



# Welcome

We are so glad you're here to worship with us today!

**OOLTEWAH ADVENTIST CHURCH**

January 13, 2024

## CHURCH FINANCES TO DATE: January 6, 2024

Combined Monthly Budget \$31,927.00

**Received \$4,734.03**

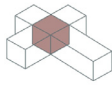
**\* UPDATED total Church Budget  
received for December 2023 is  
\$64,200.52**

Student Aid Fund \$12,200.00

**Received \$1,823.60**

*\*Monies not designated on the tith envelope will  
be accredited to the offering schedule for the week.*

## CORNERSTONE BUILDING PROJECT



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Goal: **\$5 million**

Received to Date: **\$2,870,143.06**

*With the growing needs of the church, our ministry expansion, and inflation we have a new monthly church budget of **\$31,927.00**. We appreciate your prayerful consideration of the increased support!*

**GIVE DONATIONS**  
[ooltewahchurch.org/give](http://ooltewahchurch.org/give)



**SUNSET TIMES:** Ooltewah, TN  
TODAY: 5:50 pm | January 19: 5:55 pm

## EVENTS THIS WEEK

### SATURDAY JANUARY 13

- Church wide potluck, after 2nd service
- Adventurer Meeting, 1pm
- Youth Gym Night, 7pm

### SUNDAY JANUARY 14

- Youth Escape Room, 3pm

### TUESDAY JANUARY 16

- Voices in Worship, 6pm
- Sanctuary Choir, 7pm

### WEDNESDAY JANUARY 17

- Prayer Meeting, 6:30pm
- Pathfinders, 6:30pm
- Brass for Worship, 7:30pm

### THURSDAY JANUARY 18

- HIS Orchestra, 6:15pm

### FRIDAY JANUARY 19

- Pathfinders Backpacking Weekend

### SATURDAY JANUARY 20

- Ministry Leader Meeting, 3pm
- Elders Meeting, 5:30pm

## PRAYER REQUESTS THIS WEEK

- The Wong Family- Prayers for the family in their time of grief
- Steve Bremner- Recovery from surgery
- Willis Adams- Recovering from a stroke
- Todd- Recovery from surgery
- Mary-Beth Morgan- Recovering at LifeCare

January 13, 2024  
SANCTUARY 9 AM | FELLOWSHIP HALL | 1:30 AM

Prelude		Organ
Choral Prelude	Be Silent	Sanctuary Choir
Welcome and Announcements		Pastor Keith Bowman
Call to Worship		Pastor Keith Bowman
Opening Hymn	Praise Ye the Father: SDA Hymnal #70	Congregation
Opening Prayer		Laura Gibbs // Joe Farkas
Baby Dedication (2nd Service)		Colton Stone
Children's Story		Connie Reynolds
Offering Call and Prayer		J. R. Gearrin // Joe Farkas
	Today's offering is for Religious Liberty - NAD	
Music and Worship		Congregation
	<b>1st Service</b> I Love to Tell the Story: SDA Hymnal #457 Just When I Need Him Most: SDA Hymnal #512	
	<b>2nd Service</b> There is a Hope Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine: Celebration Hymnal #572 Leaning On the Everlasting Arms: Celebration Hymnal #575	
Call and Prayer   <b>Cares Chorus</b>		Congregation
Elder's Prayer		John Sabo // Tom Kliner
Scripture Reading   <b>Exodus 20:7</b>		Grant Gearrin // Cathy Farkas
Special Music	My Eternal King	Sanctuary Choir
Sermon	A New Year, A New You- Part II	Pastor Keith Bowman
Benediction		Pastor Keith Bowman
Benediction Response		Organ
Postlude		Organ

Organ: **Kathy Sabo** || Piano: **Carol Phillips**  
Song Leaders: **Barbara Hullander** // **Avril Stewart**  
Sanctuary Choir Conductor: **Larry Otto**  
Presiding Elder 1st Service: **Mike Doucoumes** || 2nd Service: **Tom Kliner**

**SABBATH SCHOOL 10:15 AM**

Check the posters in the lobbies or ask a greeter for more information.

# Our Church Announcements

## CONDOLENCES

Our church member Frances Earl has passed away. We express our sincere condolences to the family! We pray for healing & comfort during this difficult time. **There will be a celebration of life for Frances on January 14 at 4pm in the OSDA Sanctuary.**

There will be a light reception to follow in the Fellowship Hall. We also want to express our sincere condolences to the Wilson Family. Greg Wilson's father passed away last week. **There will be a memorial for Mr. Roger Wilson on January 13 at 5pm in the OSDA Sanctuary.** Light refreshments will follow the service in the Fellowship Hall. Let's lift this family in prayers.

## OFFERING RECEIPTS

The treasurer has 2023 offering receipts. Please stop by the table in the foyer to pick them up. Thank you!

## CHURCH WIDE POTLUCK

**January 13, 2024**

This Sabbath is our date for January potluck after 2nd service. Please bring your favorite dish with enough to share!

## YOUTH GAME NIGHT

**January 13, 2024 - 7pm**

Come out for friendship & fun with a sports game night at OAKS gym! Shoot some hoops, make your best serve in volleyball & conquer 9 square! This is for you Earliteens / Youth / Collegiate ages! There will be food & bring a friend!

## YOUTH EVENT

**January 14, 2024-3pm**

Beat the clock with clues & riddles! The youth are invited to an escape room adventure! Meet at the church at 3pm. Transportation & food will be provided. Youth fee is \$5. Contact Pastor Keith or Ryan Matthews with any questions.

## MINISTRY LEADER MEETING

**January 20, 2024- 3pm**

The Connect Committee invites you to attend our Ministry Leader meeting. This is a great opportunity to hear from other ministry leaders & brainstorm with them! This will be held in the Fellowship Hall & we hope to see you there!

## ELDERS MEETING

**January 20, 2024- 5:30pm**

Please plan to join us as we have important church business to discuss. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall & hope to see you there!

## CHURCH BOARD / FINANCE MEETING

**January 22, 2024**

Please save the date & join us at the next meeting. Church finance members will meet at 6pm & Church board members will meet at 7pm.

## CEREAL BARREL MINISTRY

Please feel free to drop boxes of cereal in our barrel out in the lobby. This is an ongoing ministry with the Samaritan Center & we thank you in advance for your donations!

## WONG FAMILY

The Wong Family have appreciated your prayers & support. We long for the day of the Lord's return! We continue to pray for the comfort of God to be felt in a mighty way! As an expression of sympathy, memorial contributions may be sent to the Janae Joy Wong Fund at Ooltewah Adventist School.

## OAKS BOARD MEETING

**January 23, 2024- 7pm**

OAKS operating boards will meet Tuesday, January 23 with Finance at 6pm & Board at 7pm. If you are a member please check your email for minutes and agendas.

# Community Announcements

## COHUTTA SPRINGS YOUTH CAMP

It is crazy to think ahead to summer time but **REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!** There are early bird, sibling & online registration discounts. Check your schedules & plan ahead as spots fill up quickly. Visit [www.cs-yc.com](http://www.cs-yc.com) for dates, prices & details of the camps

## EVENSONG

**January 13, 2024 - 6pm**

Piano students of Peter Cooper, dean of Southern Adventist University's School of Music, will perform during the final minutes of the Sabbath on January 13 at 6 p.m. in Collegedale Church of Seventh-day Adventists on campus.

## COLLEGEDALE 55+ CLUB

Our first potluck luncheon meeting of 2024 is on Sunday, **January 14 at 11:30 a.m.** in the Fellowship Hall of Collegedale Adventist Church (SAU). Come and enjoy an outstanding variety concert performed by students of the SAU Music Club.

## COLLEGEDALE ACADEMY DAYS

**January 19, 2024**

Collegedale Academy invites all high school aged students to come see what it's like to be a part of the CA family. This includes rising freshmen and all high school grade levels who will be new to CA. Academy Day showcases many aspects of CA. Come get a glimpse of our students demonstrating life as a student at CA; in the areas of spiritual life, academic life and student life. For more information or to let us know you are attending, please call 423.396.2124 or email [ahowell@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:ahowell@collegedaleacademy.com). (Note: most 8th graders attending a local Seventh-Day Adventist middle school typically join this event with their teachers and class as a group and do not need to RSVP).

## GCC BAND / STRINGS FESTIVAL

**January 25- 26, 2024**

Georgia-Cumberland Academy will be hosting the 2024 Georgia-Cumberland Conference Band Festival. This will take place January 25-26. This event provides 7th and 8th graders a chance to expand their musical skills while enjoying the company of sister schools in a massive concert band and strings ensemble. The festival attendees rehearse Thursday evening and all day Friday and perform at a vespers concert on Friday evening at 7:00 pm. For more information and to register visit [www.gccasda.org/band-and-strings-festival](http://www.gccasda.org/band-and-strings-festival).

## DEPRESSION & ANXIETY RECOVERY PROGRAM

Join us for a free introductory session on how to overcome depression and anxiety. The kick off event is January 28 from 6-8pm. Then on March 3, the full 8 week course will start. This will be held at Harrison SDA Church. Visit [www.harrisonsdachurch.com/Events](http://www.harrisonsdachurch.com/Events) to register.

## FINANCIAL FREEDOM SEMINAR

**February 4, 11, 18, 25, 2024-6:30pm**

A 4-part series seminar on Financial Freedom by Alistair Huong will be held at the Harrison SDA Church! Debt ceiling crisis, inflation, rising interest rates, economic recession, and more. With headlines like these, it's no wonder money is on everyone's minds. Many people are concerned about their personal finances and want to have confidence in managing their money. Did you know that the Bible offers timeless principles on how to do just that? Join us to hear more! **RSVP at [HarrisonSDAchurch.TN@gmail.com](mailto:HarrisonSDAchurch.TN@gmail.com) by February 1, 2024.**

# ESCAPE ROOM

January  
14th at  
3:00 PM

EARLITEEN/YOUTH/COLLEGIATE  
MEET AT THE CHURCH  
\$5 FEE  
FOOD PROVIDED



YOUTH / EARLITEEN/ COLLEGIATE

# YOUTH GAME NIGHT

OAKS GYM

JANUARY 13, 2024 AT 7PM



CHRISTIAN GROWTH SERIES 2

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**THE LIFE OF  
FAITH?**

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## **PRAYER REQUESTS: PASTOR PETER (678) 571-1743**

Text your prayer requests to Pastor Peter or fill out a prayer request card and place it in the elder's Bible during prayer time.  
*(These can be found in the pew in front of you, on the booth in the lobby, or you can request one from a deacon.)*