

September 5, 2026

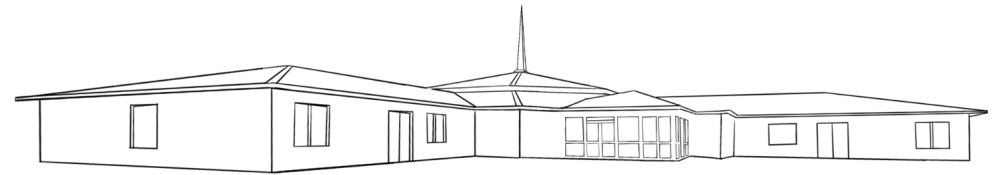
- Kids Zone will be next week. We are studying the 28 Fundamental Beliefs. Our next topic of study will be “God the Father” on September 12th.
- Our Church Fellowship Meal will be held next Sabbath, Sept 12th. Please see Sis Anna Isaroon if you wish to bring a dish to pass.
- Need a midweek reset? Join us at Jacksonville First every Wednesday at 7:00p for in-person prayer and Bible study. Come share your burdens, lift each other up in prayer, and find renewed encouragement. We cannot wait to welcome you!
- Master Guide Club meetings take place every Wednesday from 6:00p to 7:00p. The club is open to current Master Guides, anyone working towards becoming a Master Guide, and experienced Master Guides who wish to serve as mentors. Please join us!
- Nancy E. Giraldo, a doctoral student at Walden University, is conducting an IRB-approved study on the lived experiences of healing after spiritual abuse. She seeks adult participants who were Christians during their experience of spiritual abuse in a Christian context. Interested individuals can review the flyer and complete the private eligibility screening to participate.
- Family Ministries of the Florida Conference invites all couples to participate in the upcoming marriage retreat, “Reconnected”. Sept 25-27. See the insert for further details.

****PLEASE NOTE: In lieu of paper bulletin inserts, the church bulletin inserts will now be located online on the church website at jaxsda.org Click on the Church Bulletin tab to view them.**

Contact Us

Pastor's Office hours: Tue-Thur. 9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m., by Appointment.
Please call Pastor Abner at (863) 381-6648 to set up an appointment.
Church Email: jaxfirstsda@gmail.com
Bulletin Email: bulletinjaxsda@gmail.com
Please submit Bulletin information by Thursday at 12:00 p.m.

WELCOME



JAX FIRST SDA CHURCH

Friendship, Fellowship, Family

Vision Statement

Reaching others to unite in Christ through faith, worship,
and praise; living out the Great Commission.

Jacksonville First Seventh Day Adventist Church

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Church Life

SABBATH, SEPTEMBER 5

10:00 a.m. Sabbath School
11:00 a.m. Sabbath Service
7:45 p.m. Sunset

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Master Guide Club Meeting
7:00 p.m. In-person Prayer Meeting/Bible Study at Jax First

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

11:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Prayers & Squares meet at Jax First

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

7:37 p.m. Sunset

SABBATH, SEPTEMBER 12

10:00 a.m. Sabbath School
11:00 a.m. Sabbath Service
Fellowship Meal to follow the Church Services
7:37 p.m. Sunset

BIBLE STUDY 10:00 a.m. to 10:55 a.m.

ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL

Lesson 10: "Authentic Christian Ministry"
with Sis Sheron Harding

CHILDREN'S SABBATH SCHOOL

*Beginner/Kindergarten (birth - age 4)-Jennifer & Angela Villanueva

*Primary (ages 5 - 9)-Pam Kornegay & Nevica Richardson

*Junior/Earliteen (age10-14)-Velma Meikle



Treasurer's Report

PRAISING GOD FOR THE GIFTS
WE RECEIVED! GOD IS GOOD!!
WE MADE BUDGET FOR JULY
2026.

adventistgiving<https://adventistgiving.org>

September 5, 2026

Church in Worship 11:00 a.m.

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

"I love you Lord today"

"The Goodness of God"

"My Faith Looks Up to Thee" 517

INVOCATION

OPENING HYMN

"Rejoice Ye Pure in Heart!" 27

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Local Church Budget

CHILDREN'S OFFERING AND CHILDREN'S STORY

Sis Candi Grant

PRAYER SONG

"What A Friend We Have In Jesus" 499

GARDEN OF PRAYER

PRAYER SONG

"Hear Our Prayer, O Lord" 684

SCRIPTURE READING

Ephesians 6:12

MUSIC MINISTRY OFFERING

"Still Have Joy"

SERMON

David and Goliath "Fighting Giants in the Modern Age"

Elder Byron Rowe

CLOSING HYMN

"My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less" 522

BENEDICTION

Platform Duty: Elder Erick Dolsaint

Deacon of the week: Bro. Napoleon Kornegay

RESEARCH PARTICIPANTS NEEDED

A Study on Healing Following Spiritual Abuse



Adults who identified as Christians at the time they experienced spiritual abuse within a Christian context are invited to participate in a confidential doctoral research study on healing.



YOU MAY QUALIFY IF YOU:

- Are 18 years of age or older
- Identified as Christian at the time you experienced spiritual abuse
- At least 6 months removed from the experience of spiritual abuse
- Experienced the abuse in a Christian context
- Identify as having engaged in a healing process related to that experience
- Currently reside in the United States
- Have previously discussed your experience with another person, support resource, or helping professional



PARTICIPATION INVOLVES:

- One confidential interview
- Approximately 60–90 minutes
- Conducted via secure video platform
- Securely audio- and video-recorded



PARTICIPATION IS VOLUNTARY. You may choose not to participate or withdraw at any time without penalty.



YOUR IDENTITY WILL REMAIN CONFIDENTIAL. Any identifying information will be removed, and your real name will not be used. Risks are minimal.

Interested?



Scan the QR code to learn more and complete a brief eligibility screening.



FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

Nancy E. Giraldo | nancy.giraldo@waldenu.edu

Marriage Retreat

Reconnected

SEPT 25-27, 2026

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1140 SEABREEZE BLVD, FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33316

SPEAKERS:



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September 5, 2026 Prayer Circle

September 5, 2026. “The name of the Lord is a fortified tower; the righteous run to it and are safe.” Proverbs 18:10 NIV.

 Pastor Rodriguez and family. Holy Spirit, please fill our minds, hearts, homes, and Church with brotherly love.

 Successful surgery: Precious Amari Williams September 14. Healing from knee surgery: Pastor Rodriguez; Louise Maloy. Eye Pam Kornegay. Stroke-Michael Harford. “I am the Lord, the God of all mankind. Is anything too hard for me?” Jeremiah 32:27

 Healing: Wesley & Carolyn Magursky; Cheryl Crews; Jonathan Harris; Dana Rabab; Delia Rawson; Sonny Gonzales; Candi & Ken Grant; Ertha Memnon; Cheryl Harford; Simone Rozorie. Quinton. Dorothy Hart, Pamela Kornegay vision.

 Divine guidance, protection, peace: Linabel Esquea; Gwen Hussie; Danielle Rogers; Michelle Rogers.

 Heart: Anthony Harford; James Jones, Jr; Brynn Fann. Hip issues: Louise Rashad. Knees/legs/ankles: Alvin Jones; Donald Edwards, Maurice Memnon, Kevin Frederick. Strength, endurance, healing: Anne Marie Pluvoise; Jessica Santana; Michael Oyinloye; Brian Williams; Janet Murray; Tina Faith; Tammy Gibson; Andrin Shields; Margie Marshall.

 Bless the Fugate; Rogers; Stroman; Buck; Cajuste; Biar; Patton; Estelhomme; Buxton; Strickland; Holmes; Dolsaint; Cannon; McDonald; Maycock; Atterberry; families. Jobs: Jyremy; Stella; Jamal.

 Healing, peace, strength: Seth Lucas; Eugene & Martell Anglin; Monica Arrindell; James Ray; Charles Cooper; Melanie Rowe; Tom/Sonya DiPalo; Ricky Edwards; Makesi Harford Sr; Jessica Nunez; James Singleton; Sandra Gardner; Audrey; Laila/AV Shaw III; Sister Luz; Lesley Johnson; Nathaniel; Claudette Robinson; Rilyvrene Richardson; Cheryl Mathis; Gladys Dillard; Tara Carter; Angela Williams; Loretta Palmer; Willie Hackley; Maria Lemmon; Adrian Cooper; Fernande Leon; Doretha Pugh; Kaye Walker; Samantha Layfield; Annie Balboa; Carlos Hall; Laurie Wallace; Jerry Hannah; Jamaul Bannerman; Enid Vines; James and Savannah Sirmans; Jennifer Villanueva; David Houston; Anna Isaroon; Ritha Lazare; Elma Cudiamat; Miriam Hunderman. Kidneys: Michael Linde; Cynthia; Evelyn Exson.

 Guidance, grace, mercy, protection, strength: Jean Richard Baptiste; Saipai's Church plant-Killeen, TX; Joan Johnson; Kim Son Harris; Joan Bazzell, Clare Wallace; Tee Dorce; Kenneth Williams; Melissa Jones.

 Psalm 91 protection: Navy: Matthew Wallace—Norfolk; Elisha Kelly; DeAngelo Robinson Jr—sea duty. Air Force: Andreas Reed; Keyana Mozick—Jordan; Aaron Jones—Luke AFB AZ; Melvin Lonas—Yokota Air Base Japan; Jayden Clarke—Camp Zama Japan.

September 5, 2026 Prayer Circle

 Divine guidance, strength, wisdom and protection: Warren Exson, Jr; Anita Bell; Liz C; Mary Moses; Reginald Crawford; Larry Johnson; Amy Layfield; Abigail Arrindell; Colleen Wallace; Zachary Hall; Neasy; Garth, Rodalia; Jayden; Haydan; Jazmyne. Abby, Ana, Adi, Pastor Elizabeth Adams. Makesi Harford Jr; Renee; Dwayne; Stevie; Michael; Issac; Tye; Edouard & Paul Memnon; Sabine; Jamichael Folson; Quantrel Ruis; Allyson DeSisso; Justin; Jennifer Sites; Kiera Cole; Zari; Justice; Randy; Paris; DeAngelo Sr; Will Jr; Jennifer; Deontey; Adrianna; Arianna; Kai Jones; Makiyah Lawrence.

 CANCER: Horace Park; Judy Little; Cora Hackley; Nathaniel Beckton; Emy Balboa; Tracy Brunson; James Bostic; Bob French; Carolyn Quarterman; Lorna Anderson; Bryce Dochterman; Joan Parker; Josie Ringstaff; Walter Kellman; Ralph Jackson; Andrew Cardina; David Alexander; Vanessa Reed; Joey Rennie; Emma; Tommy Lemmon; Rosemary; Christopher Parham.

 HEALING: Joseph Dix Jr; Celestine Sawyer; Calvin Blake; Lori Mulkey; Aiden Haynes; Arvilla McKinney; Eleen Mallette; Felix Dean Sr; Kendra; James, Arthur, Jeffrey Mitchell; Barry Lawson; Michael Crews; Frank Dix; Ben Brown; James Ringstaff; Antonio Bagwell.

  For Pastor Rodriguez's Bible studies. Students of Discover, Focus, KidZone.

 Safe Travel: Jim and Laurie Wallace; Cheryl Harford; Cheryl Crews; Mark and Denice Wong. William Walls on ship. Truck drivers: Ken Grant Jr; Ben James; Margelin Emile; Jim Faulkner; Paul Jones; Stanley DeSisso.

  Zaire Wilson; Za'Maria; Kadience Coyne; Caleb Rogers; Isabelle Cajuste; Alana Williams; Bol Biar; Titus Emile; Orion/Takoda Holmes; Caleb Dorce; Amira; Mataeo; Bryson; Zachariah; Adventurers and Pathfinders.  our children to follow Jesus.

  Byron II, Kuvuna, Cheryl C, Ertha, Cassandra; Jackie MW, Louise, Ceteria, Laurie, Ed, Paul, Larry, Anna, Angela, Deborah O, Gloria, Jeanette, Jackie, Tony, Antonio, Saipai, Pas'Trelle, Stefan, Anthony.

 Sick/shut-in: Margaret Davis Fountains At Mill Cove 9960 Atrium Way room 810B Jacksonville, FL 32225; Myrna Grant VIVO 570 Wells Rd, Rm 314B - Orange Park 32073; Gloria Kirkland; Debbie Bridges; Eyla Hernandez; Dellie and Elmo Canlas; Mary Teresa Jones; Betty Haviland hospice at home; Sugirtharaj David & Umakantha; Walter Longcoy; Violet Nickerson.

 **More prayer more power, little prayer little power. NO PRAYER, NO POWER! Stand on His promises! It's not the length but the strength of our prayers. Satan's host trembles—Jesus intercedes as the weakest saint prays. GOD controls the Universe! Be STRONG and BOLD in prayer.**

“God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble.” Psalms 46:1 NIV.