Church at Study

Sabbath School Vision is

"Continuously Commune with the Master Teacher and Learn to Magnify What Jesus Taught."

Sabbath School Lesson

"The Seven Trumpets"

Adult Sabbath School Classes

- Pastor Rice in sanctuary
- Frank Collins in youth pastor's office
- Mitch Greenbaum in library
- Amazing Grace/ Young Adults downstairs
- Candy Byrd—room in back of organ
- Don Draper in class at end of hall

Children's Sabbath School Classes

- Beginners: birth-3 years old
- Kindergarten: 4–6 years old
- Primary: 7–9 years old (grades 2–4)
- Junior: 10-11 years old (grade 5,6)
- Earliteen: 12–13 years old (grade 7–8)
- Youth: grades 9–12

Prelude - 10:30 Jermaine Cain Prayer and Welcome (10:40 a.m.) Mission Spotlight

Prayer Requests:

Evelyn Byrd, Virginia Harless, Paul Hillebert, Scott Kepner, Esther Ojala, Shirley Reading, Carolyn Sine, Joyce Strang, Dick & Ruth Yates

Health Nugget

"Replacing refined grains with whole grains by even one serving a day [e.g. one slice of whole wheat bread] may have significant benefits in reducing the risk of ischemic stroke."

Simin Liu, M.D., Sept. 27 2000 Journal of the American Medical Association February 16, 2019

Church at Worship - 10:45 a.m.

Song Service Abby Bain and Adam Wagner

Church Life and Ministry

Mark Thomas

Introduction of Baptismal Candidate Video

Call to Worship "Praise Him! Praise Him!" #249

Invocation Pastor Roger Larsen

Children's Message and Lamb's Offering Pastor Ryan Comeau

BAPTISM Nathaniel Choi

Worship in Giving Local Church Budget Mark Thomas

Offertory Constanza Vallejos

Garden of Prayer Doug Sayles

Special Music "My Tribute" Church Choir

Scripture Reading Song of Solomon 8:6 Debbie Briggs

Sermon "Love Is As Strong As..." Pastor Roger Larsen

Closing Hymn "I've Found a Friend" #186

Benediction Pastor Roger Larsen

Organ Postlude Jermaine Cain

Organist – Jermaine Cain/ Pianist—Denali Larsen Elder – D. Sayles/ Deacon—B. McGhee/ Deaconess - N. Dixon Greeters—Noah Godsey, Marilia Leite, Ethan Nield, Nordia Dixon "Set me as a **SEA** upon thine heart,...

for love is

strong as death."

Song of Solomon 8:6



Hagerstown

Welcome to Worship

We are delighted that you are with us. We hope that you will find here the joy of the Lord, the power of the Lord and the love of the Lord. Our guests are invited to stay for a luncheon following the service. To those seeking a church home, we invite you to join us.

Upcoming Events

- **PRAYER MINISTRY**—come join us every Sabbath at 9:10 a.m. We will be meeting in the last room at the end of the hall, next to the women's restroom, for a special time of prayer.
- **FELLOWSHIP DINNER** we invite you to stay following the service for our fellowship dinner, and to honor Nathaniel on his baptism.
- **SABBATH SUNDOWN SERENADE** today at 5 p.m. Come and enjoy classical guitar presentations at their finest by **Rodrigo Paiva**. The Brazilian flavor he adds to our beloved, old hymns gives them a freshness a vibrance, and quite possibly an even deeper meaning to your heart.
- **MEN'S BREAKFAST** tomorrow at 9 a.m. the men in our church will be meeting in the fellowship hall. Bring a friend with you and also some breakfast food.
- **PRAYER MEETING**—will continue this Wednesday at 7 p.m. Everyone is encouraged to come join us as we finish our study on the book of Matthew.

Service Opportunities

FOOD DRIVE—there is a food basket located in the foyer for nonperishable food donations to benefit the ACTS 9 Center. Please remember to give for this ministry.

Prayer and Praise

PRAYER REQUESTS—may be placed in the prayer box in the foyer. These requests will be prayed for by the church staff.

Other Announcements

- **NEW FLOWER CALENDAR** please select a date on the new flower calendar posted on the bulletin board for 2019, for a special occasion, or just to honor your Lord. Mark your tithe envelope flowers (\$35).
- **ALTAR FLOWERS** the flowers today are given in honor of **Nathaniel Choi**'s baptism.

- GUEST PASTOR Our guest pastor today is Pastor John H. Choi, grandfather of Nathaniel. Pastor Choi is retired from the Pennsylvania Conference and now living in California. He will be baptizing Nathaniel today.
- **HVA WEEK OF PRAYER** the week of Feb. 25-March 2 The Great Lakes Adventist Academy Aerokhanas Gymnastics Team will be the guest speaker for Week of Prayer at Highland View Academy. At the end of the week on March 2 the gymnastic team will perform in the HVA gym at 8 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend. If you have any questions, contact Matt Price at (616) 402-7145.
- SAVE THE DATE FamilyLife The Art of Marriage Event coming March 2nd and 3rd. This video event features over 40 ministry leaders who provide biblically-centered teaching, while couples w h o have struggled in marriage share their stories of pain, loss, forgiveness, and grace. See insert on how to register. Have you signed up yet?
- **SABBATH SUNDOWN SERENADE** on March 9, at 5:30 p.m. Soprano artist, Barbara McLaughlin, has chosen to focus her concert on 'Songs for our Journey Home'; including those that will help give comfort and strength as we walk toward heaven. To add variety and interest to her program she plans to include congregational involvement, as well as vocal and instrumental solos.
- **HARP ENSEMBLE** March 9, at 5 p.m. at Frederick SDA Church. Welcome to the Easter Season featuring the Washington DC Harp Ensemble, under the direction of Dr. James Bingham. This concert will be followed by our 5th International Food Festival at 6:30 in the gym.

Weekly Calendar—Weeks of Feb. 16 - 22

This Week

Today 9:10 a.m. Prayer Time

Fellowship Dinner

5 p.m. Sabbath Sundown Serenade

5:46 p.m. Sunset

Sunday 9 a.m. Men's Breakfast

Monday PRESIDENTS DAY

Tuesday 10—2 p.m. ACTS 9

Wednesday 7 p.m. Prayer Meeting

Thursday 10-2 p.m. ACTS 9 Friday 5:54 p.m. Sunset

7 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Looking Ahead:

Next Sabbath 9:30 a.m. Sabbath School

10:45 a.m. Pastor Roger Larsen

March 2,3 The Art of Marriage

March 9 Sabbath Sundown Serenade