Mount Gilead Seventh-day Adventist Church

Newsletter 07

February 11, 2022



"Forbearing one another, and forgiving one another, if any man have a quarrel against any: even as Christ forgave you, so also do ye." Colossians 3:13



Birthdays in February

Colin Thompson – 2nd
Leanna Sohan - 2nd
Franklyn Seetram - 3rd
Kemeisha Campbell - 6th
Suthlyn Pinnock - 6th
Oshane Clayton – 7th
Roger Singh - 8th
Ena Sohan - 9th
Horace Downer – 14th
Myrna Lewis – 17th
Shauntae Amos - 19th
Gillian Mugisha - 22nd

Mya Stupecka- 28th

EVENTS FOR SABBATH, February 12, 2022

Prayer Session and Sabbath School via Zoom

Midday Service on You Tube

https://www.voutube.com/channel/UCD4ng7h1jwXAsxoDCWS5cow

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

https://zoom.us/j/7244241984?pwd=bjF1MU1BMDdheElqb3AzUjBGeGxmUT09

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 February 12, 2022

PRAYER SESSION 9:30 a.m.
Welcome/Opening Prayer Sis. Monica Seetram
Opening Hymn# 478
"Sweet Hour of Prayer" Scripture Reading
Testimonies
Devotional Reading E.G. White – Adventist Home
"The Eden Pattern"
Prayer
Closing Hymn# 532 "Day by Day"
Day by Day
SABBATH SCHOOL 10:00 a.m.
Superintendent/ WelcomeSis. Wendy Reid
Opening Hymn# 394
"Far From All Care"
Opening Prayer
Mission Story Sis. Judith Manwa
Lesson Review Sis. Eva Bekkout
Closing Remarks
Closing Hymn # 652
"Love at Home" Closing Prayer
Closing Trayer
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Upcoming Events for Mount Gilead Church

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

Mission Statement: 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

February: Family March: Youth

The church will focus on Ministries rather than Departments.

Mount Gilead begins limited in-person Worship Service

Mount Gilead Seventh-day Adventist church is starting limited in-person worship at **700 Kennedy Road**. Maximum capacity 50. All who intend to attend, must register on the church's website https://mountgileadadventist.org/
Scroll to the bottom of the home page and click on **REGISTER HERE**

Those without computer, who wish to attend in person, may phone Pastor Reid or ask a friend to register them online.



- Wednesday Night Revival Time: February 16 at 7:00 p.m. to be led by Sis. Tammy MacDonald-Stupecka
- **Board Meeting:** Tuesday February 15 at 7:30 p.m.
- Maintaining a Loving Family: February 19, Dr. Andrew King
- February 26: Pastor Halsey Peat
- Health Presentation: February 25 at 7:00 p.m.
 Topic "What's the Hype about the Omicron Variant?"





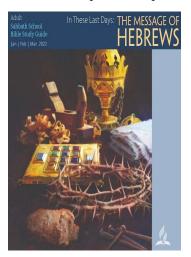
• Youth Day: March 19

Sabbath School Lessons for 1st Quarter 2022

All Adult Quarterlies have now arrived.

To make arrangement for pick-up of quarterlies, you may contact Sis. Eva Bekkout at 416-697-3736 or Pastor Reid at 416-752-5333.

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



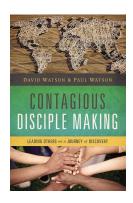
Lesson 7 - https://ssnet.org/lessons/22a/less07.html

Lesson 8 - https://ssnet.org/lessons/22a/less08.html

• Contagious Disciple Making: 1st Sabbath of each month during Sabbath School. Next presentation Feb. 5

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 New Location starting February 2022

We will be renting Grace Anglican Church 700 Kennedy Road, Scarborough, M1K 2B5

(a little south of Eglinton Avenue East)

We hope to start live streaming of the Midday Service from that location as of Sabbath, February 12.

Only participants will attend at first. More details to come.

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

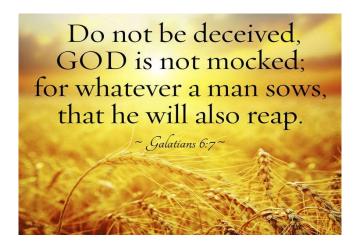
Mount Gilead SDA Facebook Page

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

Youtube Channel: Mount Gilead SDA Scarborough

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

For Sermons & Special Music



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



Fresh Air continued

Fresh air has an invigorating influence on both body and mind. The body benefits more from outdoors than from indoor exercise. Pure, fresh air benefits the body and mind in the following ways:

- Fresh air promotes a healthful circulation of the blood
- It refreshes and strengthens the body
- Pure air soothes the nerves-gives the mind composure and serenity
- It excites the appetite and helps the food to digest more perfectly
- Fresh air in the bedroom gives a good night's sleep

- God's Healing Way, p. 23



PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Father God, we lift up all those who are facing illness today. We ask that You would bring healing, comfort and peace to their bodies. Calm their fears and let them experience the healing power of Your love. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Updated Prayer List

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

- Sis. Dionne Mitchell had a successful eye surgery.
- Kay Findleter requesting baptism. Pray for her to remain steadfast in her decision for Christ.

New and continuous prayers for the following:

- For Mount Gilead Church to have a smooth return to in-person worship services
- For the church members to find persons of peace with whom they can share the gospel.
- Sis. Myrna Lewis: She fell and has check muscle bruise and check pain
- Sis. Ena Jones grand-daughter who is sick
- Lori Davis: huge clot in her leg and doctor say she could die of it.
- Pamela who has health issues with diabetes, high blood pressure and now contracted covid
- Bro. Rudolph Lewis- eye sight fading
- Sis. Linda Phillip's friend Gregory- needs a home to get out of the cold
- Clorine McNeish-Weir had surgery on January 31. Prayer her recovery
- Upcoming surgeries/ medical procedures: Roslyn Connaught, Pauline Thompson, Ena Jones, Maureen Yearwood, Melrose Cooley
- Other Health Issues: Pastor Reid, Sis. Maria De Lima, Elder Ainsworth Hinds
- For conversion: Sis. Tammy's husband David Stupecka, grocery cashier Monica in Thunder Bay, George Hinds
- 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's cousin, Sheila Johnson on dialysis
- Sis Monica Seetram'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 recently.
- Sis. Annette Tulloch feeling spiritual and physical weakness
- 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
- God's Protection: Sis. Newell's nephew Kirk, Elder Yvonne Edwards and family
- Sis. Earlyn's sons Ian and Jeremiah

ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM ACROSS ONTARIO CONFERENCE

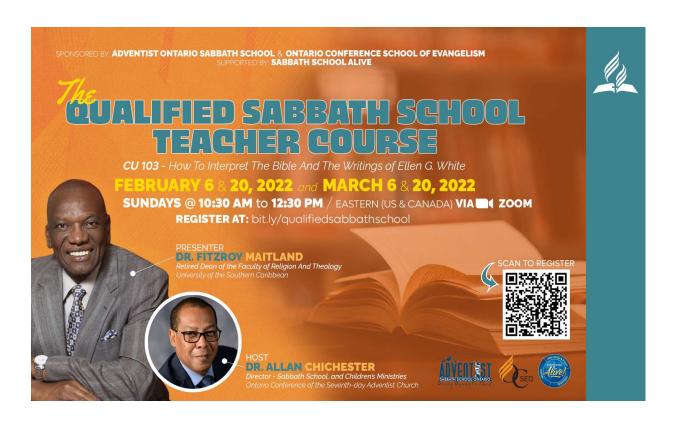


Mission and Leadership Summit

March 4-5, 2022

From 6:30-8:30 pm on Friday, and 4-7 pm on Sabbath







Hi Friends,

This Sabbath, February 12, 2022, the offering being taken throughout Canada is to support the work of *It Is Written Canada*.

Every week all across Canada on CTV, and over a dozen other networks throughout Canada and around the world, more than 100,000 people tune in to the *It Is Written Canada* broadcast. With its hosts, Mike and René Lemon, *It Is Written Canada* is committed to connecting Canadians to the abundant life found in Jesus in a way that is personal and relevant.

Through the faithful donations of people like you, *It Is Written Canada* has been able to send Bibles, study guides, and media resources to people throughout Canada and around the world.

Please, take a look at our <u>2022 Offering Appeal.</u> https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9cBXhIt67tQ



We would also like to share with you a music video featuring a song written and sung by Sanj Sukumaran.

Sanj wrote this song for his wife, Reema, who faced physical and emotional trauma. At a time when she was surrounded by fear, feeling like there was no way out, Jesus gave her strength, He gave her power, and He gave her peace.

You too will see how light always overcomes the darkness when you stand in His love.

We hope you will be blessed by this beautiful song of love: <u>Stand in Your Love https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eyo0UIBM8Ss</u>



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 mountgileadbulletin@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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