

# Welcome

Welcome to the little church with a big heart,  
It is a blessing to gather together on this Sabbath day.

## Sabbath School

Song Service 9:15am  
Sabbath School Superintendent Jim & Linda Breedlove

Class Study 9:45-10:45am

## Adult Sabbath School Classes

Sanctuary Tim Hart  
Classroom A (across from welcome desk) John & Virginia Holley – Experiencing God  
Classroom B (across from sanctuary) Chris Carey  
Classroom C (across from sanctuary) Glen Wintermeyer  
Classroom D (across from Men's room) Erling Odell  
Young Adult (upstairs) Dean Coulter  
Parent's Room (Parents with Small Children Room)  
Spanish Study (Downstairs - Last room on right) Ruben Rivera

## Church Needs

Project	Needed	Received
Monthly Church Budget for April	\$12,000.00	\$6,728.12
Carpet Fund		\$13,900.00

## Calendar of Events

Today – 6:30pm	Vespers
Sunday – 9:30am	Ultimate Frisbee
Monday – 7pm	Church Board Meeting
Tuesday – 10:30am	Prayer & Praise Group
Tuesday – 7pm	Choir Practice
Wednesday – 7pm	Prayer Meeting
Speaker Next Week	Pastor Jeff Brown



The celebration of the Sabbath ends tonight at 8:14 pm  
Then begins anew next Friday evening at 8:19 pm

# Apison Seventh-day Adventist Church



## Worship Service

Sabbath, April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2011

### Gathering for Worship

King's Business, Praise and Song Service

Eric Schoonard

### Worshipping Together

Welcome, Call to Worship

Hymn of Praise "Praise Him! Praise Him!"

Prayer of Invocation

Sharing the Scriptures Mark 10:26-27

Gifts of Worship Local Church Budget

Children's Corner

Dalton Athey

Hymn 249

Dalton Athey

Mark Eirich

Becky McCurdy

Mark Sargeant

### Proclaiming the Word

Invitation to Prayer "As We Come to You in Prayer"

Worship in Prayer

Worship through Music

Worship in the Word "The Toughest of the Ten"

Hymn 671

Jim McCurdy

Andrew Mashchak

Pastor Jeff Brown

### Dedicating our Lives

Hymn of Dedication "Open My Eyes That I May See"

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn of Response "We Have This Hope"

Hymn 326

Pastor Jeff Brown

Hymn 214



Nancy Patton, Pianist \* Jeanie Hair, Organist

## CLEANSE ME

Search me, O God, and know my heart today;  
Try me O Savior, know my thoughts, I pray.  
See if there be some wicked way in me;  
Cleanse me from every sin, and set me free.  
Lord, take my life, and make it wholly Thine;  
Fill my poor heart with Thy great love divine.  
Take all my will, my passion, self and pride;  
I now surrender, Lord in me abide.

## AS WE COME TO YOU IN PRAYER

Now Dear Lord as we pray  
Take our hearts and minds far away,  
From the press of the world all around,  
To Your throne where grace does abound,  
May our lives be transformed by Your love,  
May our souls be refreshed from above,  
At this moment, let people everywhere  
Join us now as we come to You in prayer.

Hymn 671; Seventh-day Adventist Hymnal CCLI License 2501721

## Here to Serve

Pastoral Team..... Jeff and Joy Brown ... Jeff 260-2074 Joy 834-5903  
Pastor's Email..... pastor@apisonchurch.org  
Head Elder.....Glen Wintermeyer..... 443-1039  
Head Deacon ..... Brian Wilson ..... 339-8006  
Head Deaconess.....Jeanie Hair..... 364-4902  
Treasurer ..... Joyce Estey ..... 339-1810  
Youth Ministries ..... Jonatan Liriano ..... 314-8192  
School Principal ..... Mark Sargeant..... 762-6900  
School Treasurer..... Mark Eirich ..... 774-3898  
Church Office..... 236-4214  
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Church Website ..... www.apisonchurch.org

# Apison Church News

We are glad that you have chosen to worship with our Apison church family today. We hope you experience the love of Christ as we fellowship together. We pray that through God's Word, through song, prayer, and our friendship that we can all grow closer to Jesus. If there is anything we can do for you please speak with our Resource Elder in the hall, or contact our pastor, Jeff Brown.

**Come join us for prayer meeting.** We're reading "True Revival" by Ellen White and will begin our study at the top of page 62 this Wednesday night at 7 pm at the church.

**April 16<sup>th</sup>**, Vespers at 6:30pm, Choir Cantata  
**Church Board Meeting:** Monday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm.

**Membership Transfers:** 1<sup>st</sup>, Reading  
Wesley Bradford from Port Hardy SDA Church, B.C., Canada  
Glerys Castro from La Victoria SDA Church, NJ  
Myron Jenkins from Collegedale SDA Church, TN  
Adiel Paulin from Spring Hill Spanish SDA Church, FL  
Mike & Darlene Rogers from Collegedale SDA Church, TN  
Greg & Karen Williams from Collegedale SDA Church, TN

**Wedding Tea Shelby Foster & Brian Hustad** (son of Tim & Catherine Hustad) will be married next month in Orlando. All are invited to a Wedding Tea in their honor here at the church on Sunday, April 17<sup>th</sup>, from 2-4pm.

**You may have noticed** that we have begun a project to add 45 more spaces to our parking lot. This has been needed for quite some time. Please make a contribution and mark it "Parking Lot Improvement" on the tithe envelope.

**Exercise Your Gift of Hospitality** – Volunteers are needed who are willing to help with our monthly Friday evening Welcome Dinner for new members. Food preparation, hosting, coordination, setup, etc., are some of the tasks that you can help with. Please contact Pastor Jeff or Glen Wintermeyer for further information.

**Pray for NET2011!** Apison church will be participating in the Prophecies Decoded satellite evangelistic series. Sign up to pray for this outreach at <http://www.pray4net2011.org>.

**Attention:** Mothers interested in praying for their children meet on the first Sabbath of each month. Our next meeting will be May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2011 after church. Bring a sack lunch and join us. If you have any questions, you may call June Paynter at 396-3999 or Nancy Patton at 236-4790.

**Women's Ministries** leaders, please plan to meet Monday April 18, at 6 pm for further planning of Women's Ministries. Please come prepared to plan for the next 6 months.  
Barbara McCasland

**The Women's Ministries** team would like to make everyone aware of a prayer partner program. We hope that if you would like to have a prayer partner that you would sign the sheet that is marked "Prayer Partner" which is on the bulletin board in the church lobby. We hope to have a good turnout - we are surely in need of prayer in these troubling times. Thanks, I do hope we have a good response.

**Apison Church Campout**, April 22-24: Be inspired by the beautiful mountain and lake views, abundant wildlife, and Benton Falls. Plan for a weekend of worship, fireside fellowship, hiking, singing, and enjoying God's creation at Chilhowee Campground in the Cherokee National Forest, Only an hour away Contact Chris Camper Carey for more information: [tophercarey@gmail.com](mailto:tophercarey@gmail.com).

**Our church needs an Adventurer Director!** Do you enjoy teaching and ministering to boys and girls in grades 1 through 4? If you are interested, please speak to any church board member for more information. You can also check out <http://www.adventurer-club.org>.

**Mission Trip to Honduras** Jonathan and Basil Cross are raising funds for a mission trip to Honduras through Maranatha to aid in building a church there. If you feel impressed to donate toward the trip you can make a check out to the Apison Seventh-day Adventist Church and write Honduran Mission Trip in the subject line. Thank You.

**Got News?** The church newsletter needs news about people and activities of the church. Please send items to Erling Odell at [delpix@juno.com](mailto:delpix@juno.com) or P. O. Box 1115, Collegedale, TN 37315 by April 18. Thanks.

**If you would like** to receive the weekly church bulletin as an email attachment, please email [apisonbulletin@gmail.com](mailto:apisonbulletin@gmail.com) and we will add you to the list!

**Other Area News:** See the bulletin board in the church lobby for more details!! Or find a copy of the Other Area News on the welcome desk!!

## Other Area News

**CREATION Health Meeting:** Discover the eight timeless principles for living life to the fullest through the CREATION Health meetings held at Southern Adventist University. The next meeting will cover trust and interpersonal relationships on Monday, April 18 at 7 p.m. on the third floor of the Hulsey Wellness Center. The cost is free and childcare is available for \$3 per child. For more information, call 423.236.2594.

**E. A. Anderson Lecture Series:** The School of Business and Management at Southern Adventist University will present the ninth lecture of the 40th Annual E. A. Anderson Lecture Series on Monday, April 18 at 8 p.m. Social hour will begin in the Hulsey Wellness Center, room 3135 at 7 p.m. The speaker is Don Self, consultant for CCS Fundraising in Chattanooga, Tenn. The cost is free. For more information, call 423.236.2753.

**Great Lakes Adventist Academy Music Department** will present "Carry the Light" Wednesday, April 20 at 7:30 pm in Ackerman Auditorium in Mabel Wood Hall at Southern Adventist University. Directors Marguerite Samuel and Byron Graves will conduct the academy's Bell Choir, Encore! Strings, Chamber Singers, and Wind Symphony in this outstanding presentation

**Tickets** for the SonRise Resurrection Pageant at the Collegedale Church have all been distributed. Tickets are required for ALL Pageants. There will NOT be an unticketed Pageant. University Drive in Collegedale will be closed on Saturday, April 23, between Fleming Plaza and A.W. Spalding Elementary School from 8:15 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. due to the SonRise Pageant. Traffic will be rerouted on Industrial Drive and College Drive East. Sorry for the inconvenience.

**The SonRise Resurrection Pageant** portrays Christ's last days with 500 costumed cast members, live animals, and dramatic sets. The one-mile walk-through event recreates six interactive scenes from the Bible. Started in 1996, attendance at this event ranges from 6,000 to 10,000 people annually. SonRise is a collaboration of Southern Adventist University and the Collegedale Church of Seventh-day Adventists. When: Saturday, April 23. Free tickets are required. Pageants begin every half hour from 8:30am to 1:30pm. (There will not be an unticketed pageant like previous years.) Contact: The SonRise ticket information line is 423.954.2220. News Media Contact: Ruthie Gray Cell: 423.505.8150

**Benefit Concert at Collegedale Community Church:** United We Worship is a benefit concert for Adventist Southeast Asia Projects ministries, featuring Jee Wong. His work as a solo pianist and collaborative artist has brought him across the United States and many countries abroad. He gained national attention when his multi-media soundtrack "Lotus" was presented at the Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. Special guests will include the Steffens Brothers. Come to the Collegedale Community Church on Saturday, April 23, at 7:00 pm to be blessed. Admission is free. A love offering will be received for God's work among the poor in Southeast Asia. For more information about ASAP visit [www.asapministries.org](http://www.asapministries.org)

**CREATION Health Meeting** - Discover the eight timeless principles for living life to the fullest through the CREATION Health meetings held at Southern Adventist University. The final meeting will cover outlook and nutrition on Monday, April 25 at 7 p.m. on the third floor of the Hulsey Wellness Center. The cost is free and childcare is available for \$3 per child. For more information, call 423.236.2594.

**Please** mention to your respective church families that all audio recordings from the "Moving to the Next Level . . . A Faith Adventure in Prayer" prayer conference are now available on our conference website! If you go to [www.gccsda.com](http://www.gccsda.com), bring down the "communications" menu and click on "audio" and you can find it there!

**Hamilton Community Church Breakfast:** Join us on April 30 as we host a free community breakfast. We will be having biscuits & gravy, scrambled eggs, potato rounds, sausage links (veggie and meat), and much more! Plan for a wonderful experience as we reach out to the community Pastor Dave Ketelsen will have a special message after the breakfast. Invite your co-workers, neighbors, and family to this event!

**Do you like golf?** Would you like to join a league with other Christians? If so, please e-mail [ChattanoogaGolf@yahoo.com](mailto:ChattanoogaGolf@yahoo.com) to get details about the league and information on how to join. I would appreciate it if you would let me know if you include this in your bulletin, and when it was included. That will help me understand how widely the word has spread, and get a better view of the general interest level. If you choose not to include it, no hard feelings! When people respond I will give them a general overview of how I expect the league to work. I'm picturing something like the following:  
Duration: Start in May and run through late August or early September, When: Tuesday nights, with tee times starting at about 4:45pm Where: Eagle Bluff Golf Course off of Hwy 58 Scoring: We will use a point system and handicaps so that all levels of golfers will be able to participate and be competitive. Cost: Yet to be determined. It partially depends on how much interest we have. I am trying to keep the cost between \$10 and \$15 per nine holes with a cart. Teams: I would like to have at least 8 teams. It usually works best if each team consists of 8-10 players. Only 4 people from each team play each week, but it is good to have reserves.

**Matthew Tinkham, Jr. & Mariesa Swisher's Wedding:** We would like to invite all of our Apison church friends to attend our wedding at 2:00pm on May 8, 2011 at the Chattanooga First Seventh-day Adventist Church. Please see our website for more information about wedding events, gift registries, and our relationship. You may also RSVP on the website. [www.matthewandmariesa.com](http://www.matthewandmariesa.com)

**COOL (Collegedale Ooltewah Outdoor League) Camp** is a day camp ministry for ages 6 to 13, of any race or religion operated by the Collegedale Church. Camp operates from May 31 to August 5, 2011. Registration is Sunday, May 15 from 3:00-3:45 p.m. at the Collegedale Church with a parent orientation from 4:00-6:00 p.m. For more information, call 423-615-9FUN(9386) or visit [www.coolcamp.org](http://www.coolcamp.org).

**Wildwood Lifestyle Center's Natural Remedies Seminar:** Our annual Natural Remedies Seminar is just around the corner. The theme for this year is "Redeeming the Time" and it will run from June 19 - 26. Participants will learn how to prevent, treat, and cure common diseases like cancer, diabetes, hypertension, and others naturally. The seminar will also feature vegan cuisine, hydrotherapy, and massage.

**COMING SOON:** Summer Bluegrass Gospel Jam at the Harrison Bay State Park, beginning June thru August sponsored by the Harrison SDA Church  
Look for details in May or check the church website: [www.harrisonsdachurch.com](http://www.harrisonsdachurch.com).

**SEYC Summer of Evangelism:** The South East Youth Conference will be having the 2011 Summer of Evangelism program from July 24 to August 21 in Chattanooga, TN. This full-time evangelism intensive is designed for individuals who are seeking training to become effective soul-winners, looking to expand Bible knowledge and ability to share it, needing to be immersed in a lifestyle of evangelism and surrounded with friends who share similar goals, longing for a deeper experience with God. If you would like more information or would like to apply to be a part, please visit [www.seyc.org](http://www.seyc.org).

**Rusty Zimmerman** is back in town working, creating awareness of their mission in Nicaragua, and accepting funds for their work. Presently they are training young men to be missionaries in their villages. They are learning more about Jesus, his love and how to teach their people. They also brainstorm for ideas to help their people, such as clean water. More information will be in this month's newsletter.