Mount Gilead Seventh-day Adventist Church

700 Kennedy Road, Scarborough, ON, M1K 2B5

Newsletter 46

November 17, 2023



"And Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life. He who comes to Me shall never hunger, and he who believes in Me shall never thirst." John 6:35 (NKJV)



November Birthdays

Lida Gatarin - 7th

Carol Ramsey - 10th

Norma Thompson - 12th

Kenneth Crawford - 12th

Diana Rodriguez - 14th Eugene Rodgers - 16th

Carril Cornelius – 17th

Helen Redman – 18th

Breanna Hinds – 19th

Yvonne Edwards - 21st

 $Linda\ Phillip-22^{nd}$

Gemma King – 23rd

Pauline Bell - 24th

Kathy-Ann Burke - 25th

Janette Johnson – 27th

Terence Clayton - 27th

Joshua Amanya- 28th

EVENTS FOR SABBATH, November 18, 2023

• No Prayer Session: 9:30 a.m. (Zoom)

• Community Breakfast: 9:45 a.m. (Auditorium)

• Midday Service: 11:15 a.m. (Sanctuary, Zoom, YouTube)

Zoom Meeting information

 $\underline{https://zoom.us/j/7244241984?pwd=bjF1MU1BMDdheElqb3AzUjBGeGxmUT09}$

or phone 647-558-0588

Meeting ID: 724 424 1984 **Passcode:** 7525333

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

Mount Gilead YouTube link for Live Streaming

https://www.youtube.com/@mountgileads das carborough 1975/streams

Mount Gilead Facebook Page

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

Sabbath Services for Nov. 18, 2023

COMMUNITY BREAKFAST 9:45 a.m.

MIDDAY WORSHIP SERVICE 11:15 a.m.

Musical Prelude

Opening Music

Welcome

Prayer (including blessing of the food)

(Instrumental music)

Poem – Sis. Janette Johnson

Breakfast/Ice Breakers

Musical Interlude

Prayer Requests

Music

Tokens to Visitors

Closing Prayer

Music

Introit Pianist/Chorister "We Have Come into His House" Invocation Pastor Sil Lindo "As Pants the Hart" (113) "God is Here" Intercessory Prayer Elder Howard Shaw Children Storyvideo "Piano, Pathfinders, and Jesus" Offertory Elder Julie-Ann Newell "Acts 2:7-8" (NKJV) Sermon Pastor Sil Lindo "WHAT IS MISSING?" "Holy Spirit, Light Divine" (268)

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.



Upcoming Events for Mount Gilead Church

• Community Breakfast/ Community Connect: Nov. 18 at 9:45 a.m.



AV Team and Hospitality members to be at the church by 8:30 a.m.

- Bible Study/ Prayer: Sunday, November 19 at 5:00 p.m. (Revelation)
- **Board Meeting:** Tuesday, November 21 at 7:30 p.m.
- Wednesday Mid-Week Revival: November 22 at 7:00 p.m.

Presenter: Elder Ainsworth Hinds

Topic: "Christ Calls for Unity" - John 17:21

Coordinator: Elder Yvonne Edwards Welcome/Prayer: Sis. Charlene Hinds

- Master Schedule for first Quarter 2024: Due November 30, 2023 All department heads should plan their program schedules and submit information to Elder Howard Shaw at mountgileadelders@gmail.com and cc Elder Yvonne Edwards at mountgileadbulletin@gmail.com by the end of November. This implies that the schedule for January to March 2024, may be published by the middle of December 2023.
- Members' Meeting: December 2 at 3:30 p.m. in the Auditorium. All Mount Gilead members should attend this business meeting.

• Youth Day: Dec. 9

- Community Christmas Dinner: Saturday night, December 16 (more information to follow)
- Communion: December 3 during Midday Service

Volunteers Needed

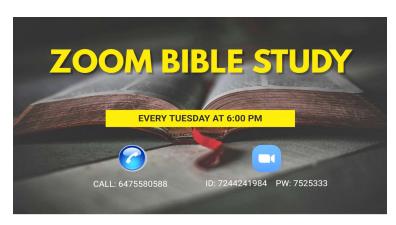
We are looking for volunteers to lead worship on the 2nd and 4th Sabbaths of each month at 2:30 p.m. for the residents of the Craiglee Nursing Home at 102 Craiglee Drive (near Kingston Rd. and Midland Ave.).

Please contact Eva Bekkout (416-697-3736) or a member of Personal Ministries to participate. Blessings!

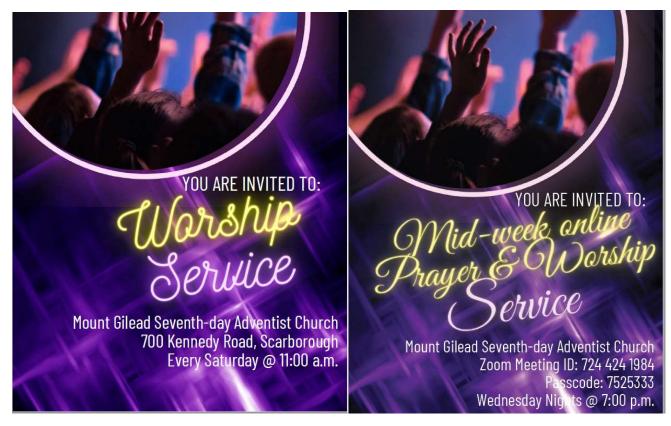
Health Presentations (Coming soon on Zoom)

The 4th Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

Bible Study for non-Adventist members (Starting soon)







Please share these with your family and friends to invite them to church.



Emails Addresses to Use for Church Correspondences

mountgileadadventist@gmail.com (new official church email)
mountgileadelders@gmail.com (to correspond with elders)
mountgileadbulletin@gmail.com (to submit Bulletin and Newsletter information)
mountgileadboard@gmail.com (to submit agenda items for Board Meeting)
Mt.Gileadpathfinders@gmail.com (for Pathfinder Club issues)



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.

Testimonies - Thanks for all your prayers.

- Bro. Colin Thompson (discharged from hospital and recovering well)
- Clorine's older sister (successful surgery on Nov. 14)
- Sis. Yvonne's son, Oshane (recovered from Bell's Palsy)
- Sis/ Roxie's nephew **Andrew** (recovering well after being chopped)
- Sis. Dionne Mitchell (successful eye surgery)
- Sis. Suthlyn Pinnock (recently discharged from hospital)
- Sis. Pauline Thompson (recovered from illness and got a job this week)

Special Prayer for:

- **Bro. Neville Smith** (eye problems)
- Mary, Maria's friend who is in pain
- Mayerling Rivera's neighbours (children facing hardship, mother on drugs)
- Tammy Stupecka (successful eye surgery) and her husband David (with addictions)
- Maria DeLima (facing hardship) and her brother, Clemente (in rehab)
- Monica's sister **Ruth** (facing problems), brother **Clarence** (memory loss)
- Pastor Lindo's friend Edna from Sault Ste. Marie and her sick daughter.
- Josephine Johnson's son in hospital
- Jehan DeAlwis (in wheelchair, prayer for healing)
- Janette Johnson's nieces Sheryne & Victoria (ill)
- Janette's cousins Julle, (cancer), Sheila (pain) & Evelyn (eyes, swollen feet)
- Melanie Walters & her mother (sick)
- Gemma King (in chronic pain; pray for God to keep her faithful)
- Ena Jones's sister (sick with stroke)
- Youth of our church to remain devoted to God
- The people suffering from Israel/Hamas war and Russia/Ukraine war.
- Those suffering natural disasters world-wide

Continuous Prayers for the shut-ins and sick members:

Jean Barclay, Flo Brown, Paulette Burnett, 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



Announcements from Across Ontario Conference

Health is the Greatest Wealth

As Seventh-day Adventists, health principles are part of our heritage. For over 150 years, Adventists have drawn people to Christ through sharing and living the health message.

This week's video highlights how Hope Channel Canada will feature the right arm of the gospel proclamation in its programming.

Thank you for your support.

This Sabbath morning, please play the video found on the link below. There's also a graphic about the launch of Hope Channel Canada.

To watch on YouTube,

To download the video file and graphic from the link

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uPPQ3UCxvRY

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office at communication@adventist.ca.

Additionally, a longer version of the weekly videos on our YouTube channel can be accessed at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCBVityYGtLwzPZyOtCA-Akg

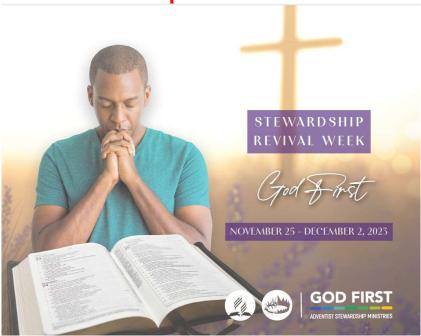
God bless you and keep you strong in your ministry.

Evaldo Vicente

Communication Director

Seventh-day Adventist Church in Canada

Stewardship Week and Stewardship Sabbath



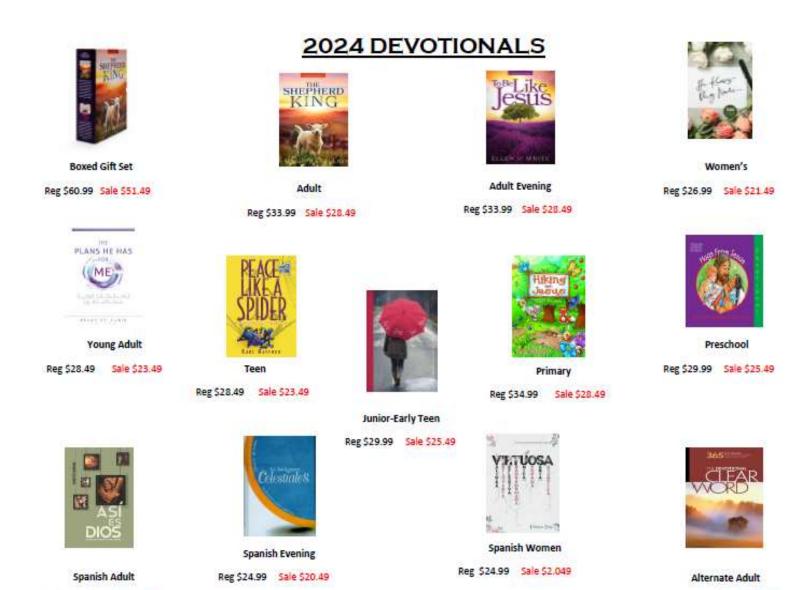
The Conference is seeking stewardship stories, testimonies, and/or high quality 2-4 minute long videos, that can be placed on the Conference's Stewardship website: including youth and children expressing how they practice being faithful stewards. Also, some of these videos can include your worship or devotional life, how you share faith, how you view God's grace in your life, and how you participate in the financing of God's mission, based upon His blessings.

Kindly contact the department if you have any questions. (905) 571 1022 ext. 204

Hope is Coming!



Hope Channel Canada will be a comprehensive media ministry, available on mobile apps, on the web, on cable TV and on the Roku app. Moreover, Hope Channel Canada will be home to all media ministries of the SDACC.



SALES END JANUARY 31st 2024 NO EXCEPTIONS!!!

Reg \$47.69 Sale \$38.49

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abcchristianbookstore.com or call 905-579-2311,

Toll- Free 1-800-263-3791

Reg \$24.99 Sale \$20.49

Ontario Conference Ministries Convention - March 23, 2024



The Ontario Conference Ministries Convention is back, and it's happening March 22-23, 2024! Get ready to immerse yourself in valuable training, inspiration, and networking.

The Conference is working to craft a program and workshops that will empower your ministry. Whether you're an experienced ministry leader or someone eager to take their first step, this convention is tailored for you.

There will also be special group discounts to encourage your church ministry teams or groups of friends to attend.

Many more details are to come, so stay tuned and be sure to place March 22-23, 2024, on your calendar for the Ontario Conference Ministries Convention.

Pastor Shawn Ellis
Director of Communications and Media

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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