

Mount Gilead Seventh-day Adventist Church

Newsletter 04 January 21, 2022



“For brethren, ye have been **called unto liberty**; only use not liberty for an occasion to the flesh, but **by love serve one another.**” Galatians 5:13

Birthdays in January



Bernard Orang - 1st
Monica Seetram - 6th
Uriah Michael Mugisha - 6th
Pauline Thompson - 8th
Angelena Jones - 9th
Faith Seetram - 14th
Braiden Hinds - 15th
Kenute Valentine - 15th
Jayda and Shantelle Hinds - 16th
Walter Ombonto – 23rd
Colin Smith - 24th
Orienthea Smith - 25th
Judith Kemunto – 25th
Remaline Shakes – 28th
Judith Hamilton - 30th
Tammy Stupecka - 30th

EVENTS FOR SABBATH, January 22, 2022

Religious Liberty Emphasis Day

- **Prayer Session: 9:30 a.m.**
- **Sabbath School: 10:00 a.m.**
- **Midday Service: 11:15 a.m.**

<https://zoom.us/j/7244241984?pwd=bjF1MU1BMDdheElqb3AzUjBGGeGxmUT09>

or phone **647-558-0588**

(tell those without computer)

Meeting ID: 724 424 1984

Passcode: 7525333

Children Ministry Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87960419155>

Meeting ID: 811 1706 1582

Passcode: 714816

Zoom Service for January 22, 2022

PRAYER SESSION 9:30 a.m.

Welcome/Opening Prayer..... Sis. Monica Seetram
Opening Hymn.....# 478
“Sweet Hour of Prayer”
Scripture Reading..... **Psalm 119:126**
Testimonies
Devotional Reading. **E.G. White - From the Heart**
“A Time for Prevailing Prayer”
Prayers
Closing Hymn.....# 529
“Under His Wings”

SABBATH SCHOOL 10:00 a.m.

Superintendent/ Welcome..... Sis. Linda Vitulli
Opening Hymn..... # 234 (video)
“Christ is the World’s Light”
Opening Prayer Sis. Linda Phillip
Mission Story Sis. Harriett Bynoe
Lesson Review Elder Yvonne Edwards
Closing Remarks..... Sis. Linda Vitulli
Closing Hymn.....# 499
“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”
Closing Prayer..... Sis. Paulette Burnett

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP 11:00 a.m.

Elder in Charge/Welcome..... Ainsworth Hinds
Pastor’s Corner..... Pastor, Dr. A. M. Reid
(Announcements/ Offertory)
Praise and Worship (623, 625)..... Chorister
Hymn of Praise# 71
“Come, Thou Almighty King”
Intercessory Prayer..... Sis. Monica Seetram
Children Story video
“The Faith Kids | Be Thankful”
Scripture Reading..... Bro. Osbourne Burnett
“Isaiah 43:1-4”
Music of Meditation
Sermon Pastor, Dr. A. M. Reid
“LAST WORDS”
Hymn of Consecration# 528
“A Shelter in the Time of Storm”
Benediction Pastor, Dr. A. M. Reid
Benediction Response Chorister
“Till We Meet Again”

Upcoming Events for Mount Gilead Church

Mount Gilead's Mission and Vision Statements

Vision: To see every member sharing Christ innovatively, meeting the needs of people, in readiness for His Second Coming.

Mission: To reach people within Toronto and its environs with the Everlasting Gospel of hope and wholeness.

All members are encouraged to memorize these and endeavour to make them a reality.

Theme for the year 2022: "Ready, Renew, Reclaim, Reconcile"

Scripture Passage, 2022: **Isaiah 6:8**

First Quarter: Ready

January: Spiritual Development

February: Family

March: Youth

The church will focus on Ministries rather than Departments.

- **Brief Board Meeting:** Monday, January 24 at 7:30 p.m.
- **Wednesday Night Revival Time:** January 26 at 7:00 p.m.
to be led by Sis Monica Seetram

Conference Midday Service: Sabbath, January 29
Sermon by **Pastor, Dr. Mansfield Edwards**

- **Christian Family:** February 5, Dr. Anthony Reid
- **Abuse Prevention:** February 12, Dr. Floyd Spence
- **Maintaining a Loving Family:** February 19, Dr. Andrew King
- **Youth Day:** March 19



MT GILEAD RANGER
PATHFINDER

Valentine's Bake Sale 2022

Selling cookies and brownies
both vegan and non-vegan
Small - \$2
Medium - \$5
Large - \$10

TO PLACE YOUR ORDER BY:
FEBRUARY 8, 2022
CALL, EMAIL, OR TEXT:
416-458-4017

The club will also be accepting donations



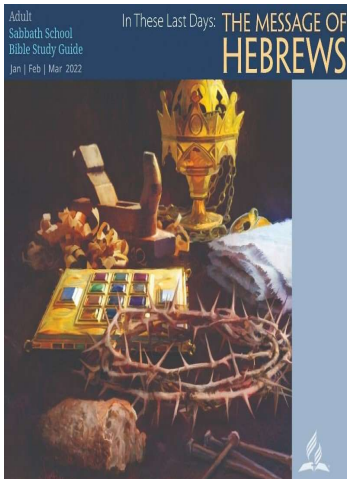
In this year's bake sale all proceeds will directly benefit the
pathfinders as they fundraise for camporee 2024.

- **Sabbath School Lessons for 1st Quarter 2022**

Some Adult Quarterlies have arrived.

You may contact Sis Eva Bekkout at 416-697-3736 to make arrangement for pick -up of quarterlies

You may study online at <https://ssnet.org>



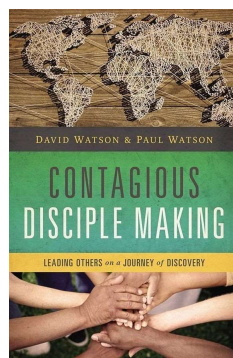
Lesson 4 - <https://ssnet.org/lessons/22a/less04.html>

Lesson 5 - <https://ssnet.org/lessons/22a/less05.html>

- **Contagious Disciple Making: 1st Sabbath of each month during Sabbath School.**

This is a Personal Witnessing Training in which we will learn how to become a **contagious disciple-maker**. There are easy and practical steps that should give joy in making disciples for the Kingdom of God.

All are welcome!



- The **Adopt a Member/Person of Interest Initiative** has the goal to develop missional and disciple-making skills among members and their friends.

If you want to be paired with a prayer partner, please contact Sister Eva Bekkout at 416-697-3736 / evabekkout@gmail.com or Elder Yvonne Edwards at 416-219-6451 / vonnemax@gmail.com.

Prayer Time

Sundays at 5:00 p.m. to pray for non-Adventist family members and friends with whom we want to share the Gospel and see them being baptized and prepared for the Kingdom of God. **All are welcome!**

Tuesday Bible Study/ Baptismal Class

Pastor Reid is conducting a Bible Class on **Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m.** It is primarily for non-members, so invite your friends to join the study class. You may attend if you wish to accompany your visitors.

Membership List Update

Members of Mount Gilead Church who have changed their address and phone number are asked to send the updates to Elder Melrose Cooley at nineteen4ever@msn.com to update the records.

MOUNT GILEAD SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH - Updates

Mount Gilead's upgraded website is now up and running
<https://mountgileadadventist.org/>

We encourage everyone to visit the website and subscribe.

Mount Gilead's New Location coming soon:
700 Kennedy Road, Scarborough, M1K 2B5

Mount Gilead's Official Email Address and Phone Number:
mtgilead@adventistontario.org
1-416-752-5333

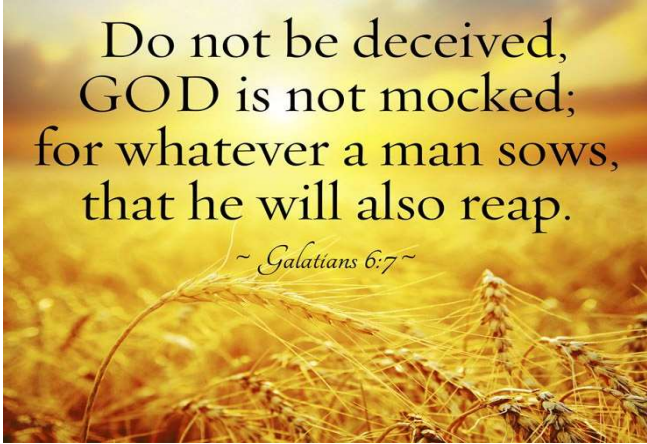
Mount Gilead SDA Facebook Page

<https://www.facebook.com/Mount-Gilead-SDA-104231751344124/>

Youtube Channel: Mount Gilead SDA Scarborough

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCD4nq7h1jwXAsxoDCWS5cow>

For Sermons & Special Music



Do not be deceived,
GOD is not mocked;
for whatever a man sows,
that he will also reap.

~ Galatians 6:7 ~

Different ways to return your Tithes and Offerings

1. Online Giving

All tithes and offerings may be sent by Online Giving at the Mount Gilead Church website www.mountgileadadventist.org

Please find the link to a video detailing the instructions for Canadian Adventists to give their tithes and donations online: <https://vimeo.com/405871292>

2. You may mail your cheque to the church's mailing address

The mailing address for Mount Gilead is:

**Mount Gilead Seventh-day Adventist Church
P O Box 51028
37 Eglinton Square
Scarborough, Ontario. M1L 4T2**

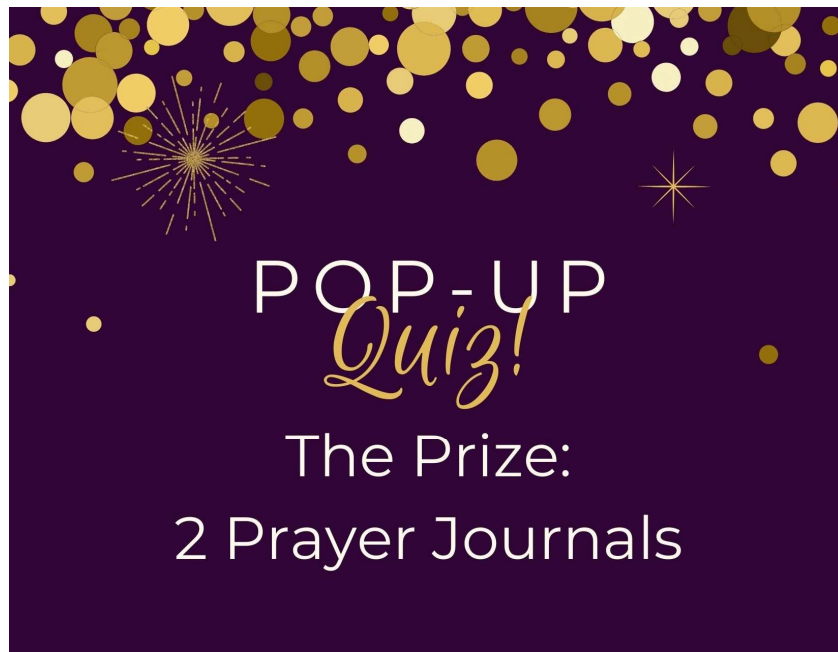
Write **Attention: Charlene** at the bottom left corner of your envelope
Elder Melrose Cooley picks up the mail every Friday.

3. Phone Pastor Reid at 416-752-5333 to pick it up from your home.

Health Corner

Godly Trust continued

As you all know, we have been placing an emphasis on Godly Trust during the month of January. Prayer and Bible study are keys to developing a personal relationship with God. When we draw closer to Christ, we experience a peace that surpasses all understanding. Writing out our prayers and requests is a great way to share our joys, pain, and gratitude with the One who cares and understands us the most. That is why we will be giving away two gifts to assist you along your walk with God.



The Prize: Prayer/Bible Study Journal

2 people will get 1 journal

How to Enter:

Step 1: Read through the Health Corner sections of the first and second newsletters of the year

Step 2: Complete the quiz below

Step 3: Email your answers to w_miles21@hotmail.com by Monday, January 24th at 9:00pm EST.

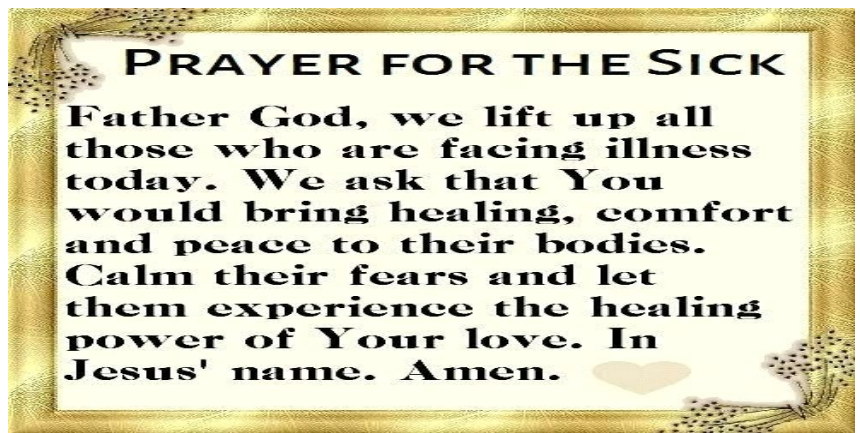
****Important**** Please include your mailing address in the email so your gift can be mailed out to you.
All the best!

Quiz:

1. What does NEW START stand for?
2. What Bible verse was used in the first newsletter?
3. Where does true joy and peace come from?

Bonus Entry:

Share what ways you will implement Godly Trust in your life.



Condolences:

To the Hinds Family. **Elder Ainsworth Hinds lost his cousin** this week. He who was like a brother to him.

Hospitalization:

- Suthlyn Pinnock are still in hospital.
Please continuously pray for their recovery.

Church Building for Rent:

Continue to pray as Mount Gilead finalizes rental plans for 700 Kennedy Road. You will be updated in due time.

Updated Prayer List

Prayers of thanksgiving to God and Mount Gilead Member for their prayers:

- **Kay Findleter** requesting baptism

New and continuous prayers for the following:

- Upcoming surgeries/ medical procedures: **Clorine McNeish-Weir** -January 31; **Dionne Mitchel**-Feb 7, **Pauline Thompson, Maureen Yearwood, Melrose Cooley, Ena Jones**
- Other Health Issues: **Pastor Reid, Sis. Maria De Lima, Elder Ainsworth Hinds, Pamela**
- Sis Tammy's husband **David**, for conversion
- Sis. Tammy's father who fell and badly hurt himself, but is recovering well
- Sis. Tammy's friend **Nick**, who is angry with God for allowing his brother to die.
- Sis. Janette Johnson's cousins **Phyllis Hinds** - in pain, **Sheila Johnson** - on dialysis
- Sis Monica's brother **Clarence Webster Jr.** and her sister **Laura**
- Sis. Roxie Richardson's brother, **Andrew.** (lung cancer, smoking addiction)
- Elder Ainsworth's aunt **Gwen Lions** who is still sick, and also **her oldest son passed away this week.**
- **Brian Joseph** - smoking problem, anxiety
- **Sis. Carolyn Hinds and her sister Charlene**
- Spiritual strength: The new members **Shantelle and Jayda Hinds, Sis. Mayerling Rivera, Bro. Horace Downer** and his wife **Annette** and also for **Bro. Darren Hibberd, George Hinds**
- God's Protection: Sis. Newell's nephew **Kirk, Elder Yvonne Edwards and family**
- Sis. Earlyn's sons **Ian and Jeremiah**
- The families of **Sis Ena Jones, Sis. Harriett Bynoe, the Rollins, the Lorde**

ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM ACROSS ONTARIO CONFERENCE

Metro East Regional Youth



TOWN HALL

Let's Talk: Youth Ministry & Regional Collaboration

SERIES OF MEETINGS:

Nov 20, 2021 || Jan 15, 2022

START TIME: 4:00PM

Zoom ID: 844 6359 8608 || Passcode: 329329





CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES DEPARTMENT PRESENTS





The WHY CARE ABOUT...? series
 TOPIC: **"Self Care"**

FUTURE TOPICS: "SELF-ESTEEM" & "CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS"

REGISTER AT: <https://bit.ly/whycareabout>

5:00 PM to 7:00 PM Eastern Time via ZOOM

Sunday January 30, 2022



DR. IDA SMITH
 ASSOCIATE PASTOR
 WINDALE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

HOST



DR. ALLAN CHICHESTER
 DIRECTOR - SABBATH SCHOOL, and CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES
 ONTARIO CONFERENCE OF THE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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CU 103 - How To Interpret The Bible And The Writings of Ellen G. White

FEBRUARY 6 & 20, 2022 and MARCH 6 & 20, 2022
SUNDAYS @ 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM / EASTERN (US & CANADA) VIA ZOOM
REGISTER AT: bit.ly/qualifiedsabbathschool

PRESENTER
DR. FITZROY MAITLAND
 Retired Dean of the Faculty of Religion And Theology
 University of the Southern Caribbean

HOST
DR. ALLAN CHICHESTER
 Director - Sabbath School, and Children's Ministries
 Ontario Conference of the Seventh-day Adventist Church

SCAN TO REGISTER








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**NOVEMBER 7, 2021 –
JANUARY 30
2022**

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SABBATH SCHOOL
ADULT TEACHER COURSES:**

**CU 102 - UNDERSTANDING YOUR
BIBLE**

**JOIN US
LIVE VIA**



PASTOR TODOR LEVTEROV
PASTOR OF THE RICHMOND HILL
SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2021
10:30 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2021
10:30 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 16, 2022
10:30 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 30, 2022
10:30 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M.



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THIS PROGRAM IS **FREE**

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REGISTER**

Health Retreat Coming up in March

Please pass along to anyone you think may be interested or benefited by it. I was blessed to be a part of the first one and it truly is a great program that touches on all aspects of health and healing.



March 13 - 20, 2022 / Camp Frenda, Port Carling, Ontario /

For more information and to sign up go to

<https://www.lifestylemed.org/events/owip-march2022>





Hi Friends,

I don't know about you, but often deep thoughts drift into my head when I lie in bed at night.

Does that ever happen to you, too?

Find out what neuroscientists have determined and how the Bible holds out a solution for how to deal with those deep thoughts.

Check it out!

[Why Do You Have Deep Thoughts at Night?](#)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yRiWrXi9FME> (2:06)



Blessings to you and your family,

Mike and René Lemon

Reminder:

All departments are encouraged to share plans and upcoming events as well as report on past activities, by sending an **email to mountgileadbuletin@gmail.com**, which we will then upload to the Bulletin or Newsletter. We welcome your news reports, poems, inspirational thoughts, prayer requests, testimonies, birthdays, anniversaries etc.

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