

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Membership Transfers (Second Reading to Triadelphia):** Paulette Warren from Remnant SDA Church, Burtonsville, MD. Bo Bo Yin from Ahlone/Kyi Myin Dine SDA Church, Yangon, Myanmar.
- **Fellowship Potluck today** is under the direction of Team 1 – which means HAYSTACKS! Everyone is invited to bring haystack items for your family and three guests.
- **Family Ministries Week of Prayer** is Sept 3-9 with the theme “Keys to Healthy Minds: Flourishing Families.” You can download the booklet at family.adventist.org (an excellent website) and use for your family worship.
- **Family Ministries Hike/Walk** on Sept 9 begins at 2:00 PM at Centennial Park (meet in the shade at the Concession Boat rental parking lot sign – call 240.291.5784 if you get lost). Everyone is welcome. Afterwards, you are invited to meet at the church for the last day of the world Week of Prayer to study the Sabbath’s lesson.
- **Elternhaus needs a Driver** to bring residents to Triadelphia on Sabbath mornings. You would use their vehicle and there is a small financial compensation. If interested, contact Tim Mayer at tim@elternhausalf.com or 240-286-3635.
- **Our Church 50th Anniversary Plans** are coming together for Sept 16. We’ll begin with a musical vespers on Friday evening, a Sabbath morning panel discussion for adults during Sabbath School (children will meet separately downstairs), a divine service at 11:00 AM, a catered meal for lunch, an afternoon program of music and testimonies, and refreshments and vespers in the early evening.
- **Standing on the Rock Hike** – Meet at Mt Aetna Camp at 2:45 Sabbath, Oct 28, for our annual hike to Blackrock. There are some good inclines on the way but all can make it to the top for a truly inspiring view & great fellowship. Contact Wayne Harris for details.
- **Help the Pathfinders** earn their way to Camporee next year. Contact Ian Barrow or the Williams to hire ‘em!

SERMON NOTES

Triadelphia Seventh-day Adventist Church

September 2, 2023

Welcome

We are happy you are at Triadelphia today! Together we come to praise and worship in music and the Word. May you be blessed as we all spend time with Jesus.



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OUR CHURCH IN STUDY

9:20 – 10:35 AM

Sabbath School

Bible Study, Prayer, Fellowship, Mission

Beginner (0-3 yrs)	Lower Level
Kindergarten (4-6 yrs)	Lower Level
Primary (7-9 yrs)	Parsonage
Juniors (10-12 yrs)	Parsonage
Teens	Second Floor
Michael Eckert's Class	Lower Level
Gerhard Pfandl's Class	Lower Level
Pastor Sam's Class	Sanctuary
Spanish Class	Parsonage
Online Class (9:50 AM)	YouTube

Link: <https://bit.ly/TriadelphiaYouTube>

OUR CHURCH FAMILY LIFE

10:40 AM

Join us in the Sanctuary for joyful singing, announcements and to prepare your heart for the service to follow.

Sabbath Thought

"We are living in the most solemn period of this world's history....Our own future well-being and also the salvation of other souls depend upon the course which we now pursue....Every follower of Christ should earnestly inquire: 'Lord, what wilt Thou have me to do?' We need to humble ourselves before the Lord, with fasting and prayer, and to meditate much upon His word, especially upon the scenes of the judgment. We should now seek a deep and living experience in the things of God. We have not a moment to lose....Sleep not, sentinels of God; the foe is lurking near, ready at any moment, should you become lax and drowsy, to spring upon you and make you his prey.'" – Ellen G White, *The Great Controversy*, p 601.

OUR CHURCH IN WORSHIP

11:00 AM Sanctuary & via YouTube

Kindly turn all electronic devices to silent.

*"let us be thankful,
and so worship God acceptably with reverence and awe."
Hebrews 12:28*

We Gather

Welcome and	Pratap Rao
Call to Worship – 2 Chronicles 20:20	
Prayer	
Opening Hymn – "My Maker and My King"	#15

We Surrender

Tithes & Offerings	Clint Wahlen
Local Church Budget	
<i>(Next Week: World Budget – Radio Ministries)</i>	
Children's Offering	#218
Children's Story	Jan Erntson
Special Music	Gary Olson

We Learn

Sabbath Thought and	
Scripture Reading – I Thessalonians 5:19-20	
Sermon – "A Despised Gift"	Josué Uzcategui

We Are Sent

Closing Hymn	"How Firm a Foundation"	#509
Prayer	Josué Uzcategui	

Elder of the Day: Pratap Rao
Choristers: Lynda Maymon & Cheryl Nilsen
Pianist: Deriba Olana

OUR CHURCH IN PRAYER

Friday Nights, 7:00 PM

using the Zoom link: [Sabbath School Link](#)

Requests for...

Health: Jude Edwards and Grace Edwards; Svetlana Caron; Roxann Ganbin's son Keith; Betty Haines; Tracey's brothers Tom & Tim Parker; Gail Prinz' husband, Chris; Jessie Rao; Jesse Wenzel, Tony Williams

Workers Abroad: Ann Stickle Schwisow – Cambodia;

Other: our students returning to school; county approval for our HopeRising project; Connie Ropka & the Roberts family; our newest babies and their parents; those taking Bible studies; the people of Ukraine and Russia

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Weekly Bible Studies:

Tuesdays, 7:00 PM at the church

Wednesdays, 7:15 PM with the Williams at home

Friday prayer meeting, 7:00 PM, Zoom: [Sab. School Link](#)

Sat, Sep 2	Adventurers/Pathfinders Induction Service
Sept 3-9	Week of Prayer "Healthy Minds"
Sat, Sep 9	Family Hike, sponsored by Family Ministries
Sun, Sep 10	Men/Dads/Children Get Together, 12-5 PM
Sat, Sep 15-16	50 th Anniversary Celebration
Sat, Oct 7	MD Men of Faith Conference
Sat, Oct 28	Hike to Blackrock

Sunset Tonight – 7:37 PM ~ Next Friday – 7:28 PM