

CHARLOTTE  
SEVENTH-DAY  
ADVENTIST CHURCH



**December 24, 2022**

*This Church is a Safe Place Where All Can Grow  
in the Truth as it is in Jesus.*

# **Sabbath School - 9:30 a.m.**

## **Worship Service - 10:45 a.m.**

**Welcome to Worship**

**Mission Spotlight/Announcements**

**Songs of Praise**

**Call to Worship**

*Hymn #672 ~ Spirit of the Living God*

**Morning Prayer**

**Hymn of Praise**

*Hymn #120 ~ There's a Song in the Air*

**Scripture Reading**

**His Tithe, Our Offerings**

*MAP*

**Family Praise and Prayer**

**Children's Story**

**Special Music**

**Message**

*The Christmas Story in Music!*

**Hymn of Response**

**Benediction**

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**Sabbath Rest Completed 5:10 p.m.    Next Sabbath's Welcome 5:14 p.m.**

**Next Sabbath's Offering**

*Camp Sagola*

# Keeping You Informed

**Welcome** – We would like to extend a warm welcome to all visitors, members, and those who have joined us via livestream. We are so glad that you chose to worship with us today.

**Praise/Prayer Slips** – Please remember to complete your praise/prayer slip and give it to a deacon or elder before our Family Praise and Prayer time.

**Agape Feast and Communion** – On *Friday night, December 30* at 6:00pm there will be a Communion Service followed by an Agape Feast.

**Audio Visual Team** - Occasionally the AV Team is asked to show a video or play a track for music. To make it possible for us to accommodate those requests, please plan ahead when you can and submit your file early. Also, if possible, please share your videos in an mp4 or m4v format and audio files in an mp3 format. Thank you from the AV Team.

**Bible Reading Plan** – For those of you who would want to read your Bible through in the New Year, here is a link to several options. <https://www.charlottemisda.org/media/yearly-bible-reading-schedules>.

For those of you without Internet or a printer, a small supply of one option will be placed in the foyer. If you do not find one, contact Mickey Nickless to get a printed copy.

**Church Email Announcements** - The church board has asked Melissa Whitaker to send out email announcements to the church family through the church directory website. If you have an urgent prayer request, or announcement that you want sent out during the week, please get it to Melissa by phone call (517-543-5491) or email (whitake9@msu.edu). We are working toward adding a text message option soon. Thanks to Keith Sevenser for doing the emails for many years in the past.

**Lost and Found** - Have you misplaced something? Please check the items that have been left behind at the church. They are on the right side of the shelf above the coat rack. There are Bibles, a leather-bound hymnal, umbrellas, a suit coat, and other items.

**Country Life Orders** – The deadline for the upcoming Country Life Natural Foods order is *January 1*. Contact Lynne Nickless to place your orders, either email at [lynne@nonick.org](mailto:lynne@nonick.org) or call (517) 331-1648. Catalogues are available in the lobby.

**Home School Outdoor Education** – *January 3 – 5, 2023* at Camp Au Sable with Gordon Atkins, Camp Naturalist. Don't wait – registration is open!

**Women's Ministries Winter Book Club** – "Page Turners" *January 13, 2023* via Zoom. We will be studying the Book "Steps to Christ." To join the book club please register online <https://www.michiganwm.com/> *before January 6, 2023.*

**Annual Women's Retreat 2023** – "One Blessed Glammer" *April 14 – 16/April 21-23, 2023* registration opens February 1, 2023.

**Mid-Week Study** – Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. In-person at the school, or by Zoom. Zoom ID is 517 543 0445. Password 777. To join us by phone, call 312-626-6799, and use the Zoom ID. We will continue our discussion with chapter 60 from *the "Desire of Ages."*

**Pastor Phil Lee's Contact Information:**

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**Join us Online: [www.charlottesmisda.org](http://www.charlottesmisda.org)**

## **Keeping You Updated**

### **Monthly Offering Update as of November 30, 2022**

	<b>Received</b>	<b>Goal</b>
Combined Budget	<b>\$ 4,955.05</b>	5,300.00
Academy Aid	<b>189.30</b>	84.00
Elem. Aid	<b>660.86</b>	450.00

### **Project Running Totals**

Academy Aid	<b>\$ 1,938.94</b>	917.00
Elem. Aid	<b>\$ 6,744.94</b>	4,950.00
PA Upgrade - 2022	<b>\$ 1,476.00</b>	

Church Improvement Fund  
\$2,320.63

**YTD Combined Budget/YTD Goal**  
**\$65,032.53/\$58,300.00**