

Sabbath, 16 January 2021

Sabbath School

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| Welcome & Opening Prayer | | Tendai Mpita |
| Mission Feature | | Eldon Stevenson |
| Mission Offering | Mission Offering | Eldon Stevenson |
| Special Music | As the deer | Hannah Cooper |
| Lesson Intro | | AV Video |
| Combined Lesson Study | Lesson 3 : When Your World Is Falling Apart | Peter Zuze |

Divine Service

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| Announcements | | Gayl Fong |
| Special Event | 1: Baby Dedication - Lilly Mpita 2: Welcome new Associate Pastor - Fred Chileshe & family | Pr Barend Nieuwstraten |
| Welcome | | Edric Saw |
| Tithes & Offering | School Evangelism | Edric Saw |
| Special Music | I Know That My Saviour Loves Me | Remy Leimena |
| Corporate Prayer | | Gayl Fong |
| Sermon & Benediction | When Jesus Goes Missing | Pr Fred Chileshe |

From the Pastor's Pen

A hidden Treasure

The divinity of Christ was as a hidden treasure. At times when He was upon earth divinity flashed through humanity, and His true character was revealed. The God of heaven testified to His oneness with His Son. At His baptism the heavens were opened and the glory of God in the similitude of a dove like burnished gold hovered over the Saviour, and a voice came from heaven, saying, "This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased" (Matthew 3:17). But the nation to whom Christ came, though professing to be the peculiar people of God, did not recognize the heavenly treasure in the person of Jesus Christ....

The Majesty of heaven was not discerned in the disguise of humanity. He was the divine Teacher sent from God, the glorious Treasure given to humanity. He was fairer than the sons of men, but His matchless glory was hidden under a cover of poverty and suffering. He veiled His glory in order that divinity might touch humanity, and the treasure of immense value was not discerned by the human race....

"The Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us" (John 1:14). The treasure indeed is hidden under the garb of humanity. Christ is the unsearchable riches, and he who finds Christ finds heaven. The human agent who looks upon Jesus, who dwells by faith on His matchless charms, finds the eternal treasure.

E. G. White, The Youth's Instructor, August 22, 1895.

Announcements

PRAYER MINISTRY

- Church prayer meeting Sabbath morning 8:45am-9:25am in the Teen SS room & Zoom
- Wednesdays 6:00pm - 7:15pm (Zoom)
- Youth Intercessory Prayer: Mondays 6:00pm - 7:00pm (Messenger)

Our New Associate Pastor

We welcome one of our new Associate Pastors, Pr Fred Chileshe and his family. May God bless you and your family in your service at Waitara Church

The Revolution Roadmap

The Revolution Roadmap series have been recorded on DVD. This was a great story by Pr Barend over 22 weeks. It would cost \$66 plus postage- (if required.) Orders may be made by contacting John Sedgman via eMail or home phone 94873246.

AMERICA and the END : 2020 Unmasked

This is a unique series focusing on America and how the Bible predicted its rise and destiny. These half hour

preparations are current fresh and incredibly relevant. Share it with your family, neighbors, friends and our community!

Visit: www.theend.digital

31 days of Prayer for REVIVAL - 1 to 31 January 2021

The Australian Union Conference has assigned the full month of January 2021 as a time for earnest, fervent, united prayer.

Each day on the Sydney Adventist Facebook page, we will share prayer points and resources, starting on the 1st January 2021.

<https://www.facebook.com/events/211056763977507> - click and join the event to receive the daily notices.

This is run in conjunction to the 10 days of Prayer - Seeking REVIVAL (Zec 4:6) - 6th - 16th January (made available by the General Conference).

Go to <https://tendaysofprayer.org> for resources.

Sunset Times:
(times are approximate)

Tonight at 8:08pm
Next Week at 8:06pm

Main Offering Schedule:

2 Jan - Local Church Budget
9 Jan - Local Church Budget
16 Jan - School Evangelism
23 Jan - SPD Strategy: Discipleship of Adventist Youth
30 Jan - Local Church Budget

Sabbath School Offering Schedule:

2 Jan - Mission
9 Jan - Mission & Asian Aid
16 Jan - Mission
23 Jan - Mission
30 Jan - Mission

Church Directory

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Bulletin Cut-off Time - Wednesday 7:00pm SHARP