January 8, 2022

SABBATH SCHOOL

9:30 a.m. - 10:40 a.m.

Adult	Classroom Location
SpanishSa	nctuary behind platform curtains
The Sanctified Life and Bible Prophecy Study	. Small Room off Fellowship Hal
Adult: 19+ years	Sanctuary
Devotion	
Bible Study "The Message of Hebrews	" Sarah Madrid
Children/Youth	
Beginners: Birth–3 years	Lower level, 2nd door on right
Kindergarten: 4–6 years	Lower level, 1st door on right
Primary: 7–10 years	Lower level, 2nd door on left
Juniors: 11–13 years	Lower level, 1st door on left
Youth: 14–18 years	Lower level, 1st door on left



WORSHIP SERVICE

10:50 a.m.

Songs of Praise	Praise Team
Welcome & Announcements	Paul Bauer
*Doxology "I Love You, Lord"	Congregation
*Invocation	Pastor Evan Knott
Opening Hymn "How Great Thou Art"	# 86
Tithes & Offerings Religious Liberty	Paul Bauer
Children's Story	Vince Czajkowski
Congregational Prayer"Oh, How He Loves You and Me"	Jerry Elliott
Scripture Reading Matthew 8:28-34	Larry Cable
Sermon "The Only Thing That Can Stop Jesus"	Pastor Evan Knott
*Closing Hymn "Live Out Thy Life Within Me"	# 316
*Benediction	Pastor Evan Knott

Paul Bauer, *Presiding Elder* Larry Cable and Carl Calfo, *Deacons* Jason Sellers, *Pianist*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to the Middletown Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church. May you experience the love of Christ and sense the warmth of His presence as we worship Him. Thank you for choosing to worship with us today.

NEW SABBATH SCHOOL FORMAT: ALL Sabbath School classes are meeting together in the fellowship hall Sabbath mornings at 9:30 AM to sing and share a group activity. At 9:45 AM individual classes divide and continue their regularly scheduled program.

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS: Happy Birthday church family members born this month! If we inadvertently omitted your name, please speak with Celinda.

7 C.J. Milton

13 Isabella Rozman

18 Samantha Oravec

SOCIAL COMMITTEE: Come get your hot drink and pastry in the fellowship hall from 9:00-9:30. Then this afternoon, join us at 3:30 pm at the C&O Canal in Shepherdstown (the larger parking lot) for a gentle walk.

ADVENTURERS/PATHFINDERS meetings are canceled for this month. We will try again in February.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH: Beginning on January 29, children are invited to come to their own church service in the fellowship hall following the children's offering. This will be a time for prayer, songs, a Bible story, and a craft happening on the last Sabbath of each month. Children 3 and under should be accompanied by a parent. If you are interested in helping with this activity, please contact Viv or Tracie Frederick.

NEW! MONTHLY BOOK CLUB: Our first book is by <u>Gladys Aylward: The Little Woman</u>. Join us via Zoom on Jan. 31st, 7:30 – 8:00 pm, as we share our thoughts on this great missionary book!

GUESS FOR A GIFT CARD: Throughout the month of January there will be a jar filled with "snowballs" on the back table in the fellowship hall. Anytime throughout the month stop by and wager a guess. The individual with the closest guess will win a gift card. (*One guess per person.)

MVSDA 6 A.M. PRAYER LINE: All are welcome to call 240-575-3248 and join our prayer line, weekdays at 6:00 am (until further notice).

CALENDAR

-JANUARY -

Jan 8	Sab	5:00 pm	Vespers & lite refreshments @ 5321 Amos Reeder Rd Boonsboro
Jan 29	Sab	11:30 am	Children's Church Fellowship Hall after Children's Story
Jan 29	Sab	3:00 pm	Adventurers/Pathfinders Class
Jan 31	Fri	7:30 pm	MVSDA Book Club - Gladys Aylward: The Little Woman

CHURCH BUDGET REPORT

		BUDGET		OFFERINGS		DEC	YTD
BUDGET		Dec	YTD	Dec	YTD	+/-'	+/-'
MONTHLY BUDGET: \$7000.00		7,000.00	84,000.00	21,753.55	95,704.85	14,753.55	11,704.85
\$3500.00 Church Expense Mortgage Repairs	\$3000.00 \$500.00 Major						

WHO AM I?: Every month during 2022, we will be playing a fun game via email called "Who Am I?" I (Katie Flores) will be selecting one church member per month who will tell me 5 random facts about themselves. I will then share those facts via our church email distribution list and the rest of the church members will try to guess the mystery member. Guesses will be sent directly to my email. Every member that takes a guess will be entered into a drawing for a prize. Once again, watch your emails for more details!

PRAYER MEETING: Beginning this New Year we'll be studying the book, *Steps to Christ.* Join us in drawing closer to the only One who loves your soul and gave up all Heaven to save you! You will never regret spending this time together with us and Jesus! We meet via Zoom every Wednesday night @ 7:00 pm, praying together and growing in our love for Jesus and each other. We hope you'll join us!

PASTORAL COUNSELING: sessions are available via Zoom for members and their friends on Wednesdays from 3-7 pm. Sessions are held before our regular online Prayer Meeting. Contact Pastor Santrac via email or cell to meet.

OPEN BIBLE STUDIES: Pastor Santrac is conducting open Bible studies of SDA fundamental beliefs every second Thursday of the month. If you or someone you know is interested in joining this class, please let the pastor know!

MT. AETNA NATURE CENTER will be closed on Sabbath afternoons until further notice due to current high Covid infections rates in Washington County.

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