#### **SABBATH SCHOOL**

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



"The Message of Hebrews"

**There are 3 Adult Classes** 

In the Sanctuary – In the Fellowship Hall
Classroom in Basement



Hebrews 8:1

### SABBATH WORSHIP SERVICE

10:45 am - Welcome & Announcements

Doxology #694
Invocation Jim Morris
Scripture: (Ephesians 3:20) Ron Jenkins
Offering: (Religious Liberty)  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 #619 "Lead On O King Eternal"
Sharing Time
Message: Jim Morris
"Lost in Church"
Closing Hymn#500 "Take Time To Be Holy"
Benediction Jim Morris

Following the Worship Service

Vegetarian Pot-Luck

In The Fellowship Hall

Everyone is invited!

A time to share your favorite dish!!

Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me. John 14:6.

Christ is the truth. His words are truth, and they have a deeper significance than appears on the surface. All the sayings of Christ have a value beyond their unpretending appearance. Minds that are quickened by the Holy Spirit will discern the value of these sayings. They will discern the precious gems of truth, though these may be buried treasures.

Human theories and speculations will never lead to an understanding of God's Word. Those who suppose that they understand philosophy think that their explanations are necessary to unlock the treasures of knowledge and to prevent heresies from coming into the church. But it is these explanations that have brought in false theories and heresies. Men have made desperate efforts to explain what they thought to be intricate scriptures; but too often their efforts have only darkened that which they tried to make clear.

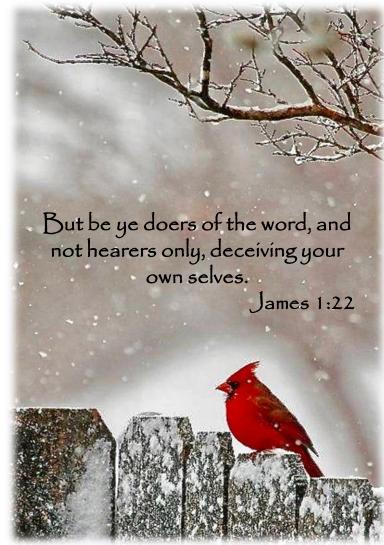
The priests and Pharisees thought they were doing great things as teachers, by putting their own interpretation upon the Word of God; but Christ said of them, "Ye know not the scriptures, neither the power of God" (Mark 12:24). He charged them with the guilt of "teaching for doctrines the commandments of men" (chap. 7:7). Though they were the teachers of the oracles of God, though they were supposed to understand His Word, they were not doers of the Word. Satan had blinded their eyes that they should not see its true import.

This is the work of many in our day. Many churches are guilty of this sin. There is danger, great danger, that the supposed wise men of today will repeat the experience of the Jewish teachers. They falsely interpret the divine oracles, and souls are brought into perplexity and shrouded in darkness because of their misconception of divine truth.

The Scriptures need not be read by the dim light of tradition or human speculation. As well might we try to give light to the sun with a torch as to explain the Scriptures by human tradition or imagination. God's Holy Word needs not the torchlight glimmer of earth to make its glories distinguishable. It is light in itself—the glory of God revealed, and beside it every other light is dim. - Christ's Object Lessons, 110, 111.

Reflecting Christ, page 63

# HOUN AIN HOME CHURCH Seventh-Day Adventist Sabbath – January 8, 2022



#### 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!
- 6:00 PM School Board Meeting via Zoom MONDAY:
- 11:00 am "Ladies Bible Study" Studying the Gospels Sm. Classroom Fellowship Hall - ?? Call Joann Klassen

## WEDNESDAY:

- 5:30 pm Prayer Meeting "Study in Acts"
- · 6:30 pm Church Board Meeting Postponed until next week

FRIDAY - Preparation Day

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Heads-up Church Family - The purpose of "free" Book Table in the Fellowship hall is to provide a way for the Church family to share Spirit of Prophecy and other Adventist Books. However, it has come to our attention some of the books brought in for sharing do not meet that criteria. Please, make sure the literature you bring for sharing are Spirit of Prophecy Books and/or Adventist Publications, written by SDA authors.

If you have questions, please see our Head Elder Jim Morris, and/or Pastor Elroy Teach.

PRAYER TURNS ASIDE SATAN'S ATTACKS - Prayer unites us with one another and with God. Prayer brings Jesus to our side, and gives to the fainting, perplexed soul new strength to overcome the world, the flesh, and the devil. Prayer turns aside the attacks of Satan. - (Christ's Object **Lessons**, 250.)

We must have on the whole armor of God and be ready at any moment for a conflict with the powers of darkness. When temptations and trials rush in upon us, let us go to God and agonize with Him in prayer. He will not turn us away empty, but will give us grace and strength to overcome, and to break the power of the enemy. - (Early Writings, 46.)

SATAN TREMBLES AT THE SOUND OF PRAYER - If Satan sees that he is in danger of losing one soul, he will exert himself to the utmost to keep that one. And when the individual is aroused to his danger, and, with distress and fervor, looks to Jesus for strength, Satan fears that he will lose a captive, and he calls a reinforcement of his angels to hedge in the poor soul, and form a wall of darkness around him, that heaven's light may not reach him. But if the one in danger perseveres, and in his helplessness casts himself upon the merits of the blood of Christ, our Saviour listens to the earnest prayer of faith, and sends a reinforcement of those angels that excel in strength to deliver him. Satan cannot endure to have his powerful rival appealed to, for he fears and trembles before His strength and majesty. At the sound of fervent prayer, Satan's whole host trembles. He continues to call legions of evil angels to accomplish his object. And when angels, all-powerful, clothed with the armory of heaven, come to the help of the fainting, pursued soul, Satan and his host fall back, well knowing that their battle is lost. The willing subjects of Satan are faithful, active, and united in one object. And although they hate and war with one another, yet they improve every opportunity to advance their common interest. But the great Commander in heaven and earth has limited Satan's power. - (Testimonies for the Church 1:345, 346.)

Prayer, 369.3 – 270.1

#### WHEN CHRIST IS ENTHRONED IN THE HEART --

When God entrusts man with riches, it is that he may adorn the doctrine of Christ our Saviour by using his earthly treasure in advancing the kingdom of God in our world. He is to represent Christ, and therefore is not to live to please and glorify himself, to receive honor because he is rich. CS 27.4

When the heart is cleansed from sin, Christ is placed on the throne that self-indulgence and love of earthly treasure once occupied. The image of Christ is seen in the expression of the countenance. The work of sanctification is carried forward in the soul. Selfrighteousness is banished. There is seen the putting on of the new man, which after Christ is created in righteousness and true holiness.—The Review and Herald, September 11, 1900.

Counsels on Stewardship, Page 27, par. 2-3

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**Head Deacon:** John Dammann

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5:17 pm

**Sunset Friday** 5:24 pm