

# Mount Gilead Seventh-day Adventist Church

700 Kennedy Road, Scarborough, ON, M1K 2B5

## Newsletter 43 October 25, 2024



“Oh, **give thanks** to the Lord, for **He is good!** For His **mercy endures forever.**”  
Psalm 136:1 (NKJV)



### October Birthdays

Donna Brown-Patterson - 1<sup>st</sup>  
Wendy Reid - 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Marjorie Crawford - 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Maria De Lima-Joseph - 7<sup>th</sup>  
Nevera Wilson - 20<sup>th</sup>  
Fortunate Amany - 20<sup>th</sup>  
Desreen Valentine - 21<sup>st</sup>  
Ray Patterson - 27<sup>th</sup>  
Flo Brown - 31<sup>st</sup>

### EVENTS FOR SABBATH, October 26, 2024

#### Day 15 of the 50 Days of Prayer

- **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=bjF1MU1BMDdheElqb3AzUjBGGeGxmUT09>

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 October 26, 2024

## Day 15 of the 50 Days of Prayer

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

Welcome/Opening Prayer

Theme Song **“Welcome Holy Spirit”** ..... video

Reading **“THE ABSOLUTE NECESSITY OF PRAYER”** ..... Elder Howard Shaw

Prayers

Theme Song **“Welcome Holy Spirit”** ..... video

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

Superintendent/Opening Remarks ..... Sis. Carril Cornelius

Opening Song **“Sweet, Sweet Spirit”** (262) ..... Congregation/Chorister

Opening Prayer ..... Sis. Carril Cornelius

Welcome ..... Sis. Reeba Mitchell

Mission Story ..... Sis. Janette Johnson

Lesson Review ..... Elder Howard Shaw

Special Music ..... Sis. Charlene Hinds

Closing Remarks & Prayer ..... Sis. Carril Cornelius

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

Welcome/ Announcements ..... Elder Yvonne Edwards

Pastor’s Notes ..... Elder Howard Shaw

Presentation

Call to Worship ..... Elder Howard Shaw

Introit **“I Will Enter His Gates”** ..... Pianist/Chorister

Invocation ..... Dr. Anthony Reid

Opening Hymn **“O Worship the Lord”** (6) ..... Congregation/Chorister

Prayer Appeal/Chorus **“He Is Here”** ..... Praise Team

Intercessory Prayer ..... Sis. Janette Johnson

Special Music ..... Children

Children Story **“Home at Last”** ..... video

Offertory ..... Elder Howard Shaw

Scripture Reading **“Jeremiah 29:11”** (NKJV) ..... Sis. Carril Cornelius

Praise Time (Our God is an Awesome God, Goodness of God, Ancient of Days) ..... Praise Team

Music of Meditation ..... Sis. Kerisha & Keiva Reid

Sermon **“THERE IS HOPE FOR YOU!”** ..... Dr. Anthony Reid

Closing Hymn **“Burdens Are Lifted at Calvary”** (476) ..... Congregation/Chorister

Benediction ..... Dr. Anthony Reid

Blessing **“Let the Church Say Amen”** ..... Pianist/Chorister

- **Lunch in the basement hall**



## Theme for 2024 – “I Will Go”

### 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter Theme – “Sharing 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) (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)

[mountgilead.pm@gmail.com](mailto:mountgilead.pm@gmail.com) (for Personal Ministries) – **New email**

# **Upcoming Events for Mount Gilead Church**

## **Historical Moment at Mount Gilead Seventh-day Adventist Church**



Three pastors of the former It Is Written Fellowship, worshipped together on Sabbath, October 19, 2024 at Mount Gilead Seventh-day Adventist Church, without preplanning to meet. Pastor Sil Lindo who was the first Pastor of It is Written Fellowship, Pastor Carlton Roulston who also pastored It Is Written and Pastor Wayne Martin who was the last pastor of It is Written and the first of Mount Gilead Seventh-day Adventist Church that came out of a merger of It Is Written and Latter Rain churches. Pastor Sil Lindo current serves as the Pastor of Mount Gilead and the speaker for the Divine Service was Pastor Martin. Shortly after the service began, Pastor Roulston joined the worship service. When Pastor Martin got up to speak, he made the observation and called on the other two Pastors to capture the unforgettable moment in a photograph.

Pastor Martin declared that it was exactly 58 years ago, on October 19, 1966 that he entered Canada. Shortly afterwards he met Pastors Lindo and Roulston at Toronto East church and they have remained friends ever since.

## **Mount Gilead Church Experiencing the Baptism of the Holy Spirit**

On Monday, October 21 at 5:00 a.m., Mount Gilead Seventh-day Adventist church completed the first 10 of 50 Days of Prayer for the baptism of Holy Spirit. It was a morning of celebration of what God is doing for his church. This morning showed the greatest attendance on Zoom, so far and many participants expressed their prayers in songs and scripture as they testified of the goodness of God. Pastor Sil Lindo reminded the church that it was after 10 Days of Prayer that the Holy Spirit was poured out at Pentecost.

Elder Howard Shaw, who coordinated the program that morning said, "I am now blessed to know what it is like to be filled with the Holy Spirit."

The invitation is open to whoever wishes to join in seeking the infilling of the Holy Spirit.

Yvonne Edwards




**MOUNT GILEAD**  
SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

# 50 Days Of Prayer

Oct. 12th - Nov. 30th @ 5:00 a.m.  
 Meetings will be on  
 Zoom: 7244241984 - Passcode: 7525333

Except Wednesdays at 7:00 pm. and  
 Sabbath Mornings at 9:30 a.m.

In preparation for Pentecost 2025 to be launched  
by the conference

- **The 50 Days of Prayer continues: October 26 to November 30**

**Prayer and Fasting: Friday, October 25 to Sabbath, October 26**

Every Friday evening throughout the 50 Days of Prayer from sunset to after Midday Service on Sabbath.

You may partner with someone for prayer or with your family.

The format of the program is as follows:

- Theme Song** (video) **“Welcome Holy Spirit”**
- Welcome/Opening Prayer/Coordinator**
- Presentation** (maximum 20 minutes)
- Prayer Session**
- Closing Prayer**
- Theme Song** (video) **“Welcome Holy Spirit”**

**The Schedule to Day 20 is below**

**50 DAYS OF PRAYER SCHEDULE**

**OCT 12 – NOV 30, 2024**

**TO PREPARE FOR THE LATTER RAIN AND CHRIST’S RETURN**

**N.B. Please do not change suggested reading and text. It is part of a series of topics that will explain the subject we are studying.**

DATE	SPEAKER	STUDY TOPIC, TEXT (20 Mins)	OPENING PRAYER	WELCOME	COORDINATOR

Sabbath: Oct 26, 2024 (Day 15)	Elder Howard Shaw	THE ABSOLUTE NECESSITY OF PRAYER	See Sabbath Schedule	See Sabbath Schedule	See Sabbath Schedule
Sunday: Oct 27, 2024 (Day 16)	Sis Carril Cornelius	HOLY SPIRIT DIRECTED PRAYER	Elder Ainsworth Hinds	Elder Ainsworth Hinds	Elder Ainsworth Hinds
Monday: Oct 28, 2024 (Day 17)	Sis Herfa Shaw	THE POWER OF UNITED PRAYER	Elder Yvonne Edwards	Elder Yvonne Edwards	Elder Yvonne Edwards
Tuesday: Oct 29, 2024 (Day 18)	Sis Charlene Hinds	THE POWER OF PRESERVING PRAYER	Elder Julie-Ann Newell	Elder Julie-Ann Newell	Elder Julie-Ann Newell
Wednesday: Oct 30, 2024 (Day 19)	Elder Rodney Umrah	PRAYER'S NECESSITY FOR EVANGELISM	Elder Howard Shaw	Elder Howard Shaw	Elder Howard Shaw
Thursday: Oct 31, 2024 (Day 20)	Sis Earlyn Douglas	GOD'S PROMISES AND PRAYER	Sis Wanda Miles	Sis Wanda Miles	Sis Wanda Miles

- **Community Guest Day: October 26**

**MOUNT GILEAD**  
 SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH  
 700 Kennedy Road, Scarborough, On

**COMMUNITY GUEST DAY**

Oct. 26, 2024 @ 11:15 AM

**Guest Speaker:**  
**Dr. Anthony Reid**  
 Ontario Conference Director of Stewardship, Public Affairs & Religious Liberty

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**Please invite your friends.** Lunch will be provided.

- **Wednesday Evening Prayer Power Hour: October 30 at 7:00 p.m.**  
**Day 19 of the 50 Days of Prayer**  
**Presenter: Elder Rodney Umrah**  
**Topic: PRAYER'S NECESSITY FOR EVANGELISM**  
**Coordinator: Elder Howard Shaw**
- **Membership Transfer- Incoming: Second Reading**  
**Deon Foreman and Kerisha Reid**  
**from Ruth Seventh-day Adventist Church to Mount Gilead**



**MOUNT GILEAD**  
SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

## 3 Simple Ways to Give

1

Online:  
[www.mountgileadadventist.org](http://www.mountgileadadventist.org)

2

Mail your cheque to 37 Eglinton Square  
Scarborough, On, M1L 4T2  
PO Box 51028

3

In person or call 416 752 5333

Fuel The Mission -  
Worship Through Giving

**Reminder: \$5.00 Weekly Contribution to the Building Fund**

### AN EVENING WITH GOOD WORKS MISSION

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2024  
2PM

1999 FAIRPORT RD,  
PICKERING, ON LIV 4M2

## In-Depth Operation Belize Update

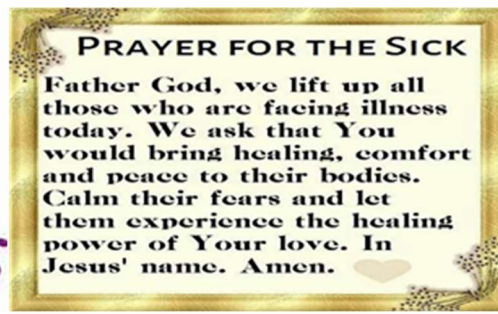
**Minimum Contribution: \$100**

Please etransfer your contribution to  
[goodworksmission0@gmail.com](mailto:goodworksmission0@gmail.com)

A delicious meal will be served as an expression of our  
appreciation of your unwavering support

**This is the mission that Elder Shaw and some Apple Creeks Elders are engaged in.**





## Condolences:

**To the Hinds Family on the passing of Sis. Melviner Hinds**  
on Thursday afternoon, October 24. Please keep them in your prayers.



She filled our lives with happiness  
and sweet feelings that we will  
carry in our hearts forever...

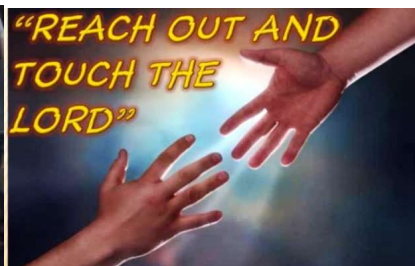
God bless you and comfort you

## Prayers for:

- **Annette Tulloch** (out of rehab and now at home)
- **Bro. Hailu Girma** (in hospital)
- **Roy Perrotte** (not well)
- **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)
- **Jehan DeAlwis** (in wheelchair, prayer for healing)
- **Other ill persons: Melanie's mother, 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, Janette Johnson, Rudolph and Myrna Lewis, Clorine McNeish-Weir, Dionne Mitchell, Suthlyn Pinnock, Amanda Reid, Mayerling Rivera, 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



**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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