

**March 18, 2017  
9:15am**

**Adult Sabbath School**

Pianist Judy Van Tassel  
Song Leader Mona Beringer  
Theme Song "Spirit of God" (4th Verse) No. 266

Welcome Katie Knight  
Theme "Smile"  
Scripture and Prayer Percy Knight  
Mission Story Ruth Jones

Lesson Study Sanctuary Steve Shelton  
Social Hall Roberta Whetstone  
Classroom A Denise Peloquin

**10:45am  
Church at Worship**

Organist Eileen Johnston  
Introit "The Lord is in His Holy Temple" No. 692

Invocation Pastor Van Bledsoe

Opening Hymn "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder" No. 216  
Scripture Matthew 28:19-20

Prayer Invitation No. 671  
Prayer Wes Ringering

Tithes & Offerings Local Church Budget Wes Ringering  
All Loose Offerings go to Local Church Expense

Lambs Offering Sharon Lozano  
Children's Story

Special Music "Wonderful, Merciful Savior" Edna Larson

Sermon "Mission Impossible" Pastor Van Bledsoe

Closing Song "We Have This Hope" No. 214  
Postlude

**To Serve You**

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## Church Life

**To Our Visitors** — Thank you for sharing this day with us! Following the worship service, you are invited to join us for our fellowship lunch in the social center (across the parking lot). Come and meet some new friends.

**Vespers tonight**, 6:30pm, hosted by the Knights. Join us to close out the Sabbath hours together in song and praise. **Following vespers** in the social hall, please bring finger foods and stay to play games or visit with your Church family.

**Bags of Love:** Monday, March 20, 9am – 3pm. Come and help when you can and enjoy the fellowship and teamwork of working together for a project for the state of AZ. You can work for the Bags of Love project, the Dog Pillow project, or the mats for the homeless. Bring something to share for lunch.

**Explore Prophecy follow-up studies** will be held on Wednesday nights at 7pm and Sabbath mornings at 9:30am.

**A Big Welcome to all of our new members!** See the bulletin board for a picture of the group and their names.

Today we will begin the process of selecting new church officers. All who would like to participate in **selecting the committee to nominate the nominating committee**, please meet after church in the sanctuary.

**Religious Liberty Bible Study** will resume next Sabbath, March 25, after potluck.

**Adios Amigos Dinner** is a time to say farewell to friends we won't be seeing for several months. It will be Sunday March 26 at 1:00pm. The menu is on the bulletin board. Please sign up for what you would like to bring and then bring serving utensils for your dish. After the meal there will be time for visiting and games.. Questions call 480-830-3522

**Maranatha Project at Camp Yavapines** April 5-13. Sign up at maranatha.org. Helpers are still needed!

**ASI Convention**, April 6-9, Woodland Hills, CA. See bulletin board for details.

### ATTN Sabbath School Leaders:

Sabbath School Retreat April 28-30 at Camp Yavapines, Prescott, AZ. in partnership with Children's Ministries. To register call 480-991-6777 ext. 112 or 113. Email KingsleyPalmer@azconference.org or chauve@azconference.org.

**Summer Camp** registration is now open for Camp Yavapines: campyavapines.com 480-991-6777.

### Registration for camp meeting is now open.

**Cabin Reservations** – Call Sandy Leski: 480-991-6777, x147

**RV and Tent Reservations** – Call Angie Blake: 928-445-2162

**Register Online:** <https://www.ultracamp.com/clientlogin.aspx?idCamp=571&campCode=azc>

To present **prayer requests** and praises to the Prayer Ministry Team, or to become part of the team, contact Ro Pedersen at roro3@aol.com or call her at 480-982-8149.

**Community Services:** Your Community Services dept. is a year-round ministry here to serve the church and community. If you or someone you know is in need, contact Director Pamela Davis or Larry Peloquin for assistance. If you want to help financially, mark your tithe/offering envelope "Community Services".

### See the Bulletin Board:

March **Church Life**

**Meals of Love** Request Cards and Participant Cards

**CAAF**A flyers regarding Emergency Assistance

**Apache Junction Food Bank** information.

## Joyfully We Return to God

### 2017 Church Budget Report:

Our AJ Church and school are totally dependent on your kind, liberal, and consistent financial support. Thank you for honoring God in giving to our church budget which pays for maintenance of our facilities, utilities, supplies, etc.

Apache Junction SDA Church 2017 Local Church Budget \$72,000.00		
Monthly Budget	March Received	Still Needed March
\$6,000.00	\$3,165.19	\$2,834.81

Adobe Adventist Christian School School Year Budget \$72,000.00		
Monthly Budget	March Received	Still Needed March
\$6,000.00	\$7,512.00	\$0.00

**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.

**Online Giving** —<http://apachejunction.adventistfaith.org> and click on the ONLINE GIVING link.

**Sermons** are available on DVD by talking to Bob or Norm at the sound booth.

**Church Bulletin Information** — Deadline is 9:00pm. Wednesday. E-mail to [ajchurchbulletin@gmail.com](mailto:ajchurchbulletin@gmail.com) or call Judy at 480-459-1633.

**Sabbath Rest** — Continues until 6:39pm tonight. Next Sabbath's welcome is Friday at 6:43pm.