

The Creator Speaks



Sept26- Oct 02

Memory Text:

"God, who at various times and in various ways spoke in time past to the fathers by the prophets, has in these last days spoken to us by His Son, whom He has appointed heir of all things, through whom also He made the worlds" ([Hebrews 1:1-2](#), NKJV).



To Join Church's Text System: text MERIDENSDA to phone number 84576. A link will be sent you. Click on that link and follow the directions.

To Join Church's WhatsApp Group: click on link

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/J4O0TG2xZcHHmHX0wG2Exu>.

To join the Church's Email Distribution List: please send a request to meridensdawebsite@gmail.com.



Join us on Zoom



We are recording



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Youth SABBATH SCHOOL 9:45 am – 11:00 am

Resource link click the link>> [Cornerstone Connections](#) –

Official Youth Sabbath Resources >> <https://ssnet.org/other-age-groups/>

Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87514707104>

Adult Sabbath School @10am

Adult Sabbath School Study Guides & More >> <https://ssnet.org/study-guides/>

**** In person meeting~ No zoom provided****

Church Service @ 11:25

MeridenZoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3974461365?pwd=S3VjMnVtWGRqS0dsTFR4V3VLSjU4UT09>

Meeting ID: 397 446 1365, Password : msda

Meriden Seventh-Day Adventist Church

Saturday October 03rd, 2026



300 Paddock Ave. Meriden, CT.

How Can We Help?

For questions and inquiries, you can contact us at:

Email: Meridensdawebsite@gmail.com

Phone: 203.630.3320

Website: <http://www.meridensda.org/>



We Celebrate you!



Need to talk?



Requests?

Sunset: 6:29pm

Sunset Next Week: 6:18pm

Elder on Duty: Brother Gener

Bulletin Editor: Sister Kimone

October 03, 2026
Sabbath School 10:00am

Sabbath School	Brother Gener	10:00 am
Personal Ministries	Sister April	11: 00 am
Announcements	Brother Gener	11:15 am

Divine Worship Service 11:30 am

Introit:

Hymn #285

*Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place; I can feel his mighty power and his grace. I can hear the brush of angels' wings, I see glory in each face, Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.**

Call to Worship & Invocation:

Opening Song: #614 "Sound the Battle Cry"

Congregation

**Pastor John Lewis
Congregation**

Intercessory Prayer:

*Now, Dear Lord, as we pray, take our hearts and minds far away
From the press of the world all around, To Your throne where grace does
abound. May our lives be transform'd by Your love, may our souls be
refreshed from above. At this moment, let people everywhere. Join us
now as we come to You in prayer.*

Brother Peter

Tithes & Offerings: 'Local Church Budget'

Hymn #670

*We give Thee but Thine own, Whate'er the gift may be;
All that we have is Thine alone, A trust, O Lord, from Thee.*

Brother Gener

Children's Story

Scripture Readings: Mark 1:12-13

Special Music

**Sister Grace R.
Brother Gener
Sis Lynda**

Sermon:

"The Showdown"

Closing Song: #608 'Faith is the Victory'

Benediction:

**Pastor John Lewis
Congregation
Pastor John Lewis**

Recessional/ Doxology

We Welcome Our Speaker...Pastor John Lewis

Announcements

1. 🇺🇸 **We're Going to Sight & Sound** — Are You Ready to Secure Your Seat? Join us as we travel to Sight & Sound Theatres in Lancaster, PA, to see **JOSHUA! FULL Payments are due by October 10th.** To pay in person please see **Sister Grace Miller or Brother Desmond**
2. 🥧 The Youth Ministry Pie Fundraiser! Support **The Youth Ministry** and enjoy a delicious pie while you're at it! Choose from **Apple, Apple (No Sugar), Blueberry, Pumpkin, Sweet Potato, Lemon Meringue, and Pecan.** Pies are **\$12–\$15.** 📱 **All orders must be paid for by October 18.** Order using the **QR code on our flyer** or sign up on the **order sheet in the church foyer.**
3. 🙏 Three Times a Day Prayer: Ministries invites you to make prayer part of your daily rhythm. Join us in pausing to connect with God **three times each day: Morning: 7:00–9:00 AM | Noon: 12:00 PM | Afternoon: 3:00 PM.** Wherever you are, pause and pray. May these moments draw us closer to God and strengthen our daily walk.
4. **Picnic, Sleeping Giant:** weather permitting, on Sabbath, October 10th, our sister church in New Haven invites us to come share a picnic with them at 1:30 pm in Hamden. The church normally gathers together at the benches by the bathroom facility.
5. **Movie Night:** Our sister New Haven church (355 Humphrey St) invites us to join them in watching the movie The Hopeful on Sabbath, Oct 24 at 5:00 pm. For the trailer, please see <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w7gfi-Frty4>.
6. **Medical Cadet Corps (MCC) Day:** Sabbath, November 14th, we will have guest speaker Capt Clouver R Tucker leading out as we pay tribute to our community's first responders, veterans and healthcare workers. MCC volunteers from CT will join us on that day. All are encouraged to invite first responders from our community to come to our worship service on that day.
7. **Friday Evening Prayer: 8:00–9:00 PM Meriden Zoom.** Join us on Friday evenings for a special hour of prayer. Let's close the week and welcome the Sabbath together in faith, unity, and expectation.

Next Week at a Glance:

- Friday, Remote Prayer Meeting, 8:00 pm, via Zoom
- Sabbath Oct 10, Speaker Pastor John Lewis

WOMEN'S MINISTRY DAY TRIP

≡ You're Invited! ≡

SIGHT & SOUND THEATRES'

JOSHUA

LIVE ON STAGE

1 DAY FUN FILLED *Bus Trip!*

TO SIGHT & SOUND THEATRE

Lancaster, Pennsylvania

ROUND-TRIP TRANSPORTATION
Relax and enjoy the ride!

TICKET TO SEE JOSHUA
An epic live production you won't forget!

ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT BUFFET LUNCH
Delicious and satisfying!

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We've got you covered!

TRIP DETAILS
THURSDAY
OCTOBER 29, 2026
LEAVING: 5:00 AM
MERIDEN SDA CHURCH
 300 PADDOCK AVE
 MERIDEN, CT

All This for

\$200

PER PERSON

Includes transportation, ticket, gratuities and an all-you-can-eat buffet lunch!

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WITH GOD'S STORY COME TO LIFE!

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<https://bit.ly/4qxHzne>

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YOUTH MINISTRY
MERIDEN SDA CHURCH

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OCTOBER 18

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"Let no one look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers..."
1 TIMOTHY 4:12

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PROFESSIONALS & VETERANS.



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HEALTH CARE
PROFESSIONALS



VETERANS



SPEAKER:

CAPTAIN
CLAVOUR R. TUCKER
USAF



SATURDAY,
NOVEMBER 14, 2026



MERIDEN SDA CHURCH
300 Paddock Ave,
Meriden, CT 06450



11:30 AM
WORSHIP SERVICE
2:30 PM
Q&A SESSION