

*Welcome. . .
 . . . to the little church with a big heart.*

Our Mission: *To be a family of believers that
 Know Jesus, Love People, and Treasure Truth.*

Morning Praise and Sabbath School

Sabbath Praise ~ 9:00-9:30 Dennis Crane and Jeannie Connell
 Sabbath School Superintendent Barbara McCasland
 Class Study ~ 9:30-10:45

Sabbath School Classes ~ Locations with descriptions are available at the Welcome Desk.

Weekly Calendar of Events

*See announcements for more information

Today:	8:00 am		*Prayer Group
		Following Worship Service	*Fellowship Luncheon
	2:00 pm		*Sabbath School Council Meeting
Sunday:	8:30 am		*Prayer Group
	10:00 am		Youth Basketball
	7:00 pm	<i>Steps to Christ</i>	*Men's Ministry Meeting
Monday	9:00 am		*Kids in Stitches
	6:00 pm		Church Finance Meeting
	7:00 pm		Church Board Meeting
Tuesday:	10:00 am	<i>Last Day Events</i>	Prayer & Praise Group
	8:00 pm		Bulletin Info Deadline
Wednesday:	6:00 pm		Adventurer Meeting
	6:30 pm		Apison Allies Pathfinder Meeting
	7:00 pm		Prayer Meeting
Thursday	10:00 am		Prison Ministries
Next Sabbath:	8:00 am		*Prayer Group
	Offering	Religious Liberty (North American Division)	
	5:00 pm		*Vespers

Church Needs	Budgeted	Received Thru 12/31
Monthly Church Budget	\$ 13,000	\$16,981
Capital Improvement, 2018	\$250,000	\$88,489

The celebration of the Sabbath ends **Today:** 5:56 p.m.
and begins again **Next Friday:** 6:02 p.m.

Apison Seventh-day Adventist Church

Worship Service

Sabbath, January 19, 2019

Songs of Praise		Jonathon Duman
Announcements and Welcome		Lonny Byrd
Call to Reverence		Introit
Invocation and Call to Worship		Greg Williams
Baby Dedication		
Gifts of Worship	Local Church Budget	Joseph Bray
Offertory		
Children's Story		Greg Williams
Scripture Reading	<i>Luke 2:33-35</i>	Victoria Beason
Invitation to Prayer	<i>As We Come to You in Prayer</i>	No. 671
Worship in Prayer		Evan Trelfa
Special Music		Howard Karst
Worship in Word	<i>The Confusing Savior</i>	Pastor Brian Burgess
Hymn of Response	<i>Be Thou My Vision</i>	No. 547
Benediction		Pastor Brian Burgess
Postlude		Organ

Pianist: Nancy Patton

Organist: Jeanie Hair

Media Services: Daniel Wibberding / Bob Williams / Joshua Burgess

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 transform'd by Your love,
May our souls be refreshed from above.
(PLEASE KNEEL)
At this moment, let people everywhere
Join us now as we come to You in prayer.

Here to Serve

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APISON CHURCH NOTICES

A SPECIAL WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS! We're happy you have chosen to worship with us today. If we can help you in any way, please see today's Resource Elder, John Warren, for assistance.

Fellowship Luncheon Today ~ Following the service, everyone is invited to our Church Family Fellowship Meal across the parking lot, at the gym.

Additional Church Officers ~ 2nd Reading

- Bruce Jacobs: Associate Head Deacon
- Larry Robbins: Safety Committee
- Atina Tinkham: Junior SS Teacher Assistant
- Aaron Trelfa: Elder and Sanctuary SS class teacher
- Cameron Trelfa: Media Services
- SS teachers for class 3: James Breedlove, Walter Buck (guest teacher), Chrystal Van Fossen

Membership Transfers ~ 2nd Reading

Incoming:

Carolyn Springer from Ooltewah Church, Ooltewah, TN

Outgoing:

- Olena Berlin to Collegedale Community Church, TN
- Tyree Berlin to Collegedale Community Church, TN
- Anthony Gentry to Collegedale University Church, TN
- Nancy Zima-Gentry to Collegedale University Church, TN
- Matthew Mundall to Bowman Hills Church, Cleveland, TN

Prayer Requests ~ Bereavement / Special Needs / Healing ~

Sue Bruce ~ Health challenges.

George Burgdorff ~ Under Hospice care.

William and Marie Dean ~ Health challenges.

Virginia Holley ~ Health challenges.

Roy and Theresa Turner ~ Health Challenges

Lizette Williams-Marlow ~ Health challenges.

Kari Wilson ~ Health challenges.

Prison Ministry ~ Please find addresses on the bulletin board for fellow members in prison and encourage them by sending cards. Are you looking to be a committed man or woman who has a passion for souls to be trained and mentored to minister to the forgotten ones who are in our local jails? Call John for info 423-316-6722.

Apison Hour of Prayer (AHOPE) ~ Join us as we seek the Holy Spirit for our lives, our church, the world church and government leaders. **Sabbaths** at 8 a.m., either in the Church Library or via conference call at 712-775-7031; access code 682-097-212#. Also **Sundays** at 8:30 a.m. at the same phone number and code.

Men's Ministry Steps to Christ Book Study ~ Join us **Sundays** at 7 p.m. at Greg Williams' office, 11014 Apison Pike, as we seek a closer walk with Jesus.

Kids in Stitches Ministry ~ Join us **Mondays** from 9 - 1 at the church.

Sabbath School Council Meeting Today ~ All Sabbath School workers, please plan to attend the SS Council Meeting **today** in the church fellowship room at 2 p.m. (after the church potluck).

Vespers on Sabbath, January 26, at 5 p.m. ~ Come and enjoy a few songs and hear a really good story with something for everyone!

UPDATE: Men's Ministry Prayer Breakfast ~ Sunday, **January 27**, Men's Ministries will have a 9:30 a.m. Prayer Breakfast in the church fellowship room. Pancakes provided, but please bring toppings, fruit, juice, or whatever else you'd like to add to the breakfast. Hope to see you there!

Women's Ministry, Save the Date! ~ "Woman to Woman," a new small-group ministry for the women of the church, will meet on the second Tuesday of each month, with **February 12** at 6 p.m. being our next meeting. We will have a light supper, listen to and encourage each other as woman to woman in a relaxed home setting. The meeting will be held at Karla Reel's house, 6217 Ooltewah-Georgetown Road, Ooltewah. See you then!

Attention Please! ~ www.mealtrain.com/trains/7lkzen, to help with meals for Lizette Williams-Marlow and family, please first read instructions at the website link above. Although well-intentioned, please, please do not randomly drop off meals. There is a great system in place, and everything is explained well on this website page. If you have no way of accessing this website, please consult with the Head Deaconess. Thank you for your generosity during this time!

Fellowship Luncheon Help ~ Please consider signing up to help with fellowship luncheons! With enough help, volunteers will only need to serve twice a year. Contact Anita Wilson at 423-310-7163 for more information.

Area Announcements ~ see the bulletin board in the hall weekly.

Children's Ministry Convention ~ **February 8-10**, Cohutta Springs.

Annual Prayer Conference ~ **February 15-17**, Cohutta Springs.

Area Announcements

Position Available ~ It Is Written is searching for a Customer Service Representative! If you have a passion for ministry and a background in customer service, this position may be for you. If interested, please submit your resume and cover letter to Chad Starr at work@iiw.org **before January 20**.

Collegedale Little League and Summer Softball ~ Registration for players and coaches for a great 2019 season is open at cdalesoftball.com. **Earlybird rates** are available until Wednesday, **January 23**. Registration closes February 16, and tryouts are on February 17. We are seeking coaches that are interested and willing to work with the youth in our community. If you are interested in coaching and or have any questions, please call Renita Moore at 423-304-5754.

Evening Anthem Vespers ~ On Sabbath, **January 26**, at 5:30 p.m., *Evening Anthem* is presenting Matthew Kimbley, pianist, in a program entitled "The Love of God." You will be blessed by Matthew's God-given keyboard talent as he shares his love for God through familiar hymns at Chattanooga First SDA Church, 7450 Standifer Gap Road, Chattanooga.

SonRise Auditions ~ Auditions for the main cast of SonRise, Collegedale Church's walk-through resurrection pageant, will be held Monday–Thursday, **February 11-14**, from 6 to 9 p.m. Auditions are open to all. Auditioned parts include Jesus (6), Mary Magdalene (6), John (6), Salome (6), Peter (6), Mary Mother of Jesus (2), Satan at Gethsemane (1), Gabriel at Gethsemane (1), Pilate (1), Thieves on the Cross (2), Resurrection Satan (1), Gabriel at Resurrection (1), and a vocalist at Crucifixion. The cast application and audition information is available at www.comeseejesus.com under the Audition tab. Email sonrisecasting@southern.edu to schedule an audition or for more information...or to be cast in a non-auditioned part. If you do not have internet access, call 423-284-9219 for audition information.

SAU Ski Trip ~ The Southern Adventist University Ski Trip to Breckenridge, Colorado, will be Sunday-Friday, **March 3-8**, and there are a few spots open. Cost per person includes: Shuttle, Airfare, 5 Nights Lodging, 4 Days Lift Ticket, and Ski Rental. If you are interested please contact Bob Bengé at 423-236-2855 or email rcbenge@southern.edu for more information.

AAA Academy Day ~ Thursday, **March 28**, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:15 p.m. at the Duluth campus will be AAA Academy Day. Location: Atlanta Adventist Academy, 2925 Duluth Hwy. 120, Duluth, GA, 30096. Parents are welcome to attend. Lunch will be provided. Campus tour, brain bowl, prizes, performances, fun! Please register to attend at: http://www.aaa.edu/academy_day/. For more information email us at: info@aaa.edu.

AAA Academy Alumni Sabbath ~ Sabbath, **April 13**, will be AA Academy Alumni Sabbath. Meet & Greet starts at 3 p.m., games at 7 p.m. Location: Carver Bible College - 3870 Cascade Road, Atlanta, GA 30331. The theme is "40 Years of Walking By Faith (2 Corinthians 5:7)." For questions email us at: alumni@aaa.edu. Register and get more information at: <https://www.aaa.edu/alumni-sabbath>.