# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- **Fellowship Potluck today** is under the direction of Carolina's Team 6. Please bring food for your family and three guests.
- Membership Transfers (Second Reading) From Triadelphia: Elvira Araujo De Brito to Brockton Cape Verdean SDA Church, Brockton, MA; Stephen & Rosilda Horvath to Dover First SDA Church, Dover, DE. To Triadelphia: Zephrine, Cynthia, & Eliot Edwards from Westminster SDA Church, MD; Jean Emmanuel Ridore from Eden de Carrefour Haiti SDA Church in Haiti, Paulette Warren from Remnant SDA Church in Burtonsville, MD.
- "Fiercely Faithful" VBS has been wonderfully inspiring. THANK YOU to all who participated in the kitchen, doing crafts, telling stories, leading music, supervising activities. Just one more duty: the teardown and cleanup tomorrow, July 30, 9 AM. Please help - many hands make light work.
- Triadelphia's Howard County Fair Booth VOLUNTEERS are still needed August 5-12 (Contact Linda Friday). Whether passing out our 'fan'-tastic fans, Bibles, "hope-themed" literature, or helping children do a craft it's all about "sowing seeds" and "Brighten[ing] the Corner" where we are! If we/you don't, who will?
- Our Church 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary is Sept 16. If you know of any past members and friends who should be invited, send their contact information to clerk@triadelphiachurch.org
- Four Family Fellowship is starting again. Let's get to know each other better, in worship, play, picnic or whatever. You decide what and when. Everyone is invited, especially singles. Contact Shayne for details and to be assigned to a group: at <a href="mailto:shayneremmers@gmail.com">shayneremmers@gmail.com</a> or 240.291.5784.
- Tuition assistance may be available for your child(ren) to a local Adventist school or boarding academy this Fall. Write to <a href="mailto:treasurer@triadelphiachurch.org">treasurer@triadelphiachurch.org</a> for an application form, which is due this Monday, July 31.
- Help the Pathfinders earn their way to Camporee next year.
   Contact Ian Barrow or the Williams to hire 'em!
- Bulletin Info due: bulletin@triadelphiachurch.org, Weds, 8pm

# **SERMON NOTES**

# Triadelphia Seventh-day Adventist Church

July 29, 2023



We are happy you are at Triadelphia today! Together we come to praise and worship in music and the Word. May you be blessed as we all spend time with Jesus.



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# **OUR CHURCH IN STUDY**

9:20 - 10:35 AM

### Sabbath School

Bible Study, Prayer, Fellowship, Mission

Beginner (0-3 yrs)	Lower Level
Kindergarten (4-6 yrs)	Lower Level
Primary (7-9 yrs)	Parsonage
Juniors (10-12 yrs)	Parsonage
Teens	Second Floor
Michael Eckert's Class: Ted Wilson	Lower Level
Gerhard Pfandl's Class	Lower Level
Pastor Sam's Class	Sanctuary
Spanish Class	Parsonage
Online Class (9:50 AM)	YouTube
Link: <a href="https://bit.ly/TriadelphiaYouTube">https://bit.ly/TriadelphiaYouTube</a>	

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# **OUR CHURCH FAMILY LIFE**

10:40 AM

Join us in the Sanctuary for joyful singing, announcements and to prepare your heart for the service to follow.

# **Sabbath Thought**

"I saw that it is in the providence of God that widows and orphans, the blind, the deaf, the lame, and persons afflicted in a variety of ways have been placed in close Christian relationship to His church; it is to prove His people and develop their true character. Angels of God are watching to see how we treat these persons who need our sympathy, love, and disinterested benevolence. This is God's test of our character." – Ellen G White, Testimonies for the Church, Vol 3, p 511.

# **OUR CHURCH IN WORSHIP**

11:00 AM Sanctuary & via YouTube Kindly turn all electronic devices to silent.

"...let us be thankful, and so worship God acceptably with reverence and awe."—Hebrews 12:28

#### We Gather

Welcome and Joe Reeves

Call to Worship – Psalm 147:1-9, 11

Prayer

#### We Surrender

Opening Hymn – "Does Jesus Care" #181 Tithes & Offerings Justin Kim

Local Church Budget

(Next Week: Local Church Budget)

Children's Offering #218
Children's Story Dawn Venn
"3 Lessons from the Goby Fish & a Shrimp with Possibilities!"

Special Music Rosilda Araújo Horvath

#### We Learn

Sabbath Thought and Hannah Venn
Scripture Reading – Matthew 25:40, 45
Sermon – "The Test" Doug Venn

#### We Are Sent

Closing Hymn *"Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior"* #569 Prayer Doug Venn

> Elder of the Day: Joe Reeves Chorister: Nilde Itin

Sunset Tonight – 8:23 PM ~ Next Friday – 8:17 PM

# **OUR CHURCH IN PRAYER**

Friday Nights, 7:00 PM using the Zoom link: Sabbath School Link

## Requests for...

**Health**: Jude Edwards and Grace Edwards; Svitlana Caron; Julie Dant's brother Chris; Roxann Ganbin's son Keith; Betty Haines; Nancy Heller; Gail Prinz' husband, Chris; Jessie Rao; Jesse Wenzel, Tony Williams

**Workers Abroad**: Ann Stickle Schwisow – Cambodia; Sarah Klingbeil – Uruguay

**Other**: The Ropka and Roberts families at the passing of Buzz; the people of Ukraine and Russia

The distress of every one touches His heart.

The cry for aid reaches His ear.

The Desire of Ages, p 480

# **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Weekly Bible Studies:

Tuesdays, 7:00 PM at the church Wednesdays, 7:15 PM with the Williams at home Friday prayer meeting, 7:00 PM, Zoom: <u>Sab. School Link</u>

Fri, Aug 4	Booth Setup for Howard County Fair
Aug 5 – 12	Howard County Fair Booth, ACS
Sun, Aug 13	Booth Teardown at Howard County Fair
Mon, Aug 7	Buzz Ropka Memorial, 1:00 PM
Sat, Aug 12	Baby Shower for Michael & Jaimie Eckert
Sat, Sep 9	Family Hike, sponsored by Family Ministries
Sun, Sep 10	Men/Dads/Children Get Together, 12-5 PM
Sat, Sep 16	50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Program