



SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST® CHURCH

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 Pastor Robert Lechner

Welcome! We are all glad you came today!

We extend a special welcome to our guests and members. If you are visiting or have a prayer request, we invite you to fill out the card in the back of the pew and put it in the offering plate this morning. Thank you for sharing this Sabbath with us and may God richly bless you as you worship today!

Parents, we are blessed to have you and your children worshipping with us today. Relax and remember kids get the wiggles and can forget to whisper sometimes. They are learning how to worship during church service and we are privileged to teach them. We as a congregation are here to support you as your child learns how to worship in God’s House. Please do not get discouraged if you need to take your child out in the middle of service and do not be afraid to come back. Children are a gift to our growing church family! “Let the little children come to Me, and do not forbid them; for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven.” - Matthew 19:14

Sabbath School	9:30-10:30 am
Organ Meditation	10:30 am
Worship Service	10:40 am
Hymn Sing	Katrina Holt
Children’s Story	Donnie Russell
Announcements	Gary Zintak

At Your Service

Chorister	Katrina Holt
Deacon this Sabbath	Daniel Burleson
Elder this Sabbath	Gary Zintak
Greeter this Sabbath	Carol Evans
Organist	Howard Metcalfe
Pianist	Beth de Fluiter

Call to Worship
I cast all my cares upon you
I lay all of my burdens down at your feet
And any time that I don’t know what to do
I will cast all my cares upon you

Worship Service **August 25, 2018**

Invocation & Welcome	Gary Zintak
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Hymn of Praise – “Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”	#469
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Worship in Giving

Offering Appeal – Georgia-Cumberland Ministries	Lisa Burleson
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Offertory	
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Worship in Word

Morning Prayer	Iris Bentancourt
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Special Music	Jody Wolf
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Scripture – Ephesians 4:29 ; Malachi 2:13-16	Lourdes Robb
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Sermon – “Emotional Abuse and Faith”	Cathy Pollard
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Hymn of Commitment – “Wonderful Peace”	#466
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Benediction	Cathy Pollard
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Offering Next Sabbath	Local Church Budget
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Sunset Today 8:08 pm	Sunset Next Friday 8:00 pm
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Church Events

August 25	EndItNow Abuse Awareness Sabbath Speaker – Cathy Pollard Elder – Gary Zintak Deacon – Daniel Burleson	10:40 am
August 26	Women’s Ministry Prayer Brunch	9:30-11:30 am
August 27	Church Board meeting	6:30 pm
August 29	Pathfinder meeting Midweek service	6:00 pm 6:30 pm
Coming Up		
September 1	Speaker – Rob Lechner Elder – Mark de Fluiter Deacon – Harris Smith Sr. Guest Luncheon	10:40 am 12:30 pm
September 5	Midweek Service	6:30 pm
September 8	Speaker - Rob Lechner Elder – Matt Smith Deacon - Kemo Lenaud	10:40 am

Announcements

Speaker Today: Cathy Pollard **Theme:** All forms of abuse are on the rise in our society. The Christian community is not immune.

Midweek Service: Join us this Wednesday evening at 6:30 pm as we continue our study with “Revelation Speaks.”

Guest Luncheon next Sabbath! Please plan to stay and fellowship with us after the church service next Sabbath and bring a favorite vegetarian dish or dessert to share.

Hike: Bring a change of clothes and plan to join your church family on an afternoon hike following the guest luncheon next Sabbath. Location to be announced. If you have questions, call Lorri Ilchuk at 423-429-1172.

The ABC Bookmobile will be coming to Johnson City tomorrow. If you placed an order, please remember to pick it up between 12:30 and 1:30 at the church!

Living Springs Christian Academy’s Home and School will be having a fundraising yard sale on Sunday, September 16. If you have items you would like to donate, you can bring them to the school during school hours. To arrange a different time to bring donations or if you have questions, call Kerri Mathews at 423-322-3963 or Laurel Arnold at 423-619-5430.

Northeast Tennessee Camp Meeting 2018 will be September 21-22 at The Oaks Retreat in Greeneville. Doug Jacobs, a research professor in the School of Religion at Southern Adventist University will be speaking on the subject of “Be the Gospel.” For more information, including lodging and meal costs, visit www.gccsda.com/events/netncampmeeting2018 or call Caryn or Heidi at 706-629-7951. Registration forms are also available in the church foyer.

Engage Youth Leadership Convention, Sept. 21-23 at Cohutta Springs. This training is for youth workers, pastors, and youth (ages 16+) who want to learn leadership skills. This is a Union-wide event, so join other youth and youth workers from around the Southern Union for a weekend of inspiration and resources. Learn more and register at www.gccsda.com/events/engage2018.

Men’s Retreat: The Georgia-Cumberland Conference Men’s Retreat is October 5-7, 2018 at the Cohutta Springs Conference Center. The theme this year is “Blood Brothers” and focuses on the restoration of the brotherhood of men through the blood of Jesus Christ. The weekend will include great food, inspirational music, challenging messages, and brotherhood! For more information, visit www.blueprintformen.org. The registration deadline is Sept. 20.

Lost keys: Martha Dannenberger is still missing the keys that she lost at church last month. The key ring has a car key with fob, about 7-8 other keys, and a decorative Navajo leather tag with white, black, and yellow glass beadwork over the leather. If you have seen the keys or picked them up, please either call the church office at 283-4776 or text Martha at 794-8086 (text only for this number -- she can't get voice messages). Thank you!

Lost & Found: If you have lost anything at church, please check the Lost & Found bin in the copy room in the basement. The bin is nearly full and once it’s full, the items in it will be donated!

Prayer notebooks: Connie Rasnick has some great material on prayer! If you are interested in compiling a prayer notebook, please talk to her.

Combined Church Budget Offerings as of 08/18/2018

	Budget	Received
August-to-Date	\$ 8,251.50	\$ 6,268.18
7/1/18-to-Date	\$ 19,253.50	\$ 17,238.68
Annual Budget	\$ 132,024.00	
2018 Calendar Year Tithe		\$244,700.35

Member updates and prayer requests:

Prayer Requests

If you have a prayer request, contact our Prayer Ministry Leader, Connie Rasnick by calling/texting her at 423-278-6600.
You also helping together in prayer (2 Corinthians 1:11)

Praising God for many answered prayers!

New Prayer Requests: Connie Reynolds and family, Josh Adkins, Charles Payne

Continue Praying for: Lawrence & Karen Chronister, Max Arthur, Faye Conners, Johnny Ottinger, Linda Schlenker, Vivian Swink, Virginia Sutherland, Brooke Burlison, Pam Burlison, Mike & Penny Shell, Sheila Murphy, Marie Dannenberger, Anne Olney, Joyce Casteel, Betty Goins, and Howard & Betty Metcalfe's son, Ronnie.

Bulletin Announcements

Please email bulletin announcements to Karen Cote at info@johnsoncitysda.org by Wednesday midnight or call/text her at 423-429-7326. Please use email if possible.

Facebook and Webpage

Please like us on Facebook and visit our website, johnsoncitysda.org.

Church Officers

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Our Church Mission

***Developing deeper relationships with God and
nurturing genuine friendships within our community.***