

THE CHURCH AT STUDY

April 13, 2024

Sabbath School – 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Cradle Roll (Ages 0-3, Beginners' Room)	Sharena Cathey
Kindergarten (Ages 4-7, Kindergarten Room)	Debbie Carithers
Primary (Ages 8-12, Primary Room)	Danielle Velez
Youth (Ages 13-18, Hospitality House)	Geoff & Amy White
Young Adult (Ages 18+, KAS Gym)	Bruce Bankhead
Women's Bible Study (KAS Music Room)	Janet Rowe
Adult Class (Sanctuary)	Kathy Burdorf
Adult Class (Downstairs Board Room)	Dan Peters

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

Divine Worship Service – 10:45 a.m.

Welcome & Announcements	Dennis Benedict
Invocation	Dennis Benedict
Songs of Praise	Nathan Taylor and Hannah Zackrison
Opening Song	#272 <i>Give Me the Bible</i>
Morning Offering	Dennis Benedict
Kid's Corner	Tasha Robinson
Morning Prayer	Tim Snow
Musical Selection	Rachel Klein
Scripture Reading	Dennis Benedict Psalm 119:105
Sermon	Pastor Matthew Durante The Good Book Pt. I: "The Roadmap for Life"
Closing Hymn	#547 <i>Be Thou My Vision</i>
Benediction	Pastor Matthew Durante

For those serving on the platform, please meet in the Elders' Room promptly at 10:30 a.m.

CHURCH CONTACT INFORMATION

Knoxville First Seventh-day Adventist Church

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Ministry Servants Today!

Elder in Charge	Dennis Benedict
Deacon on Duty	Bruce Bankhead
Choristers	Nathan Taylor and Hannah Zackrison
Pianist	Tatiana Arvat
Organist	Jussara Horton
Live Streaming	Caleb Geli
Video Projection	Larry Doran
Sound System	Mike Lopez
Greeters	Monica Peeke, Katie Miller, and Theresa Doran

Our Worship Service is live streamed on Facebook, YouTube, and Roku.



Devotional Thought for Today!

"For the word of God is alive and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart."

Hebrews 4:12

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome Members and Honored Guests! Thank you for choosing to worship with our church family this morning! We hope you feel welcome and want to call this church “home!” We have several prayer needs to keep in mind: our families, our homebound members, those facing health challenges, healthcare workers, first responders, missionaries, educators, elected officials, and those serving in law enforcement and in the military. Please also pray for the gift of the Holy Spirit!

CHURCH OFFERING SCHEDULE

Please Mark Your Tithe Envelope!

Today’s Offering: Hope Channel Int., Inc.

Next Week’s Offering: Church Operating Budget

Loose Offering: Church Operating Budget

Tithes & Offerings: You can give online on our church website at <https://adventistgiving.org/#/org/ANTFJL/envelope/start> or mail to Knoxville First SDA Church, P.O. Box 10952, Knoxville TN, 37939.

Thank you for being a faithful supporter of God’s work!

Church Giving – Through April 6, 2024				
	Last Week	Weekly Goal	YTD Total	YTD Need
Church Budget	\$1,350.40	\$4,899.00	\$53,436.00	\$68,586.00
Worthy Student	\$211.00	\$673.00	\$4,809.00	\$8,749.00

Knoxville Area Young Adult Meeting - The next meeting for young adults is scheduled for tonight, April 13, at 7:00 p.m. at KAS Gym. The event will include social activities, food, and a Q&A session. Please contact Pastor Lian if you have any questions.

Knoxville First Young Adult Bible Study – Please join us Friday, April 26, at Bruce and Esther Bankhead’s house beginning at 7:00 P.M. If you have any question please contact Pastor Lian.

Attention Kids (and parents)!!!! VBS is coming this summer, and it’s going to be out of this world. Mark your calendars for July 22-26. We’re looking forward to seeing you there! More information to follow.

Fellowship Lunch – Please join us today after service in the KAS gym. Liliane Robertson and Team 4 will serve. Thank you: Becky & Randy Barnes, Leticia & Derek Barnes, Odessa Brown, Lisa Ann Bruzzese, Sarah & Danny Clevenger, Darlene & Derrick Gillett, Sharon & Arnold Hudson, Nancy & Kelvin Mitchell, Malcolm Neely, Jr., Rosalie & Dan Peters, Liliane & John Robertson, Shirley & Steve Watson, for setting up, serving, and cleaning up. Everyone attending this luncheon, please bring enough food (vegetarian or vegan dishes only) for your family and to share with others.

Senior and Visitor Parking - A friendly reminder to please leave the senior and visitor parking spaces open for seniors, guests, and individuals with mobility challenges. Although drop off is available, if you are able, please consider parking in the lower parking lot and walking up to the church. Thank you for being mindful of the needs of others!

KAS TEAM TRIVIA NIGHT – Tease your brain and win a cash prize. Please join us Thursday, April 18. Free entry to KAS gym. Doors open at 5:30p.m. Game starts at 6:00p.m. Pizza and drinks will be for sale. See you there!

Highland Academy Gymnix - The Highland Academy Gymnix team will be performing in the KAS gym on Saturday April 20. You are invited to come and enjoy this high flying, family event filled with gymnastics and acrobatic routines. The program will start at 7:45p with Vespers followed by the gymnastics show. Invite a friend and we hope to see you there!

SALT - We are excited to announce this year’s 1 week SALT evangelism training program in partnership with It Is Written. Held on the campus of Southern Adventist University, May 12-18. Summer SALT pulls crucial excerpts from our full semester program to cover the basics of personal and public evangelism, the evangelism cycle, and tools for outreach in your local church and community. Please register at salt.training by May 3rd.

All Requests for Use Of Campus Facilities - Please email your request to the church office and include the event, date, time, and the facility/room(s) you are interested in reserving.

The GCC Health Ministries Department is hosting a Diabetes Rewind training at their office on April 28 from 10:00 am - 3:00 pm. Presented by Dr. Aysha Inankur. Registration is \$10.00 which includes materials and a vegetarian lunch. More at www.gccsda.com/events/diabetesrewind.

2024 WEEKL CALENDAR

Sabbath
 9:30 a.m. Sabbath School Classes
 10:45 a.m. Sermon – Pastor Matthew Durante
 12:30 p.m. Fellowship Lunch – Team
 7:00 p.m. Knoxville Area Young Adult Meeting
 8:10 p.m. Sunset

Wednesday
 6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting

Friday
 8:15 p.m. Sunset

Sabbath
 9:30 a.m. Sabbath School Classes
 10:45 a.m. Sermon – Pastor Matthew Durante
 7:45 p.m. Highland Academy Gymnix and Vespers
 8:16 p.m. Sunset

Cohutta Springs Youth Camp is looking for Doctors and Nurses who could volunteer for a week at summer camp this summer. We are also in need of a full-time nurse for the summer. If you are interested in helping with this ministry, please contact us at 706-602-7346 or send an email to campinfo@gccsda.com.

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