

## Adult Sabbath School

The Church at Study 9:15 a.m. Sabbath, May 2nd, 2015

Pianist  
Song Service **Mary Boyd**  
Theme Song **No. 185**  
"Jesus Is All the World to Me" (1<sup>st</sup> Verse)  
Welcome **Mark Wiley**  
Scripture & Prayer  
Investments **Mary Boyd**  
Mission Story **Diane Wiley**  
Standing Strong  
Lesson Study Sanctuary **David Jimenez**  
Lesson Study Classroom A  
In- Depth Study Social Hall

## Church at Worship

Prelude **Eileen Johnston**  
Introit **"The Lord is in His Holy Temple" No. 692**  
(Congregation please stand.)  
Invocation **Pastor Van Bledsoe**  
Hymn of Praise **No. 474**  
Take the Name of Jesus With You  
Scripture **John 17:11 Pastor Van Bledsoe**  
Prayer Requests & Praises **Steve Shelton**  
Prayer Invitation **No. 671**  
Prayer of Intercession **Betty Baerg**  
Tithes and Offerings **Betty Baerg**

## Church Budget

*(All loose offerings go to local church expense. Specify on a tithe envelope if you want your offering to go to the offering of the day or other fund.)*

Lamb's Offering **Children**  
*(50% Worthy Student and 50% Children's Ministries)*  
Children's Story **Doug Carlson**  
Special Music **Edna Larson**  
Sermon **Pastor Van Bledsoe**  
**The Power of Your Name**  
Hymn of Consecration **On Screen**  
**"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"**  
Benediction **Pastor Van Bledsoe**  
Postlude **Eileen Johnston**

*(After the service please remain seated until the deacons usher you out. You are welcome to remain for the postlude. Please maintain reverence during the postlude. Out of respect to worshipers around you, please silence all electronic devices.)*

## FOR YOUR CHURCH ENJOYMENT:

**Church Quiet Bags for children are available. They are geared For non---readers (blue bags) and readers (white bags). They are handed out right after Children's Story and can be put on the table in the foyer as you leave. Hearing Enhancement devices are available at the PA booth For you to use. Just return them when finished.**

## To Serve You

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## Apache Junction Seventh-day Adventist Church

### Mission Statement:

We are committed to answering  
the prayer of Jesus to become one in Him.

### We Can Do This By:

Sharing the love of Jesus with everyone in a way  
that will lead them into a loving relationship with Him.

Assisting members to identify and use their  
Spiritual gifts to build and unify the church family.

### Result:

A place where friends become family  
and the love of Jesus is shared.

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## Church Life

**Apache Junction SDA Church** — Desires that today you will experience the love of Jesus Christ, and the “Blessed Hope” of His soon return. Thank you for sharing this Sabbath day with us! If you’re looking for a spiritual home, we invite you to join our church family. Just complete the Guest Registration card in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate.

**Fellowship Dinner** — Immediately following the worship service in the Adventist Social Center. Come enjoy the good food and the chance to make new friends.

**Bags of Love** – Monday, May 4, 2015, 9 AM – 3 PM. We will start around 10 AM because of having a special Women’s Ministry meeting at 9 AM. We’ll continue to work together on projects. We were blessed with a group named Stitch N Chat donating \$350 to Bags of Love this week.

**Bible marking class** — Meets Sabbath morning at 9am and Wednesday night at 7pm

**Church Bulletin Information** — The deadline for receiving announcements to be printed in the bulletin is 9:00 p.m. Wednesday. You may e-mail them to:

*ajchurchbulletin@gmail.com or call: 480 988-2095*

**Community Services Spring Into Action!** We’re still collecting vegetarian, non-perishable food thru April to replenish our stock for the needy. Drop off items in the Fellowship Hall boxes marked "Community Services". Items especially needed include rice, dry beans, cereals, peanut butter, and jellies. If you or someone you know is in need of assistance, email

*ajcommunityservices@gmail.com or call 480-593-5790.*

Thank you to all those who have donated!

**African Mission** - Thank you for contributing to the African Mission, and we appreciate all that you have done toward this effort. Your love for souls will not go unnoticed by God. We are leaving June 22, 2015 returning July 15, 2015. If you would like to offer financial support, you may write “African Mission Trip” inside your tithe envelope.

**Women's Ministry** - Please note the date of our next Women's Ministry Meeting has been changed to Monday May 4, 2015. We will have a special guest presentation. We will meet at 9:00 AM for one hour in the Social Hall. Bags of Love activities will follow. All the women in our church are welcome to attend and any friends are also welcome. Feel free to come just for the meeting even if you can't stay for the Bags of Love activities. Contact Nancy

**Prison Ministries** – We have responded to 13 requests for Bibles (4 of which were in Spanish so required translating), plus 3 requesting reading materials, in particular the booklet “Who are the Seventh-Day Adventists”. Praise God for using our church to reach to reach them in answer to God opening their hearts to His word. These inmates are all sons of Jesus Christ, just one Bible, one word, away from giving his heart to God. Please continue to pray for this Prison Ministry program and consider donating and volunteering as you are called by the Holy Spirit to do so. Please “Remember the prisoners as if chained with them ...” (Heb 13:3, Mat 25:36-40). Contact Lori Gravel at 480-288-8916, or email: [gravellori@yahoo.com](mailto:gravellori@yahoo.com).

**Church Property** — Thank you for taking care of God’s house by treating the hymnals, pew Bibles, and offering envelopes with respect. / Sermons are available on DVD by talking to Bob at the sound booth and are also being uploaded to YouTube at the following link:

<http://www.youtube.com/user/ApacheJunctionSDA>

**Job Opening for Youth Ministries Assistant at the Arizona Conference** - Administrative Assistant for Youth Ministries - Full-Time The Administrative Assistant is responsible to assist the Youth Ministries Department in fulfilling various responsibilities of planning and implementing conference-wide programs related to Youth, Master Guides, Pathfinders, Adventurers and Summer Camp. This position is also responsible to help those who call or come to the department for assistance with a pleasant, tactful and friendly demeanor. The qualified individual is personable and possesses sound judgment, self-initiative, organizational abilities, strong oral and written communication skills and interpersonal skills while performing administrative and office support activities for multiple supervisors with minimum day-to-day supervision.

**Sabbath Rest** — Continues until 7:11 PM tonight.

Next Sabbath’s welcome is next Friday at 7:16 PM

## A Praying Church

**Prayer Ministries** —To activate the Prayer Ministry Team with your prayer requests and praises, or if you would like to be part of the AJ Prayer Ministry Team, contact Nancy Andersen, 480-254-1878 or: [ajprayerchain@gmail.com](mailto:ajprayerchain@gmail.com)

**Prayer Requests** — If you have a prayer request or praise, feel free to complete one of the forms located on the pew in front of you, which will be collected during Family Time. - If you have a prayer request expressing a need for help from your church family, please provide a phone number so we can contact you.

## Joyfully We Return to God

**2015 Church Budget Report: Our AJ Church and school are totally dependent on your kind, liberal, and consistent financial support to operate, teach, and minister to all. Thank you for honoring God in giving to our church budget.**

**Giving to the Church budget does give us something in return. It includes the maintenance and upkeep of our sanctuary, Adventist Social Center, and Sabbath School Rooms. It provides for the air conditioning in the summer, the heat in the winter, and for the light and water bill all year round. Please consider giving to the Church budget.**

Apache Junction SDA Church 2015 Local Church Budget \$72,000.00		
April Budget	April Received	Still Needed through April
\$6,000.00	\$4,838.98	\$1,161.02

**Online Giving** — You can now give your tithe and offerings to the church online. Just go to our church’s website <http://apachejunction.adventistfaith.org> and go to the ONLINE GIVING link. This allows you to return your tithe and offerings while you do your online banking, when you are on a long trip, or even if you’re unable to attend church due to an illness.

Adobe Adventist Christian School 2014-2015 School Year Budget \$72,000.00		
April Budget	April Received	April Needed
\$6,000.00	\$2,502.49	\$3,497.51

**UPDATE on Re-roof Project: \$7,098.50. You can contribute towards the Re-roof Project by writing Re-roof Project on your tithe envelope or by contributing on the ONLINE GIVING link from the church’s website.**

**Would you like to make an eternal difference in the life of a child?** — Consider making a donation to the Adobe Adventist Christian School Worthy Student Fund. You can mark your tithe envelope accordingly, or call Steve Shelton for details at 480-986-2310.