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Welcome to



Ottawa
Seventh-day Adventist Church

Sabbath, August 17, 2019
God Invites Us to Study

9:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.

Theme: “Love Your Families”

Song Service:	
Welcome and Opening Remarks:	<i>James Moreau</i>
Opening Hymn:	<i>I Must Tell Jesus # 485</i>
Scripture Reading:	Deuteronomy 15:11 <i>Janice Griffith</i>
Opening Prayer:	<i>James Moreau</i>
Mission Story:	<i>Anne-Raijy Moreau</i>

Lesson Study

Special Music:	<i>Josette Saint-Sauveur</i>
Closing Remarks:	<i>James Moreau</i>
Closing Hymn:	<i>I Love to Tell the Story # 457</i>
Closing Prayer:	<i>Collins Ayoo</i>

Pastoral Corner

Pastor Daniel Innocent

Sabbath School Classes

<i>Children & Youth</i>		<i>Location</i>
Infant/Preschool	Cradle Roll	Downstairs
JK/SK	Kindergarten	Basement Classroom
Gr.1-2	Primary	Basement Classroom
Gr.3-4	Discovery Zone	OAS Kindergarten Room
Gr.5-6	Juniors	Loft (upstairs)
Gr. 7-8	Real Time Faith	Loft (upstairs)
Gr.9-12	High School Class	OAS Classroom

Adult & Collegiate

		<i>Location</i>
Class 1 - College Students	Greg Lauder & Dave Reid	Front left side
Class 2 - French Class	Patrick Joissaint, Jean-Marie Mondésir	Middle left side
Class 3	Stephen Adubofuor, Felicia Boakyé	Back left side
Class 4	Jean Vaughan, Daniel Placide	Front right side
Class 5	Dawn Edwards, Collins Ayoo , Hicks Barrett	Middle right side
Class 6	James Moreau, Smith Louis, Gerry Lowe	Back right side

New Believers Bible Study Class in the Library every Sabbath at 9:40 a.m.
Baptismal Bible Study classes in the fellowship hall every Sabbath at 9:30 a.m. ***Youth Baptismal Class*** with Pastor Daniel Innocent for youth 13 years and older in the pastor's office.

Revived by His Word Let us join our brothers and sisters in the world church reading a chapter of the Bible every day. <http://revivalandreformation.org/>

Sunset Today: 8:07 p.m.

God Invites Us to Worship

10:50 a.m. – 12:50 a.m.
Reverence My Sanctuary

Preparation

Introit: “We Are Standing On Holy Ground” (All Stand)
Call to Worship: *Eld. Gerry Lowe*
Invocation:

Celebration

Welcome: *Pr. Daniel Innocent*
Welcome Song: “This Is the Day”
Hymn of Praise: *Great is Thy Faithfulness # 100*
Intercessory Prayer: *Eld. Moise Desir*
Special Music: *DEEP*
Offertory Reading: (Local Church Budget) *Eld. Clive Anderson*
Offertory Music: *Vincent Amankwah*
Children Story: *Bontu Kussi*

Proclamation

Proper Response to Emergencies: *The Safety Committee*
Scripture Reading: Acts 8:26-40 *Eld. Moise Desir*
Praise and Worship: *Anita Gurley*
Sermon: “**Do You Know What You're Reading?**” *Pr. Daniel Innocent*

Dedication

Hymn of Dedication: *Amazing Grace # 108*
Benediction: *Pr. Daniel Innocent*
Benediction Song: *‘Til We Meet Again’*
Organist: *Christol Barrett-Kilongozi*
Pianist: *David Lake*
Drummer: *Adam Saint-Fleur*
Bass Guitarist: *Junior London*

*Wait to be ushered out by the deacons after Divine Service
~ Divine Service is streamed live every Sabbath ~*

Announcements

Visitors please stop by the Green Room (off the main foyer) directly after divine service for some refreshments and a friendly conversation about what is happening at the Ottawa Adventist Church.

First Aiders on duty are seated in a reserved area to assist in case of medical emergency. Please note their presence in the last row on the left side facing the pulpit, next to the main aisle of the church.

Scam Request Alert: Should you receive a text in the name of Pastor Greaves asking for money to help a cancer patient this is a fraud. Please do not provide any money or assistance.

There will be an **Adventist Youth (AY) program today at 5:30 p.m.**

Ottawa Adventist School registration will be held tomorrow, August 18 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Please note that registration/re-registration must be completed prior to September 3. If you have any questions please email OAS at oaschool@yahoo.ca .

End of Summer Block Party Health Expo – We are inviting everyone to come out and bring a non- Adventist friend to our Block Party on **August 25 at Michele Heights Park, 2955 Michele Drive.** It will take place **from 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.** There will be face painting, a bouncy castle, steel band music, health screening and games. Let us connect with our friends in the community.

Church Officer 2020-21: We will begin the process for selecting our church ministry leaders to serve for 2020 and 2021 on Sabbath August 24. **Please take some time to fill out our "In HIS Service: Interest Survey.**

Birthday: Gabriela Moraes - August 17

Announcements Continued

The Annual Community Services Backpack Project.

Donation period runs until August 24.

We continue to help our friends in the Michele Heights Community.

Our GOAL is: 100 backpacks and new school supplies (pencils, pencil cases, pens, erasers, pencil sharpeners, packages of 3-ring hole lined paper, lined notebooks, coloured pencils, markers, crayons, highlighters, glue sticks, blunt scissors, calculators, binders with dividers and 4-pocket folders). A donation box will be placed in the foyer. If you have any questions, please contact Kathleen Johnson at 613-843-1190 or Sueann Hall at supplydriveottawa@hotmail.com

Fall Evangelistic Series: Please keep the dates **October 5 – 12** in mind so that you may join us for a week of uplifting worship, inspiring music and incredible insights. Our presenter will be Pastor Matthew Feeley from the Ottawa East Church.

Church Mailbox: Please place your garbage in the bins provided and not in the beige metal church mail box located at the front of the church (arrival porch).

Elders' Prayer Circle – The Elders have instituted a prayer circle specifically to pray for those facing significant life challenges (health, bereavement, family difficulties, among other concerns). If you have a specific issue that you would like to have included on the prayer list, please inform Elder Darrell Hardy, Elder Wanito Bernadin or any of the elders. You may be invited to join the prayer line.

Our Members - Please keep our members in the nursing homes, hospitals and those in need in your thoughts and prayers: Eveline Wynn (Toronto), Dr. Eugene Daniel (Health), Sebert Allen (Health), Ursula Campbell (Health), Sis. Brown (Health), Rosaline Wilson (Health), Barbara Ferdinand (Health), Sonia James (Health), Akur Mathiang (Health) and Olnick Roschasmar (Health).

Announcements Continued

Preaching Calendar

August 24:	Pastor Robert Greaves
August 31:	Pastor Robert Greaves
September 7:	Pastor Robert Greaves

Pastoral Office Hours: There has been a change in office hours for the summer. Kindly take note of the following:

Sunday - By appointment and as per church calendar activities

Monday - Day Off

Tuesday - By Appointment

Wednesday – 10:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Thursday – 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Friday - By Appointment

The regular schedule will resume after Labour Day in September.

Calendar of Events

Elders on Duty for today: Moise Desir & Paulette Terrelonge

First Aiders on Duty: Rose Noreska & Margaret Williams

Today:

5:30 p.m.

Adventist Youth (AY)

Sunday:

8:00 a.m.

Prayer Meeting

10:00 a.m.

Ottawa Adventist School Registration

Tuesday:

9:00 a.m.

Prayer Meeting

Wednesday:

7:00 p.m.

Prayer Meeting

2019 Church Staff Directory

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Streamed Church Services

Bookmark the following link for the live stream of the Divine

Service <http://www.ottawasda.org/article/7/media>

OR

The Ottawa Adventist Church has a dedicated ROKU app that allows you to **watch the service directly from your TV** – no computer is needed. If you have any questions, please contact the A/V operators.

****The Bulletin information deadline is Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.** Please send all bulletin information, including birthday and anniversary announcements to: bulletinottawasda@gmail.com

The Pastor's Blog

This week I went to the gym and as I was sitting down between lifting weights a young man passed me. Usually, guys have a tendency to try to look tough at the gym (perhaps it's because of all the extra testosterone), but I decided not to. I looked at him and I smiled. That smile led to a conversation, which conversation led to us exchanging names and all in all the encounter ending with him deciding to come to church!

I thought about it on my way home and I said to myself, "it is amazing what one conversation will do". There are hundreds of people that we walk past every day that are one conversation away from giving their lives to Christ. Yet, we constantly miss our opportunities because we are too shy to go outside of our bubble. Even worst we will then come to church and say that we are excited about Jesus coming soon. Yet when we are given opportunities to help people be prepared for His coming by having an encounter with Him we shy away and get cold feet.

My challenge for you this week is to go outside of your comfort zone and speak to people when and where you usually wouldn't. You have no idea how God can use you, even in the simplest conversations.

Ps. Please do not forget to pray for our Pathfinders as they enjoy camporee.

God Bless!

~ Pastor Daniel Innocent ~

We Believe...

We believe that man's only salvation is by faith in Christ's life and sacrifice as the divine means of grace to us. (Acts 4:12; Ephesians 2:8; Romans 8:3, 4)

We turn to the entire Bible as a revelation of Jesus Christ. (Luke 24:27; 2Timothy 3:16)

We remember that it was through Jesus Christ that God created all things and that by Him they are upheld. (John 1:3; Colossians 1:16, 17; Hebrews 1:3)

We trust the Holy Spirit as Christ's personal representative to guide the human mind in Christian duty. (John 14:16, 17; John 16:13; Romans 8:9)

We look to the heavenly sanctuary as the site of Jesus' ministry for us as our high priest. (Hebrews 8:1, 2; Hebrews 4:15, 16; 1Timothy 2:5)

We have hope in the soon personal return of Jesus Christ. (Titus 2:13; 1Thessalonians 4:16, 17; Matthew 24)

We find in the Ten Commandments Christ's code of conduct and expect that the believer will evidence the indwelling Christ by the demonstration of spiritual fruit. (John 14:15; Matthew 5:17-19; Hebrews 8:10; Galatians 5:22, 23; Philippians 4:13)

We believe that our bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit and that we should glorify Christ in every habit and practice. (1 Corinthians 10:31)

We understand that there is no intrinsic life in man, and that any life, present or eternal, is by virtue of Jesus Christ, the source of life. (Psalms 104:29; John 15:6; John 11:25)

We enjoy the seventh-day Sabbath as a reminder of Christ's creative power and as evidence of His redemptive power, which is found in the spiritual rest from the burden of sin. (Genesis 2:1-3; Mark 2:27, 28; Ezekiel 20:12; Hebrews 4:4-9)

We believe that the testimony of Jesus, the Spirit of Prophecy, will be manifest in God's remnant church. (Revelation 12:17; Revelation 19:10)

We are confident that the final judgement will be in favor of those who trust in Christ. (1Timothy 5:24; Acts 17:31; Daniel 7:21, 22)

We feel constrained to share the witness of Christ's blessings to all men everywhere. (Romans 1:14-17; Matthew 28:19, 20)

And finally, we anticipate that Christ will share eternal life with all those who accept His plan, and that these redeemed persons will inherit a restored planet from which all sin and selfishness will have been removed. Then, in a society of perfect trust and confidence, they will enjoy, to the full, the wonders of God's universe. (Matthew 5:5; John 14:1-13; Revelation 21:1-8)

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