

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

July 17, 2021

10:45a.m.

Welcome/Announcements	Geoff White
Invocation	Geoff White
Songs Of Praise	Praise Band
Opening Hymn	<i>"Be Thou My Vision"</i> #547
Service of Baptism	Pastor Marcus Bates Pastor Matthew Durante <i>Arisha Arvat</i> <i>Zoe Neveu</i>
Morning Offering	Geoff White
Kid's Corner	Kaitlyn Miller
Morning Prayer	Tim Snow
Special Music	Bethany and Daniel Howard
Scripture Reading	Luke 9:23-25 Tim Snow
Sermon	Pastor Matthew Durante <i>"Rooted: Cultivating a Life of Discipleship"</i> <i>(Part IV: Going All In)</i>
Closing Hymn	<i>"I Surrender All"</i> #309
Benediction	Pastor Matthew Durante

SERVING TODAY

Elder in Charge: Geoff White
Deacon on Duty: Dan Peters
Chorister: Praise Band
Piano: Darby Goodge
Sound Technician: Troy Hollenbeck
Web Stream: Brian Rogers

The Adult Sabbath School Class in the Sanctuary and the Worship Service will be live streamed and available on Facebook, YouTube, and Roku.

THE CHURCH AT STUDY

9:30 – 10:30am Adult Sabbath School Class
Pastor Marcus Bates (Church Sanctuary)

9:30 – 10:30am Youth Sabbath School Class
Geoff White (Ages 11-18 KAS Gym)

Children's Sabbath School Class
Darby Goodge (Ages 4-10 Kindergarten Room)

Cradle Roll Sabbath School Class
Imara Runne (Beginner's Room)

10:45 am The church congregation assembles in the Sanctuary for praise and worship!

KNOXVILLE FIRST SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
3611 Kingston Pike, Knoxville, TN 37919
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 10952, Knoxville, TN 37939

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, 9am-2pm

Tuesday, 9am - 1:30pm

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Facebook Page: Knoxville 1st Seventh-day Adventist Church
Women's Ministry Facebook page: Knoxville 1st SDA Women's Ministry

Please send all info for song slides, sermon information, and various Scriptures for Church services to KFSDAprojectorteam@gmail.com

KNOXVILLE *first*
Seventh-day Adventist church

July 17, 2021



"The cross is laid on every Christian. The first Christ-suffering which every man must experience is the call to abandon the attachments of this world.... When Christ calls a man, he bids him come and die."

The Cost of Discipleship, p.99

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome Members and Honored Guests

Today we are privileged to witness the baptism of

Arisha Arvat

and

Zoey Neveu

May this be a blessed day for each of you.

May all that is done here today lift you closer to Christ.

And in His closeness, may you find yourselves better equipped to live His life here for as long as we are called to this part of our journey.

LET'S LIFT UP THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE IN OUR PRAYERS: *Mary Caughorn, Debbie Simmons, Joe Ellison, Debbie Davis, Bill Newman, Kristy Siddel, Donna Norton, Dan Belic, Wayne Knickman and his daughter-in-law Mary, Sande' Korp, Heather Brockett, church members and guests who have health or personal issues; those needing spiritual victories in their lives; those affected by recent events, including healthcare workers, first responders and volunteers; our missionaries; our elected officials; those serving in law enforcement and military.*

Pray For Advent House

JULY – Advent House Board and Advent House Donors as They Prepare for Next Year

OFFERING SCHEDULE

Please Mark Your Tithe Envelope

Today: Local Church Budget

Next Week: Georgia-Cumberland Ministries

Today's Loose Offering: Church Operating Fund

TITHES AND OFFERINGS: You may also mail to Knoxville First SDA Church, P.O. Box 10952, Knoxville, TN 37939; or give online at <https://adventistgiving.org/#/org/ANTFJL/envelope/start>. Please remember our Local Church Budget and Children's Offerings.

CHURCH GIVING THROUGH

July 10, 2021

	Last Week	Weekly Goal	YTD Received	YTD Needed
Combined Budget	\$ 1,677	\$ 4,437	\$ 114,410	\$ 124,236
Worthy Student	\$ 133	\$ 1,000	\$ 27,108	\$ 28,000

WOMEN'S MINISTRY OUTING

Painting With A Twist - August 1st from 10am- 12pm

Let's get creative! No painting skills needed; the instructor gives step by step guidance. It's loads of fun, and you will be amazed how good your painting will turn out! Price is \$38/ person. Maximum number of people is 32. It is recommended that you arrive 20 minutes early to be prepared for the 10 am start time. Use this website to secure your seat and pay for the event, password for the event is Tennessee, <https://www.paintingwithatwist.com/studio/knoxville-central/event/2803456>. Contact Lisa Pfeister if you need more information.

KNOXVILLE ADVENTIST SCHOOL 2021 – 2022 School Year

Online registration for K-8th grades is now open. Go to www.knoxvilleadventistschool.net. Join us for our Registration Day on Sunday, July 25th from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Computer will be available to register; meet the teachers; talk to the treasurer about finances. Have questions? Email us at knoxvilleadventistschool.com.

YOUNG ADULT/COLLEGIATE SABBATH SCHOOL CLASS - If you are a young adult, please feel free to join our Sabbath School Class every Sabbath at 2:00 p.m. in the church Annex/Hospitality House.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - VBS is right around the corner. Do You Dare to join us July 18-21 from 6-7pm as we learn to be bold and stand alone for God? No drop-off this year, so bring the family and enjoy learning about brave Bible heroes. Invite your friends and neighbors! Please, NO pets.

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING - Wednesday evenings at 7:00pm on Zoom. We are going through a verse-by-verse study on the book of Hebrews. Login at <https://zoom.us/j/8987439349>. The Zoom ID is 898-743-9349. To join by phone, please call (646) 558-8656 and enter the ID. These events will be livestreamed on Facebook, YouTube, and Roku. Outlines available on knoxvillefirstsda.com, "Midweek Service."

GCC FAMILY MINISTRIES DEPARTMENT: GCC is offering a Marriage Retreat at Lanier Islands in Buford, GA on October 29-31, 2021. Go to www.gccsda.com/events/marriageretreat2021 to register. Deadline is September 23, 2021.

SPONSORS FOR NEW TABLECLOTHS - Our church is in need of new tablecloths to be used with our tables for fellowship lunches and other church events. We need 37 tablecloths - 30 round tablecloths (\$45 each) and 7 rectangular tablecloths (\$38 each) - for a total of \$1616. We are hoping to find church members who can sponsor a tablecloth to help cover the cost, please put your offering in a tithe envelope and mark it as "New Tablecloths." Thank you for your faithfulness in supporting the needs of our congregation!

MEN'S MINISTRY CALL MONDAY, JULY 26: Join us on the **second and fourth Monday at 8:00pm** for just 20 minutes for a Zoom Meeting ID: 856 9680 7250, password: Mm21A.

AUDIO VISUAL TEAM – SLIDES: Please send all information to KFSDAprojectorteam@gmail.com for items you wish to appear on slides during weekly services

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sabbath	July 17, 2021
9:30 a.m.	Cradle Roll, Children's and Youth's SS classes
9:30 a.m.	Adult Sabbath School Class
10:45 a.m.	Worship Service – Pastor Matthew Durante
2:00 p.m.	Adult/Collegiate SS Class – Annex/Hospitality House
8:51 p.m.	Sunset
Sunday	July 18, 2021
6:00 p.m.	Vacation Bible School
Monday	July 19, 2021
6:00 p.m.	Vacation Bible School
Tuesday	July 20, 2021
6:00 p.m.	Vacation Bible School
Wednesday	July 21, 2021
6:00 p.m.	Vacation Bible School
7:00 p.m.	Prayer meeting and study on Zoom
Friday	July 23, 2021
8:47 p.m.	Sunset
Sabbath	July 24, 2021
9:30 a.m.	Cradle Roll, Children's and Youth's SS classes
9:30 a.m.	Adult Sabbath School Class
10:45 a.m.	Worship Service – Pastor Marcus Bates
2:00 p.m.	Adult/Collegiate SS Class – Annex/Hospitality House
8:46 p.m.	Sunset