

## THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

March 14, 2020  
10:45a.m.

Community Gathering	Congregation
Prelude to Worship	Jean Forster
Praise & Worship	Choir
Welcome/Invocation	Bill Mitchell
Hymn of Praise	<i>Great is Thy Faithfulness</i>
Worship through Giving	Bill Mitchell
Offering/Offertory	Jean Forster
We Gather for Prayer	John Robertson
Kid's Korner	Danielle Velez
Blessing of Music	Choir
The Word Lives	1 John 4:1 1 Thessalonians 5:16-21 John Robertson
Spiritual Thought	<i>"Don't Trust Everything You Hear"</i> Christopher May
Hymn of Response	<i>Come Thou Fount, Come Thou King</i>
Benediction	Christopher May
Postlude	Jean Forster

## SERVING TODAY

Elder in Charge: Bill Mitchell  
Deacon on Duty: Alex Horton  
Organ: Jussara Horton  
Live Streaming: Bryan Dove  
Sound: Jessica Collier  
Greeters: Lilianne and John Robertson, and Marilyn Lawrence

## THE CHURCH AT STUDY

Sabbath School Classes 9:30-10:30am

### Adult Class

Church Sanctuary: General Lesson Study  
Conference Room (Church Lower Level): General Lesson Study

### Collegiate/Young Adult Class

Hospitality House (Living Room)  
Pastor Rodrick London, April Collier, and Michael Etherton

### High School

Hospitality House (Upstairs) - Grades 9-12  
The White, Mitchell and Lopez Families

### Junior/Earliteens

Hospitality House (Downstairs) - Grades 5-8  
Jeff Peeke, Briana Burdorf, Keven Burdorf,  
Mark Jones, and Charles Lyons

### Children's Classes

**Cradle Roll** - Birth To 3 Years Of Age  
Imara Runne, Ronda Mostella, and Kemmy Osoro

**Kindergarten** - 4 to 6 years of age  
Danielle Velez and Debbie Carithers

**Primary** - 7 Years Of Age Through 4<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Jussara Horton and Adriana Zoder

**At 10:45am the church congregation assembles in the Sanctuary for singing, praise, and worship!**

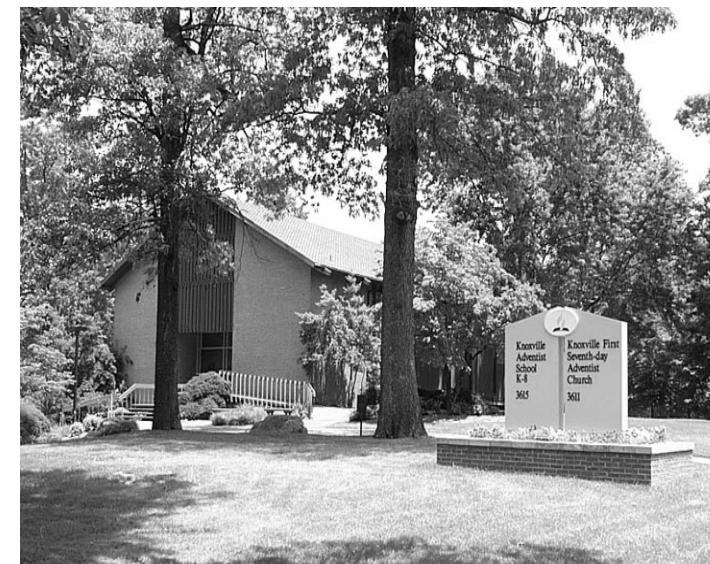
## KNOXVILLE FIRST SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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KNOXVILLE *first*  
Seventh-day Adventist church

March 14, 2020



*"We should take the Bible, and investigate it closely for ourselves. We should dig in the mine of God's word for truth."*

*EGW (Counsels to Writers and Editors 43.2)*

**CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**WEDNESDAY MEETING:** We are now moving into some last-day events studies. Wednesday, March 18, 2020 at 7pm Please join us in the Conference Room.

**KNOXVILLE ADVENTIST SCHOOL (KAS) VISITOR DAY.** Calling all kindergarten and first graders, or anyone who would like to attend KAS next year!! Please come join us for our KAS Visitor Day this month. It will be held Friday, March 27 from 8 AM–12:30 PM. It is open to anyone going into grades K-9 and interested in attending KAS for the '20-'21 school year. It will be a morning full of information, learning, and fun. Lunch will be provided, and all who take part on the 27th will receive a \$50 discount towards their registration fee if they attend KAS the 2020-2021 school year. Call or email the school to reserve a spot for your child to attend. 865-522-9929 or knoxvilleadventistschool@gmail.com

**THE SUNSHINE SHARING GROUP** has postponed visits to Little Creek Sanitarium on the 2nd Sabbath of the month until further notice as a precaution to safeguard the residents from the Coronavirus. Carol Goodge at 865-659-4909 or cagoodge@aol.com.

**TO CHURCH MEMBERS AND VISITORS:** Hand sanitizer stations have been set up in the foyer and downstairs. However, the CDC recommends that the best way to prevent the spread of a cold, the flu and the Coronavirus is to wash your hands with soap and water. The CDC also recommends that you not touch your face or shake hands, cough and sneeze into your arm or a tissue, and to stay home if you are sick. Go to [cdc.gov](http://cdc.gov)

**FELLOWSHIP DINNER TODAY**, hosted by Lindsey & Nathan Taylor and Team 3: Heather & Bryant Brockett; Margaret Cloud; Shekaina Domingo; Teresa & Larry Doran; Selena & Michael Etherton; Tami & John Geli; Lynette & Troy Hollenbeck; Jussara & Mark Horton; Alex Horton; Marcia & Charles Lyons; Kemmy & Moses Osoro; Aly & Joseph Pettit; Amanda & Brian Rogers; Laurie Salmons; Betty & Elvin Vence.

**Thank you, Team 3, for setting up and cleaning up!**

**Church Members** – thank you for bringing enough food to share. Please mark your dish if it is vegan and/or gluten free.

**HEALTHY TASTE COOKING:** Sunday, March 15 at 6pm in the KAS Gym. Join Kristina from “Kristina’s Kitchen”. The cost is \$5 per person. Reservations required. 865-229-8060

**SABBATH SCHOOL PIANOS:** In an effort to maintain our equipment, three damp chasers have been installed in the Sabbath School pianos. We appreciate your cooperation in helping us to keep these plugged in.

**NEW HIGH SCHOOL SABBATH SCHOOL CLASS.** All high school students are welcome. Please join us upstairs in the Hospitality House.

**SPRING WOMEN'S RETREAT** at Cohutta Springs April 2nd – 5th for women and girls ages 10-17. The early registration deadline is February 27<sup>th</sup>. Final deadline is March 18<sup>th</sup>. This years' speaker is Michaela Jeffery. Contact Darlene Gillett.

**DIVORCECARE MINISTRY:** Our Church is happy to announce that we will be starting a DivorceCare Ministry. Volunteers are needed to fill several positions. This ministry has so much potential to bring comfort and healing to those that are struggling and seeking peace and comfort. If you feel that this is something that God is calling for you to do, please contact either Selena Etherton 865-659-7211 or Ronda Mostella 865-951-3220 [knoxdivorcecare@gmail.com](mailto:knoxdivorcecare@gmail.com)

**STEPS TO PERSONAL REVIVAL**, by Helmut Haubeil. Pastor Marc has copies available, one copy per family. You can download and print copies or listen to audiobook at <https://steps-to-personal-revival.info/>.

**ATLANTA BRAVES FAMILY GAME DAY - SUNDAY, APRIL 19.** Join others from the conference as the Atlanta Braves take on the San Francisco Giants. Buy tickets by March 25 for seats with the GCC group. [www.gccsda.com/events/gameday2020](http://www.gccsda.com/events/gameday2020) or 706-602-7346.

**ADVENT HOUSE** is in need of volunteers to help assemble the new furniture for the basement project! We'll be having a work bee at the house on Sunday March 22nd from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm. If you have an hour or two to interact with our students and help assemble the new furniture, it would mean a lot. Contact Chris May if you have any questions at 774-275-1786. Thank you!

**OFFERING SCHEDULE**

**Today:** Adventist World Radio – Please mark your tithe envelope

**Next Week:** Local Church Budget

**Today's loose offering** goes to the Church Budget

**CHURCH GIVING  
Through March 07, 2020**

	Last Week	Weekly Goal	YTD Received	YTD Needed
<b>Combined Budget</b>	\$2,867	\$4,512	\$40,926	\$45,120
<b>Worthy Student</b>	\$209	\$1,000	\$9,782	\$10,000

**LET'S LIFT UP THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE IN OUR PRAYERS**

Church members and guests who have health or personal issues; those needing spiritual victories in their lives; those affected by recent events, including first responders and volunteers; our missionaries; our elected officials; those serving in law enforcement and military.

**HOME BOUND MEMBERS:** Delena Akers; Delia Azzarello; Millie Boughman; Charles Cate; Paul & Mary Caughorn; Ken Cox; Clara Gallaher; Charlotte Glass; Margaret Grubbs; Jean Lucas; Amina Newton; Irene Pyle; Stella Weaver; Sydney Young; and friend, Micheline Baird.

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**Today** **March 14, 2020**  
 9:30 a.m. Sabbath School  
 10:45 a.m. Worship Service – Christopher May  
 12:30 p.m. Fellowship Meal  
 7:43 p.m. Sunset

**Sunday** **March 15, 2020**  
 6:00 p.m. Healthy Taste Cooking

**Monday** **March 16, 2020**  
 6:00 p.m. GriefShare Seminar

**Wednesday** **March 18, 2020**  
 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Last-day Event Study

**Thursday** **March 19, 2020**  
 First Day of Spring

**Friday** **March 20, 2020**  
 7:48 p.m. Sunset

**Sabbath** **March 21, 2020**  
 9:30 a.m. Sabbath School  
 10:45 a.m. Worship Service – Pastor Rodrick London  
 7:49 p.m. Sunset

**Bulletin Announcements:** Please submit to the church office by email, if possible. Deadline is Tuesday.

**Bulletin Flyers/Inserts:** If you are planning on submitting a flyer/insert to be printed by the church secretary and included in the bulletin or as a handout, please call the church secretary at least one week in advance.