

September 15, 2018

**9:15 am
Adult Sabbath School**

Pianist Judy Van Tassel
Song Leader Mona Beringer
Theme Song "All The Way" (3rd Verse) No. 516

Welcome Betty Baerg
Scripture and Prayer Matthew 11:28-30
Stewardship Story "Following Him" By Phil Follett
Mission Video

Lesson Study Sanctuary Ed Brothers
Conference Room Roberta Whetstine
Prophecy Seminar Fellowship Hall 9:30 Pastor Bledsoe

**10:45 am
Church at Worship**

Organist Eileen Johnston
Pianist Brittney Boeser

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

Opening Hymn "Love Divine" No. 191
Scripture Luke 5:23-24

Prayer Invitation No. 671
Prayer Wes Ringering

Tithes & Offerings Local Church Budget Wes Ringering
Loose Offerings go to Offering of the Day

Lambs Offering Ed Brothers
Children's Story

Special Music John Byrd

Sermon "Which Is Easier?" Pastor Bledsoe

Closing Song "Jesus Paid It All" No. 184

Benediction Pastor Bledsoe
Postlude

To Serve You

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Please remain seated until ushered out

Please turn all electronic devices to silent.

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.

There will be a **Memorial Service for Frank Herbert**, today, Sept. 15th at 1pm.
VFW Post 9399, 133 N. Saguaro Dr.
Apache Junction, AZ 85120

Bags of Love: Monday, September 17, 2018, 9 am – 3 pm. We will rejoice in the new flooring in the room. Thank you to all who worked in emptying the room, taking out the old and putting in the new flooring, and filling the room back again. Come enjoy working together on projects for Bags of Love, Mats of Love, and Dog Pillows of Love. Bring your own lunch.

The **Adventurers Sonshine Singers** will be going to Apache Junction Care Center, not this Sabbath, but next Sabbath, 9-22-18. That is the 4th Sabbath of the month.

AZ Conference Men's Ministry Retreat will be Sept 28 – 30 at Camp Yavapines. The weekend speaker will be conference president Ed Keyes.

The **30th Arizona Women's Retreat** will be October 12 – 14 at Camp Yavapines, Prescott AZ. For more information and a registration form, see the bulletin board.

Water Bottles Collection Has Ended: Our Community Services project has ended with great success! Without your generous contributions, we could not bless others in this awesome way. Thank you!

Improvements in our church and social hall are in progress. See the newsletter for details and if you want to direct offerings and donations to defray expenses, mark your tithe envelope "Building and Improvements Fund".

Lower Division SS Class Promotions will be Sept. 29 in the Sanctuary during Family Time.

Enlight! A Sabbath School and Children's Ministries Weekend will be held at the Arizona Conference office in Scottsdale October 5-6, 2018 beginning at 7:00 pm Friday, ending at 5:00 pm Sabbath. Meals are free. Special guests are Curtis Hall and Norma Rocio Rojas. Registration deadline is September 20. INFO: Kingsley Palmer 480-991-6777 ext 112 or Chauve 480-991-6777 ext 113

Lower Divisions SS Classes:

Kindergarten: Age 0 thru kindergarten

Primary: Grades 1 – 4

Juniors: Grades 5 – 8

High School: Grades 9-12+

Greeters can direct you to the location of classrooms.

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: ajchurchbulletin@gmail.com or call Judy, 480-459-1633.

See the Bulletin Board:

Conference **Church Life** and **The Stewpot**

Meals of Love Request Cards and Participant Cards

CAAFAs fliers 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 \$65,000.00		
Monthly Budget	Sept. Received	Still Needed Sept.
\$5,417.00	\$1,580.97	\$3,836.03
Adobe Adventist Christian School School Year Budget \$72,000.00		
Monthly Budget	Sept. Received	Still Needed Sept.
\$6,000.00	\$2,606.79	\$3,393.21

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.

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 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 in the sound booth.

Sermons are also available on **YouTube**. Follow the link from the Apache Junction SDA Church website.

Sabbath Rest — Continues until 6:34 pm tonight. Next Sabbath's welcome is Friday at 6:26 pm.