



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	Gerald Burnette
Children's Story	Lisa Burleson
Announcements	Matt Smith

At Your Service

Chorister	Gerald Burnette
Deacon this Sabbath	Nathan Phelps
Elder this Sabbath	Matt Smith
Greeter this Sabbath	Linda Criss
Organist	Cheryl Ingersoll
Pianist	Connie Mercer

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 January 12, 2019

Invocation & Welcome	Matt Smith
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Hymn of Praise – "I Sing the Mighty Power of God"	#88
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Worship in Giving

Offering Appeal – Georgia-Cumberland Ministries	Ken Cooper
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Offertory

Worship in Word

Morning Prayer	Josie Watson
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Special Music	Brooke Burleson
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Scripture – Ezekiel 36:26-27	Joy McGrath
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Sermon – "The Valley of Dry Bones"	Rob Lechner
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Hymn of Commitment – "Joy By and By"	#430
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Benediction	Rob Lechner
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Offering Next Sabbath	Local Church Budget
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Sunset Today 5:34 pm	Sunset Next Friday 5:40 pm
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Church Events

January 12	Speaker – Rob Lechner Elder – Matt Smith Deacon – Nathan Phelps LSCA discussion meeting	10:40 am 5:30-6:30 pm
January 12-18	Ten Days of Prayer	7:00 pm
January 14	Pathfinder Fundraiser at Petro's Chili & Chips	10:30 am -9 pm
January 16	Pathfinder Meeting	6:00 pm
Coming Up		
January 19	Speaker – Rob Lechner Elder – Mark de Fluiter Deacon – David Holt Fellowship Meal Food Box Distribution	10:40 am 12:30 pm 1:45 pm
January 21	Vegan Meet Up	6:00 pm
January 23	Pathfinder Meeting	6:00 pm
January 24	LSCA International Food Fair	6:30 pm
January 26	Communion Sabbath Speaker – Rob Lechner Elder – Tim Mercer Deacon – Daniel Burleson Bible Study	10:40 am 1:30 pm

Announcements

Speaker Today: Rob Lechner **Theme:** Ezekiel 37 is a vision of a valley full of dry bones. It describes a resurrected nation. God's word and breath (Spirit) brings life to the dry bones. It is the imagery about God who will resurrect the dead, exiled nation from the grave into life, giving them their land, and a new spiritual life through His word and Spirit.

Urgent meeting tonight! There will be an urgent meeting this evening from 5:30-6:30 in our church Fellowship Hall to discuss options to deal with LSCA's overcrowded upper grades classroom. The school board is asking for your input.

The Johnson City Pathfinder Club is having a fundraiser to raise money for our trip to Oshkosh in August. Bring a flyer to Petro's Chili & Chips at either of their two Johnson City locations on Monday, January 14, and 30% of the money from your order will be donated to our local Pathfinder club. Flyers are available in the church lobby.

Fellowship Meal next Sabbath: Please plan to stay and fellowship with us after the church service next Sabbath and bring a vegetarian dish or dessert to share!

Thank you: Debby and Tom Pennington would like to thank everyone who assisted in unloading their trailers November 20th. That was a true blessing from our church family! We appreciate the help and support to get us moved in!

The Heavens Are Telling: Many of us know the Greek myths behind the names of many of the star constellations, but there is a much more important story in the sky! The stars teach us the plan of salvation. Joan Ron and Joan Malloch (former teachers at LSCA) at the Kingsport SDA Church on January 19, at 5:00 pm to find out what *The Heavens Are Telling*

International Food Fair: Please come and experience the delightful taste of various cuisines from different countries at Living Springs Christian Academy on January 24 at 6:30 pm. If you would like to help with this event, please contact Laurel Arnold at 423-619-5430 or Kerri Mathews at 423-322-3963

Bookmobile: The Georgia-Cumberland Conference Bookmobile will be coming to Johnson City on January 27, 12:30-1:30 pm. Lists of their current specials are available in the church lobby. The deadline to order is noon on January 24.

OASIS - High School Retreat: Feb. 1-3, 2019 at Cohutta Springs Youth Camp. Young people are invited to come be a part of this Bible conference event for Adventist students (grades 9-12), not in SDA schools (those in SDA schools can attend as well). Come experience the outdoors, new friends and fun activities. Cost is \$89 per student (\$79 through Jan. 13), \$49 per sponsor. Final deadline to register is Jan. 23. Register online at www.gccsda.com/events/oasis2019 or for more information, contact Alyse at 706-629-7951, ext. 346.

Prayer Conference: The Georgia-Cumberland Conference presents *Thirsty for You*, their 2019 prayer conference, at Cohutta Springs Conference Center February 15-17. Jesus has promised to satisfy our deepest longings when we thirst and seek His face, so come join believers from across the conference and draw near to Him together in prayer, fellowship, training and sharing. James Shires, president of the Oklahoma Conference, will be the guest speaker. To register or for more information visit www.gccsda.com/events/prayerconference2019 or call 706-629-7951, ext. 340.

Signs of the Times can be a wonderful tool to help those who are receiving Bible studies, those who are on an interest list, or newly baptized members. It can increase their understanding of the Bible and anchor them in Jesus. Please consider giving someone this inspirational gift during this holiday season. (Order forms available in the church lobby.)

Combined Church Budget Offerings as of 1/5/2019

	Budget	Received
January--to-Date	\$2,750.50	\$1,237.45
7/1/18-to-Date	\$68,762.50	\$74,855.98
Annual Budget	\$ 132,024.00	
2018 Calendar Year Tithe		\$2,623.80

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:

Continue Praying for: James Kyker, Don Thompson, Sandy Miller, Bob and Ruth Powers, Lawrence & Karen Chronister, Max Arthur, Faye Conners, Johnny Ottinger, Linda Schlenker, Vivian Swink, Virginia Sutherland, Brooke Burleson, Pam Burleson, 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.

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Our Church Mission

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