

# Mount Gilead Seventh-day Adventist Church

700 Kennedy Road, Scarborough, ON, M1K 2B5

## Newsletter 36 September 6, 2024



**“For the eyes of the Lord are on the righteous, And His ears are open to their prayers; But the face of the Lord is against those who do evil.” 1 Peter 3:12 (NKJV)**



### September Birthdays

Jodi-Ann Davis - 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Sherryann Hinds - 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Gary Cooley - 4<sup>th</sup>  
Vincent Black - 6<sup>th</sup>  
Natalie Kelly - 6<sup>th</sup>  
Carmelia Marshall - 9<sup>th</sup>  
Milton Mullings - 12<sup>th</sup>  
Jennice Hinds - 17<sup>th</sup>  
Tishauna Virgo - 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Leena Greenidge - 24<sup>th</sup>  
Melviner Hinds - 26<sup>th</sup>

### EVENTS FOR SABBATH, September 7, 2024

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

### **Zoom Meeting information**

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

or phone **647-558-0588**

**Meeting ID:** 7244241984

**Passcode:** 7525333

**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 September 7, 2024

### PRAYER SESSION 9:30 a.m.

Welcome/Opening Prayer .....	Sis. Paulette Burnett
Opening Song: <b>“Marching to Zion”</b> (422).....	Congregation/Chorister
Testimonies .....	
Devotional Reading <b>“The Marching to Victory”</b> .....	Bro. Osbourne Burnett
(from <b>“That We May Know Him”</b> p.253 - E.G. White)	
Closing Hymn: <b>“Victory in Jesus”</b> .....	Congregation/Chorister

### SABBATH SCHOOL 10:00 a.m.

Superintendent/Welcome .....	Sis. Herfa Shaw
Opening Song <b>“We Know Not the Hour”</b> (604) .....	Congregation/Chorister
Opening Prayer .....	Sis. Linda Phillip
Mission Story .....	Joshua and Jakan Amanyana
<b>Lesson Review</b> .....	Elder Howard Shaw
Closing Remarks .....	Sis. Herfa Shaw
Closing Song <b>“Hold Fast, Till I Come”</b> (600).....	Congregation/Chorister
Closing Prayer.....	Sis. Jasmine Hinds

### MIDDAY WORSHIP SERVICE 11:15 a.m.

Welcome/ Announcements .....	Elder Yvonne Edwards
Pastor’s Notes .....	Pastor Sil Lindo
Hope Channel Canada Promo .....	video
Call to Worship .....	Jayda Hinds
Introit <b>“I Will Enter His Gates”</b> .....	Pianist/Chorister
Invocation .....	Pastor Sil Lindo
Opening Hymn <b>“Jesus is Coming Again”</b> (213).....	Congregation/Chorister
Prayer Appeal/Chorus <b>“He Is Here”</b> .....	Praise Team
Intercessory Prayer.....	Elder Howard Shaw
Children Story: <b>“Seven Special Servants”</b> .....	video
Offertory .....	Elder Howard Shaw
Scripture Reading <b>“Revelation 12:15-17”</b> (NKJV) .....	Sis. Fortunate Amanyana
Praise Time (512, 523).....	Praise Team
Music of Meditation.....	Sis. Charlene Hinds
<b>Sermon</b> .....	Pastor Sil Lindo
<b>“IT IS LATER THAN YOU THINK”</b>	
Closing Hymn <b>“’Tis Almost Time for the Lord to Come”</b> (212) .....	Congregation/Chorister
Benediction .....	Pastor Sil Lindo
Blessing <b>“Let the Church Say Amen”</b> .....	Pianist/Chorister



## **Theme for 2024 – “I Will Go”**

### **3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Theme – “Partnering with the Holy Spirit”**

**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.

**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.

### **Emails Addresses to Use for Church Correspondences**

**[mountgileadadventist@gmail.com](mailto:mountgileadadventist@gmail.com)** (new official church email)

**[mountgileadelders@gmail.com](mailto:mountgileadelders@gmail.com)** (to correspond with Head Elder)

**[mountgileadbulletin@gmail.com](mailto:mountgileadbulletin@gmail.com)** (to submit Bulletin and Newsletter information)

**[mountgileadboard@gmail.com](mailto:mountgileadboard@gmail.com)** (to submit agenda items for Board Meeting)

**[Mt.Gileadpathfinders@gmail.com](mailto:Mt.Gileadpathfinders@gmail.com)** (for Pathfinder Club issues)

## Upcoming Events for Mount Gilead Church

- **Venue changed for Children Sabbath School: September 7**  
Children Sabbath School room will not be available on Sabbath so, children are advised to stay upstairs for Sabbath School.  
**The host church will be having a meeting in that room from 10 a.m. -12 noon so all persons using the basement should be quiet during those two hours.**
- **Wednesday Evening Prayer Power Hour: Sep. 11 at 7:00 p.m.**  
Presenter: **Sis. Paulette Burnett**  
Reading from the book “Steps to Personal Revival” Chapter 2  
Sub-heading: “WHAT COULD HAPPEN WHEN SOMEONE TRIES TO DO SOMETHING THAT EXCEEDS THEIR STRENGTH?” (page 44)
- **Sunday Prayer and Bible Study: Sun. Sep. 8 at 5:00 p.m.**  
Topic: Revelation 12
- **Pathfinder Induction Service: Sabbath, Sep.14**  
This will be between Sabbath School and Midday Service so, Sabbath School should end by 10:45 a.m.
- **Master Schedule for 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter 2024: Due Wednesday, Sep. 18**  
Submit information to Elder Howard Shaw at [mountgileadelders@gmail.com](mailto:mountgileadelders@gmail.com) and cc Elder Yvonne Edwards at [mountgileadbulletin@gmail.com](mailto:mountgileadbulletin@gmail.com).
- **Health Presentation: Thursday, September 26 at 7:30 p.m.**  
Topic: **The Importance of Detoxing**  
Speaker: **Carolyn Nichol**, Certified Holistic Nutritionist  
(Please note the start time is 7:30 p.m. and not the usual 7:00 p.m.)
- **Pastor Lindo on Vacation: September 25 to October 6**
- **The 50 Days of Prayer: October 12 to November 30**  
Meetings will be on Zoom at 5:00 a.m. except Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. and Sabbath mornings at 9:30 a.m. when we either meet in person or on Zoom.  
**This is in preparation for Pentecost 2025 to be launched by the Conference.**

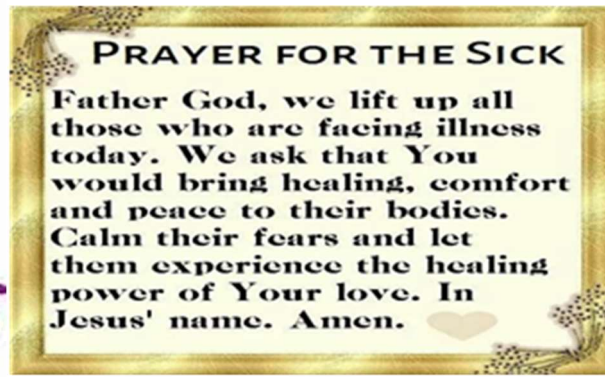


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- 2 Mail your cheque to 37 Eglington Square  
Scarborough, On, M1L 4T2  
PO Box 51028
- 3 In person or call 416 752 5333

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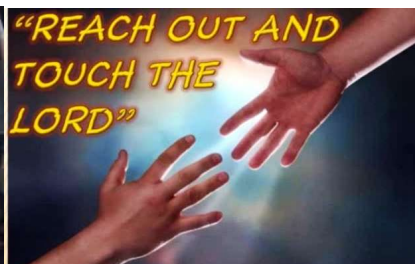


### Special Prayer for:

- **Roy Perrotte** (not well)
- **Dionne Mitchell** (not well after her fall)
- **Annette Tulloch** (in rehab)
- **Bro. Hailu Girma** (in hospital)
- **Pastor Sil Lindo and family** (sister & brother ill in USA)
- **Ashley** (Kendrea Harris's sister, has occasional seizures)
- **Clemente** (Maria De Lima's brother, in CAMH)
- **Geraldine** (Sis. Cooley's friend, diagnosed with early dementia)
- **Lamine** (Eva Bekkout's husband, **Emilso** (her brother)
- **Jehan DeAlwis** (in wheelchair, prayer for healing)
- **Other ill persons: Melanie's mother, Mayerling Rivera, Janette's family, Monica's brother Clarence, Frank's nephew Shamar**
- **Families who are grieving** the loss of loved ones.
- **Youth of our church to remain devoted to God**
- **The people suffering from wars**
- **Those suffering natural disasters world-wide**

### Continuous Prayers for the shut-ins and sick members:

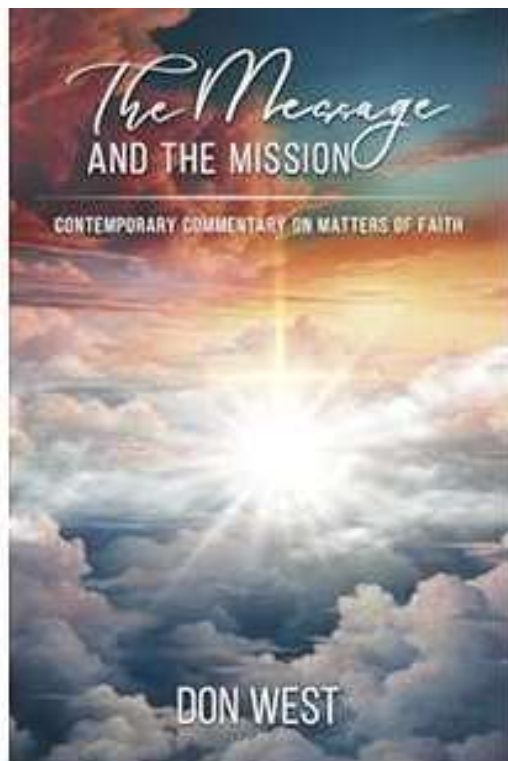
**Flo Brown, Paulette Burnett, Floretta Calendar, Roslyn Connaught, Ken and Marjorie Crawford, Carolyn Hinds, Melviner Hinds, Janette Johnson, Rudolph and Myrna Lewis, Clorine McNeish-Weir, Dionne Mitchell, Suthlyn Pinnock, Amanda Reid, Pauline Thompson, Peter Toppin**



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

## Pastor Don West has published a new book “The Message and the Mission”



What is the true purpose of the church in today's world? Does secularism possess the same appeal as it did in its initial emergence as an alternative worldview? How should we handle internal and external controversies as disciples of Christ? What is the nature of true religious liberty? Is the gospel of Jesus Christ truly "the power of God to salvation?" How can we share Jesus with searching, anxious and marginalized people, even while going about the mundane activities of everyday life? In *The Message and the Mission*, Don West explores these and many other matters which, in one way or another, have some bearing upon our Christian experience and witness. Each chapter conveys his firm conviction that Jesus Christ and His unchanging truth constitute the only dependable Source of guidance, hope and light in an increasingly dark and confused age. Fidelity to this Truth brings lasting liberty and will culminate in the ultimate deliverance.

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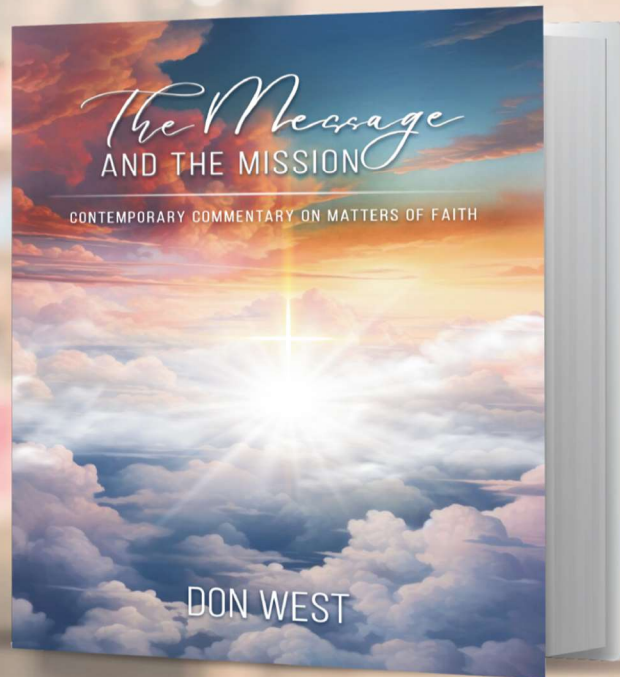
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October  
19-20, 2024

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**Ontario-Wide  
Medical Missionary  
Conference**

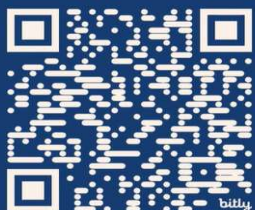
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**For inquiries:**

 **905-571-1022**

Health Ministries  
Ontario Conference of the Seventh-day Adventist Church



# Watch for Fresh Canadian Content on Hope Channel Canada Starting October 3, 2024

Dear friend,

You've been waiting for *Canadian* content on Hope Channel Canada... The wait is over! We're so excited to announce that *Canadian* content on Hope Channel Canada will go live beginning October 3, 2024! We've been working hard to prepare relatable, quality content for viewers coast to coast to coast.

**This Sabbath morning, please play the video found on the link below.**

To watch on YouTube in English, [click here](#).

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office at [communication@adventist.ca](mailto:communication@adventist.ca).

Additionally, a longer version of the weekly videos on our YouTube channel can be accessed here both in [English](#) and in [French](#).

The Lord bless you and keep you.

**Evaldo Vicente**

*Communication Director*

Seventh-day Adventist Church in Canada

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**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](mailto: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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