# Church in Study and Action

# Meeting God

# Announcements

A warm welcome to everyone here today. We hope you receive a special Sabbath blessing and invite you to come and worship with us often.

Sabbath School 9:30 AM

SONG SERVICE CHURCH IN ACTION Leslie Olin Bob Kroupa ACS Update

Lesson Study 9:50 AM

ALL YOUTH CLASSES MEET IN THE SABBATH SCHOOL WING dismissal at 10:45 a.m.

ADULT LESSON STUDY TEACHERS AND LOCATIONS

Mark WilcoxSanctuary RightHelen AnderssonSanctuary LeftDeLois WeekesClassroom/Youth Wing

CLOSING REMARKS & PRAYER

Brian Clark

## Meditation

"Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. Put on the full armor of God, so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes."

Ephesians 6:10,11

PRAYER THOUGHT: How do you put on the full armor of God? It isn't as difficult as you might think. All the pieces of the armor are found in a relationship with Jesus. Paul said it like this: "Put on the Lord Jesus Christ" (Romans 13:14). When you give yourself to Jesus and "put on" His righteousness, you are clothed in the whole armor of God. Do you sometimes feel weak? Do you find yourself giving in to temptation when you really want to overcome? Are you ever discouraged? We all face these moments. But clothed in the full armor of God, the weakest of His children is more than a match for Satan. In Jesus, clothed in God's invincible armor, you will "be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might." You will "be able to stand against the wiles of the devil".

## Our Mission

"Daily demonstrate the love of Jesus, searching for those who don't know Him, that we may lead them to heaven."

10:50 AM ... April 28, 2018

PRELUDE Nancy Cowin

SONG SERVICE Leslie Olin

WELCOME Pastor Ken Olin

BAPTISMAL VOWS Matthew and Michaela Lawrence

INTROIT Congregation

Praise God, From Whom All Blessings ... 694 Congregation remains standing until after hymn

INVOCATION Jason Matthews

HYMN OF PRAISE Congregation

Redeemed! ... 338

SCRIPTURE Jason Matthews

Revelation 12:17

PRAYER Pastor Ken Olin

While kneeling, congregation sings... Before prayer: *The Lord Is in His Holy Temple ...* 692 After prayer: *Hear Our Prayer, O Lord ...* 684

BAPTISM Matthew and Michaela Lawrence

CHILDREN'S STORY Darlene Moore

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS Jason Matthews
Combined Youth Ministries

All unmarked gifts are allocated to WC's local budget

OFFERTORY Nancy Cowin

PRAISE IN MUSIC Brian Toay

CALL TO SERVE Matthew and Michaela Lawrence

PREACHING HIS WORD Thomas R. Knoll, Sr. "Heirlooms, Keepsakes, and Family Traditions"

HYMN OF DEDICATION Congregation

Cover With His Life ... 412

BENEDICTION Thomas R. Knoll, Sr.

POSTLUDE Nancy Cowin

Guest Speaker: We welcome Attorney Thomas R. Knoll, Sr. to our pulpit today. He and his wife, Merry, are the grandparents of Matthew and Michaela Lawrence who are being baptized today. Thomas is an ordained minister, but for the last 33 years he has practiced law by representing our church and its members especially in the area of Religious Liberty litigation.

The flower arrangement has been given to the church in honor of today's baptisms. May we all be daily washed white as snow because of Jesus' sacrifice for us.

West County's 6th Annual Health Expo is TOMORROW noon to 3:00. This is an exciting community event with health demonstrations, free healthy food samples, a chair massage, fun activities for kids and free glucose/cholesterol testing. Join us for an afternoon filled with fun and health education!

Church Work Bee — June 3, 8:00-noon — interior focus on closets. We will be engaging in a very swift purging session. Closets will be emptied and items categorized by ministries. Many items will be discarded. If you are a ministry leader and want to claim materials discarded by other ministries, please come. You can swap till you drop! Seriously, all hands are needed. There might be painting in the fellowship hall and in the Sabbath School hallway also.

**Melaney Klinedinst** graduates from 8th grade in Maryland on May 24. Her parents are organizing a surprise card shower for her. If you would like to send a card/package please mail to PO Box 850, Columbia, MD 21044 by May 18. Thank you and God bless!

The Ringers of Hope Bell Choir from Ouachita Hills Academy in Amity, AR, will be presenting a special Bell Choir Concert on Sabbath, May 5th at 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Through sacred music and personal testimony, the choir seeks to uplift Jesus Christ as our only hope of salvation and inspire hope in His soon return. Bring the whole family to enjoy the unique sights and sounds of English Hand bells. INFO: Yunhee Cruse 314-409-8531.

Mark your calendars! VBS is May 29-June 1. INFO: Shelly Matthews

**Our first "Picnic in the Park"** is May 19<sup>th</sup>! Make plans now to attend the church picnic at Purina Farms in Gray Summit, MO. More information is available at the greeters table.

**The Korean Church** group is now worshipping at our church in the school library and joining us for fellowship lunch. Please extend them a warm welcome!

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#### **TODAY**

- 8:30 a.m. Ministry Council
- **Prayer Bands** meet in the sanctuary following the worship service.
- **Fellowship lunch today.** Everyone is welcome! Hosts: Clark, Matthews, Pattichot, Weible, Kleven. 5/5: Andersson, Cowin, Lawrence, Plumery, Stoltzfus.

#### THIS WEEK

SUN APR 29 ... Health Expo Noon-3 p.m. SUNDAYS ... Pathfinders Club meets. Contact Jason Matthews to confirm schedule and meeting time. 314.422.9402 or email: jmatt311@sbcglobal.net

WED MAY 2 ... Mid-Week Meeting "Face to Face with Jesus" 7 pm

#### **UPCOMING EVENT**

#### MAY

- 5 Ringers of Hope Bell Choir from Ouachita Hills Academy
- 8 "Bags of Love" Ministry Workshop 7 p.m.
- **12** Communion Service
- 12 Mid-America School of Evangelism classes. 3 pm
- 19 Picnic in the Park at Purina Farms, Grav Summit MO
- 26 Sabbath School Council meets at 8:30 a.m.
- 29-June 1 Vacation Bible School

## **JUNE**

3 Church Work Bee 9-12 Breakfast at 8 a.m.

PRAYER REQUESTS: Praying for God to richly bless the upcoming Health Expo. Please pray for Charito who has been in the hospital and for Brad Cruse's father who is recovering from a fall. We continue to pray for God's special care and healing for George A., Nancy B, Mary M., Tony P., Paul R. and Dawn S.

-to submit a prayer request please contact Dana Clark at clark.dana118@gmail.com.

#### **CHURCH BUDGET REPORT**

Local Church Budget	MAR	YTD
Budgeted:	\$12,000	\$36,000
Received:	\$11,557	\$26,541
Spent:	\$22,759	\$39,519

March Tithe: \$27,730 YTD Tithe: \$63,754 March Non-Local Offerings: \$2,188 YTD Non-Local Offerings: \$5,101

	REMINDERS	_
TODAY		NEXT WEEK
7:48 p.m.	SUNSET	7:55 P.M.
Jason Matthews	ELDER	Brian Clark
Anthony Mitan	DEACONS	Brad Cruse
Collin Weible		Jay Lawrence
Paul Moore		Anthony Mitan
James Plumery		Collin Weible
Crystal and Luke	GREETERS	Heather and Micah
Stoltzfus		Johnson
Nancy Cowin	ORGAN/PIANO	OHA Students
Leslie Olin	CHORISTER	OHA Students
Daryl White	MEDIA TEAM	Jav Lawrence

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#### Westwood Adventist Jr. Academy

Grades pre-K-8

Web Site: www.westwoodjracademy.org

#### **Adventist Community Service Center**

Open Mon-Thur 10 a.m.-4 p.m. 3221 Woodson Road, St. Louis, MO 314-429-0216 INFO: Ron & Teresa Clark Website: www.stladventist.org

#### Bulletin INFO Needed by Wednesday Noon

E-MAIL: nicowin@aol.com

# Worship Service April 28, 2018