# 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

ALL YOUTH CLASSES MEET IN THE SABBATH SCHOOL WING dismissal at 10:50 a.m.

COMBINED ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL CLASSES TODAY IN THE SANCTUARY.

CLOSING REMARKS & PRAYER Brian Clark

## Meditation

"Beloved, I pray that you may prosper in all things and be in health, just as your soul prospers." 3 John 1:2

**PRAYER THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:** "Prayer is the opening of the heart to God as to a friend. Not that it is necessary in order to make known to God what we are, but in order to enable us to receive Him. Prayer does not bring God down to us, but brings us up to Him." *Steps to Christ*, p. 93

### Our Mission

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

10:50 AM ... July 1, 2017

PRELUDE Processional on "Eternal Father, Strong to Save" by Charles Callahan

SONG SERVICE Barbie Whalen

WELCOME Carlos Schwantes

INTROIT Congregation

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

INVOCATION Carlos Schwantes

HYMN OF PRAISE Congregation

Once to Every Man and Nation ... 606

SCRIPTURE Carlos Schwantes

Romans 13:1-3

PRAYER Carlos Schwantes

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

CHILDREN'S STORY

Simple Gifts, Charles Callahan

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS Carlos Schwantes

Local Church Budget

All unmarked gifts are allocated to WC's local budget

OFFERTORY Improvisation on "O Beautiful, for Spacious Skies"

PRAISE IN MUSIC Yunhee Cruse and Jeanette Cowin

PREACHING HIS WORD Carlos Schwantes

"May God Bless America and Canada, Two Children of Mother Britian"

HYMN OF DEDICATION Congregation

O Beautiful, for Spacious Skies

BENEDICTION Carlos Schwantes

POSTLUDE Fanfare for the Common Man
Aaron Copeland

**STEPS TO CHRIST PROJECT** - West County Church is joining in an exciting purchase of *Steps to Christ* with a local cover design depicting the St. Louis Arch. There is also a custom message on the back cover with a local area wide website. To reach our goal of 2,500 books we need 13 sponsors of \$64.00 each which will buy 200 books per sponsor. The *Steps to Christ* will be a wonderful sharing book. Please mark tithe envelopes "West County Literature", so overages may go towards additional sharing materials. *-Thank you, West County Personal Ministries* 

Picnic in the Park: July 8, 2017 at Beirne Park in Creve Coeur. Picnics are potluck style; please bring at least 2 dishes. Paper goods will be supplied. Each park has a covered pavilion so picnics will take place rain or shine.

Westwood School Constituency Meeting is scheduled for Sunday, July 16, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. INFO: Collin Weible

#### St. Louis Evangelism Summit: August 25-27, 2017

To prepare for this weekend, the pastors are encouraging each member in St. Louis to ask God to show you one person you can be building a relationship with and look for ways to be a witness to them. Whether that means giving them Bible studies, or babysitting their kids, inviting them over for a meal, or having a cookout together. Then invite them to this special weekend with Mark and Teenie Finley. The pastors are challenging every person to bring a friend!

**Church work bee:** Sunday, July 9, 2017, 7:00 a.m. There's lots to be done around the outside of the church. Please bring summertime tools. INFO: Collin Weible

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#### **TODAY**

- **Prayer Bands** meet in the sanctuary following the worship service.
- **Fellowship lunch today.** Everyone is welcome! Hosts: Cruse, Mhishi, Moore, Weible, 7/8: PICNIC IN THE PARK.

#### THIS WEEK

WED JUL 5 ... Small Group Seminar Thunder in the Holy Land. 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Meets at the church in the Adult Sabbath School classroom in the Youth wing. Group facilitators: Abraham and DeLois Weekes.

WED JUL 5 ... Mid-Week Meeting Series: A new study series is beginning: "From Damascus to Rome" covering the incredible life journey of Paul from his conversion, labors, sufferings, instruction and practical lessons for today.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### **JULY**

- 8 Picnic in the Park
- **9** Church Work Bee 7 a.m.
- **16** Westwood School Constituency Meeting 9 a.m.

#### **AUGUST**

- **6** Dinner with the Doctor
- 25-26 Evangelism Summit: A Weekend with Pastor Mark Finley.

PRAYER REOUESTS: Please pray for our young people; for God to lead and bless us as we work to be a light in our community. Please pray for health concerns for Dawn and others with health issues.

#### CHURCH BUDGET REPORT

Local Church Budget June YTD Budget Goal: \$72,000 Received: \$61,589 Over/(Under): \$(10,411)

June Tithe: \$15,767 YTD Tithe: \$111,046

May Non-Local Offerings: \$1,083 YTD Non-Local Offerings: \$7,098 New Exterior Sign Balance: \$3,573 Sanctuary Renewal Balance: \$5,642

REMINDERS		
TODAY		NEXT WEEK
8:30 p.m.	SUNSET	8:28 p.m.
Carlos Schwantes	ELDER ON DUTY	Brian Clark
Brad Cruse	DEACONS	Daryl White
Jay Lawrence		Brad Cruse
Anthony Mitan		Paul Moore
Collin Weible		Jay Lawrence
Heather and Micah	GREETERS	Linda and Gary
Johnson		Kleven
George Andersson	ORGAN/PIANO	Nancy Cowin
Barbie Whalen	CHORISTER	Yunhee Cruse
Micah Wilcox	MEDIA TEAM	Jay and Matthew
		Lawrence

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#### **Pathfinders Club**

Membership inquiries: contact Jason Matthews at 314.422.9402-jmatt311@sbcglobal.net.

#### Westwood Adventist Jr. Academy

Grades pre-K-8

Web Site: www.westwood22.adventistschoolconnect.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

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Worship Service
July 1, 2017