

Gardner SDA Church

October 17, 2026

Prayer Time

9 – 9:25 a.m. in the sanctuary.

Sabbath School

9:30 – 10:45 a.m.

Welcome and Opening Song

Mission Spotlight

Prayer for the Teachers

Study Classes

(Children's Classes, Young Adult, Adult, New Life Experience)

Gathering to Worship

10:50 a.m.

Welcome

Jim Dixon

Ministry Minute

Worship Service

11:00 a.m.

Praise & Worship

Immaculate Mchome

Call to Worship Meditative Song

#692

Invocation

Joy Livergood

Hymn of Praise

"Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me"

#551

Health Nugget

Michelle Howes

Children's Story

Heidi Larsen

Offering Appeal

Local Church Budget

(Loose offering - Combined Budget, Other offerings – in envelopes)

Scripture Reading

Psalm 8:3-4

Sloane Tello

Congregational Prayer

Jim Dixon

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,

world without end. Amen, Amen. SDAH #660

Special Music

Larry Edison

Sermon

"Reluctant Obedience"

Joy Livergood

Closing Hymn

"Will Your Anchor Hold?"

#534

Benediction

Jim Dixon

Enter to Worship. Depart to Serve. - Isaiah 6:1-8

Announcements

The week at a glance

Today: Sabbath School Council Meeting

Tues: Prayer Meeting at People's Place, 7 p.m.

Sab: Speaker - Pastor Abraham Perez

There will be a Sabbath School Council meeting today in the Juniors room after the church service.

The final meeting of the Preaching Seminar will be held at the church on November 14th.

Wood splitting on November 1st for a Gardner family and assisting the Dixon's with wood for the winter. Please meet at the Dixon's at 8am. Thanks for your help.

Please join us on Saturday, October 31, 2026 for the annual potato roast at the Dixon's farm. All are welcome. We will gather at 5:30 pm for a short vespers. We will then enjoy a potluck dinner. Please bring your favorite potato fixings, side dish, dessert, or drinks to share and we will provide the potatoes. After dinner we will have hay rides and pony rides and plenty of fellowship around the fire.

Address: 31 Kruse Road, Hubbardston, MA. Watch for the #31 on the mailbox. GPS will usually drop you a little early.

Contact: Tina [978-660-7548](tel:978-660-7548)

The Grief Support Group meets the 1st Wednesday of each month at People's Place at 6:30 pm.

Sunset Tonight: 6:03 p.m.

Happy Birthday! Keila Mapp – October 21.

Prayer Family of the Week
Dennis & Audrey
Bruso

In consideration for other worshippers, please set your phone on mute / vibrate.

Pastor's Contact Information – Pastor Abraham Perez,
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Bulletin Information: Please send information to Olivia Howes at ohowes0@gmail.com by Wednesday evening. Thanks!

Any church member wishing to join the church email list to receive important church communications and urgent prayer requests, please email Dale Spencer at dalemspencer@gmail.com.

Prayer Ministries - "Strength and grace can be found in prayer. Sincere love is to be the ruling principle of the heart." The Adventist Home, p. 127 Come to prayer meeting, it is real to see prayer requests being answered. We need to pray more, Christ is coming very soon.

- Prayer meeting will now be on Tuesdays @ 7 PM at People's Place instead of Wednesdays.
- Our typical format is an hour long - sing a hymn, reading/discussion 30-40mins and ask for praises/requests and pray for 20-30mins.
- I invite any feedback, suggestions, or ideas from the congregation about what they would like to see as part of prayer meeting. - Kyle Shelton

If you would like to use any of the church facilities for a wedding, a family get together, a party, a shower or other private event, please contact Phyllis Orsburn at 978-660-1782 (text) or justphyllis68@gmail.com.

SNEC Men's United in Christ Devotional Zoom meeting.
Sabbath mornings 7:45-9:00 am. Meeting ID: 825 0816 7699.
Passcode: men.

Church Members, if you are missing anything such as keys, sweater, or other things, please look for them in the lost and found by the coat rack area.

The women's ministry zoom book club will now be meeting the 3rd Tuesday of each month starting in November. Contact Bonnie Edison at (616) 406-7345 if you would like to join!

Notes

BIBLICAL SITES: S-Z

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SAMARIA
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SHAMIR
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