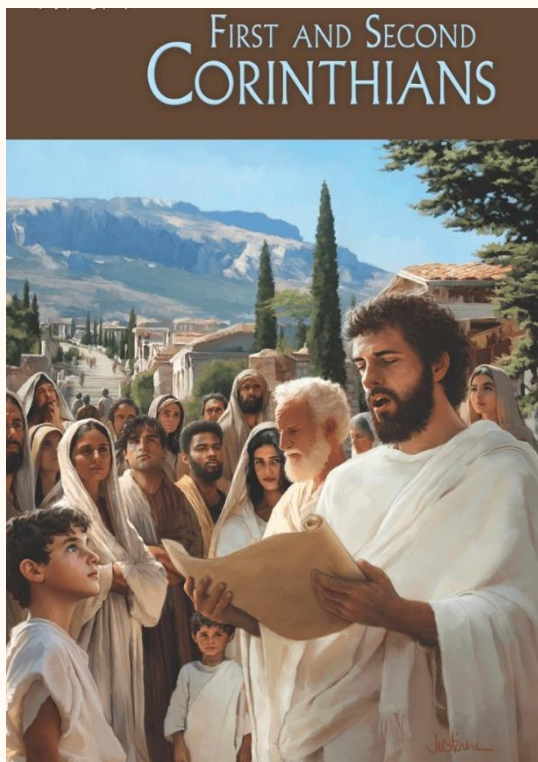


WELCOME TO THE

Johnston Seventh-Day Adventist Church

We're so glad that you're here!



**July / August /
September 2026
First and Second
Corinthians**

[JOIN US FOR STUDY OF THE
WORD via WebEx at 10:40am OR
IN PERSON STARTING AT 10AM](#)

****NOTE NEW TIME!** EMAIL OR MESSAGE TO ERIC
WITH ANY QUESTIONS OR PROBLEMS!!**

**As of November 22, 2025, Johnston SDA Church is
no longer live streaming Study of the Word. Please
join us on WebEx by clicking the above link, or in
person.**

We are open for the Study of the Word!
Join us in person, or online! Study of the Word is a
Hybrid class and you can interact with the online
people too! The church doors open at 10:00 am for
breakfast and socializing. Service begins at 10:40am
with Mission Spotlight.

Click the link above or join by meeting number
Meeting number (access code): 2633 091 8622
Meeting password: zmZVrm3dr75
Join by Mobile
+1-650-479-3208 Meeting password: 96987633
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+1-650-479-3208 United States Toll
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Pastor Yeison Gonzalez
OUR PASTOR, HIS WIFE MAXINE,
AND SON OLIVER!

You can send me an email at
YGonzalez@sneconline.org to get in touch!

Welcome to our new Sabbath Services!

The Johnston Church Board has been discussing ways to adjust and unify our Sabbath Services, using several ideas brought forward by Pastor Yeison based on what early Christian services looked like in the New Testament.

We would love to hear your thoughts and feedback as we make this transition. Feel free to reach out to Pastor or any Board member with questions, concerns, or suggestions.

-Your Johnston SDA Church Board



ANNOUNCEMENTS

SABBATH SCHEDULE

Church Opens: 10:00am

Mission Spotlight: 10:40am

Adoration: 10:45 – 11:00am

Study of the Word: 11:00–11:50am

Worship Service: 12:00 Noon – until done



DID YOU KNOW THAT YOU CAN
PAY YOUR TITHE ONLINE?

[CLICK HERE](#)



WE NEED YOU!

DO YOU FEEL CALLED TO HELP?

We have openings and need your help.
Pray and ask God where you can help in your
local church. Email Pastor.

YGONZALEZ@SNECONLINE.ORG

A vibrant poster for Youth Bible Study. The background is a mix of bright pink and yellow diagonal stripes. In the center, there is a white outline of an open book with a cross above it. To the right of the book, the text 'YOUTH BIBLE STUDY' is written in white, with 'FOR AGES 15-99' below it. Below this, a teal banner contains the text 'EVERY 2ND FRIDAY AT 7:00PM' and 'NEXT SESSION AUGUST 14TH'. Below the teal banner, a dark purple banner contains the text 'HOSTED BY LINDIA CORONA & PASTOR YEISON GONZALEZ'. At the bottom right, the text 'NEXT WEEK!' is written in white.

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YOUTH VESPERS

EVERY 2nd FRIDAY
OF THE MONTH 7pm
Next Week! – August 14th
Join Lindia Corona
for supper and Bible study

**Every 2nd Friday
of the Month**

Upcoming Important Dates:

**August 8th – Women's Book Group –
"12 Extraordinary Women": Ruth
Every Monday at 6:30pm – Held by Hope:
Grief Support Group
August 9th 10:30am – JSDA Business Meeting**

Recent Event Pictures:

Click the link below to see pictures from
Church events from the past year!

Newest: Pictures from Brother Alex's baptism!

[Click here to see a photo gallery!](#)

Atlantic Union Gleaner

[Online Link](#)

EXERCISE CLASSES

Sundays 10:00am
at Johnston SDA Church
Starting
Sunday, September 13th

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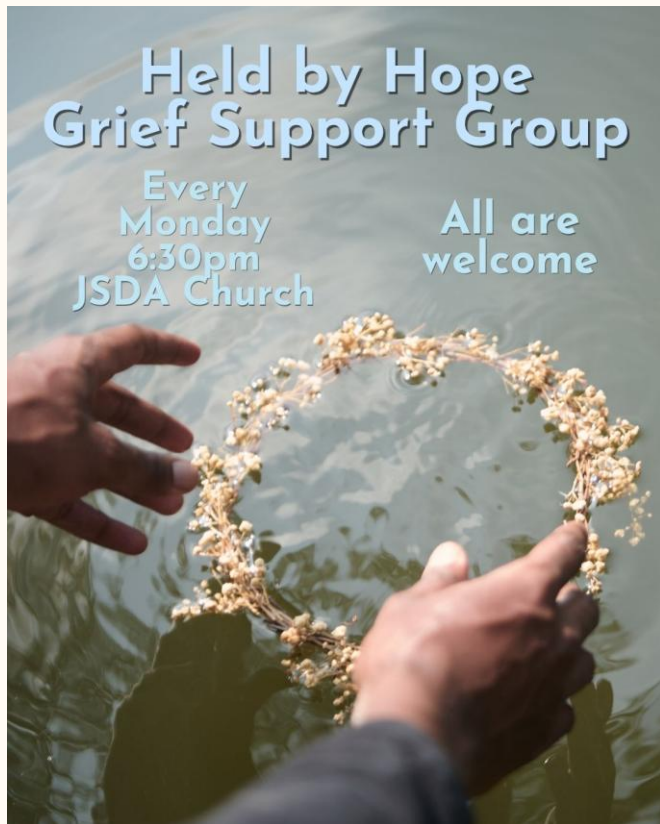
HOW GOD SHAPED WOMEN
OF THE BIBLE
and WHAT HE WANTS TO
DO WITH YOU

Women's Book Club
August 8th
2pm After Potluck

See Elvira or Deloris

**The Church
Building
needs work!**

**Please
support our
Building
Fund!**



Are you carrying a loss or anticipating a loss? Whether you have experienced the death of a loved one, the loss of a relationship, a job, you or your significant other health decline, or any grief your heart is holding — you do not have to carry it alone. Join us for **Held by Hope**, a weekly Christ-centered small group where you can express your grief honestly, find support without judgment, and discover real hope rooted in Scripture.

Every Monday 6:30 PM | JSDA Church 60 minutes |

All are welcome. For more information, contact

Vanzetta at:

Johnstonsda.healthministry@outlook.com

Zoom also available – please contact Eric for info

[Click Here to Join Held by Hope Zoom](#)

Meeting ID: 837 8693 9349

Passcode: 653220

PRAYER MEETING

Wednesdays at 7:00 PM On Zoom
(DM for Details)



JSDA Prayer Meeting

Sister Helen Alexander will be leading our new weekly Prayer Meeting on Zoom!

Wednesdays from 7pm – 8pm

Join Zoom Meeting

[Click Here to join Zoom Meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 814 1340 2288

Passcode: 658202

Join instructions

[Click Here for Instructions to join Zoom Meeting](#)

Knit Together with Jesus September 20th 1:30pm



**See Deloris or Raellen
for information**

Our Church building is in need of repairs and improvements. We prayerfully ask you to consider making a contribution to the Church Building Fund.

Your generous offering will help us maintain and enhance this place of worship for our congregation and future generations. You can mark your tithe envelope with "Building Fund", and there is also a Building Fund line at adventistgiving.org. Thank you for your prayerful support and generosity.

Related to that, we will be holding a Church Business Meeting to discuss the first round of work to be done. That meeting will be held on Sunday, August 9th at 10:30am. We will be meeting at the Church, and also via Zoom.

Link for the Zoom meeting will be emailed soon. Please contact Pastor or Eric for more information.

Have you ever wanted to learn to knit?

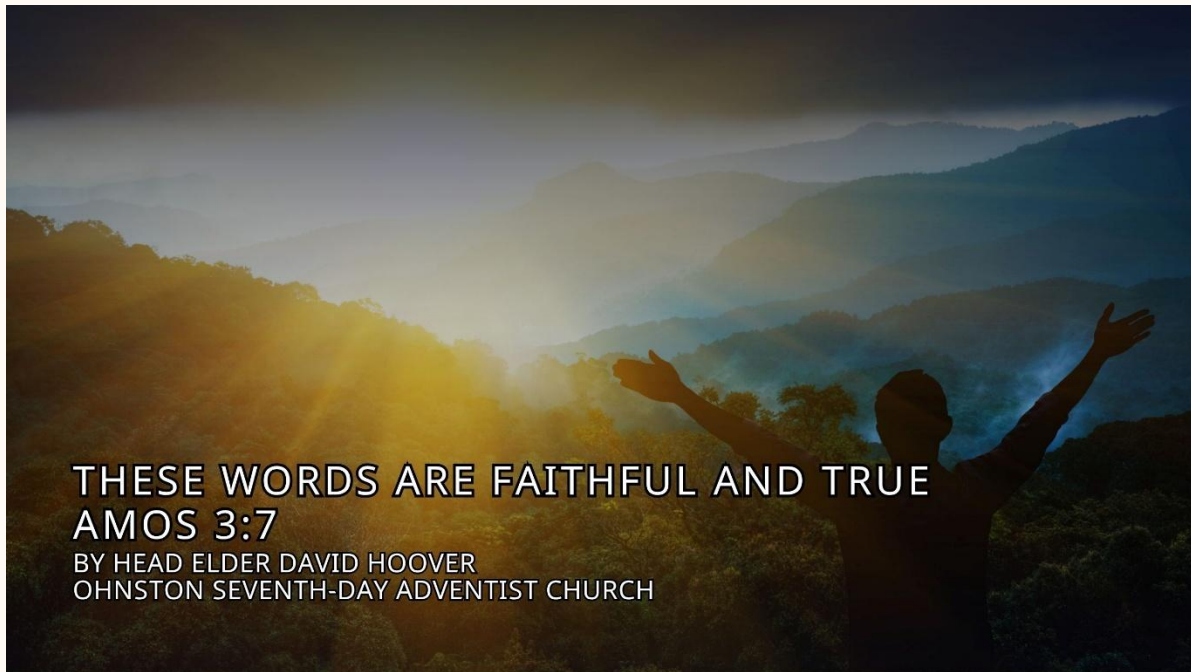
Enjoy an afternoon of fun and fellowship with Knit Together with Jesus! JSDA Women's Ministry invites you to join us at 1:30pm at Patricia Walker's home on September 20th. No experience necessary. Pat is a wonderful and generous teacher!

See Deloris Issler or Raellen Hudson for more information.

**Johnston
SDA Church**

Business Meeting

***THIS SUNDAY
August 9th
10:30am***



THESE WORDS ARE FAITHFUL AND TRUE
AMOS 3:7

BY HEAD ELDER DAVID HOOVER
OHNSTON SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

SERMON

These Words are Faithful and True

By Head Elder David Hoover

Before the Lord God does anything, he tells his plans to his servants the prophets.

Amos 3:7 NCV

**** NEW TIME!! ****

JOIN US FOR WORSHIP – STREAM BEGINS AT 11:50AM

[CLICK HERE FOR YOUTUBE](#)

[CLICK HERE FOR FACEBOOK](#)

You can worship with us online or in person!

We are working hard to improve our services.

Did you know that by having online services we have improved our reach?
Please pray over the viewers that they will receive a blessing and grow closer to our Savior.

[CLICK HERE TO PAY YOUR TITHE ONLINE](#)

On Facebook, Instagram and YouTube | @johnstonsdachurch
(Coming Soon on Twitter/X and Threads)

[HTTP://JOHNSTON22.ADVENTISTCHURCHCONNECT.ORG](http://johnston22.adventistchurchconnect.org)

Prayer Requests

HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?
REPLY TO THIS EMAIL

- **Fred Robillard** – Sister Debbie Paulhus's husband has been struggling mightily since she fell asleep in Jesus last month.
- **Prayers of healing for the Hoover Family** – They have all been dealing with various ailments and appliance struggles and need prayers!
- **The Hudson Family** – Eric's mother Liz is struggling with major health issues and decisions.
- **The Issler Family** – Aunt Rose needs prayers for upcoming medical testing.
- **Your New Church Board and all Church helpers**
- **Pastor Yeison Gonzalez and his wife Maxine and baby Oliver!**
- **The Johnston Church Building** – Our building needs some major work done in the near future.
- **Sister Doreen's grandsons Billy, Carlo, and Noah** – Fighting spiritual warfare, please let Jesus help them see the light.
- **YouTube and Online Ministry here**
Over 14,000 views on YouTube!
- **JSDA Church Family have the fruit of spirit**, is protected from illnesses and that we abide in God's peace and place in all our lives.
- **Prayer Requests** coming in from our website and prayer meeting list.
- **One Accord: The Guild** ministry as it reaches more people and continues to be Holy Spirit-led.



Discover Bible School

For more information:

PO Box 418

Putnam, CT 06260

<https://bibleschools.com/en/1144>

Ellen G. White

Writings Available:

We have 3 books: Steps to Christ, Desires of Ages, The Great Controversy.

If you have not read these books, you can have these books at no cost to you.

If you have read these books and you would like to share these books with your relatives, friends, or co-workers, please talk to Brother Michael Chung, Elder Sem Ork, or Elder Bruce Knight.

AUGUST PREACHING SCHEDULE

1st Sabbath – Pastor Yeison Gonzalez
2nd Sabbath – Head Elder David Hoover
3rd Sabbath – Head Elder David Hoover
4th Sabbath – Pastor Yeison Gonzalez
5th Sabbath – Elder Vanzetta James

Upcoming Important Dates:

Every Monday – Held by Hope:
Grief Support Group
August 8th – Women's Book Club
August 9th 10:30am – JSDA Business
Meeting
September 13th – Exercise Class 10am

AUGUST SUNDOWN TIMES

Friday 8.7 – 7:58pm
Sabbath 8.8 – 7:57pm
Friday 8.14 – 7:49pm
Sabbath 8.15 – 7:47pm
Friday 8.21 – 7:39pm
Sabbath 8.22 – 7:38pm
Friday 8.28 – 7:28pm
Sabbath 8.29 – 7:26pm

Elder of the Month
August – Sem Ork

September – Bruce Knight

AUGUST IS NATIONAL WELLNESS MONTH

Caring for Body, Mind, and Spirit — Together

August is National Wellness Month — a fitting time to reflect on a message that has long been central to our Seventh-Day Adventist identity: true health touches every part of who we are. As Ellen White wrote, “The relation that exists between the mind and the body is very intimate... the health of the body is depreciated by that of the mind.” Wellness isn’t separate from our walk with God — it’s part of it.

Our health message is often remembered by the acronym NEWSTART. Here’s how those principles nurture our body, mind, and spirit together:

Body

- **Nutrition:** A plant-forward diet, as outlined in Genesis 1:29, remains one of the best gifts we can give our bodies.
- **Water:** Aim for 6–8 glasses daily, especially in summer heat.
- **Exercise:** Movement isn’t just for fitness — it lifts mood and clarity too. A daily walk counts.
- **Sunlight:** In moderation, sunlight boosts vitamin D and mood (balance this with last month’s UV safety reminders!).

“Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, whom you have from God? You are not your own, for you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body.”

— 1 Corinthians 6:19–20

Mind

- **Air:** Fresh air and deep breathing reduce stress and support mental clarity.
- **Temperance:** Practicing moderation in all things brings balance and peace of mind.
- **Rest:** Give yourself grace — rest is productive, too. Limit screen time before bed and protect your sleep.

“Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.”

— Philippians 4:6–7

Spirit

- **Rest (Sabbath):** The Sabbath itself is God’s gift of rest — a weekly rhythm for renewal of body and soul.
- **Trust in God:** Perhaps the foundation of it all — peace of mind rooted in faith reduces stress and supports whole-person healing.

“Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth.”

— 3 John 1:2

A Small Challenge: This week, pick one NEWSTART principle you haven’t focused on lately, and take one small step — a glass of water before each meal, a walk after church potluck, or a few extra minutes in prayer.

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Are you carrying a loss or anticipating a loss?

Whether you have experienced the death of a loved one,
the loss of a relationship, a job, you or your significant
other's health decline, or any grief your heart is holding —
you do not have to carry it alone.

HELD BY HOPE

Every Monday at 6:30 PM • JSDA Church • 60 minutes

A weekly Christ-centered small group where you can
express your grief honestly, find support without judgment,
and discover real hope rooted in Scripture.

All are welcome.



Scan to contact Vanzetta

johnstonsda.healthministry@outlook.com

*"The Lord is close to the brokenhearted
and saves those who are crushed in spirit."*

Psalm 34:18

You are welcome exactly as you are.