



**BETHESDA**

Seventh-day Adventist Church  
HOUSE OF MERCY

Invites you to our



# Hybrid Majestic Worship

**HEALING - HOPE - HAPPINESS**

- ▷ SABBATHS @10:00 AM - **STUDY**
- ▷ SABBATHS @11:30 AM - **WORSHIP**
- ▷ SABBATHS @04:00 PM - **YOUTH**
- ▷ WEDNESDAYS @7:00 PM - **PRAYER**



Pastor Rohan K.  
Spencer  
Lead Servant-Minister



Nita  
Ditele-Bourgeois  
Lead Elder



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## *Pastoral Page*

### **PASTORAL COUNSELING OFFICE HOURS:**

- Sundays @9:30 am – 12:00 pm - Church Ministries Consultation
- Wednesdays @5:30 pm – 7:00 pm - Pre-Marital & Marriage Counseling
- Thursdays @5:30 pm – 7:00 pm - Bible Studies & Individual Counseling

**Click Link to schedule Zoom Session:** *(Waiting Room is Activated for Individual Privacy)*

<https://calendly.com/wordpowergr/30min>

**OUR STEWARDSHIP GOAL:** Every Believer blessed, prospering and returning a **faithful Tithe** of **10%** of gross income, contributing an additional **5%** in **Offering** in support local church mission and passionately servicing as ministry volunteers using their spiritual gifts & talents to impact individuals for Jesus Christ. Also, to support the **55<sup>th</sup> Anniversary** Capital Development Campaign of **\$55,000** each year for the next three years.

### **SERVICES & MINISTRY PROGRAMS OF CHURCH:**

<b>SATURDAYS</b>		<b>Format</b>
Sabbath School	10:00 am – 11:15 am	Hybrid
Worship Service Experience	11:30 am – 01:30 pm	Hybrid
Adventist Youth Ministry	05:30 pm – 07:00 pm (summer) 0:400 pm – 06:00pm (winter)	In-Person
Adventurers Ministry (Ages 3-9)	02:00 pm – 03:30 pm	In-Person
<b>SUNDAYS</b>		
Pathfinders Ministry (Ages 10-15)	10:00 am – 01:00 pm	In-Person
<b>WEDNESDAYS</b>		
Mid-Week Prayer & Praise Service	07:00 pm – 08:00 pm	Virtual
Fasting & Prayer	First Wednesdays	Remote

### **PREACHING CALENDAR**

<b>SABBATH WORSHIP SERVICE</b>			
<b>NOVEMBER</b>	05	Pastor Winston & Lady Kamala Taylor	<b>Singles Ministries</b>
	12	Pastor Rohan K. Spencer	<b>Saluting Veterans</b>
	19	Pastor Stafford Byers	<b>Pathfinders Day</b>
	26	Pastor Rohan K. Spencer	<b>Harvest Thanksgiving</b>

# Church Monthly Financial Summary

January - December 2022

## October 2022 Giving Summary Totals

**Tithe:** \$40,924.74

*\*Tithe received by the local congregation is sent on to the local conference, overseeing and administering mission in Connecticut, Maine, New Hampshire, New York, Rhode Island, and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.*

**Offering:** \$18,441.28

*\*Offerings remain at local church for ministry, expenses etc.*

Church Monthly Budget Target (Annual Budget \$252k)	\$21,000.00
Received in October	\$18,441.28
Surplus/Shortfall for October	<b>\$(2,558.72)</b>

*\*School Mortgage totals \$8,746.59/mth addition to BSDA monthly financial commitments (mortgage maturity date: 10/2024; original loan amount: \$1,040,000)*

## Capital Development Fund Campaign (update):

*\*Funds towards physical plant improvements/repairs*

Annual Target (\$55,000)	\$55,000.00
Received to date	\$9,479.00
Percent (%) to target	17.23%

## Ways to Give:

- Offering Plate
- Give Online: available at <https://adventistgiving.org>
- Adventist Giving App: For easy, secure giving.

Remember to label your tithe & offerings on the tithe envelope.

# Sabbath School

November 19, 2022 @ 10:00am – 11:15am

Musical Praise ..... Sis. Phyllis Taylor  
Superintendent Remarks ..... Sis. Audrey A. Powell  
Opening Song ..... **SDA Hymn 187 – “Jesus, What a Friend for Sinners”**  
Scripture Reading ..... Romans 15:1-2 ..... Sis. Evelyn Ewers  
Prayer ..... Sis. Audrey Powell  
Mission Report ..... Sis. Tamieka Burke  
Lesson Study ..... Elder Sam Nicholas  
Superintendent Remarks ..... Sis. Audrey A. Powell  
Hymn of Praise ..... Sis. Loronne Paul-Chery  
Closing Prayer ..... Sis. Aretha Roberts

## Personal Witnessing Highlights:

*“Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup>teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age.”* **Matthew 28:19-20**

- 1. Be True to who God wants you to Be**
- 2. Begin with a Genuine Concern for people’s Wellbeing**
- 3. Be Delighted to share your personal experience with Jesus**
- 4. Begin Where People Are and take them to**
- 5. Be of genuine Help to Someone**

# Sabbath Worship Experience

November 19, 2022 @ 11:30am – 1:30pm

**“Enter His Gates with Thanksgiving and His Courts with Praise; Give Thanks to Him and Praise His Name.” Psalm 100:4**

## WE ASSEMBEL AND INVOKE

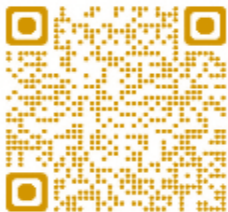
Musical Prelude .....Sis Gloria Elliot, *Organist*  
Processional ..... *Color Guards* .....Breanna Golding  
Church Calendar /Announcement ..... Church Clerk  
Call to Worship & Invocation ..... Elder Beverley Small  
Pastoral Greetings ..... Pastor Rohan K. Spencer  
Hymn of Praise ..... **SDA Hymn: #221 – “Rejoice, the Lord is King”** ..... Sis. Hannahbel Saturne  
Scripture Reading ..... 2 Kings 5:1-15 ..... Sis. Kayla Garwood

## WE ASSAMBLE AND FELLOWSHIP

Children in Ministry ..... God’s Story  
Parade of the Nations ..... Bethesda Eagles Pathfinders  
Pathfinder Ministry Spotlight ..... Pathfinder Staff  
Praise Team ..... Bethesda Eagles Pathfinder  
Offertory ..... Elder B. Ruth Alves

## WE CONSECRATE AND INTERCEDE

Prayer of Intercession ..... Joshua Wood and Elder Nita D. Bourgeois  
Introduction of Speaker ..... Deatrice Cofield  
Hymn of Meditation ..... **“Chosen by God”** ..... Bethesda Eagles Pathfinders  
Spoken Word ..... **“Driven by a Mission”** ..... Pastor Stafford Byers  
Altar Response Hymn ..... **SDA Hymn: #580 – “This Little Light of Mine”** ..... Sis. Khalia Bell  
Benediction follow by Recessional ..... Sis. Breanna Golding



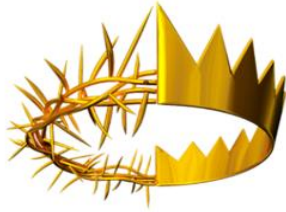
### **Personal Response to the Love of God**

- ☐ I Desire Baptism through faith in Jesus Christ
- ☐ I Desire Bible Studies Leading to baptism
- ☐ My Child/Children Desire/s Bible Studies leading to Baptism
- ☐ I Desire Prayer & Bible Counseling to help me overcome Challenge/s for My Baptism





Adventist Giving



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## Bethesda Seventh-day Adventist Church

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**GOD FIRST**

One-time donation | Recurring donation

### Tithe

Personal Giving Plan recommends: 10% ?

Tithe/Diezmo/Dime

### Local Church

Personal Giving Plan recommends: 3-5% ?

COMBINED BUDGET

SABBATH SCHOOL EXPENSE

BETHESDA JR ACADEMY FUND

BJA MORTGAGE

BJA SCHOLARSHIP FUND

BUILDING FUND/CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT

PATHFINDER Donations

Communications Department

Birthday Thank You - Local

ADVENTURER CLUB Donations

[More Offering Categories...](#)

## I PROMISE:



To **SET APART** the first moments of each day to commune with the Lord in **PRAYER**, through the Bible, Spirit of Prophecy and Sabbath School lesson study, and **FAMILY WORSHIP**.



To **IMPROVE** my **RELATIONSHIPS**: growing in faithfulness, forgiveness and loving by principle.



To **ESTABLISH** one new **HEALTHY HABIT**, to better worship the Lord with my mind: \_\_\_\_\_



To **OFFER** one day (or evening) each week to **WORK** for God, spreading the good news to others through Bible Studies, small groups, etc. (TMI).



To **KEEP** the **SABBATH**, preparing for it accordingly on Friday, keeping its limits, right thoughts and activities.



To **FAITHFULLY RETURN** the Lord's **TITHE** (10% of my income).



To **DEDICATE** a regular percentage (\_\_\_\_%) of my income as a free will **OFFERING** to the Lord.

WITH GOD'S HELP: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_



STEWARDSHIP MINISTRIES



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# LET'S pray

CONFERENCE-WIDE PRAYER MEETING



**WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 30, 2022**

Live from Maranatha French SDA Church

**TIME: 3-8PM**





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Bethesda's Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting  
continues with the series on the

# 28 Fundamental Beliefs

For beliefs: <https://www.adventist.org/beliefs/>



Wednesdays @ 7pm

Meeting ID: 230894635

Zoom Password: 530654



## CALL UPON HIM

*The Lord is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth Psalm 145:18 (NIV)*

In need of prayer?  
Have a prayer request?

Bethesda invites you to join the  
***Prayer Line***

MONDAYS @ 8AM

TUESDAYS @ 7:15PM

WEDNESDAYS @ 6:15AM

THURSDAYS @ 6PM

FRIDAYS @ 9AM

***Phone: 978-990-5000***

***Access Code: 336156***



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NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION





2023 NEC ADVENTIST YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES

# Limitless

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## YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT LEADERSHIP *Convention*



**KIMBERLY MANN**  
SPEAKER



**CHRISTIAN PONCIANO**  
SPEAKER



**NOAH WASHINGTON**  
SPEAKER



**TASHA BROWN**  
SPEAKER



GOSPEL RECORDING ARTIST  
**BRITTANY STEWART**



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**RICH TOLBERT JR.**



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**DAVID McCLURE**



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### REGISTRATION:

**EARLY BIRD:** \$ 185.00 OCT. 31 - NOV. 26

**REGULAR:** \$ 225.00 NOV. 27 - DEC. 24

**LATE:** \$ 249.00 DEC. 25 - JAN. 7

**SPECIAL:** \$119.00 NO MEALS INCLUDED

**SABBATH ONLY:** \$119.00 REGISTRATION & LUNCH

**ONLINE:** [STORE.NECYOUTH.ORG](https://store.necyouth.org)

### LODGING:

**ALL ROOMS:** \$99.00

PER NIGHT + TAX, UNDER  
"NORTHEASTERN YOUTH"  
\$115.00 ON DEC 15

**FOR RESERVATIONS:** (203) 357-9555

**JAN 12-15**  
**2023**



# STEWARDSHIP APPRECIATION *Barquet*

Sunday, December 11, 2022

**Northeastern Conference Hall**

115-50 Merrick Blvd. Jamaica NY 11434

11 AM – 3 PM

**FREE REGISTRATION: OPEN UNTIL NOV. 30  
ONLINE AT [EVENTS.NORTHEASTERN.ORG](https://events.northeastern.org)**



**HOST:**  
PASTOR MICHELLE MOTA



**SPEAKER:**  
DR. DEDRICK BLUE



**ORGANIZER:**  
DR. CLIFFORD  
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## *Seventh-day Adventist Beliefs Summary*

Seventh-day Adventists accept the Bible as the only source of our beliefs. We consider our movement to be the result of the Protestant conviction Sola Scriptura—the Bible as the only standard of faith and practice for Christians.

This statement is a condensed summary of the 28 fundamental beliefs held by the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

### **GOD**

**We believe that God loves.** God is love, power, and splendor—and God is a mystery. His ways are far beyond us, but He still reaches out to us. God is infinite yet intimate, three yet one, all-knowing yet all-forgiving.

### **HUMANITY**

**We believe that God creates.** From neurons to nebulae, DNA to distant galaxies, we are surrounded by wonder. Yet the beauty is broken.

### **SALVATION**

**We believe that God redeems.** Love. Harmony. Perfection. Once, all creation sang the same glorious song.

### **CHURCH**

**We believe that God inhabits.** Jesus left His followers with an epic mission: tell the world of His love and His promise to return. Also, they should love people the way He loved them.

### **LIVING**

**We believe that God transforms.** God's law in the Ten Commandments show us how to live and make clear our need for Jesus. Though the law shows us the path to follow and convicts us of sin, it's about far more than just toeing the line.

### **APOCALYPSE**

**We believe that God triumphs.** From the Garden of Eden to the Tower of Babel, the destruction of Sodom to the Exodus from Egypt, God has always investigated before taking action.

