

February 17, 2018

9:15 am

Adult Sabbath School

Pianist Judy Van Tassel
Song Leader Mona Beringer
Theme Song No. 572
“Give Of Your Best To The Master” (2nd Verse)

Welcome & Prayer Betty Baerg
Scripture Malachi 3:10
Stewardship “Proving God” by Doug Bachelor
Missions Video

Lesson Study Sanctuary Jamie Grismer
Classroom A Mark Wiley
Conference Room 9:00 Roberta Whetstine
Prophecy Seminar Fellowship Hall 9:30 Pastor Bledsoe

**10:45 am
Church at Worship**

Organist Gaylene Wolkwitz
Pianist Judy Van Tassel

Introit “The Lord is in His Holy Temple” No. 692
Invocation Pastor Bledsoe

Opening Hymn “My Hope Is Built On Nothing Less” No. 522
Scripture Matthew 21:42-43

Prayer Invitation No. 671
Prayer David Wolkwitz

Tithes & Offerings Local Church Budget David Wolkwitz

Lambs Offering
Children’s Story Ed Brothers

Special Music Larissa & Jessica Cox

Sermon “Use It Or Lose It” Pastor Bledsoe

Closing Hymn “Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus” Screen

Benediction Pastor Bledsoe
Postlude

Please remain seated until ushered out

Please turn all electronic devices to silent.

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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.

Adventurers Sonshine singers are going to Apache Junction Care Center today after Fellowship Dinner at 2 pm, to sing and pray and give out the little craft gifts the children made.

Vespers: 6 pm this evening. Come join in closing out the Sabbath hours with songs and worship.

Church Business Meeting Tonight, Feb. 17, after vespers, to vote on the 2018 Church Budget.

Bags of Love: Monday, Feb. 19, 9 am – 3 pm, come and enjoy the fellowship of working together for the Bags of Love or the Mats of Love. Bring a sack lunch.

Percy and Katie Knight will be honored for their **75th Wedding Anniversary** on Monday, February 19 from 4 to 6 pm at Good Life Social Hall, 3403 E Main St., Mesa. All are invited to attend and help celebrate this happy occasion.

Church Board Meeting: Tuesday evening at 6 pm.

Revelations of Hope will begin Friday evening, Feb. 23 and continue for four weeks with speaker Jose Marin. Pick up flyers in the entryway to hand out to your neighbors and friends.

Investment- Bibles: What a blessing it will be for the workers in Mexico to have resources to provide Bibles and materials to those hungry to learn more about Jesus. Our current total is \$1,700.85.

Upper Columbia Academy Reception March 4. See bulletin board for details. **Arizona Academy/Thunderbird Adventist**

Academy Alumni Weekend will be April 6-8, 2018. All are invited to join the celebration. See bulletin board for details.

ASI Pacific Union 2018 Annual Convention - April 26-29, 2018. See bulletin board for details.

Camp Meeting Reservations will begin February 20 at 9 am. For RV's and Tents call Angie Blake: 928-445-2162. For Cabin reservations call Sandy Leski: 480-991-6777 ext. 147. Campmeeting dates are June 8 – 16.

Our rummage sale storage room is full. Thanks to everyone who is thinking of supporting our school through this effort. Just hold on to the things you want to donate until our next sale which is usually near the end of March. You can bring them to the social hall at that time. Watch the bulletin for dates.

Community Services: We are collecting blankets and sleeping bags for the homeless. Drop outside the Juniors SS room.

Sermons are now available on **YouTube**. Search for Apache Junction SDA Church 2018.

To submit stories, poems, short articles, recipes, etc. to the **Communicator Newsletter**, email to ajcomm7@gmail.com or call Vicki at 480-518-5433.

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

Church Bulletin Information — Deadline is 9 pm Wednesday. E-mail to ajchurchbulletin@gmail.com or call Judy at 480-459-1633.

Church Event Calendar:
<https://teamup.com/ksd429a469706b6c27>

See the Bulletin Board:
Conference **Church Life** and **The Stewpot**
Meals of Love Request Cards and Participant Cards
CAAFA flyers regarding Emergency Assistance
Apache Junction Food Bank information

Joyfully We Return To God

2018 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.

All loose offering will go to the designated offering of the day per the Conference schedule. To donate to local church budget, use a tithe envelope to designate your offering.

Apache Junction SDA Church 2018 Local Church Budget \$72,000.00		
Monthly Budget	February Received	Still Needed February
\$6,000.00	\$1,858.99	\$4,141.01

Adobe Adventist Christian School School Year Budget \$72,000.00		
Monthly Budget	February Received	Still Needed February
\$6,000.00	\$2,001.86	\$3,998.14

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.

Want to help a child receive a Christian education but don't have \$1,000 to send to the tax credit program? Look at your pay-stub, if you have AZ withholding, you could divert those dollars to a child's education. Ask Steve or Denise how to do so.

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

Sermons are available on DVD, contact the people at the sound booth.

Sabbath Rest — Continues until 6:14 pm tonight. Next Sabbath's welcome is Friday at 6:19 pm.