

PRAYER CORNER

If you'd like your name or that of a loved one listed here, please email stjohns.sda.bulletin@gmail.com. We also include reminders of various needs to pray for.

This week, please pray for:

- Lee Best
- Kwadwo Agyapong & family
- David Parsley
- Those with September birthdays
- Ministry leaders/coordinators
- Outreach to Indigenous people
- Teachers and school administrators
- Students returning to school, college, and university

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Youth Gathering**
Tonight 6:30 pm
- **Pathfinders**
Sunday, Sept. 13, 2:30 - 5 pm
- **Divorce Care meeting**
Tuesdays at 7:00 pm
SDANL Office
- **Celebration**
Sabbath, October 19, 7-9 pm
- **Women's Retreat**
September 25 - 28
Woody Acres
- **Church Work Bee**
Sunday, October 4, 1-4 pm
- **Cooking Seminar**
Sunday, October 18, 3-5 pm

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St John's Seventh-day Adventist Church
Sabbath, September 12, 2026

Prayer, Study & Praise

10:00 – 10:45 am
Adult Lesson Study
Children's Classes

Sabbath School Classes
Margaret Moore
Downstairs

10:50 Praise Time

Justice Bortier



Worship Service

11:00 am

Welcome and Call to Worship	Onyekwere Oluoha
Opening Hymn	#286 <i>Wonderful Words of Life</i>
Scripture Reading	<i>Matthew 25: 10-13</i> Savior Kwiringirimana
Offering Call	<i>World Budge/Radio Ministries</i> Christopher Dempsey
Children's Story	Heather Burke
Children's Church	Kaitlynn, Kelley & Eva
Prayer Song	#671 <i>Now Dear Lord As We Pray</i>
Prayer	Pastor Etienne Harushimana
Special Music	Mitchel Moyo
Sermon	<i>Keep the Flame Burning</i> Pastor Etienne Harushimana
Closing Hymn	#321 <i>My Jesus, I Love Thee</i>
Benedicton	Pastor Etienne Harushimana

SUNSET THIS WEEK: 7:21pm
SUNSET NEXT WEEK: 7:06 pm

WELCOME to all who are here worshipping today, as well as those joining us online. May you receive a rich blessing as we gather together to praise God.

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFER: Today we have the recommendation of our Church Board for the first reading of the membership transfer for Esteban Quiyono Escobar, Olena Kolokolova, and Elena Alexandra Quiyono from our church to Iglesia Universitaria SDA Church, Montemorelos, Mexico. The second reading and vote will take place next Sabbath.

MEMBERSHIP: The Church Board is recommending we receive Ryan King Rwigamba Rwema, a Burman student being mentored by Pastor Etienne and baptized at Woody Acres Campmeeting 2025, into membership of our church.

DEACONS: Today we have the first reading of the recommendation of the Board to invite Owen Burke, Jeredie Nkeshimana, and Rod Santos-Diaz to serve as deacons. Second reading and vote next Sabbath.

YOUTH GATHERING: Calling all youth ages 10 - 16! Join us this evening at 6:30 pm for a fun pizza party, games, and brainstorming session as we share ideas and plan exciting activities together. We would love to see you there!

CELEBRATION: Sabbath, September 19 from 7 - 9 pm. Join us as we celebrate Shane and his new wife, Minelle! Bring a snack to share. Cake and drinks will be provided. Come celebrate and enjoy an evening together as a church family.

CHURCH WORK BEE: Tentative date Sunday, October 4, 1:00-4:00 pm.

JANITORIAL POSITION: After 45 years, Ed Pittman is retiring from cleaning our church. If you are interested in applying for this position, email eroomme@gmail.com by September 17.

SCHEDULE PREPARATION: Please let Margaret know by Sept 14 how you or your children would like to be scheduled to participate in the Worship Service for the 4th quarter.

CAMERA-FREE ZONE: Our services are livestreamed. If you do not want to appear on camera, please sit in the back five pews on the left (piano) side of the church.

NEXT WEEK (Sept. 19): Speaker: Onyekwere Oluoha

Welcome: Pastor Ken Corkum **Praise Time/Special Music:** Glory **Piano:** Carmen

Scripture/Offering/Children's Feature: Pathfinders

Children's Church: Jennifer, Sheralyn & Emma

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