SABBATH SCHOOL

9:15 am Morning Song Service 9:30 - 10:30 am Bible Study



"For What Nation Is There So Great"

There are 3 Adult Classes

In the Sanctuary – In the Fellowship Hall
Classroom in Basement



Deuteronomy 4:8

SABBATH WORSHIP SERVICE

10:45 am - Welcome & Announcements

Doxology #694												
Invocation Jim Morris												
Scripture: (James 2:23) David Rauh												
Offering: (World Budget Radio Ministries) 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]												
Opening Hymn #469 "Leaning On the Everlasting Arms"												
Sharing Time David Rauh Pre-Prayer Response: # 671 s												
Message: Jim Morris												
"Being a friend of God"												
Closing Hymn#499 "What a Friend We Have In Jesus"												
Benediction Jim Morris												

Following the Worship Service

<u>Vegetarian Pot-Luck</u>

<u>In The Fellowship Hall</u>

<u>Everyone is invited!</u>

A time to share your favorite dish!!

"We know that we have passed from death unto life, because we love the brethren. He that loveth not his brother abideth in death. Whosoever hateth his brother is a murderer; and ve know that no murderer hath eternal life abiding in him. Hereby perceive we the love of God, because he laid down his life for us: and we ought to lay down our lives for the brethren.... And whatsoever we ask, we receive of him, because we keep his commandments, and do those things that are pleasing in his sight. And this is his commandment. That we should believe on the name of his Son Jesus Christ, and love one another, as he gave us commandment. And he that keepeth his commandments dwelleth in him, and he in him. And hereby we know that he abideth in us, by the Spirit which he hath given us." "Whosoever believeth that Jesus is the Christ is born of God: and every one that loveth him that begat loveth him also that is begotten of him. By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God, and keep his commandments. For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments: and his commandments are not grievous."

When the truth is enshrined in the heart, it will be manifested in the daily life. The truth of the psalmist's words will be realized: "The law of the Lord is perfect, converting the soul." "Give me understanding, and I shall keep thy law; yea, I shall observe it with my whole heart. Make me to go in the path of thy commandments; for therein do I delight. Incline my heart unto thy testimonies, and not to covetousness." The home will be sweetened by its influence, and the business transactions will be entered upon as if in full view of the heavenly universe.

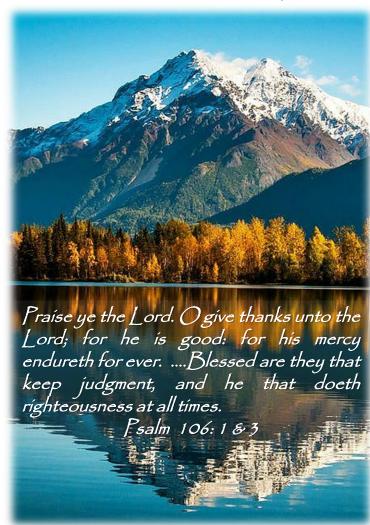
"If ye love me, keep my commandments." All the proud boasting of righteousness avails nothing. "He that doeth righteousness is righteous." "If a man think himself to be something, when he is nothing, he deceiveth himself." All the self-righteous claims of the professors of religion will have no weight with the man who possesses that wisdom which is from above; which is "first pure, then peaceable, gentle, easy to be entreated, full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality, and without hypocrisy."

"The Lord taketh pleasure in them that fear him, in those that hope in his mercy." How precious are these words from the Lord! They irradiate the pathway of the Christian amid all his toils and burdens. He has a heavenly Friend to whom he may turn for guidance and help in every time of need.

Review and Herald, November 17, 1896, par, 13-16



Sabbath - November 13, 2021



WELCOME

Our Church Family extends a heartfelt welcome to everyone worshipping with us today. May you feel the **brush** of angel's wings as you worship with us this Sabbath.

THIS WEEKS EVENTS

TODAY:

• Fellowship Meal - in the fellowship hall immediately following the worship service. Everyone is invited!

MONDAY:

• 11:00 am "Ladies Bible Study" - Studying the Gospels Sm. Classroom Fellowship Hall - ?? Call Joann Klassen

WEDNESDAY:

5:01 pm

· 5:30 pm - Prayer Meeting - "Study in Acts"

FRIDAY - Preparation Day

THANKSGIVING POT-LUCK DINNER

❖ November 25, 2021 -The Church Family will be having a Thanksgiving Dinner at 2:00 pm in the fellowship Hall, and everyone who wants to come is invited. There is a sign-up sheet in the fellowship hall (on dessert table) where you can write down what you plan on bringing and see what others are bringing.

FUTURE EVENTS

31, 2021 Communion\Agape > December Candlelight Dinner & weekend revival. Speaker, Ryan Day. - Please consider the outreach in your planned giving this month marking your tithe envelope: Acct. #210 - Agape Fund \$ 1,565.00

REMINDER

> Feeding the Hungry reminder - Please keep this outreach in prayers and your planned giving. "... Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me." Matt 25:40

Bulletin Announcements Contact: Jim or Linda Morris jamllm1@centurytel.net **Sunset Today** (870)404-2135

Sunset Friday 4:57 pm

Warning Against Prayers That Have Self as Their Source Our petitions to God should not proceed from hearts that are filled with selfish aspirations. God exhorts us to choose those gifts that will redound to His glory. He would have us choose the heavenly instead of the earthly. He throws open before us the possibilities and advantages of a heavenly commerce. He gives encouragement to our loftiest aims, security to our choicest treasure. When the worldly possession is swept away, the ' believer will rejoice in his heavenly treasure, the riches that cannot be lost in any earthly disaster. - (Sons and Daughters of God, 188.)

Genuine and Counterfeit Prayers Contrasted - The poor publican who prayed, "God be merciful to me a sinner" (Luke 18:13), regarded himself as a very wicked man, and others looked upon him in the same light; but he felt his need, and with his burden of guilt and shame he came before God, asking for His mercy. His heart was open for the Spirit of God to do its gracious work and set him free from the power of sin. The Pharisee's boastful, self-righteous prayer showed that his heart was closed against the influence of the Holy Spirit. Because of " his distance from God, he had no sense of his own defilement, in contrast with the perfection of the divine holiness. He felt no need, and he received nothing.—(Steps to Christ, 30, 31.)

Prayer, page 265, par. 2 & 3

An Unequal Contest - Selfishness is the strongest and most general of human impulses, the struggle of the soul between sympathy and covetousness is an unequal contest; for while selfishness is the strongest passion, love and benevolence are too often the weakest, and as a rule the evil gains the victory. Therefore in our labors and gifts for God's cause, it is unsafe to be controlled by feeling or impulse.

To give or to labor when our sympathies are moved, and to withhold our gifts or service when the emotions are not stirred, is an unwise and dangerous course. If we are controlled by impulse or mere human sympathy, then a few instances where our efforts for others are repaid with ingratitude, or where our gifts are abused or squandered, will be sufficient to freeze up the springs of beneficence. Christians should act from fixed principle, following the Saviour's example of self-denial and selfsacrifice. - The Review and Herald, December 7, 1886.

Counsels on Stewardship, Page 25, par. 1 & 2

Mountain Home

Seventh-Day Adventist Church

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CHURCH OFFICERS:

Elders: Jim Morris [Head Elder], Calvin Millet,

David Rauh, Ron Jenkins

Head Deacon: John Dammann

Treasurer: Dorothy Hess

Assist. Treasurer: Frank Walker

SS Superintendent: Joanne Klassen

Church Clerk: Shari Jenkins

STEWARDSHIP BUDGET NOVEMEBER 2021

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

School Budget Donations {needed \$1,000} ... \$ 311.52

MAINTENANCE NEEDS

NEW ROOF FUNDS, Maintenance Acct. # 300:

Balance: \$ 15,665.00 Funds Needed approx. \$22,000.00}

SANCTUARY/FOYER PAINTING & REPAIRS, Maintenance Acct. # 202 - Balance: \$585.00 {Funds Needed approx. \$5,100.00}

REPLACEMENT OF WINDOWS (with Low-E glass) Maintenance Acct/#205 - Balance: \$3,475.00 {Funds Needed approx. \$3,100.00.}

CARPET\FLOORING & RE-UPHOLSTREY OF PEWS, Maintenance Acct. #253 - Balance: \$12,612.00 {Funds Needed \$43,000}

NOTE: **If we raise half of the above needed funds [\$37K]: we may be able to secure a loan and complete all of these maintenance needs in quick succession.

Raised to date \$32,227.00

➤ Audio Visual Upgrade - approximately \$10,100.00 is needed; if you wish to contribute to this project mark your offering for account # 234 Audio Visual Upgrade. Current balance is \$ 6,515.00