

FEBRUARY 23, 2019

**“Your testimonies are wonderful;
Therefore my soul
keeps them.
The entrance of Your words
gives light;
It gives understanding
to the simple.”
~ Psalm 119:129,130**

WELCOME





Sabbath, February 23, 2019

First Worship Service, 8:30 a.m.

Second Worship Service, 11:20 a.m.



CALL TO WORSHIP

* Invocation: Psalm 29:1,2,11

Shirley Gammon † Laun Reinholtz

WORSHIP AND PRAISE

"O Where Are the Reapers?" No. 366*

Children's Story: Pastor Ron Kelly

Offering: Mike Gammon † Clyde Morgan

AROUND HIS WORD

John 17:13-21 Jose Cruz † Melissa Morgan

Prayer: Wendy Baldwin † Pr. Endi Stojanovic

"Hallelujah, Home At Last!"

"Adventist Fake News: The Conspiracy Behind the Conspiracy"
Pastor Ron Kelly

"Seeking the Lost" No. 373*

Benediction: Pastor Ron Kelly

Special Music: Desiree Dunomes

Organist: Dr. James North

Today's Offering: Michigan Advance Partners

*Everyone stands and sings congregationally

† Indicates Second Service

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FAMILY MATTERS

REFLECTING CHRIST

"It is your duty to come as near to the people as you can, and not to get as far away from them as possible, and by your interpretation make a difference that should not exist. Here is your danger, of diverting minds from the real issues for this time. And you are not the only one who seems to be moved with ambition in this direction. It would not be right or prudent to send you out as a worker to promulgate your peculiar ideas and thus cause division; we have plenty of this now. We want men of solid experience, who will anchor minds and not send them adrift without chart or compass."

~ Manuscript Release 14, pg. 180

SABBATH SCHOOL 10:00AM IN THE SANCTUARY

Pianist: Linda Pellandini

Chorister: Melody Page & Christina Goosey
"I Will Sing of Jesus' Love" No. 183

Opening Prayer: Carletta Witzel

Testimony: Greg Church

Closing Prayer: Carletta Witzel

Lesson Study: "Satan, a Defeated Enemy"

See bulletin board for multiple SS Class locations

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Amazon Mission: Interested in joining the July 3-16 trip? Join us today, 1:30pm, in the Fellowship Hall for an info session & light lunch.

El Salvador: Required meeting of all participants, March 3, 9:00am, Riess Chapel.

GLAA Coming: Able to host some students? Please see insert & leave in offering plate.

Transfers In - 1st Reading: John Burland from PMC, B.S. MI; Adam & Rachel Cole from PMC, B.S. MI; Sheri Hensel from College Place SDA, College Place, WA; Nancy Lee from Atlanta BLVD SDA, Atlanta, GA; Najeeb & Aneesi from PMC, B.S. MI; Quinton & Lara Smith from PMC, B.S. MI.

Transfers Out - 1st Reading: Cory Miller to Niles Westside SDA, Niles MI; Stan & Carolyn Strzyzkowski to South Bend First SDA, South Bend, IN.

Nominating Committee Recommendations: Sheila Penrod as receipt clerk (counter).

Fellowship Meal Menus and Hosts:

Today - No meal.

March 2 - Members asked to bring a pasta or noodle casserole, salad, rolls, and/or dessert. Sanctuary SS Class serving.

March 9 - Members asked to bring sides, salads, desserts. Asian themed entree and rice provided. Stacy Gusky's Team serving.

March 16 - No meal.

Vespers Tonight: Randy Younker on Genesis **5:45pm**

Speaker Next Sabbath: Elder Ted Wilson

Sabbath ends today at: 6:26pm

Next Sabbath begins at: 6:34pm

CHURCH CALENDAR

VAES Italian Dinner: Tomorrow, 5:30-7:30pm, in church Fellowship Hall.

Women's Bible Study: Wednesdays, 9:00am, in the Fireside Room.

Choir Practice: Wed., 7:15pm, in the Riess Chapel.

Adventurers: Tomorrow, 10:00am, downstairs in the Youth Room.

Men's Fellowship: Wednesdays, 7:30-8:30pm, Committee Room.

Church Business Mtg: Wed., 7:30pm, in the Fellowship Hall.

Pathfinders: Today, after church. Next meeting PBE, March 2nd.

Prayer Meeting: Wed., 6:20pm, in the Riess Chapel.

El Salvador Mtg: March 3, 9:00am, Riess Chapel. All participants.

Praying for our Family: Goldie England (recovering from back surgery), Dennise Fio (seizures), Tina Foster, Jo Marie Hafley's grandsons, Brent Hildebrand (Kathy Borchardt's brother - cancer), Sharie Howard, Nancy McCall (liver/pancreatic cancer), Jeff Powell, Family of Donna Ranzinger, Carl Rockwell, "Ruth's" family, Maureen Smith & family (her sister died), Marjorie Snyder, Lee Tripp, Mike Woods & family (his Mom died).

Please maintain reverence in the place we have set aside for worship. Let us reserve the sanctuary for talking to God and use the foyer and connecting corridor to visit with each other.

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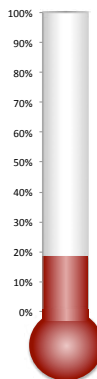
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Roof Project

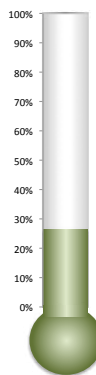
\$170,000



\$31,479

Neighbor2Neighbor

\$50,000



\$13,194

Feb. 23, 2019 Reporting Week #7				
Weekly Combined Budget	Budget to Date	Received to Date	Still Needed	
Operating 6,770	47,390	30,419	16,971	
Evangelism 988	6,916	4,795	2,121	
Educational Assist 1,058	7,406	5,501	1,905	
Total \$8,816	\$61,712	\$40,715	\$20,997	