

## SABBATH SCHOOL CLASSES

Classes meet from 10:10 -10:55 a.m. If you need help finding a class, please check with a greeter.

### ADULT CLASSES

Sanctuary class	sanctuary
Boomers	chapel
New Beginnings	classroom 1, right hall
Collegiate	classroom 2, right hall
Open Door	classroom 5, left hall
Parents Unscripted	prayer room

Jesus said,  
“Let the little children come to Me,  
for of such is the kingdom of heaven.”  
Matthew 19:14

### CHILDREN & YOUTH CLASSES

Beginners (ages birth-4)	left wing
Kindergarten (ages 4-7)	left wing
Primary (grades 2-3)	left wing
Juniors (grades 4-6)	left wing
Earliteen (grades 7-8)	left hall
Youth (grades 9-12)	left hall



## SERMON NOTES

## CONTACT

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### CHURCH OFFICE

Administrative Assistants: Mary May (Mon., Tue., & Wed.)  
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## CALHOUN SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

SABBATH, DECEMBER 10, 2016

**WELCOME TO THE FAMILY OF GOD!** It is our hope that you will receive a blessing as you worship with us today. If you would like to know more about Jesus and His Word, contact one of our pastors or check out [www.myWaytoJesus.com](http://www.myWaytoJesus.com).

### 9:00 a.m. WORSHIP SERVICE

Opening Hymn: *Joy to the World* (Hymn 125)  
Welcome & Announcements  
Offering: Adventist Community Services  
Offertory  
Special Music  
Sermon: *A Season of Silence*  
Benediction

Larry Payne  
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Connie Starkey  
Susan Maehre  
Mark Piotrowski  
Mark Piotrowski

### 11:10 a.m. WORSHIP SERVICE

Welcome & Announcements  
Children's Story  
Opening Song  
Offering: Adventist Community Services  
Praise Sing  
Prayer  
Special Music  
Sermon: *A Season of Silence*  
Benediction

David Brannon  
Scott DeArk  
Praise Team  
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Susan Maehre  
Mark Piotrowski  
Mark Piotrowski

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Pianist: Connie Starkey (1) & Susan Maehre (2)  
Elder in Charge: Larry Payne (1) & David Brannon (2)  
Deacon in Charge: Ken Riggs (1) & Justin Moore (2)  
Coordinators: Robyn Stearns/Beth Adams

## WEEK AT A GLANCE

### SABBATH, DECEMBER 10

8:30 a.m.	Prayer Circle	sanctuary
9:00 a.m.	Worship Service (Mark Piotrowski)	sanctuary
9:00 a.m.	Choir Practice	fellowship hall
10:10-10:55 a.m.	Sabbath School	classrooms, sanctuary
11:10 a.m.	Worship Service (Mark Piotrowski)	sanctuary
5:30 p.m.	Sabbath Ends	

### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11

1:00 p.m.	Fifty Plus Christmas Banquet (for those who signed up)	fellowship hall
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### MONDAY, DECEMBER 12

9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Food Bank Open	food bank
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### TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13

9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Food Bank Open	food bank
9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	God's Closet	church
7:00 p.m.	Advanced Bible Course	chapel

### WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14

5:00-6:00 p.m.	Sweet Hour of Prayer	prayer room
6:00 p.m.	Potluck Supper	fellowship hall
6:30 p.m.	Pathfinders	old Coble school
7:00 p.m.	Prayer & Study	fellowship hall
7:00 p.m.	CES Christmas Program	school

### THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15

9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Food Bank Open	food bank
9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	God's Closet	church
7:00 p.m.	Choir Practice	church

### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16

5:31 p.m.	Sabbath Begins	
6:30 p.m.	Choir Practice	church

### SABBATH, DECEMBER 17

9:00-10:00 a.m.	Christmas Breakfast	fellowship hall
9:30 a.m.	Prayer Circle	sanctuary
10:10-10:55 a.m.	Sabbath School	classrooms, sanctuary
11:10 a.m.	Christmas Program	sanctuary
4:00-7:00 p.m.	Kindergarten/Primary Christmas Party	church
5:31 p.m.	Sabbath Ends	

## WHAT'S GOING ON

**OUR SANCTUARY FLOWERS TODAY** are given in memory of Lila Adams by her husband and children.

**CHOIR PRACTICE** today at 9 a.m. in the fellowship hall, Thursday, December 15, at 7 p.m. and Friday, December 16, at 6:30 p.m.

**THE NEW BEGINNINGS SABBATH SCHOOL CLASS** welcomes visitors and new members. They meet in classroom one (right hall). Today's lesson is *Why Does God Allow Suffering?*

**THOSE WHO ORDERED DEVOTIONAL BOOKS** may pick them up today in the church office.

**CHRISTMAS BASKETS:** Please turn in names of those who need to receive a food basket for Christmas. Give the church office the name of the person and a working phone number for them, how many adults and children are in the family, and the name of the person who will be delivering it. This needs to be in the church office by December 15.

**ADVANCED BIBLE COURSE NEXT WEEK** will be Tues., Dec. 13, instead of Wed., the 14th.

**LADIES' BIBLE STUDY:** This past Wednesday was our last Bible study for this year. We will resume our study on the Life of Jesus on Tuesday, January 10.

**COBLE ELEMENTARY CHRISTMAS PROGRAM:** You are invited to Coble Elementary's annual Christmas program on Wednesday, December 14, at 7 p.m. The 8th grade class will be selling an enchilada dinner and goodies starting at 6 p.m. to raise money for their class trip.

**CHRISTMAS BREAKFAST** next Sabbath, December 17, from 9-10 a.m. in the fellowship hall.

**CHRISTMAS PROGRAM:** *One Holy Night* will be presented next Sabbath, December 17, at 11:10 a.m. No 9:00 service.

**KINDERGARTEN/PRIMARY CHRISTMAS PARTY** December 17 from 4-7 p.m. in the fellowship hall. We will eat, play games and make crafts that we will take to Morning Pointe where we will sing and hand out gifts.

**CHRISTMAS EVE SABBATH, DECEMBER 24,** will be a special combined service at 11:10 a.m.

**NEW YEARS' EVE SERVICE** December 31 at 6 p.m.

**UPCOMING SEMINAR:** Lee Venden will be presenting a week long seminar, "The Revelation of Whom?," beginning Dec. 31 and ending Jan. 7. Sabbath, Dec. 31, we will have a seminar at 10 a.m. (no adult Sabbath School), 11:10 a.m. and 2 p.m. There will be a potluck in the fellowship hall on the 31st. Evening meetings (Sun.-Fri.) will be from 6:30-8 p.m.

**THANK YOU** to our church family for your prayers, cards and lovely plant. We appreciate your thoughtfulness during Jan's recent surgery so much! Jan & Joyce Gibson

**A GIFT FOR YOU** on LifeTalk Radio! Enjoy uplifting Christmas music on LifeTalk Radio throughout the month of December. It is LifeTalk's gift to you. And one more way to share the good news of the best Gift ever! You can get a free LifeTalk Radio mobile app or listen online at [www.lifetalk.net](http://www.lifetalk.net). If you can't hear it on 98.5 FM (Collegedale/Ooltewah), you can also listen on ROKU or via Glorystar satellite.

## FINANCIAL REPORT

	12/3/16	Month to Date	Year to Date
<b>Tithe</b>	24,494.32	24,494.32	1,053,473.65
<b>Budget</b>	5,199.80	5,199.80	265,153.50
<b>CFCF</b>	109.11	109.11	4,515.97
<b>Project Funds</b>	1,253.00	1,253.00	62,798.32

**OFFERING NEXT SABBATH:** Church Budget

## PRAYER FOCUS FAMILIES

December 11-17, 2016

Please lift these families in prayer throughout the week.

1. Andrew & Jessie Bowers
2. Bill & Connie Caylor
3. Richard & Melanie DiBiase
4. Jamey Gibson
5. Donna Hooper
6. May Lance
7. Sam & Mary Lou Minten
8. Joel & Jennifer Peel and family
9. Bobby & Kim Robertson and family
10. Adeline Piotrowski
11. Paul Weaver

Each week we would like to lift up one of our GCC family in prayer. This week we will be praying for Les Speer, Trust Services Officer for the Georgia-Cumberland Conference.