

Sabbath, August 29, 2026

The Church at Study

9:45-10:30 AM Sabbath School Lesson Study

Adult Sabbath School Classes - Sanctuary  
Children’s Sabbath School Classes – Downstairs:  
Beginners, Kindergarten, Primary, Junior.  
Early-teen, Youth & Collegiate meet in the Church  
School.

Adult Lesson #9: “Love-driven Ministry”

“For out of much affliction and anguish of heart I wrote  
to you, with many tears, not that you should be grieved,  
but that you might know the love which I have so  
abundantly for you” (2 Corinthians 2:4, NKJV).

This Week at Five Oaks

- Today, 7:47 p.m., Sabbath ends at sunset.
- Friday, 7:38 p.m., Sabbath begins at sunset.
- Friday, 7:00 p.m., Vespers in the Sanctuary.

Giving Opportunities

(Tithe envelopes available in Church Foyer)

- Offering This Week is for: **Local Church Budget**
- Offering Next Week is for: **Local Church Budget**
- Lamb’s offering for Five Oaks Church School
- On-line giving can be done through the Five Oaks  
Website

(<http://www.fiveoakschurch.net> and click on "Online Giving")

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|-----------------------------------|--------------------|
| Monthly Church Budget             | \$14,662           |
| Collected Up to 8/15/2026         | \$4,440.00         |
| Special Need: New Piano \$65K     | Raised \$12,316.00 |
| Special Need: New AC System \$10K | Raised \$9,870.00  |

Interlude 10:40 am to 10:55 am

Sanctuary

10:55 AM

Mission Spotlight

The Church Worships

Song Service

Praise Team

Call to Worship

Greeting Time

Congregational

“Family of God”

*“I’m so glad I’m a part of the family of God  
I’ve been washed in the fountain cleansed by His blood  
Joint heirs with Jesus as we travel this sod  
for I’m part of the family the family of God.”*

Invocation

Sandra Kiser

Welcome & Announcements

Sandra Kiser

Scripture

Genesis 15:6

Kenrie Doswell

Intercessory Prayer

Webster Muberekwa

Prayer Response

No. 663

Amen

The Church Gives

Children’s Story

Karene Ricketts

Offering Prayer

Hansford Hendargo

The Church Receives

Special Music

Raquel Thompson

Message

Jerry Roy

“A Picture of Righteousness by Faith”

Hymn of Benediction

“Cover With His Life”

No. 412

Benediction

Let’s Get Acquainted!

Welcome to the Durham Five Oaks SDA Church Family. To  
help us to get better acquainted, please fill out this section front  
& back and drop it in the offering plate or give to the Pastor.  
(Please print clearly)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Check the Appropriate Boxes:

- ☐ I am attending the Seventh-day Adventist Church for the  
first time.
- ☐ I have attended before as a guest.
- ☐ I am a new resident in the area.
- ☐ I would like to know more about the Seventh-day  
Adventists
- ☐ Please include my name on your church mailing list

Request for Membership:

I am interested in joining the Durham Five Oaks Seventh-day  
Adventist Church Family:

- ☐ By Letter of Transfer (fill in blanks below)
- ☐ By Baptism
- ☐ By Profession of Faith

Please send for my church membership transfer:

(Please print clearly)

Church: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Suggestion Box: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

How Can We Help?

Ministering to your needs is very important to us. To help us serve you better, please check the areas below that are relevant to your wishes and desires.

I wish you would:

- ☐ Enroll me in Bible studies and help me learn more about the Bible.
- ☐ Ask the pastor and elders to visit me.
- ☐ Please visit \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Pray for my special needs and me.
- ☐ Please pray for \_\_\_\_\_

I desire to use my gifts for ministry working with:

- ☐ Children’s Ministries
- ☐ The Adventurer Club
- ☐ The Pathfinder Club
- ☐ Children’s Sabbath School
- ☐ Adult Sabbath School
- ☐ Health Ministries
- ☐ The elderly and shut-ins
- ☐ Men’s or Women’s Ministries
- ☐ Community Services/Food Bank
- ☐ Prophecy Seminars
- ☐ Church Music Program
- ☐ Community Gardens
- ☐ Discipleship Groups/Small Group Ministry
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Church School

- ☐ I would like information about enrolling my child in church school (kindergarten or grades 1-8)

*Tear off this section and place in the offering plate or give to the pastor or an elder.*

Announcements

**Appreciation:** God is blessing our Church with amazing members and friends, supporting the attendance, ministry and financial giving! The school building has a new roof, the new hvac is operating, the parking lot is repainted and the next project is the upgrade of the Mother's Room to be functional for mothers with small children. Thank you for supporting the local Church Budget to make these renovations possible! We give in response to His blessings!

**International Cultural Day:** Save the date for an International Cultural Day to take place next week September 5th. Please consider taking part in this wonderful spirit filled event.

**Fellowship Lunch Next Sabbath:** Please plan to join us for potluck next Sabbath in the Fellowship Hall. Our regular potlucks are on the 1st and 3rd Sabbaths of the month. Next Sabbath is also our **International Cultural Day**; bring a dish from your culture to share!

**Men's Ministry Next Meeting:** Our next men's ministry meeting will take place Sept. 5 after potluck. To receive updates via email/WhatsApp, text Hansford Hendargo at (805) 551-2636.

**Church Board:** Monday evening, **September 7 @ 7pm** will be the next ZOOM online Board Meeting. Forward any Agenda item(s) to Catherine: [clerk4jesus@gmail.com](mailto:clerk4jesus@gmail.com).

**Women’s Ministries Bible Reading Challenge:** Join the Five Oaks Women’s Ministries **Bible Reading Challenge** beginning **August 1!** We will start with the book of **Matthew**, reading **one chapter each day** as we grow together in God’s Word. **See the inserted flyer for more details.** We encourage everyone to participate!

**Calling All Young Adults:** You are welcome to join us for vespers every Friday! Fellowship & refreshments at 6:45 pm, praise & prayer at 7:15 pm, and devotional at 7:30 pm. Please text (919) 578-9897 for details on location. Hope to see you there!

**Wednesday Evening Connect Group:** Join us this Wednesday evening, **September 2 @7pm in the Fellowship Hall** as we meet for fellowship, study in the Book Ezekiel and prayer.

**ZOOM Baptismal and Bible Study Class:** A ZOOM online Bible study/Baptismal Class is ongoing on **Sunday evenings @7pm**. If you are interested to join, email Pastor Will at: [woosthuizen@carolinasda.org](mailto:woosthuizen@carolinasda.org) for more info.

**Special Sabbath September 19:** Dr. Stephen Bauer, Religion professor at Southern Adventist University, will present 4 Sessions on "The Assurance Of Salvation" , including Last Generation Theology and Righteousness by Faith, with Q & A in the afternoon. Mark your calendar, because you don't want to miss these timely messages!

**Bulletin Information & Flvers:** This is a gentle reminder that bulletin information and announcements are due on Monday by 12:00 a.m. (midnight). Send to [fiveoaksbulletin@gmail.com](mailto:fiveoaksbulletin@gmail.com). This email is always on the front of the bulletin. If you are sending flyers to be printed, please send them at least two weeks in advance in landscape layout with two flyers per page for printing and a PDF portait layout for the electronic bulletin format. Please see Karen Marquez if you have any questions, 919.845.1631 or [karen.marquez@fiveoakschurch.net](mailto:karen.marquez@fiveoakschurch.net) Thank you for your cooperation!

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Seventh-Day Adventist Church



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Our Mission

*"Compelled by the love of Jesus Christ to equip every member to serve and share the Gospel in the community."*

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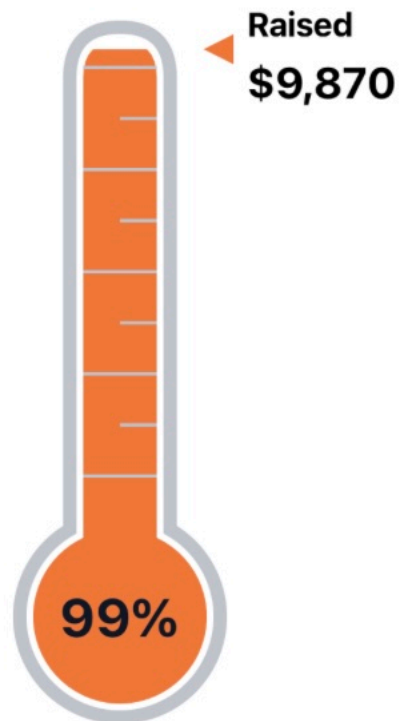
# Budget

**\$4,440 raised of \$14,662**



## New AC \$ to Match

**\$9,870 raised of \$10,000**



## New Piano

**\$12,316 raised of \$65,000**





# Welcome Home!

Are you a young professional or a student?  
Maybe you are just moving to the area, or have been  
living here for years? We are **FOSDAYA**, and we are so  
glad you are here. This weekend is for you!

**Join us for worship + fellowship as you get to  
know our young adult community**

*We can't wait to meet you!*



September 18-19, 2026

Flip this announcement to  
see more details about  
\*Welcome Home Weekend\*



## Friday, September 18th

# Testimony Vespers

Join us as we reflect on and celebrate the goodness of God in our lives and in the lives of those around us.  
Come share. Come listen. Come reflect. Come be encouraged by God's faithfulness.

There will be:  
✨ FELLOWSHIP | 🎵 PRAISE & WORSHIP | 💬 TESTIMONIES | 🙏 PRAYER

***Refreshments will be served***

**TIME: 6:15 PM**

**LOCATION: TBA - Text (919) 578-9897 for address**

## Saturday, September 19th

# Welcome Home Social

An evening for students and young adults new to the area to meet the team, make new friends, and build community.

There will be:  
✨ MINGLING & FELLOWSHIP | 📖 DEVOTIONAL | 🎲 GROUP GAMES

***Refreshments will be served***

**TIME: 6:30 PM**

**LOCATION: TBA - Text (919) 578-9897 for address**



Text (919) 578-9897 for location and  
any additional details or questions!





# Five Oaks

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES



# BIBLE READING

## CHALLENGE



**WE ARE STARTING**  
**AUGUST 1, 2026!**



### READ DAILY

Read one chapter of the book  
on your own time.



### LET'S SHARE & ENCOURAGE

If anyone wants to share about  
what they read, you can post in  
our WhatsApp group.

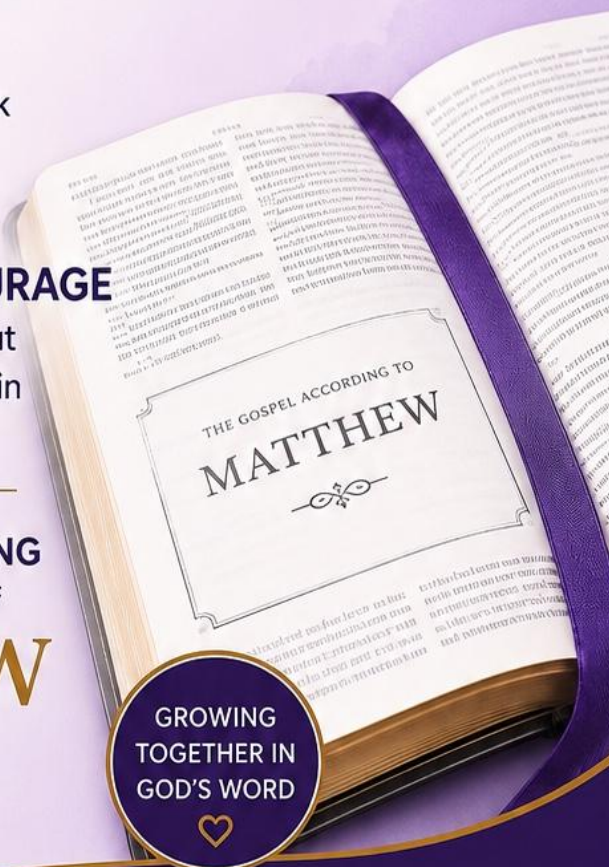


### WHAT WE WILL BE READING

We are starting with the book of

# MATTHEW

Next reading will be  
**MARK** in September.



GROWING  
TOGETHER IN  
GOD'S WORD



*Let's grow together in God's Word!*





**NOSOCA PINES RANCH**

**— SEPT 25-27, 2026 —**



**REGISTER TODAY!**

**AUGUST 7 - SEPTEMBER 13**

**CAROLINASDA.ORG**



**FREE T-SHIRT!**

**IF YOU REGISTER**

**BY AUGUST 23**







You are invited to join us for the **2026 Carolina Men's Retreat**, September 25-27, at beautiful Nosoca Pines Ranch!

This year's theme, **"The Priesthood of Men in Action,"** challenges us to consider what it means to live out our God-given calling as men of faith, not only in our churches, but also in our homes, workplaces, and communities.

It's easy to feel overwhelmed by the weight of ministry and responsibility, but we can remember that God equips us for the work He has placed before us. We can trust in His provision and strength.

The Apostle Paul reminds us in 2 Corinthians 12:9:

"But he said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.'"

When we feel weak or inadequate, God's grace is more than enough. It is through our dependence on Him that we discover true strength and become the men He has called us to be.

We are excited to welcome two special guest speakers:

**English Speaker:** Chaplain Jorge L. Torres, Lieutenant Colonel

**Spanish Speaker:** Pastor Carlos Rodriguez

Come for a weekend of spiritual renewal, fellowship, encouragement, and time away with other men from across the Carolinas.

**Registration is open now, but don't wait! Registration closes September 14.**

Make plans today to join us September 25-27, 2026, at Nosoca Pines Ranch for a weekend focused on strengthening our relationship with God and putting **The Priesthood of Men in Action**.

We look forward to seeing you at Nosoca!