

Church in Study and Action

*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
James Plumery
First Quarter ACS Update

Lesson Study 9:50 AM

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

ADULT LESSON STUDY TEACHERS & LOCATIONS
Brian Clark Sanctuary Right
Helen Andersson Sanctuary Left
DeLois Weekes Classroom/Youth Wing

Closing Remarks & Prayer
Brian Clark

Meditation

**“And I will pray the Father,
and He will give you another Helper,
that He may abide with you forever.”
John 14:16**

Prayer Thought for the Week: “At all times and in all
places, in all sorrows and in all afflictions, when the outlook
seems dark and the future perplexing, and we feel helpless
and alone, the Comforter will be sent in answer to the prayer
of faith.”
Desire of Ages, p. 669, E.G. White

Our Mission

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

Meeting God

10:50 AM ... January 28, 2017

PRELUDE	<i>Soliloquy</i> David Conte
SONG SERVICE	Annette Pattichot
WELCOME	Pastor Ken Olin
INTROIT	Congregation <i>Praise God, From Whom All Blessings ...</i> 694 Congregation remains standing until after hymn
INVOCATION	Abraham Weekes
HYMN OF PRAISE	Congregation <i>Once to Every Man and Nation ...</i> 606
SCRIPTURE	Abraham Weekes Matthew 28:18-20
PRAYER	Pastor Ken Olin While kneeling, congregation sings... Before prayer: <i>The Lord Is in His Holy Temple ...</i> 692 After prayer: <i>Hear Our Prayer, O Lord ...</i> 684
CHILDREN’S STORY	Robie Davis
PRESENTATION OF GIFTS	Abraham Weekes Religious Liberty All unmarked gifts are allocated to WC’s local budget
OFFERTORY	<i>St. Catherine</i> Henri Hemy, setting by Charles Callahan
PRAISE IN MUSIC	Westwood School Students
PREACHING HIS WORD	Pastor Elton DeMoraes "Good News to the Other Side"
HYMN OF DEDICATION	Congregation <i>I Love to Tell the Story ...</i> 457
BENEDICTION	Pastor Elton DeMoraes
POSTLUDE	<i>Trumpet Tune</i> Henry Purcell, edited by E. Power Biggs <i>Please stay seated for the Gendke Vow Renewal Ceremony</i>

Announcements

Let’s welcome our guest speaker today—Pastor Elton DeMoraes. He is the Executive Secretary for the Texas Conference. Born in São Paulo, Brazil and growing up in Brazil, Elton began working as a Whirlpool apprentice technician at the age of 13. At 15-years-old he was already a Whirlpool master technician. Elton felt a strong call to ministry and left his career in pursuit of God’s will. The skills he acquired, however, helped him pay for his college education. He completed a bachelor’s degree in Theology at Universidade Adventista de São Paulo in 1997. His first pastoral appointment in the United States was in Texas. Fluent in Portuguese, Spanish and English, Elton has pastored multilingual congregations in Houston and East Texas. In 2010 he joined the Texas Conference headquarters as Director for Church Planting and Stewardship. In May of 2011 he became the Evangelism, Church Planting and Ministerial Director.

February 4—“What is Holding Back the Loud Cry of the Third Angel’s Message?” Pastor Robb Long will be giving a special one day series of presentations, including the Sabbath sermon and two afternoon messages beginning at 2:00 pm. Arrange your schedule and plan to attend each important part of this compelling series!

Investment Challenge: Dreams are the seeds of great achievements. The success of your Investment project depends on the goal you set right now. Plant a dream! Reap a miracle! Our Sabbath School Investment goal for this year: \$3,510. You will be able to track our progress by watching the Thermometer by the door in the Foyer.

First Reading: John and Nikki Yankee transferring from St. Louis West County SDA Church to Whipple Creek SDA Church in Ridgefield, WA.

Year-end tax receipts have been mailed. If you have not received yours, please contact the treasurer.

Community Services and Urban Ministry Certification coming to St. Louis February 18-21. Training to learn how to help increase your church’s ministry impact in the community and increase the effectiveness of local evangelism. This conference will improve your ability to create sustainable community impact; help you create strategic plans, engage volunteers and human resources; support financial accountability, fundraising and grant writing; use social media to represent the Adventist Church and many other topics. Guest presenters: **Dr. Sung Kwon**, NAD Executive Director, Adventist Community Services and **Michael Brown**, NAD Associate Director, Philanthropic Service For Institutions.

Calendar

TODAY

- **Ministry Council**
- **Prayer Bands** meet in the sanctuary following the worship service.
- **Fellowship Lunch** following worship service. All are welcome! **Today's Hosts:** Barton, Weible, Cruse, Moore. **2/4:** Clark, Sackmann, Weible, Pattichot, Kroupa.
- **SEEDS Conference continues** this afternoon at Central SDA Church.

THIS WEEK

WED FEB 1 ... Mid-Week Meeting Series: Study covering the last fourteen abridged chapters from *The Great Controversy*. 7 pm

THUR FEB 2 ... Pathfinders Club 6-8 pm

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

FEBRUARY

- 6** Ladies Craft Night 7 pm
- 11** Communion Sabbath
- 11** Lay Ministry Training for all area churches to take place at West County. 2-6 pm INFO: Pastor Ken Olin
- 18-21** Community Services and Urban Ministry Certification at St. Louis Central SDA Church.

MARCH

- 6** Ladies Craft Night 7 pm

PRAYER REQUESTS: Please pray for Jack Williams, Todd and Jennifer's son. He is struggling with juvenile rheumatoid arthritis. Please ask God's help for Jack's pain as well as the family's adjustment to the diagnosis and wisdom for the doctors involved in Jack's care. 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	December	YTD
Budget Goal:	\$ 13,500	\$162,000
Received:	<u>\$ 12,032</u>	<u>\$166,091</u>
Over/(Under):	\$(1,468)	\$ 4,091

December Tithe: \$25,283 YTD Tithe: \$260,607
 December Non-Local Offerings: \$1,525 YTD Non-Local Offerings: \$11,025
 Commonly Donated Fund Balances:
 Sanctuary Lighting fund balance: \$3,302. Goal: \$2,500
 New Exterior Sign fund balance: \$1,326. Cost TBD.
 Health Expo: \$799

REMINDERS

TODAY	SUNSET	NEXT WEEK
5:16 p.m.	ELDER ON DUTY	5:24 p.m.
Abraham Weekes	DEACONS	George Andersson
Ken and Leslie Olin	GREETERS	Lauren and Phillip Thompson
George Andersson	ORGAN/PIANO	Nancy Cowin
Annette Pattichot	CHORISTER	
	MEDIA TEAM	

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Bulletin INFO Needed by Wednesday Noon

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Worship Service

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