

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 Pastor Elroy

Scripture: (Luke 19:9,10) Jim Morris

Offering: (Local Church Budget).....

*"But thou shalt remember the Lord thy God: for it is
He that giveth thee power to get wealth." Deut.8:18*

Children's Story Gloria Cordis

Opening Hymn #306...

"Draw Me Nearer"

Sharing Time..... Jim Morris

Pastoral Prayer Jim Morris

Pre-Prayer Response: # 671

Message: Pastor Elroy

"Seeing the Lost"

Closing Hymn #375.....

"Work, for the Night Is Coming"

Benediction Pastor Elroy



***Vegetarian Pot-Luck
following morning Worship
Everyone is invited!***

A time to share your favorite dish!!

It was taught by the Jews that before God's love is extended to the sinner, he must first repent. In their view, repentance is a work by which men earn the favor of Heaven. And it was this thought that led the Pharisees to exclaim in astonishment and anger, **"This man receiveth sinners."** According to their ideas He should permit none to approach Him but those who had repented. But in the parable of the lost sheep, Christ teaches that salvation does not come through our seeking after God but through God's seeking after us. **"There is none that understandeth, there is none that seeketh after God. They are all gone out of the way."** Romans 3:11, 12. We do not repent in order that God may love us, but He reveals to us His love in order that we may repent.

When the straying sheep is at last brought home, the shepherd's gratitude finds expression in melodious songs of rejoicing. He calls upon his friends and neighbors, saying unto them, **"Rejoice with me; for I have found my sheep which was lost."** So when a wanderer is found by the great Shepherd of the sheep, heaven and earth unite in thanksgiving and rejoicing.

"Joy shall be in heaven over one sinner that repenteth, more than over ninety and nine just persons, which need no repentance." You Pharisees, said Christ, regard yourselves as the favorites of heaven. You think yourselves secure in your own righteousness. Know, then, that if you need no repentance, My mission is not to you. These poor souls who feel their poverty and sinfulness, are the very ones whom I have come to rescue. Angels of heaven are interested in these lost ones whom you despise. You complain and sneer when one of these souls joins himself to Me; but know that angels rejoice, and the song of triumph rings through the courts above.

The rabbis had a saying that there is rejoicing in heaven when one who has sinned against God is destroyed; but Jesus taught that to God the work of destruction is a strange work. That in which all heaven delights is the restoration of God's own image in the souls whom He has made.

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*Likewise, I say unto you,
there is joy in the presence
of the angels of God over
one sinner that repenteth.*



Luke 15:10

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

MONDAY:

- **11:00 am "Ladies Bible Study"**- on June 18th – Joshua 22
 - in the Small Classroom Fellowship Hall
 ?? 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:

- **5:30 pm - Prayer Meeting**
- **6:30 pm – Sabbath School Council Meeting**

THURSDAY:

- **5:00 pm - Bible Study Group – 'Steps To Personal Revival'**
 @ Reynold's Library, 300 Library Hill, Small Conference Room "B"
 For Questions call Wayne Betham, (870)321-4213

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Attn: Community Services** is now open by appointment only
- **June 20th - 6:30 pm - Sabbath School Council Meeting**
- **July 8th - 9:00am - Pancake Breakfast & Social Committee Meeting**
- **July 8th – 10:00 am – Church Business Meeting**
- **MARK YOUR CALENDARS – Sunday - Aug 26th - we will be having our annual Church Picnic** - details forthcoming

Bulletin Announcements Contact:

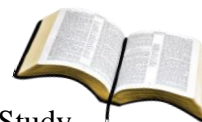
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Sunset Today 8:21 pm jamllm1@centurytel.net Sunset Friday 8:23 pm

SABBATH SCHOOL BIBLE STUDY

America and Babylon

June 9th – June 15th



- ❖ 9:15 am Morning Song Service
- ❖ 9:30 - 10:30 am Sabbath School Bible Study
- **Adult Class in Sanctuary Joann Klassen
- **Adult Class in Small Classroom.....

“And they sing the song of Moses the servant of God, and the song of the Lamb, saying, Great and marvellous are thy works, Lord God Almighty; just and true are thy ways, thou King of saints.”

Revelation 15:3

ALL ABOUT PRAYER

Prayer Without Earnest Activity for Others Leads to Formalism

God does not mean that any of us shall become hermits or monks, and retire from the world to devote ourselves to acts of worship. The life must be like Christ's life,—between the mountain and the multitude. He who does nothing but pray will soon cease to pray, or his prayers will become a formal routine. When men take themselves out of social life, away from the sphere of Christian duty and cross-bearing; when they cease to work earnestly for the Master, who worked earnestly for them, they lose the subject matter of prayer, and have no incentive to devotion. Their prayers become personal and selfish. They cannot pray in regard to the wants of humanity or the upbuilding of Christ's kingdom, pleading for strength wherewith to work.

(Steps to Christ, 101.)

Spiritual Progress Depends Upon Prayer—We must be much in prayer if we would make progress in the divine life. When the message of truth was first proclaimed, how much we prayed. How often was the voice of intercession heard in the chamber, in the barn, in the orchard, or the grove. Frequently we spent hours in earnest prayer, two or three together claiming the promise; often the sound of weeping was heard and then the voice of thanksgiving and the song of praise. Now the day of God is nearer than when we first believed, and we should be more earnest, more zealous, and fervent than in those early days. Our perils are greater now than then - **(Testimonies for the Church 5:161, 162)**

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Stewardship Budget Report MTD June 9th

Budget – Monthly	\$ 4,487.00
Received for June	\$ 964.27
Worthy Student Received	\$ 21.38

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

Tithe Received	\$ 3,751.78
School Budget	\$ 35.00

Offering Next Sabbath 02/23 – ARKLA Advance

DON'T FORGET - SPECIAL OFFERING PROJECTS

NEW CARPET for Church Foyer & Sanctuary

Funds needed approximately \$10,000.00

Raised To Date: \$ 4,154.50 (Short \$ 5,845.50)