

SABBATH SCHOOL

February 15th – 21st



❖ 9:15 am Morning Song Service

❖ 9:30 - 10:30 am Bible Study

“From The Stormy Seas, to
The Clouds of Heaven”

**Adult Class in Sanctuary Bernard Lewis

**Adult Classroom in Basement..... Lisa Bendler

**Adult Class in Small Classroom.....Wayne Betham

 Memory Verse Daniel 7:27

SABBATH WORSHIP SERVICE

10:45 am - Welcome & Announcements

Doxology #694

InvocationDaniel Kaffenbeger

Scripture: (Psalm 119:105) Calvin Millet

Offering: (Arkla Advance)

“But thou shalt remember the Lord thy God: for it is he that giveth thee power to get wealth, that he may establish his covenant.”

Deut.8:18

Children's Story

[School Budget, Worthy Student, Summer Camp Scholarship]

Opening Hymn #7..... “The Lord in Zion Reigneth”

Sharing Time..... Calvin Millet

Pastoral Prayer Calvin Millet

Pre-Prayer Response: # 671

Message:Daniel Kaffenbeger

“Why Have Prophets? ”

Closing Hymn #602...“O Brother, Be Faithful”

Benediction Daniel Kaffenbeger



Vegetarian Pot-Luck
In The Fellowship Hall

Everyone is invited!

A time to share your favorite dish!!

Offerings of Thanksgiving to Be Set Aside for the Poor

In every church there should be established a treasury for the poor. Then let each member present a thank offering to God once a week or once a month, as is most convenient. This offering will express our gratitude for the gifts of health, of food, and of comfortable clothing. And according as God has blessed us with these comforts will we lay by for the poor, the suffering, and the distressed. I would call the attention of our brethren especially to this point. Remember the poor. Forego some of your luxuries, yea, even comforts, and help those who can obtain only the most meager food and clothing. In doing for them you are doing for Jesus in the person of His saints. He identifies Himself with suffering humanity. *Do not trust to your feelings and give when you feel like it and withhold when you do not feel like it. Give regularly, ... as you would like to see upon the heavenly record in the day of God.*

Our Property and the Support of God's Work

To those who love God sincerely and have means, I am bidden to say: Now is the time for you to invest your means in sustaining the work of the Lord. Now is the time to uphold the hands of the ministers in their self-denying efforts to save perishing souls. When you meet in the heavenly courts the souls you have helped to save, will you not have a glorious reward?

Let none withhold their mites, and let those who have much rejoice that they can lay up in heaven a treasure that faileth not. The money that we refuse to invest in the work of the Lord, will perish. On it no interest will accumulate in the bank of heaven.

The Lord now calls upon Seventh-day Adventists in every locality to consecrate themselves to Him and to do their very best, according to their circumstances, to assist in His work. By their liberality in making gifts and offerings, He desires them to reveal their appreciation of His blessings and their gratitude for His mercy.

The Lord has shown me repeatedly that it is contrary to the Bible to make any provision for our temporal wants in the time of trouble. I saw that if the saints had food laid up by them or in the field in the time of trouble, when sword, famine, and pestilence are in the land, it would be taken from them by violent hands and strangers would reap their fields. Then will be the time for us to trust wholly in God, and He will sustain us. I saw that our bread and water will be sure at that time, and that we shall not lack or suffer hunger; for God is able to spread a table for us in the wilderness. If necessary He would send ravens to feed us, as He did to feed Elijah, or rain manna from heaven, as He did for the Israelites.

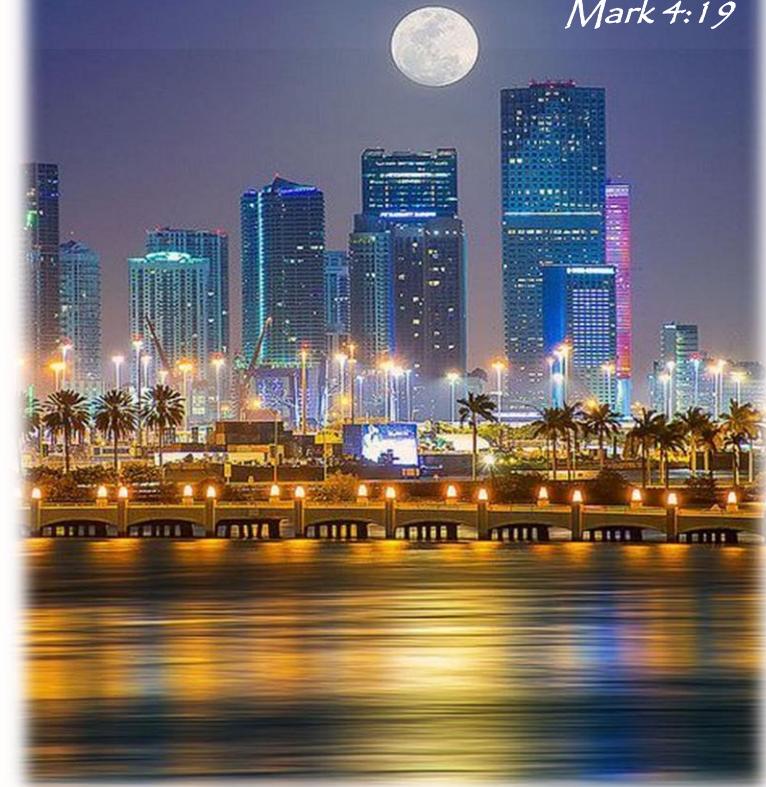
Houses and lands will be of no use to the saints in the time of trouble, for they will then have to flee before infuriated mobs, and at that time their possessions cannot be disposed of to advance the cause of present truth. I was shown that it is the will of God that the saints should cut loose from every encumbrance before the time of trouble comes, and make a covenant with God through sacrifice. If they have their property on the altar and earnestly inquire of God for duty, He will teach them when to dispose of these things. Then they will be free in the time of trouble and have no clogs to weigh them down.

E.G. White, [Council for The Church, pages 280.4 – 281.5]



And the cares of this world, and the deceitfulness of riches, and the lusts of other things entering in, choke the word, and it becometh unfruitful.

Mark 4:19



Our Church Family extends a heartfelt welcome to everyone worshipping with us today, and our prayer is that you may feel the brush of angel's wings as you worship with us this Sabbath Day.

THIS WEEKS EVENTS

TODAY:

- **8:30 am Prayer Group meeting** - Prayer Room
- **Fellowship Meal** following today's Church Service

MONDAY:

- **11:00 am "Ladies Bible Study"**- Studying the Book of 1ST Kings – Sm. Classroom Fellowship Hall - ?? Joann Klassen
- **2:30-6:30 pm – "Feeding The Hungry"** 2:30-4:30 Food Preparation \ Serving 4:30 – 6:30 pm – ?? Calvin or Ann Millett

WEDNESDAY:

- **5:30 pm –Prayer Meeting**

THURSDAY:

- **5:00 pm - Bible Study – 'Seeds of Wisdom'** – – Based on "Christ Object Lessons" @ Reynold's Library, 300 Library Hill, Small Conf. Room "B" - ??? Wayne Betham.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **2nd Reading for membership transfer** - Gary & Trish Poland to the Searcy, AR Seventh-Day Adventist Church
- **Treasurer's Up-date:** Church Budget donations for January were so short, we were only able to fund our local Church School a little over \$200.00. (We need \$700.00 each month from Church Budget to cover the expenses of the school). And no allocations could be made to church maintenance accounts, ministries accounts, or Capital Reserves in January.



FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Confound not faith and feeling together. They are distinct. Faith is ours to exercise. Believe, believe. Let your faith take hold of the blessing, and it is yours by faith. Your feelings have nothing to do with this faith. When faith brings the blessing to your heart, and you rejoice in the blessing, it is no more faith, but feeling. {Vol: 1 Testimonies, page 167.2} Ellen G. White

Bulletin Announcements Contact:

Sunset Today
5:48 pm

Jim or Linda Morris
jamllm50@gmail.com

Sunset Friday
6:01 pm

IT IS ALL ABOUT PRAYER

Long Prayers Make Worship Wearisome, cont'd - What is the object of assembling together? Is it to inform God, to instruct Him by telling Him all we know in prayer? We meet together to edify one another by an interchange of thoughts and feelings, to gather strength, and light, and courage by becoming acquainted with one another's hopes and aspirations; and by our earnest, heartfelt prayers, offered up in faith, we receive refreshment and vigor from the Source of our strength. These meetings should be most precious seasons and should be made interesting to all who have any relish for religious things.

There are some, I fear, who do not take their troubles to God in private prayer, but reserve them for the prayer meeting, and there do up their praying for several days. Such may be named conference and prayer meeting killers. They emit no light; they edify no one. Their cold, frozen prayers and long, backslidden testimonies cast a shadow. All are glad when they get through, and it is almost impossible to throw off the chill and darkness which their prayers and exhortations bring into the meeting. From the light which I have received, our meetings should be spiritual and social, and not too long. Reserve, pride, vanity, and fear of man should be left at home. Little differences and prejudices should not be taken with us to these meetings. As in a united family, simplicity, meekness, confidence, and love should exist in the hearts of brethren and sisters who meet to be refreshed and invigorated by bringing their lights together. - (Testimonies for the Church 2:577-579.)

Public Prayers Should Be Spoken Distinctly and Clearly

Let those who pray and those who speak pronounce their words properly and speak in clear, distinct, even tones. Prayer, if properly offered, is a power for good. It is one of the means used by the Lord to communicate to the people the precious treasures of truth. But prayer is not what it should be, because of the defective voices of those who utter it. Satan rejoices when the prayers offered to God are almost inaudible. Let God's people learn how to speak and pray in a way that will properly represent the great truths they possess. Let the testimonies borne and the prayers offered be clear and distinct. Thus God will be glorified. (Testimonies for the Church 6:382.) **Prayer, page 203.4-204.1**

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CHURCH OFFICERS:

Elders: Jim Morris [Head Elder]
Calvin Millet, David Rauh, Ron Jenkins

Head Deacon: Marty Vaughn

Treasurer: Dorothy Hess

Assist. Treasurer: Frank Walker

SS Superintendent: Joanne Klassen

Church Clerk: Shari Jenkins

STEWARDSHIP BUDGET –February 2020

Budget – Monthly	\$ 3,601.00
Received Month to Date.....	\$ 2,113.73
still needed to meet February budget... \$ 1,487.27	

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(Not included in the Church Budget \$)

Tithe Received \$ 5,403.08

Offering Next Sabbath, Feb. 29th – Evangelism

NEW CARPET - CHURCH FOYER & SANCTUARY

➤ **Funds needed approximately \$10,000.00**

➤ **Raised To Date: \$ 10,101.55**

NOTE: In process of getting an updated cost estimate, as prices have increased since previous estimate/also getting estimate for updated pew upholstery. Will announce new estimate ASAP!

MAINTENANCE NEEDS

HVAC FOR FOYER & ROOF FOR SANCTUARY **

➤ **Funds needed approximately \$29,000.00**

➤ **Raised To Date: \$ 5,320.25 <23,679.75>**

**** Our church needs funds to replace the air conditioning unit in the foyer and the roof on the church will soon need to be replaced; Please keep these items in prayer and consider monthly donations to HVAC/Roof as part of your planned giving.**