship. Services will be held outdoors with a change in start time.

- No limit on how many may attend. If you would like to join us in person, you may feel comfortable joining us.
- Services either will be broadcast over your car radio (FM transmission) or via outdoor speakers.
- For those at higher risk, in self-quarantine, or who live outside the Katy area: LIVESTREAM services will continue over Facebook and YouTube.
- Anticipated start time is 11am. We ask members and guests to arrive at **10:30am** to help our deacons help you park orderly and in an appropriate social distancing manner. *Please don't wait until 11am to arrive* as that will create distractions when the service has started.
- If you have a smart phone, we recommend downloading the Church Hymnal to your phone prior to joining us for services. We hope to have music leaders leading us in our opening & closing hymns.
- Sabbath School will not hold on June 6 & 13. We will assess whether we can have both the Lesson Study and Worship Service each Sabbath in this new corporate worship experience.

This will begin 3 WEEKS FROM TODAY. Mark this Sabbath in your CALENDAR.

Small Groups – We are intentional about remaining connected and being encouragers to one another. There are several small groups that meet with different frequency via Zoom, text, and Facebook. Join any group(s) that speaks to your desires or needs. For details on how to join, contact the group leader directly, the pastor or head elder, or send an email to communication@katyadventistchurch.com

ZOOM – weekly

- *Monday 7pm* – Study of the final chapters of the book “The Great Controversy”
Next chapter: 37 – “The Scriptures a Safeguard”
Group leader: Vedia Narine, Dr. Gaddiel Rios
- *Tuesday 7pm* – Prayer Meeting
Group leader: Uzoma Nwokefor
- *Wednesday 7pm* – Bible Study on various topics
Next topic: “Angels – Good and Bad” (continued from last week)
Group leader: Victoria Okotie

TEXT – daily

- *Hymn-spiration*
Receive the lyrics to a hymn, learn its background, and receive an encouraging word.
Group leader: Lorei McNulty
- *Inspiration*
Receive words of inspiration to encourage us as we work to get through each day.
Group leader: Mary Lou Jacobs
- *Motivational Thoughts*
Receive words of wisdom, like modern-day proverbs, to help face our times and situations. Included are links to short YouTube videos demonstrating how to share that wisdom and the Gospel with others of all ages.
Group leader: Dr. Toni Tennent

FACEBOOK

- [PLEASE PRAY FOR...](#) – request to join the private Facebook group
Share praises and prayer requests and have access to prayer-related materials with the purpose of improving your prayer life and strengthening your walk with the Lord.
Group leader: Ruchelle Paderanga

KACS – Our Church School is in the process now of registering students for next year. To help in our planning, the school is offering a discount in the Registration Fee and Tuition for early registration. During the month of May the largest discount for early registration is being offered.

Church Communications – Text KATYSDA to the number 77222 to receive Katy Church text communications. Email communication@katyadventistchurch.com to receive Katy Church email communications. If you need assistance subscribing to the text communications, you also may email communication@katyadventistchurch.com with your name and number with the subject “Add me.”

Faithful Giving – We are encouraging each of our members to continue returning our Tithes and Offerings online at katyadventistchurch.com/giving or via the app AdventistGiving. We still have our on-going expenses needed to maintain our church structure and the organization. Your TITHE supports the world church and its mission. Your offerings for CHURCH EXPENSE, or for a SPECIFIC MINISTRY of the church, supports our mission here in Katy. Thank you for your faithfulness and support during this trying time.