

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 Brian Toay
CHURCH IN ACTION Brian Clark
Ministry Council Year-end Report

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 eyes of the Lord are upon the righteous,
and his ears are open unto their cry.”
Psalm 34:15**

PRAYER THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: “God has a tender care for His people. His ear is open unto their cry. I have no fears for God’s cause. He will take care of His own cause. Our duty is to fill our lot and place, live...humble at the foot of the cross, and live faithful, holy lives before Him. While we do this we shall not be ashamed, but our souls will confide in God with holy boldness.” *Our Father Cares*, p. 313

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 ... December 1, 2018

PRELUDE	<i>O Come, O Come, Emmanuel</i> Arr. R. Smallwood
SONG SERVICE	Annette Pattichot
WELCOME	George Andersson
INTROIT	Congregation <i>Praise God, From Whom All Blessings ... 694</i> Congregation remains standing until after hymn
INVOCATION	George Andersson
HYMN OF PRAISE	Congregation <i>For the Beauty of the Earth ... 565</i>
SCRIPTURE	George Andersson 1 Corinthians 12:13
PRAYER	George Andersson While kneeling, congregation sings... Before prayer: <i>The Lord Is in His Holy Temple ... 692</i> After prayer: <i>Hear Our Prayer, O Lord ... 684</i>
CHILDREN'S STORY	Carlos Schwantes
PRESENTATION OF GIFTS	George Andersson Local Church Budget All unmarked gifts are allocated to WC's local budget
OFFERTORY	<i>Rejoice Ye Pure in Heart</i> A. E. Messiter
PRAISE IN MUSIC	Delsin and Ivan Menolascino
PREACHING HIS WORD	Carlos Schwantes “We are Family”
HYMN OF DEDICATION	Congregation <i>In Christ There Is No East nor West ... 587</i>
BENEDICTION	Carlos Schwantes
POSTLUDE	<i>O Holy Night</i> Arr. G. Smith

Announcements

Hillcrest Adventist School will be presenting **The Christmas Express** for one night only on December 20, 2018 at 7 p.m. at St. Louis Central SDA Church. There will be a Christmas cookie reception following in the fellowship hall. Everyone is invited to come and be a part of this special event!

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.

Investment Message: Hosea 13:6 sums up the risk of investing in self: “Being satisfied, their heart became proud; therefore, they forgot Me.” When we become prosperous, we become proud. Then we forget God. Frankly, for most people persecution is easier to endure than prosperity. In other words, there is a clear connection between our attitude toward money and our spiritual health. Where we invest our treasure reveals where we have set our trust and affections. That is why the Lord had so much to say about money. Be rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom which He promised to those who love Him. Do you want to take your spiritual temperature? Look at your checkbook. Where are you investing your treasure? That’s where your heart really is. God does not give you riches to hoard, but to use for His glory. True enjoyment of wealth comes not from possessing it, but from investing it as God intended—in things that count for eternity.

Ministry Training: at West County Church, Sabbath, Dec. 8th, 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.

Calendar

- **Prayer Bands** meet in the sanctuary following the worship service.
- **Fellowship lunch today.** Everyone is welcome!
Hosts: Clark, Moore, Thompson. **12/8:** Olin, Lawrence, Plumery/Barton.

THIS WEEK

Pathfinder Club ... Contact Jason Matthews to confirm schedule and meeting time 314.422.9402 or email: jmatt311@sbcglobal.net

SUN DEC 2 ... Annual Christmas Brunch 9:30 a.m.

WED DEC 5 ... Mid-Week Meeting 7 p.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS

DECEMBER

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

15 Christmas Choir Concert

20 "The Christmas Express" presented by Hillcrest School students. 7 p.m. at St. Louis Central SDA Church.

CHURCH BUDGET REPORT

Local Church Budget	NOV	YTD
Giving Target:	\$10,700	\$126,800
Received:	\$ 8,479	\$ 99,728
Spent:	\$ 7,399	\$110,026
CONFERENCE FUNDS		
Nov. Tithe: \$16,821	YTD: \$196,804	
Nov. Other: \$ 2,133	YTD: \$18,313	
Current Mortgage balance \$211,475		
CURRENT PROJECTS	RECEIVED	GOAL
Parking Lot	\$3,397	bids in process
A/V upgrade	\$4,242	\$20,250
Church signage	\$ 495	\$ 5,250
Funds for Health Expo: \$588 and Local Church evangelism: (-395).		

REMINDERS

TODAY		NEXT WEEK
4:40 p.m.		4:39 p.m.
George Andersson	SUNSET	Ron Clark
Mary and Carlos	ELDER	Lauren and Philip
Schwantes	GREETERS	Thompson
Chris White	ORGAN/PIANO	George Andersson
Annette Pattichot	CHORISTER	Yunhee Cruse
Daryl White	MEDIA TEAM	Jay 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: cowin.nancy@gmail.com

Worship Service

December 1, 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.