

Sabbath School
9:30-10:30

Adult Class – Sanctuary
Young Adult – At the end of the hall at the top of the stairs
Teen – Pathfinder Room, downstairs, across from bathrooms
Junior Class – Down Steps, Around Corner, 1st door
Kindergarten – Down Steps, Around Corner, 3rd Door
Beginner Class – Down Steps, Around Corner, 6th Door

Church Life Calendar

October 17: Potluck
October 20: Church Board Meeting
October 26: Meatless Daily – Plant-Based Festive Cooking
October 31: Haystacks Potluck
November 6-8: Pathfinder Area Coordinators Meeting
November 7: Potluck
November 16: Meatless Daily – Wipe Out Diabetes
November 17: Church Board Meeting
November 21: Potluck
November 25-26: DAS Thanksgiving Break
November 26: THANKSGIVING
December 5: Potluck
December 12: DAS Christmas Program
December 15: Church Board Meeting
December 19: Potluck
December 25: CHRISTMAS

Regularly Scheduled Meetings

Prayer Meeting: Every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.
Bible Study Class: Every Friday at 6:30 p.m. at church
School Board: 1st Monday of each month at 5:30 p.m.
Church Board: 3rd Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m.
Adventurers: October 21 at 6:00 p.m.
Pathfinders: October 21 at 6:00 p.m.
Basketball: Thursdays at 6:00 p.m. in gym
Elders Meeting: 1st Sabbath of each month after service
Chorale: Sabbaths after church

Announcements

Fellowship Meal: Please join us in the gymnasium after the service for a good meal and fine fellowship.

Meatless Daily: Our next Meatless Daily will be held on Monday, October 26, where we will go over festive cooking to get us ready for Thanksgiving and Christmas, which are right around the corner! You can enjoy a nice meal, fellowship with other plant-based eaters in the community, and learn some new recipes you can use during the holiday season. If you are interested in taking part, please email Leah to RSVP at mynatureskitchen@gmail.com by October 23.

Audiobooks: Elder Devon R Palmer, an elder at New Jerusalem S.D.A. Church in Brooklyn, New York wrote to share two audiobooks the Lord placed on his heart, which he prays will strengthen faith across the wider church family:
1. When Faith Becomes Real: Through the Power of the Holy Spirit — 20 chapters of testimony and Scripture teaching that faith is not a feeling but a daily walk with God. (4 hrs 16 min, now with a brand-new narration.) Listen at: <https://open.spotify.com/show/4jbSOBz887P1chDw3DB4LZ>
2. The Story Handed Down — the great Tanakh story of memory, covenant, and choosing life, told as a story to hand down to the next generation. Listen at: <https://open.spotify.com/show/3cJCLXRSyOx79Jknuz1Wt>
Both are now live and playable on Spotify.

Baptismal Classes: The pastor is holding classes to prepare for baptism in the Young Adult classroom every Saturday morning at 9:40am. Please see Pastor Kima for more information.

Bible Study Class: Bible Study meets every Friday at 6:30pm. All are welcome to attend!

Prayer Meeting: There is nothing like getting together in a group to pray! Prayer meetings take place every Wednesday at 6:30pm. Starting November 4, we will begin studying the book of Revelation. All are welcome!

Website Bulletin: The bulletin can be accessed on the church website at dmsda.org/about/bulletins! Or use the QR code posted in the foyer.

YouTube Channel: We are streaming live on both Facebook and YouTube. Find our YouTube channel under Des Moines Seventh-day Adventist Church, go to the Live tab, and enjoy watching the sermons live from home, or re-experience your favorite sermons at a later date.

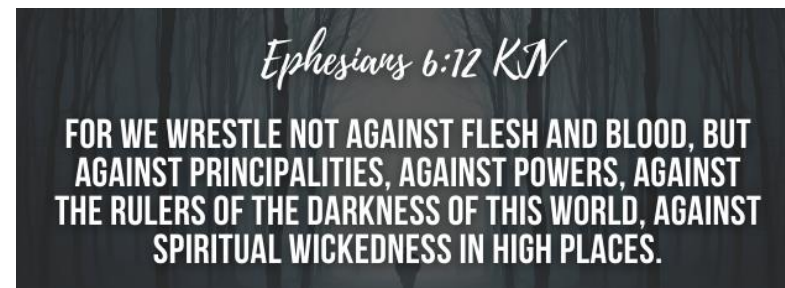
Prayer Requests: How Can We Pray for You? If you have a prayer request for the box in the bulletin, please email your request to the church. In addition, there is a prayer box by the Mission counter where you can submit your prayer request.

Volunteers Needed to clean the main lobby of the church and the side rooms down the hallway off the main lobby. General housekeeping items like vacuuming, dusting, cleaning windows and taking out the trash. Please talk to Brandi or one of the deacons or deaconesses if you have questions and would like to volunteer. You can choose the date and add your name to the list on the mission counter. Thank you!

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**Remember, you can always give online:**  
**adventistgiving.org or download the Adventist giving app.**  
**We also have a box on the mission desk where you can drop your offering envelopes.**

**Sabbath Ends: 6:31pm**

**Next Sabbath Begins: 6:21pm**



**Worship Service**  
**10:45 a.m. ~ 12:00 p.m.**

***Congregational Welcome ~ Announcements ~ Greeting***

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

***Prelude (Please Stand)***

***Scripture and Invocation***  
***Ephesians 6:11-13***

**WORSHIP AND PRAISE**

***Opening Hymn ~ #528 “A Shelter in the Time of Storm”***

***Children’s Story ~ Paul Greene***

***Worship Him with Joyful Singing ~ Praise Team***

***Worship in Giving***  
***Local Church Budget***

**WORSHIP AROUND HIS WORD**

***Prayer of Petition***

***We Read God’s Word***  
***2 Corinthians 10:4-5***

***Luke Awoute***  
***“I’m Getting Used to It”***

***Closing Hymn ~ #251 “He Lives”***

***Benediction***

***Piano ~ Bruce Christensen***

***Praise Music ~ Clyde Bagapuro***

**Church Directory**

Pastor: Lalrokima (Kima) Fanai ~ 515-388-2200  
Church Office ~ 515-285-6245  
Secretary: Brandi Van Meter ~ 515-903-5993  
Head Elder: Marvin Roberts ~ 917-562-9584  
Head Deacon: Eddie Choloi ~ 515-745-0278  
Head Deaconess: Kathy Smith ~ 515-710-4151  
Church Website: [www.dmsda.org](http://www.dmsda.org)  
Church Email: [desmoinesadventistchurch@gmail.com](mailto:desmoinesadventistchurch@gmail.com)  
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**School Directory**

Des Moines Adventist School (DAS) ~ 515-285-7729  
DAS Principal: Karli Kuehmichel ~ 515-285-7729  
School Website: [dmsdaschool.org](http://dmsdaschool.org)  
DAS Board Chairman: Bruce Christensen ~ 515-314-2387

**Prayer Requests**

David Sheffer – Health and Assistance  
Lori Hadsell – Mike Miracle’s sister – Stage 3 Uterine/Bladder Cancer  
John Lamb – Health  
Christy Sickles – Multiple Myeloma Cancer  
Maddy Grace – Brain cancer  
Hadlee Rae Lippert – Health  
Cindy Waters – Cancer

If you have a special prayer request, please text Brandi to add here.

**Please NO food or drink in the Sanctuary or Foyer.**  
***Please send bulletin announcements to church email***  
***by Wednesday at 5:00 p.m.***



**Des Moines Seventh-day Adventist Church**  
**2317 Watrous Ave**  
**Des Moines, IA 50321**



**“Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places.”**

**Ephesians 6:11-12 NKJV**

**October 17, 2026**