

## 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.*

### Children's Sabbath School 9:30 AM

meet in Youth Wing

SONG SERVICE AND MISSION STORY ... 9:30 AM  
LESSON STUDY ... 9:50-10:45 AM

### Adult Sabbath School 9:30 AM

meet in Sanctuary

SONG SERVICE  
CHURCH IN ACTION Marilyn Brines  
Investment

### Lesson Study 9:50 AM

TEACHERS AND LOCATIONS  
Mark Wilcox Sanctuary Right  
Luke Stoltzfus Sanctuary Left  
DeLois Weekes Classroom/Youth Wing

CLOSING REMARKS & PRAYER Brian Clark

### Meditation

**“The humble shall see this, and be glad:  
and your heart shall live that seek God.”  
Psalm 69:32**

**PRAYER THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:** “It is your privilege to be glad in the Lord, and to rejoice in the knowledge of His sustaining grace. Let His love take possession of mind and heart. Guard against becoming over wearied, careworn, depressed. Bear an uplifting testimony. Turn your eyes away from that which is dark and discouraging, and behold Jesus, our great Leader, under whose watchful supervision the cause of present truth, to which we are giving our lives and our all, is destined to triumph gloriously. . . . “

*Our Father Cares*, pp. 324

### 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 ... November 17, 2018

PRELUDE *The Agincourt Hymn*  
Arr. David N. Johnson

SONG SERVICE Charito Pattichot

WELCOME Abraham Weekes

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

INVOCATION Abraham Weekes

HYMN OF PRAISE Congregation  
*Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing ... 334*

SCRIPTURE Abraham Weekes  
2 Corinthians 9:11,12

PRAYER Abraham Weekes  
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 Micah Johnson

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS Abraham Weekes  
Local Church Budget  
All unmarked gifts are allocated to WC's local budget

OFFERTORY *Now Thank We All Our God*  
Johann Cruger/Arr. Frederick Swann

PRAISE IN MUSIC

PREACHING HIS WORD Brian Clark  
“Thankfulness”

HYMN OF DEDICATION Congregation  
*God Will Take Care of You ... 99*

BENEDICTION Brian Clark

POSTLUDE *Finale from Concerto No. 5*  
G. F. Handel

## Announcements

**Annual Christmas Brunch December 2:** Please sign up at the greeters table for this potluck church social planned for Sunday, Dec. 2 at Whispering Hills Club House, 12545 Markaire Drive, 9:30 a.m. INFO: Dana Clark.

**Ministry Training:** at West County Church, Sabbath, Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>, 3 pm. Sponsored by the Mid-America School of Evangelism, these training sessions are planned four times a year to train lay members for various ministries. See flyer on greeters table for more information and to sign up for the class of your choice. INFO: Pastor Ken.

**Do you want to help those affected by the California wildfires?** For those affected in northern CA you can: 1. Donate online at [www.nccsda.com](http://www.nccsda.com). 2. Text NCCSDA to 77977 to give. 3. Mark “NCC Disaster Relief” on your tithe envelope. 4. Continue to pray. **For relief in southern CA:** 1. Donate online at [scc.adventist.org](http://scc.adventist.org). 2. Enter code 78101 on your tithe envelope to give to the SCC Disaster Response.

**Special Offering:** December 8<sup>th</sup> for the North American Division--Adventist Community Services. There are flyers in the foyer with additional information as well as their budget goals.

**Investment Message:** What dangers do we face when we hoard? Matt. 6:19, 20; Luke 12:16-21. God takes whatever we give to Him, multiplies it, and gives it completely new dimensions that we never would have dreamed of. Hannah learned that the greatest treasures are only secure when given to God. That which we hoard for ourselves here can, in an instant, be gone. Hannah knew who she was in God's eyes. This sense of her own worth gave her the freedom to give. We must remember that everything we have, all that we are, and all that we own, is only because of God's grace and goodness to us. That thought should help us be more willing to give back to the Lord rather than hoard for ourselves. Hoarding tell us a lot about ourselves, our character, and our lack of trust in God. Investment says we trust God to keep His promises.

**Online Giving:** Did you know that there is an app for contributing to your church? If you go to the app store on your smart phone, you can find and download “Adventist Giving” for free. This is just another way your tithes and offerings can be given if you find the traditional envelope method less convenient

# Calendar

- **Prayer Bands** meet in the sanctuary following the worship service.
- **Fellowship lunch today.** Everyone is welcome!  
**Hosts:** C. Weible, Kleven, Matthews. **11/24:** Toay, Cruse, L. Weible.

## THIS WEEK

**Pathfinder Club ...** Contact Jason Matthews to confirm schedule and meeting time 314.422.9402 or email: [jmatt311@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jmatt311@sbcglobal.net)

**MON NOV 19 ... Church Board Meeting 7 p.m.**

**WED NOV 21 ... No Mid-Week Meeting**

**THU NOV 22 ... Thanksgiving Day**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### DECEMBER

**2** Annual Christmas Brunch 9:30 a.m.

**8** Mid-America School of Evangelism Training 3-6:30 p.m.

**15** Christmas Choir Concert

## CHURCH BUDGET REPORT

Local Church Budget	OCT	YTD
Giving Target:	\$10,700	\$116,100
Received:	\$ 8,662	\$ 91,249
Spent:	\$ 9,234	\$102,627
CONFERENCE FUNDS		
Oct. Tithe: \$14,722	YTD: \$179,983	
Oct. Other: \$ 1,163	YTD: \$16,180	
Current Mortgage balance \$211,475		
CURRENT PROJECTS	RECEIVED	GOAL
Parking Lot	\$3,242	bids in process
A/V upgrade	\$3,842	\$20,250
Church signage	\$ 470	\$ 5,250
Funds for Health Expo: \$(-574) and Local Church evangelism: (-400).		

## REMINDERS

TODAY		NEXT WEEK
4:48 p.m.		4:43 p.m.
Abraham Weekes	<b>SUNSET</b>	Brian Clark
Mary and Carlos	<b>ELDER</b>	Sugar Rosales and
Schwantes	<b>GREETERS</b>	Jeremy Tipett
Chris White	<b>ORGAN/PIANO</b>	George Andersson
Charito Pattichot	<b>CHORISTER</b>	Leslie Olin
James Plumery	<b>MEDIA TEAM</b>	Jay Lawrence

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## Westwood Adventist Jr. Academy

Grades pre-K-8

Web Site: [www.westwoodjracademy.org](http://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](http://www.stladventist.org)

## Bulletin INFO Needed by Wednesday Noon

E-MAIL: [cowin.nancy@gmail.com](mailto:cowin.nancy@gmail.com)

Worship Service

November 17, 2018

**PRAYER REQUESTS:** Please pray for God's special care and healing for Dr. Ron Burt, Paul R., Dawn S and Vicki M. -to submit a prayer request please contact Dana Clark at [clark.dana118@gmail.com](mailto:clark.dana118@gmail.com).