

Reverence in God's Holy Sanctuary is Appreciated

No Applause Please: Although in our culture, the intent of applause is to show ones appreciation; we also, understand applause can have the element of uplifting man instead of glorifying God. It is our desire to do everything to the Glory of God and uplift our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ; therefore, we humbly request simple expressions of praise and "Amen's" only. **Cell Phones Off or on Silent,** Please!



SABBATH WORSHIP

10:30am

Doxology #694	
Invocation	David Rauh
Scripture: (John 17:14-17)	Jim Morris
Offering: (Local Church Budget)	
<i>"But thou shalt remember the Lord thy God: for it is He that giveth thee power to get wealth." Deut.8:18</i>	
Children's Story	
Opening Hymn #474...	
"Take the Name of Jesus With You"	
Sharing Time.....	Jim Morris
Pastoral Prayer	Jim Morris
Pre-Prayer Response: # 671	
Special Music	
Message:	David Rauh
"Jesus Did It Anyway"	
Closing Hymn #578.....	
"So I Send You"	
Benediction	David Rauh



Vegetarian Pot-Luck
following morning Worship
Everyone is invited!

A time to share your favorite dish!!

Seek the Lord and his strength, seek his face continually.

1 Chronicles 16:11.

When Jesus was upon the earth, He taught His disciples how to pray. He directed them to present their daily needs before God, and to cast all their care upon Him. And the assurance He gave them that their petitions should be heard, is assurance also to us.

Have a place for secret prayer. Jesus had select places for communion with God, and so should we. We need often to retire to some spot, however humble, where we can be alone with God....

In the secret place of prayer, where no eye but God's can see, no ear but His can hear, we may pour out our most hidden desires and longings to the Father of infinite pity, and in the hush and silence of the soul that voice which never fails to answer the cry of human need will speak to our hearts....

As we make Christ our daily companion we shall feel that the powers of an unseen world are all around us; and by looking unto Jesus we shall become assimilated to His image. By beholding we become changed. The character is softened, refined, and ennobled for the heavenly kingdom. The sure result of our intercourse and fellowship with our Lord will be to increase piety, purity, and fervor. There will be a growing intelligence in prayer. We are receiving a divine education, and this is illustrated in a life of diligence and zeal.

The soul that turns to God for its help, its support, its power, by daily, earnest prayer, will have noble aspirations, clear perceptions of truth and duty, lofty purposes of action, and a continual hungering and thirsting after righteousness. By maintaining a connection with God, we shall be enabled to diffuse to others, through our association with them, the light, the peace, the serenity, that rule in our hearts. The strength acquired in prayer to God, united with persevering effort in training the mind in thoughtfulness and care-taking, prepares one for daily duties and keeps the spirit in peace under all circumstances.

Religion must begin with emptying and purifying the heart, and must be nurtured by daily prayer.

God's Amazing Grace, page 290



WELCOME

"Welcome to the Mountain Home Seventh-Day Adventist Church. May you feel the brush of angels wings as you worship with us this Sabbath Day."

THIS WEEKS EVENTS

TODAY:

- **8:30 am Prayer Group meets every Sabbath** - Prayer Room
- **Fellowship Meal** following today's Church Service
 1st Sabbath – Singing Gassville Nursing Home
 2nd Sabbath – Women's Ministry Meeting
- **2:00 pm – 'ON TIME MINISTRY'** - A ministry that is Committed to preventing human trafficking! They reach out to empower and to restore human trafficking survivors. Awareness is the first step toward prevention and learning what you can do to help fight one of Satan's darkest scourges against humanity in the last days of earths history.

MONDAY:

- **11:00 am "Ladies Bible Study"** - Starting with: Joshua 9:1
 At Linda Morris' home, 17 Coventry Ln., Lakeview, AR
 ?? Joann Klassen 870-424-2051 or Linda Morris 870-404-2135

TUESDAY:

- **5:30 pm – Bible Study - Harmony of The Gospels**
 Call Toby or Joanne at (870)424-2051; for details

WEDNESDAY:

- **9-12 am - Community Services**
- **5:30 pm - Prayer Meeting**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Membership Transfer:** 1st reading - Ron and Sharon Jenkins from Harrison AR church.
- **April 21-22, 2018 - Day of Hope & Compassion** - Join thousands of Adventist in North America will engage their neighbors and surrounding communities showing the love of God and the compassion of Jesus in practical ways. Adventist Churches, Elementary Schools, Academies, Colleges, Universities, and Hospitals across our territory will proclaim, not only in words but with actions that we are the people of hope and compassion. Join us celebrating the Day of Hope and Compassion. www.compassionmovement.org
 The Social Media hashtags for the Day of Hope & Compassion are #dayofhope #compassion

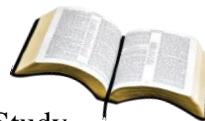
Bulletin Announcements Contact:

Sunset Today *Jim or Linda Morris* Sunset Friday
 7:42 pm (870)421-0183 or 404-2135 7:47 pm
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SABBATH SCHOOL BIBLE STUDY

Jesus and The Book of Revelation

April 14th - 20th



- ❖ 9:15 am Morning Song Service
 - ❖ 9:30 - 10:30 am Sabbath School Bible Study
 - **Adult Class in Sanctuary Linda Morris
 - **Adult Class in Small Classroom.....
- “To him that overcometh will I grant to sit with me in my throne, even as I also overcame, and am set down with my Father in his throne.” Revelation 3:21**

ALL ABOUT PRAYER

Prayer Brings Us Into Connection With God

If we come to God, feeling helpless and dependent, as we really are, and in humble, trusting faith make known our wants to Him whose knowledge is infinite, who sees everything in creation, and who governs everything by His will and word, He can and will attend to our cry, and will let light shine into our hearts. Through sincere prayer we are brought into connection with the mind of the Infinite. We may have no remarkable evidence at the time that the face of our Redeemer is bending over us in compassion and love, but this is even so. We may not feel His visible touch, but His hand is upon us in love and pitying tenderness. (Steps to Christ, 97.)

Our Prayers Ascend to Heaven Moist With Christ's Cleansing Blood

The religious services, the prayers, the praise, the penitent confession of sin ascend from true believers as incense to the heavenly sanctuary, but passing through the corrupt channels of humanity, they are so defiled that unless purified by blood, they can never be of value with God. They ascend not in spotless purity, and unless the Intercessor, who is at God's right hand, presents and purifies all by His righteousness, it is not acceptable to God. All incense from earthly tabernacles must be moist with the cleansing drops of the blood of Christ. He holds before the Father the censer of His own merits, in which there is no taint of earthly corruption. He gathers into this censer the prayers, the praise, and the confessions of His people, and with these He puts His own spotless righteousness. Then, perfumed with the merits of Christ's propitiation, the incense comes up before God wholly and entirely acceptable. Then gracious answers are returned. (Selected Messages 1:344.)
 Prayer, page 117,118

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Stewardship Budget Report MTD April 14th

Budget – Monthly	\$ 4,487.00
Received for April	\$ 1,465.99
Amount Still needed for April	\$ 3,021.01
Worthy Student Received	\$ 59.64
Academy- Education Aid Received	\$ 25.00

(Not included in the Church Budget \$\$)

Tithe Received	\$ 3,650.28
School Budget	\$ 59.80

Offering Next Sabbath 04/28 - ARKLA Advance

DON'T FORGET - SPECIAL OFFERING PROJECTS

NEW CARPET for Church Foyer & Sanctuary

Funds needed approximately \$10,000.00

Raised To Date: \$ 4,005.00 (Short \$ 5,995.00)