

# CHARLOTTE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH



## DECEMBER 23, 2017

THIS CHURCH IS A SAFE PLACE WHERE ALL CAN GROW  
IN THE TRUTH AS IT IS IN JESUS.

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SABBATH SCHOOL - 9:30 AM  
WORSHIP SERVICE - 10:40 AM

Welcome to Worship

Mission Story & Personal Ministries Spotlight

Announcements - Sim Clements

Worshiping with Song

Call to Worship - #672  
"Spirit of the Living God"

Morning Prayer

Opening Song - #120  
"There's a Song in the Air"

Scripture - Matthew 1:18-23

His Tithe, Our Offerings  
Michigan Advanced Partners (MAP)

Family Prayer

Children's Story

Sermon  
"Christmas Joy!"

Closing Hymn - #125  
"Joy to the World"

Benediction

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SABBATH REST COMPLETED 5:10P.M.

NEXT SABBATH'S WELCOME 5:14P.M

OFFERING SCHEDULE

DECEMBER 23 - MICHIGAN ADVANCED PARTNERS (MAP)

FELLOWSHIP POTLUCK

JANUARY 20

## KEEPING YOU INFORMED

**Welcome** – We would like to extend a warm welcome to our visitors and church family. We hope you will be blessed as we worship our Heavenly Father together.

**Membership Transfers** – First reading for transfer of membership for Travis and Mary(M.E.) Pierce from Battle Creek Tabernacle SDA Church to Charlotte SDA Church, Carolyn Wagner from Hastings SDA Church to Charlotte SDA Church, and Shamus, Kimberly, Shauna & Katelyn Smith from Charlotte SDA Church to Jackson SDA Church.

**Coming to Charlotte SDA Church December 29-30, 2017**– “Good Seed” presented by Pastor Royce Odiyar is a three-part Bible study series sharing the importance of the Word of God and its power in our lives. These introductory presentations will be life changing in a safe and comfortable environment. Please join us and bring a friend with you!

- **Part 1: Knowledge Gap** (Friday, Dec. 29<sup>th</sup>, we invite you to join us for a light agape supper at 6pm followed by the first topic at 7:00pm)
- **Part 2: Battle Ground** (Saturday, Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> at 11:00am – Lunch afterward)
- **Part 3: New You** (Saturday, Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> at 1:30pm, New Year’s Commitment Service to follow)

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## WEEK AT A GLANCE

- **Prayer Focus** – That people’s hearts will be open to the message of Salvation this Christmas season.
- **Literature Focus** – The Gift of Joy – GLOW Tract
- **Birthdays & Anniversaries** – Avis Thomas(23<sup>rd</sup>), Kaye Byerly(26<sup>th</sup>), Amy Smith (31<sup>st</sup>)
- **Prayer Meeting** – Wednesday at 7pm
- **Next Week’s Speaker** – Royce Odiyar

Country Life Orders – The next Country Life Food order deadline is January 14<sup>th</sup>. Please email your order to [lynne@nonick.org](mailto:lynne@nonick.org) or call 517-331-1648 or give a paper order to Lynne Nickless or Billie Carpenter.

Online Bulletins – [www.charlottemisda.org](http://www.charlottemisda.org). or find us on Facebook, search for “Charlotte Seventh-Day Adventist Church” and click the “FRIEND” or “FOLLOW” button!

FELLOWSHIP DINNER		
MONTH	KITCHEN	SET UP ON FRIDAY
JANUARY 20	Jo Holbrook/Janette Lewis	John Castanon
FEBRUARY 17	Lisa Cooper	Michael & Lynne Nickless
MARCH 17	Linda White	Sim & Dee Clements

Monthly Offering Update as of November 30, 2017		
	Received	Goal
Combined Budget	<b>\$4,451.39</b>	\$4,616.00
Academy Aid	0	\$154.00
Elem. Aid	<b>\$50</b>	\$154.00
Project Running Totals		
Academy Aid – 2017	\$220	\$1,808.00
Elem. Aid – 2017	\$1,025	\$1,808.00
Church Improvement Fund		
	\$2,223.03	
YTD Combined Budget / YTD Goal		
	<b>\$47,582.75</b> / <b>\$54,231.00</b>	

Deacon in Charge Schedule	
12/02/2017	Keith Sevenser
12/09/2017	Earl Hanes
12/16/2017	Kurt Willis
12/23/2017	Mike Clements
12/30/2017	Phil White

**Bulletin Submissions**  
 Due by *Wednesday* evening  
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