

WEEK AT A GLANCE

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| Sat – Feb 28 | Time of Prayer, Pastor's Office | 8:30 a.m. |
| | Adult Sabbath School #1: "Reconciliation and Hope" Judy Frank, Fellowship Hall/Zoom | 9:45 a.m. |
| | Children's Sabbath School | 9:45 a.m. |
| | Adult Sabbath School #2: "The Faith of Jesus" with Pastor Lori Farr, Classroom 6 | 9:45 a.m. |
| | Worship/Black History Sabbath: Doug Walker, "THIS FAR BY FAITH: RECONCILIATION, CITIZENSHIP, UNITY" (Also on YouTube) | 11:00 a.m. |
| | Elders' Meeting | 1:00 p.m. |
| | Vespers & Family Game Night, Fellowship Hall | 6:00 p.m. |
| | Sunset | 6:26 p.m. |
| Sun – Mar 1 | Spring Valley Academy Gala (Ticketed Event) | 4:00 p.m. |
| Mon – Mar 2 | Monday Bible Study: "Sold into Slavery" (via Zoom) | 6:30 p.m. |
| Tue – Mar 3 | Women's Bible Study at Sycamore Glen | 10:30 a.m. |
| Wed – Mar 4 | Sycamore Bible Study at Ket. Senior Living LL Aud. Blessings in a Bag in Fellowship Hall | 6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. |
| | Prayer Meeting in Pastor's Office and Zoom | 6:30 p.m. |
| Thu – Mar 5 | Healing in Christ Ministries via Zoom | 6:30 p.m. |
| Fri – Mar 6 | Sunset | 6:34 p.m. |

PULPIT SCHEDULE

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| March 7 | The Two Men Who Prayed | Pastor Lori Farr |
| March 14 | When You Don't Have a Prayer, Keep Praying | Pastor Lori Farr |
| March 21 | In the School of Prayer | Paul Koles |
| March 28 | The Emptiness of Christ | Dave Pappenfus |

CHURCH RESERVED — The Rise Community Church is renting our church building each Sunday from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and Thursdays from 4-9 p.m.

GOOD NEIGHBOR HOUSE — Tax deductible monetary donations can be made by donating online or by sending a check. Please make your contribution to AdventistGiving.org to our church category for Good Neighbor House or give your GNH check through the church by mail to 2155 Leiter Rd, Miamisburg, OH 45342 or to the offering box at the greeter's table. For information on current needs/services available, visit <http://goodneighborhouse.org/covid-19>. Good Neighbor House is located at 627 E. First Street, Dayton, 937-224-3003, www.goodneighborhouse.org.

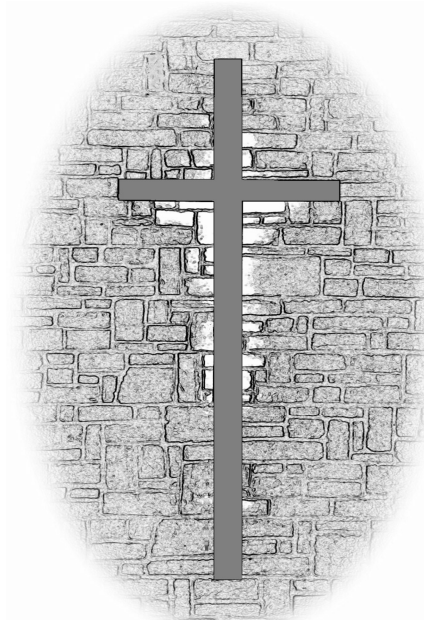
GUEST INTERNET — Guest WIFI internet is available and can be utilized while at the Church by connecting to **MSDAC ATT WIFI PUB1** and has the password "**HappySabbath07.**" Contact David Gullett Sr. for additional information.

RECORDED SERMONS -- All sermons are available on our YouTube channel, Miamisburg Seventh-day Adventist Church. Search for the date and listen to the whole service or select by "chapter" for the section you want to hear.

TITHE & OFFERING ON-LINE GIVING — On-line giving for tithe and offerings is available at www.miamisburgsda.org. For assistance, contact David Gullett Sr. at dgullett.msda@gmail.com.

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| (Bulletin Deadline: Noon Wed.) | | | |

Miamisburg Seventh-day Adventist Church



Sabbath, February 28, 2026

Adult & Children's Sabbath School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service: 11:00 a.m.

Miamisburg Seventh-day Adventist Church
2155 Leiter Road, Miamisburg, OH 45342
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We Enter to Worship  *We Depart to Serve*

Adult Sabbath School Classes

UNITING HEAVEN & EARTH -- CHRIST IN PHILIPPIANS & COLOSSIANS

9:45 a.m., Fellowship Hall (Available on Zoom)

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| Today | <i>Reconciliation and Hope</i> | Judy Frank |
| March 7 | <i>Complete in Christ</i> | Charla Scovil |
| March 14 | <i>Living With Christ</i> | Dave Pappenfus |
| March 21 | <i>Living With Each Other</i> | Dick Odenthal |
| THE FAITH OF JESUS / 9:45 a.m., Classroom 6 | | |
| Today | <i>The Faith of Jesus</i> | Pastor Lori Farr |

WORSHIP

*Welcome as we celebrate the Lord of the Sabbath.
Black History Month Program Coordinated by Marva Mortley*

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| Welcome & Announcements | | Raul Concha |
| Scripture & Invocation | | Raul Concha |
| Prelude | <i>"His Eye is on the Sparrow"</i> | Abigail Advincula & Charis Lin |
| Offering Call | | Raul Concha |
| Children's Offering and Message | <i>Women's Ministry</i> | Pastor Lori Farr |
| Highlight of Black History | | Marva Mortley |
| Praise in Songs | <i>"We've Come This Far by Faith" "Total Praise"</i> | Praise Team |
| Pastoral Prayer | <i>"Hear Our Prayer O Lord"</i> | Raul Concha |
| Scripture Reading | <i>Romans 5:10-11 (NASB)</i> | David Fabiyi |
| Introduction of Speaker | | Femi Fabiyi |
| Musical Message | <i>"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"</i> | Abigail Advincula & Charis Lin |
| Spoken Word | <i>"THIS FAR BY FAITH: RECONCILIATION, CITIZENSHIP, UNITY"</i> | Doug Walker |
| Closing Song | <i>"Soon and Very Soon"</i> | Praise Team |
| Closing Prayer | | Doug Walker |
| Postlude | <i>"It is Well With My Soul"</i> | Abigail Advincula & Charis Lin |

Announcements Continued . . .

WOMEN'S MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES —

- ❖ Women of the Ohio SDA Conference and the Allegheny West Conference are invited to come together for a special gathering entitled **Divinely Woven Threads of Sisterhood Lunch**. This sacred time of fellowship, prayer, and encouragement will be held on Sunday, March 8, 2026, from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Centerville SDA Church Fellowship Hall. More information is posted on the foyer bulletin board or visit <https://www.centervillesdachurch.org/events/womens-luncheon>.
- ❖ The Kettering Seventh-day Adventist Church is sponsoring a women's retreat **"Stronger than the Storm and Desert"** at Deer Creek State Park Lodge & Conference Center, 22300 State Park Rd 20, Mt. Sterling, Ohio, March 13-15, 2026. The featured speaker is Elizabeth Viera Talbot, PHD. Scan the poster in the foyer for additional information. Registration deadline is March 1 (lodging deadline was February 27).

BIBLES — If you have new or used Bibles you are not using, would you please bring those to the church for use in a prison ministry? Check with Pastor Lori if you have a question. Thanks. A collection box will be provided in the church lobby.

SPRING VALLEY ACADEMY —

- ❖ **Enrollment is Now Open:** Secure your spot for next school year. Enrollment for our K-12 is **OPEN** for the 2026-2027 school year! Space is filling up fast, and we want to ensure that our church families have priority. Don't wait—submit your application today to guarantee your child's place in our Christ-centered learning community. To apply, visit: www.springvalleyacademy.org and click on 'apply now' at the top of the page. Applications are processed on a first-come, first-served basis. **Hurry—once a grade is full, we will move to a waiting list!**
- ❖ **Seeking Housing:** The incoming SVA music teacher, Livia Liga, and her husband, Pastor Florin Liga, are looking to relocate to this area before the start of the new school year. They are open to all options, short-term, medium, or long-term, whether renting or buying, though their purchase potential is limited. They are hoping to find something within less than 30-minute drive of the school. This post is not a request for others to do the searching, but an invitation to contact if you or someone you know has a property available or knows of a potential solution. The Liga family will continue their own search in the meantime. If you have any leads or options to share, please reach out to them directly at 618-267-5700.
- ❖ **Spring Break:** No Classes are scheduled March 23-27 and March 30 (Parent Teacher Conferences).

Three Ways to Give

- AdventistGiving.org
- Mail- 2155 Leiter Rd, Miamisburg, OH 45342
- Offering box on greeters' table



02/27 - James Marshall '15
02/27 - Phillip Marshall Jr. '15
02/28 - Noah Sails '16
03/01 - Randy Montgomery
03/01 - Jeanette Teller
03/03 - Jennifer Finney
03/03 - Ryan Swensen
03/03 - Robin Tucker
03/05 - Luree Hereford
03/05 - Leidy Mullins
More to come . . .

HEALING IN CHRIST MINISTRIES

Hurts, hang-ups, and life-controlling habits—we all have them. Most of us feel we can never overcome them, and you are right, we cannot. But we know a God who can work life-altering miracles. He has made a way through Jesus Christ.

That is what **Healing in Christ Ministries** (HCM) is all about. Working through and overcoming those hurts, hang-ups, and life-controlling habits through the transforming power of Jesus Christ.

HCM is committed to a Christ-centered approach utilizing the Twelve-Step Biblical principles to guide our recovery and spiritual growth. HCM is a safe and confidential place to talk, share, and grow.

You will find no judgment, criticism, or perfect people. You will be strengthened, encouraged, and supported in your journey. All who seek recovery, regardless of their state of faith, religion, race, or gender are welcome.

The only requirements for membership in this forum are desires for a personal release from conflict with God, ourselves, and others by learning and practicing the Twelve Steps and to help others achieve the same.

Join us every Thursday at 6:30 p.m. via Zoom. Download the ZOOM App and enter the following **MEETING ID: 938 7420 1234** and **Passcode: Msda2155**. If you would like the link sent to you directly, then contact Pastor Lori at 330-317-4217.

Those Serving Today

Elder
Raul Concha
Deacon
Augustus Gullett Jr.
Piano
Larry Lang

Greeters
Emmy Snook & Patricia Wantz
Praise Team
Marva Mortley, Yemi Fabiyi &
Keza Niyonsenga

Audio/Visual
Augustus Gullett Jr/Audio
Bruce Bacheller/Video
Dave Seidel/CMc
David Gullett/Streamer

Announcements

ADULT & CHILDREN'S SABBATH SCHOOL — 9:45-10:40 a.m.

- ❖ Adult class #1/*Uniting Heaven & Earth—Christ in Philippians & Colossians* meets in the fellowship hall—and is available on Zoom for those who are viewing from home.
- ❖ Adult class #2/*The Faith of Jesus* meets in classroom 6. *The Faith of Jesus* is a simple yet profound set of Bible lessons that introduce the reader to basic Bible truths. It is based on the principle of using the Bible as its own interpreter, and it demonstrates that Jesus is the true foundation of our faith. As such it is based on His life and teachings, inviting the user to discover God's will in the word of the Savior. (No Zoom for this class.)
- ❖ Children's Classes: Beginners (ages 0-4), Primary (5-8), Juniors/Earliteens (9-13) and Youth (14-18).

GUEST MUSICIANS — Abigail Advincula (piano) and Charis Lin (cello) are classically trained amateur musicians who met three and a half years ago when working at the Air Force Research Laboratory as materials research scientists. Music is what started their friendship! They perform together as a duo (and sometimes as a trio with another colleague) regularly for Sycamore Glen (Kettering Health Senior Living). Charis also plays in the orchestra at First Baptist Church of Kettering.

TODAY'S SPEAKER — After over 20 years as a strategic communications, marketing, and government relations leader in the public, nonprofit, and academic sectors, Doug Walker is starting up a business and executive leadership coaching practice based here in the Miami Valley. An elder, Sabbath School teacher, and former church board chair at the Beltsville (MD) SDA Church, Doug has held various positions at Andrews University, Washington Adventist University (WAU), and Kettering Health, and served in federal, state, and local government in DC, MD, and IL. Doug, his wife of over 30 years, Linda, and their American bulldog mix, Apollo, split time between Beltsville, MD and Centerville, OH.

OFFERING SUPPORT — Offerings may be dropped in the collection box on the greeters' table; mailed to the church at 2155 Leiter Rd., Miamisburg, OH 45342; or donated through our church website, www.miamisburgsda.org. Thank you for supporting the local budget.

LOCAL BUDGET FINANCES

Needed in February
Budget Deficit through January 31, 2026

\$9,144
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Announcements Continued . . .

CONDOLENCES -- Our thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends of Clyde Brown, 92, of Miamisburg, who passed away Saturday, February 21, 2026, at the Veterans Administration Hospice. Clyde died from heart failure. He and his late wife, Juanita, were long-time members at the Miamisburg Seventh-day Adventist Church since 2009. Juanita passed away in 2014. No service is planned. Clyde donated his body to Wright State. He was a familiar face, always smiling, and he will be missed.

2026 CHURCH SOCIALS —

- ❖ **Family Game Night:** Join us **TONIGHT** for vespers at 6 p.m. and snacks/games at 6:30 p.m. Bring board games, healthy snacks to share. Group games will also be planned. Popcorn and apples will be provided.
- ❖ **Annual Spring Fling:** Save the date for Sunday, April 26, for the annual Spring Fling. Haystacks, fellowship, and talent provided by church family and friends.
- ❖ **Picnic/Hike:** Park location to be announced for a picnic/hike/fellowship following the worship service on Sabbath, June 27.
- ❖ **September 26:** Tentative plans are underway for a backyard movie night.
- ❖ **Additional activities:** Church family, if you would like to organize other informal activities (meet up for a bike ride, pick up ball game, disc golf gathering, etc.), we're happy to announce such activities on the church calendar and bulletin.



FEBRUARY/MARCH MEETINGS & EVENTS —

- ❖ Elders' Meeting: Today at 1:00 p.m.
- ❖ Church Social: Vespers/Game Night, this evening at 6 p.m., Fellowship Hall
- ❖ Fellowship Dinners: Sabbath, March 7 (Team 3 hosts) and Sabbath, March 21 (Team 1 hosts)
- ❖ Choir Practice: Sabbaths, March 7, 1:30 p.m.; March 14 at 12:30 p.m.; March 28 at 12:30 p.m.
- ❖ Sycamore Glen Worship: Sabbath, March 14, 3 p.m., Ket Sr Living LL Aud.

ZOOM MEETINGS — You will find weekly emails inviting you to Monday and Wednesday evenings & Adult Sabbath School Class 1 meetings. It is simple, click on the link in the email to join and enjoy the fellowship. To be added to email list, contact seidels24@gmail.com.

BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES —

- ❖ **Monday Night Bible Study:** We invite you to join us Monday, March 2, at 6:30 p.m. for *Sold into Slavery, Genesis 37:1-36* (Zoom only). This study is designed to help us grow in wisdom and deepen our relationship with God as we explore the Bible.
- ❖ **Tuesday Mornings:** A women's Bible study group meets in the Kettering Health Senior Living (Sycamore Glen) lower-level auditorium, 317 Sycamore Glen Drive, Miamisburg, on Tuesday morning at 10:30-11:30 a.m. Luree Hereford, Sheila Lawrence and Sandra Pappenfus are leading a study of the Book of Genesis.
- ❖ **1st/3rd Tuesday Evenings:** The Tuesday evening video/discussion is temporarily postponed and will resume when weather moderates. Watch for an announcement.
- ❖ **Sycamore Glen Wednesdays:** Bible Study meeting takes place on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. in the Kettering Health Senior Living lower-level auditorium, 317 Sycamore Glen Drive, Miamisburg.

Announcements Continued . . .

BLESSINGS IN A BAG — Packing in our fellowship hall with the community for Miamisburg school children continues Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. prior to Prayer Meeting.

PRAYER MEETING — Prayer meeting takes place on Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. We will meet for a time of prayer: for our community, our church, those in need and for giving thanks. Bring your joys and your sorrows and let's pray to our Maker together for courage and strength.

MINISTRY OF PRAYER —

- ❖ **Sabbath Time Of Prayer** — Friends and family are invited to join with Florence Mbaraga or Pastor Lori every Sabbath morning from 8:30 to 9:00 for a time of prayer in the pastor's office. We want to create as many opportunities as possible for us to pray for our church and our revival. Jesus says where two or three are gathered He is in the midst of them. Come and be blessed and let's see what God has in store for us.
- ❖ **Special Prayer Mention** — Requests for prayer mention by the elder may be dropped in the black prayer box (under the clock) in the lobby or texted to the elder prior to the service. Please note whether you wish *anonymous*.
- ❖ **Prayer Team** — Contact Judy Frank, Prayer Ministry Leader, with requests or praises by phone at 937-723-6130, cell phone/text at 937-977-9484 or by email at judyfrank1847@gmail.com. Prayers, requests, and praises can also be emailed to prayerrequestsmsdac@gmail.com. The Ohio Conference prayer email is prayer@ohioadventist.org.

MARCH FELLOWSHIP MEALS — All are encouraged to stay and enjoy good food and wonderful Christian fellowship following the worship services on Sabbath, March 7 (Team 3 hosts: Hereford/Lang/Mbaraga/Siegels); and Sabbath, March 21 (Team 1 hosts: Concha), Church family: if you would like to participate, please bring a vegetarian dish to share. Anyone who is available to help will be appreciated. Team lists and information are posted in the kitchen.

CHOIR PRACTICE! — New voices are always welcome—invite teens or adults, kids, neighbors, friends etc. to join for any or all pieces for Christmas, Easter, or special music. Practices are held on the first and third Sabbaths each month. Some changes for the March practice schedule include:

- ❖ Sabbath, March 14, 12:30-2 p.m. (Soloists/Narrator pending)
- ❖ Sabbath, March 21 (Practice Cancelled)
- ❖ Sabbath, March 28, 12:30-2 p.m. (Soloist/Narrator & AV Team also)
- ❖ Friday, April 3 (TBA if needed)

CELTIC CELEBRATION CONCERT — On Sunday, March 15, at 7:00 p.m., the Kettering Praise Orchestra, under the direction of Donald Huff, will present its fifteenth annual *Celtic Celebration* at the Kettering Adventist Church. This year's program, *Something New*, highlights newly composed works inspired by the rich musical traditions of Ireland and the British Isles. Featured guests include composer Amador Trejo, guest conductors Karina Beebe and Harley Vargas, vocalist Greta Shull, bagpiper Greg Martin, and host Paddy Homan. A special Q&A session with composer Amador Trejo will be held at 6:15 p.m. Admission is free, and all are invited to enjoy a reception during intermission.