

**November 24, 2022** 

Happy Thanksgiving Church family,

Psalm 139:14 (KJV) points to some reasons to be grateful,

"I will praise thee;

for I am fearfully and wonderfully made: marvelous are thy works;

and that my soul knoweth right well."

This week we have the opportunity to share reasons for our thankfulness with family and friends. I encourage you to reach out to someone with whom you've not connected for a while - someone who could use a little encouragement through a text message, an e-mail, a phone call, or while sitting around a table for a meal. I am so grateful that He gives me the opportunity to share this verse with you; my hope is that it brings you joy today and in the days to come.

Grateful for each one of you,

Pastor Sam

### **Announcements**

\* This Sabbath we continue with the Prophecies of Hope seminar

both at 11:00 AM and at 7:00 PM. Also, the following Monday, Wednesday, Friday, and Sabbath AM and 7:00 PM. Pray that all who come will receive a message that will encourage them to trust Jesus even more, as His second coming approaches.

- \* Pray for the Prophecies of Hope Team not only for the speakers, but also for the greeters, the AV team members, and those helping with the children.
- \* This Sabbath is <u>Friendship Sabbath</u> with a Thanksgiving Theme. We look forward to celebrating the many reasons for being grateful to our wonderful God each and every day of our lives.
- \* Fellowship Potluck this week is under the direction of a team of volunteers who will do the organizing. Bring your food to serve at least three guests as well as your family, and plan to get acquainted with someone new.
- \* Special Church Board Meeting Tuesday, November 29, at 7:00 PM via Zoom
- \* Triadelphia Business Meeting for all members on Saturday, December 3, at 7:00 PM via Zoom



# Please keep our building project in your prayers.

- \* Thanksgiving Food Drive Report Last Sunday about 20 volunteers, including Pathfinders, assembled the food items into grocery bags imprinted with our church logo and a Bible verse. Then they added a letter from Pastor Sam with a \$30 gift card and a few Glow Tracts, and distributed the bags as follows: 10 to the families given to us by Neighbor Network based out of Dayton; 11 to contact families known by Pastor Sam and members; 12+ lots of extras to the Ellicott City (EC) Adventist Church food bank. Everyone was grateful. The response from EC: "Please tell church members that everyone was beyond grateful and amazed at how beautiful everything was. That's how Thanksgiving baskets should look like." Thank you to all who brought food, shopped for specific items, gave monetary gifts towards the costs and helped pack and distribute. Your support was awesome! ~ Triadelphia's Adventist Community Services Committee
- \* Triadelphia's Adopt-A-Family Project will begin on Sabbath, <u>December 3</u>. We are adopting FOUR families this year. Our four team leaders (Anita, Chandler, Linda and Marcos) are working out the gift lists now and you will be able to select your gift tags on <u>December 3</u>. That gives you two weeks to get your gift(s) by December 17, when we need to gather together all the gifts and distribute that afternoon. Volunteer drivers are needed for that afternoon.

## **Upcoming Events**

**November 27** – Memorial Service to celebrate the life of Maurice Bascom here at Triadelphia Church at 10:00 AM. If you can bring food for the reception afterwards, please contact Eunice Kazako or Linda Friday.

**December 17** – Annual Christmas Party and Caroling in the Neighborhood

#### **Our Weekly Calendar**

- Tuesday night Bible study with the Klingbeils at 6:30 PM
- Wednesday night Bible study with the Williams cancelled until December
- Friday night prayer meeting is at 7:00 PM, using SS Link
- Sabbath morning Sabbath School, 9:30 AM 10:35 AM Family Life in the Sanctuary, 10:40 AM Worship in the Sanctuary, 11:00 AM

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The Word of the Day

"...Worthy is the Lamb who was slain to receive power and riches and wisdom, and strength and honor and glory and blessings!"

Revelation 5:12 (NKJV)