

Mount Gilead Seventh-day Adventist Church

700 Kennedy Road, Scarborough, ON, M1K 2B5

Newsletter 15

April 14, 2023



“If **we confess** our sins, **He is faithful** and just to **forgive us** our sins and to **cleanse us** from all unrighteousness.” 1 John 1:9 (NKJV)



Luz Cabrera - 3rd

Moses Eze - 5th

Avis Patterson - 8th

Reeba Hypolite - 11th

Brian Hinds - 14th

Laura Nunez-Sinnadurai - 16th

Darren Hibberd - 20th

Pastor Anthony Reid - 22nd

Paulette Burnett - 24th

EVENTS FOR SABBATH, April 15, 2023

- **Prayer Session:** 9:30 a.m. (Zoom)
- **Sabbath School:** 10:00 a.m. (In-person, Zoom)
- **Midday Service:** 11:15 a.m. (In-person, YouTube, Zoom)

Zoom Meeting information

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

or phone **647-558-0588**

Meeting ID: 724 424 1984

Passcode: 7525333

Children Ministry Zoom Meeting

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

Meeting ID: 811 1706 1582

Passcode: 714816

Mount Gilead Website: <https://mountgileadadventist.org/>

Mount Gilead YouTube link for Live Streaming

<https://www.youtube.com/@mountgileadsdascarborough1975/streams>

Mount Gilead Facebook Page

<https://www.facebook.com/mountgsdatoronto/>

Sabbath Services for April 15, 2023

PRAYER SESSION 9:30 a.m.

Welcome/Opening Prayer Sis. Monica Seetram
Opening Song **“Sweet Hour of Prayer”** (478) Congregation/Chorister
Testimonies
Devotional Reading **“Moments with God”** by Brenda Walsh
“Wait Patiently”
Prayer
Closing Hymn **“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”** (334) Congregation/Chorister

SABBATH SCHOOL 10:00 a.m.

Superintendent/ Welcome Bro. Edmond Francois
Opening Song Congregation/Chorister
“Lift Him Up” (371)
Opening Prayer
Lesson Review Elder Ainsworth Hinds
Closing Remarks Bro. Edmond Francois
Closing Song Congregation/Chorister
“Hark! the Voice of Jesus Calling” (359)
Closing Prayer
Personal Ministry Item

MIDDAY WORSHIP SERVICE 11:00 a.m.

Welcome/ Elder in Charge Yvonne Edwards
Pastor’s Notes Dr. Anthony Reid
Call to Worship Sis. Wanda Miles
Introit Pianist/Chorister
“We Have Come into His House”
Invocation Dr. Jakov Bibulovic
Opening Song Congregation/Chorister
“Praise Him! Praise Him!” (249)
Prayer Appeal/Chorus Praise Team
“God is Here”
Intercessory Prayer Elder Ainsworth Hinds
Children Story video
“Meeting Christ in Prison- Part 2”
Offering Dr. Anthony Reid
Congregational Scripture Sis. Jayda Hinds
“Mark 4:26-29” (NKJV)
Praise and Worship (109, 526) Praise Team
Introduction of Speaker Dr. Anthony Reid
Meditation Sis. Charlene Hinds
Sermon Dr. Jakov Bibulovic
“HEALTHY FOR THE HARVEST”
Consecration Song Congregation/Chorister
“Hover O’er Me, Holy Spirit” (260)
Benediction Dr. Jakov Bibulovic
Blessing Pianist/Chorister
“Till We Meet Again”



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.

2023 THEME: Grow 101

Theme Text:

2 Peter 3:18; 1 Peter 2:2-3

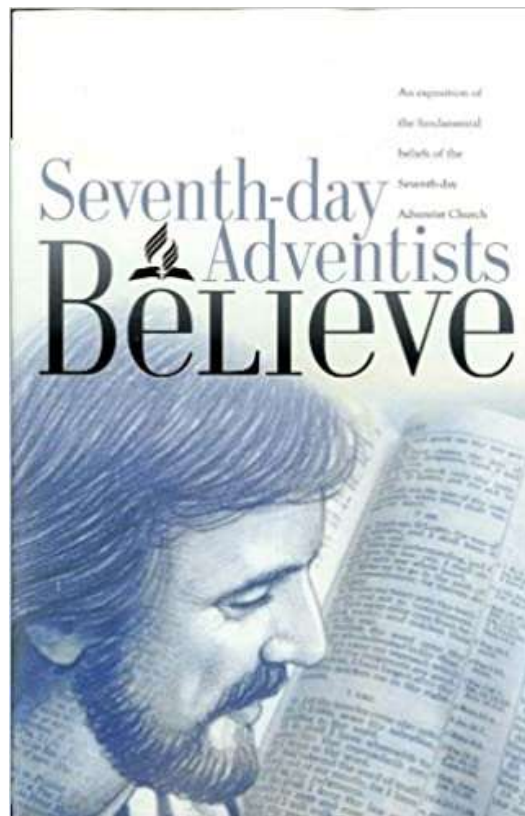
NURTURING (MEMBER) Goal 1: To see members experiencing healthy personal spiritual growth that inform their passion for sharing the gospel collaboratively in mission (for the community).

SHARING (MISSION) Goal 2: To engage and interact with the external clientele through practical activities that will expose and invite them to embrace the love of Christ.

1st Quarter Theme: “Growing in the Holy Spirit”

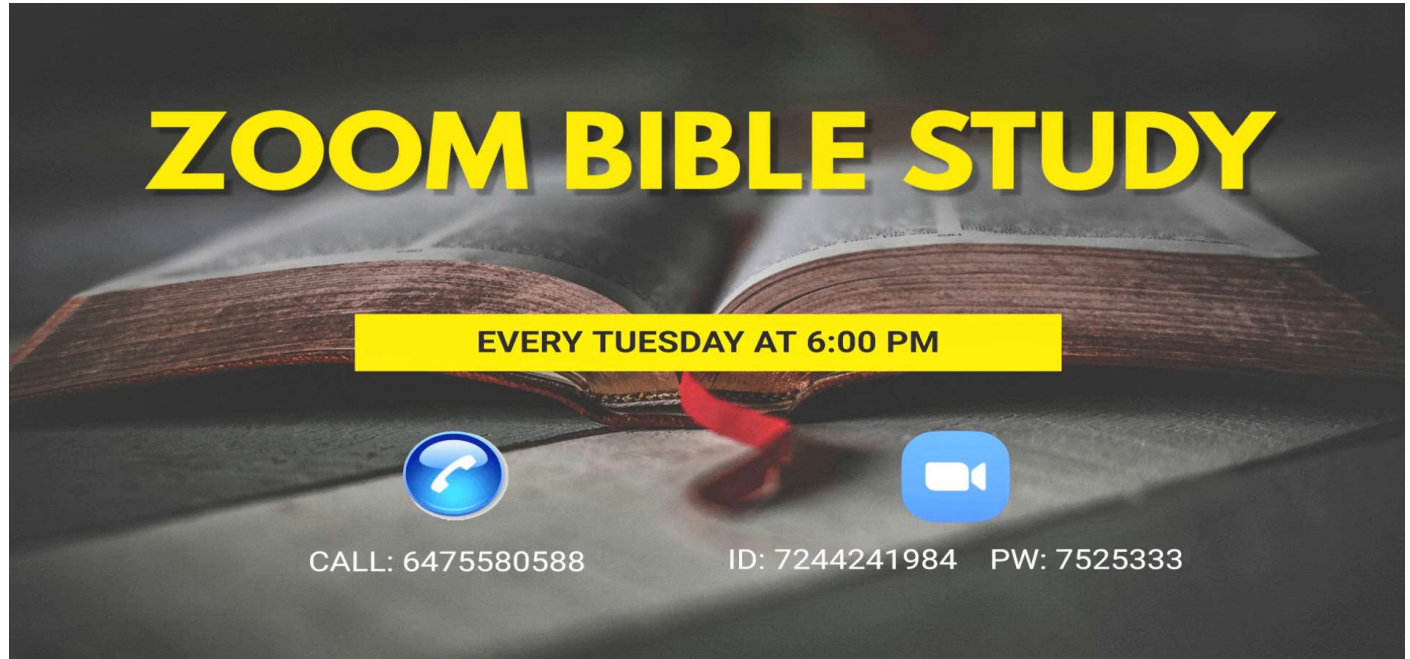
Upcoming Events for Mount Gilead Church

- **Presentation of Church Survey Results: April 15**
Pastor Jakov Bibulovic, the VP for Administration/ Executive Secretary of Ontario Conference, will attend Mount Gilead to present and discuss the results of the recent Church Survey.
- **Wednesday Mid-Week Revival: April 19 at 7:00 p.m.**
Speaker: **Elder Yvonne Edwards**
Topic: “Developing Spiritual Discernment”: 1 Corinthians 2:14
Coordinator: Pastor Anthony Reid
Welcome and Opening Prayer: Sis. Linda Vitulli
- **Bible Class: Sabbath afternoons from 5-6 p.m. starting soon**
We will use the updated booklet “Seventh-day Adventists Believe” then “Discipleship Handbook”





- **Prayer Time/ Bible Study – Sundays at 5:00 p.m.**
Study continues: Daniel 9
Praying for non-Adventist family members and friends.
All are welcome!

Bible Study for Non-members



ZOOM BIBLE STUDY

EVERY TUESDAY AT 6:00 PM

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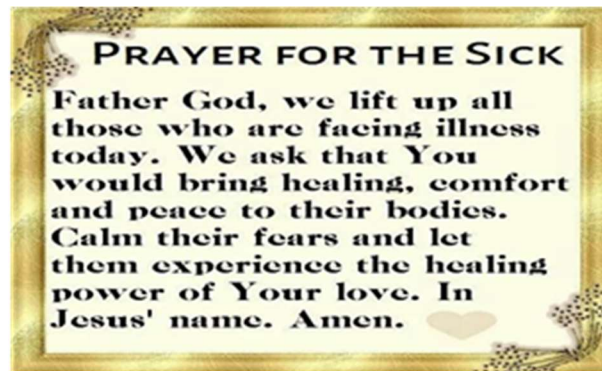
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YouTube Link for Bro. Renel Sohan's Funeral Service

held Wednesday April 12 at Scarborough Seventh-day Adventist Church

<https://www.youtube.com/live/vX6AVINpC90?feature=share>



Special Prayers for:

- **Sis. Janette's cousin Cameron** who came out of a coma but still in hospital
- **Nephew of Pastor Reid's friend** on life support
- **Sharon Gooding, Julle Hinds, Samuel Alleyne, Adajee and Azaina Baby Kameron Bynoe and parents**
- **Charlene Hinds' brother Sean**, who is seeking a job.
- **Maria's cousin Sabrina** and husband **Nobert Lorde** who recently lost close family.
- **Elder Ainsworth Hinds and family:** His mother **Melviner Hinds**, Uncle **Lloyd Reid** (kidney failure), Aunt **Gwyneth Lyons** (recovering from surgery)
- **Some people in Eva's Outreach Group** who are having a rough time: **Flavia, Heidi, Craig, Janel, Mary, Helena and Matt**
- **Marie Slark** who has stage 4 cancer
- **Youth of our church** to remain devoted to God
- **Janette's brothers** to return to God
- **Sis. Newell's family** that the Holy Spirit will abide with them
- **Those suffering natural disasters world-wide**

Continuous Prayers for shut-ins and sick members:

Jean Barclay, Flo Brown, Floretta Calendar, Roslyn Connaught, Carolyn Hinds, Melviner Hinds, Janette Johnson, Rudolph and Myrna Lewis, Clorine McNeish-Weir, Dionne Mitchell, Suthlyn Pinnock, Amanda Reid, Remaline Shakes, Pauline Thompson, Peter Toppin



Reach out and touch the Lord
As He passes by
You'll find He's not too busy
To answer your cry
He's passing by this moment
Your needs to supply
Reach out and touch the Lord
As He passes by

ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM ACROSS ONTARIO CONFERENCE

HE CONQUERED

A series of eight Christ-centred evangelistic sermons



The Seventh-day Adventist Church in Canada is making available a series of sermons based on the theme of the cosmic conflict between good and evil, focusing on what Jesus has done and is doing to save us for eternity. We know that Jesus conquered it all, even death, and is more than able to help us be overcomers too.

These eight Christ-centred sermons can be preached any time of the year—including around Easter—either as a series or separately. The sermons are offered in a PDF booklet with an accompanying PowerPoint presentation for each sermon. You can also download the appeal card, a poster, and an invitation flyer. All resources are available in [English](#), [French](#), [Spanish](#) and [Portuguese](#).

Please [click here](#) to visit the downloads page.

<https://www.adventist.ca/resources/he-conquered/>

We hope that you will find these resources useful and that pastors as well as lay preachers will use them to tell the wonderful story of Jesus and His love.

Evaldo Vicente

Communication Director

Seventh-day Adventist Church in Canada



JOB POSTINGS

The Seventh-day Adventist Church in Canada (SDACC) office is seeking resumes from those interested in applying for the following position:

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR FOR SECURITY

The person will have the primary responsibility for security of the SDACC IT systems, as well as working with the SDACC Conferences/Mission, Institutions, and Entities to ensure the security of their systems.

Full job description is available by emailing chant.keith@adventist.ca

Interested applicants are invited to submit their resume to Keith Chant

Email: chant.keith@adventist.ca

Mail: 1148 King Street East, Oshawa, ON L1H 1H8

Applicants should be Seventh-day Adventists in regular standing.

Blessings,

Cathy Guenin-Anderson
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DISCIPLESHIP
REFLECTIONS

"But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who dilligently seek Him."

(Hebrews 11:6, NKJV)

Persistent Disciples

There are many professed disciples who are "graceful failures." They don't demand anything of God and, in fact, expect nothing. Usually, they get what they expect: nothing. Many people accept failure as God's will when it isn't.

The Bible says that God wants to bless us and wants us to ask of Him. We must believe that God wants to bless and reward us. Read Hebrews 11:6.

And, until God individually convicts someone that His plan is otherwise, we are not to accept failure. If you believe you should accept failure, you should read Christ's parables in Luke 11:5-13 and Luke 18:1-8. One of God's principles for His disciples is persistence in the face of discouragement.

Satan wants you to fail. He will plant a dark thought in your mind and then "fertilize" it daily. But you don't have to listen to him. God's Word says plainly to resist the enemy and his tricks. The Bible is full of encouragement.

As a faithful disciple, do you trust God, or do you just say you trust God?



Reminder: All Mount Gilead Ministries 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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