



# “Spiritual Corruption”

Pastor Peter Kulakov

*Coltewah Seventh-day Adventist Church*

*April 2, 2021*

The sun rises behind the rock. Mysterious landscape of Mount Sinai (Mount Horeb, Gabal Musa, Moses Mount) during sunrise. Sinai Peninsula of Egypt

# Sanctuary Service

9:00 a.m.

Organ Prelude	Paula Wolfe	
Welcome and Call to Worship	Pastor Peter Kulakov	
Opening Song	“O Worship the Lord” <i>SDA Hymnal #6 (All 4 Stanzas)</i>	Congregation
Prayer of Reception	Jackson Hall	
Announcements	Pastor Matthew Shallenberger	
Baptism	Tatiana Popovych	
Children’s Story	Jennifer Dempsey	
Offering Call and Prayer	Aaron Hall	
<i>Today’s offering is for Local Church Budget</i>		

## MUSIC AND WORSHIP *with Ron Malloch*

	“All Creatures” <i>SDA Hymnal #431 (All 3 Stanzas)</i>	Congregation
	“I Sing the Mighty Power of God” <i>SDA Hymnal #88 (All 3 Stanzas)</i>	Congregation
Elder’s Prayer		Aaron Hall
Opening God’s Word	Exodus 32:7-8	Alisa Hall
Special Music		Martin Young
Sermon	“Spiritual Corruption”	Pastor Peter Kulakov
Benediction		Pastor Peter Kulakov
Benediction Response		Paula Wolfe - Organ
Postlude		Paula Wolfe - Organ

*Song Leader: Ron Malloch*

*Piano: Carol Phillips*

*Organ: Paula Wolfe*

*Presiding Elder of the Month: Tom Klinner*

# Fellowship Center Service

11:30 a.m.

Organ Prelude	Paula Wolfe	
Welcome and Call to Worship	Pastor Peter Kulakov	
Opening Song	“O Worship the Lord” <i>SDA Hymnal #6 (All 4 Stanzas)</i>	Congregation
Prayer of Reception	Gretchen Sigsworth	
Announcements	Pastor Matthew Shallenberger	
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Offering Call and Prayer	Earl Sigsworth	
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# ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL CLASSES



## SANCTUARY CLASS

Leader:  
Mike Doucoumes

Meeting in the main sanctuary of the church, this class enjoys a full hour of interaction in their study of the Sabbath School Lesson Quarterly.  
Masks Optional



## FELLOWSHIP CLASS

Leader:  
Larry Otto

This class enjoys singing, praying, and studying together. Meeting in the Fellowship Hall, they generally study or highlight the Sabbath School Quarterly.  
Masks Optional



## OPEN CIRCLE

Leader:  
Jackie Rose

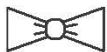
Meeting in the Pastor's office, this smaller, intimate class enjoys verse-by-verse Bible study and study of the Sabbath School Lesson Quarterly.  
Masks Optional



## FRIENDSHIP CLASS

Leader:  
Steve Kulik

This friendly, accepting class enjoys singing together, praying for each other, and studying the Bible with the Lesson Quarterly as their guide. They can be found in the 8th grade room at the School ~ last door to the right.  
Masks Required



## MEN'S CLASS

Leader:  
Matthew Geraghty

These men long to be better husbands, fathers, and priests of their homes. Following in the footsteps of Jesus, they are always on the lookout for service projects. On Sabbath mornings they unite together in the study of Biblical topics that will strengthen and improve their lives. This class is located in the 5th grade room at the School ~ last door to the left on the main hallway.  
Masks Optional

# ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL CLASSES



## PARENTING CLASS

Leader:  
David Bissell

These parents, desiring to “raise their children in the fear and admonition of the Lord”, study positive parenting and teaching techniques through the “Love and Logic” approach. They meet in the Kindergarten room located in the Primary Wing of the School ~ to the left off the main school hallway. Masks Optional



## DISCIPLESHIP CLASS

Leader:  
Mike Harrell

Learning to be disciples of Christ and preparing to be mentors for Christ, this class prays and studies the Lesson Quarterly together. This class can be found in the 7th grade room in the Enrichment Wing of the School ~ to the right off the main school hallway.  
Masks Optional



## WOMEN'S CLASS

Leader:  
Laura Herren

A class for women from all walks of life who desire a greater understanding of God's presence in their lives. They study scripture and Biblically-based books that will enhance and enrich their lives. Their class meets in the School Library located in the Enrichment Wing ~ to the right off the main school hallway.  
Masks Optional



## YOUNG ADULTS CLASS

Leader:  
John M. Garvin

These post-high-school adults, who are either in the work place or attending college, meet together to study God's word and uplift each other. They can be found in the 6th grade room of the School ~ first door to the left.  
Masks Optional

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**Sabbath ends today at 8:03 p.m.    Sabbath begins next Friday: 8:11 p.m.**

**DONATIONS TO UKRAINE** If you would like to donate specifically to the families and refugees in the Ukraine, you can do so through Light of Hope Ministries. Just mark your donation to LOH, and your donation will be forwarded with 24 hours. These donations will go directly to the people and not an organization.

## **DURING THE SABBATH MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE...**

please text your requests to Pastor Peter 678-571-1743 or fill out a prayer request card. 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

## **ONLINE WORSHIP SERVICE**

If you prefer to watch our services online, please visit our website, <https://www.ooltewahchurch.org/> which will direct you to our YouTube channel. A link will also be posted on the church's Facebook page on Sabbath morning. The 9:00 a.m. worship service recording will be available for you to watch at any time.

## **MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS 1<sup>st</sup> READING**

**OUT:** Michael Knecht TO the Cedar Ridge SA Church, Georgetown, TN

**IN:** Brisa Juarez-Mendez, FROM Columbus SDA Church, Columbus, NE

## **SINGSPIRATION – This evening**

Please join us this evening as we close the Sabbath with singing to our Creator, Redeemer, and Friend at 6:00 p.m. in the sanctuary.

**HELP SUPPORT MISSION MINISTRY!** Mrs. Mendoza (our 1st grade teacher at OAKS) and her daughter, Isabella have the opportunity to go on the YIELD Mission Trip to Costa Rica this summer, July 8-17. They are excited to be part of this journey and know that God is calling them to serve. The total cost they need to raise \$2900. They are thankful for your consideration in supporting them prayerfully and/or financially.

## **PRAYER WARRIOR POTLUCK – April 9**

Greetings Prayer Warrior Family 😊 This is just a friendly reminder from Sondra Chilson that our monthly potluck is coming up. We will meet at my house, next Sabbath, April 9 following the second service (*approx. 1pm*).

For our new members, my address is: 10246 Scenic View Dr., Collegedale.

## **CORNERSTONE BUILDING PROJECT**

What a remarkable thing God is doing!

As of March 26, we have collectively raised **\$985,450.41**

Final numbers for the month of March will be available on or around April 3 and

We are excited to share these with you!

As we are moving forward, your prayers and generosity are appreciated!

**ONE AND DONE SPRING CLEANING projects** Please contact Ryan Matthews if you can help with any of the following projects. His phone #: 423.645.1811

- Attic in Fellowship Hall
- Maintenance Closet
- Sabbath School Classrooms where needed
- Mowing and weed eating 1-2 times each month.

**STUDENT AID:** Ooltewah SDA Church members who would like to apply for student aid for next school year should **submit the form by Apr. 29**. Applications are available online at our website: <http://www.ooltewahchurch.org/student-aid> in the OAKS office, and in the church lobby. This form must be completed each year. Members of other churches should contact their home church if they need financial assistance.

### **NEW CANCER SUPPORT GROUP – April 4**

Our new cancer support group kicks off at the church on this Monday, April 4, from 6:30-7:30 p.m. This is open to the community and designed for cancer patients, survivors, caregivers, and those who have lost loved ones to cancer. Light refreshments provided. Masks recommended. Call Heidi Pino for more information: (423) 774-1441.

### **NEW PICTORIAL DIRECTORY**

About 50% of you have participated in the new directory by signing up for a photo shoot. We look forward to hearing from the remaining 50% as soon as possible.

😊 Complimentary 8x10 and Directory for each participating family. Dates are April 18, 19, and 20th, and May 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3rd. It is easy to sign up. Just go to the church website and look for the banner about the directory. If you want, you can also sign up at church starting this Sabbath. Any questions please contact Mike Haughee for help. 423-488-4848

## **NEW Fillable Forms**

- Check Reimbursement Form
- Credit Card Activity Report
- Equipment Checkout Form
- Facility Use Request Form
- Financial Assistance Request Form

These forms are now available on the church website.

<http://www.ooltewahchurch.org>

You will find them under CONTACT then FORMS. Please read all instructions carefully and make sure all information is complete before signing and returning to the church office.





## **YOUTH HIKE – May 14**

Please join us on Sabbath, May 14 for a hike at Laurel Falls in the Dayton Pocket Wilderness. We'll be meeting at the trail parking lot (NOT the church parking lot) at 2pm. This is open to all youth and their families. If anyone needs a ride, please contact Jenny or Pastor Matt to arrange for transportation. We're planning to actually make it to the falls this time!

## **COMMUNITY EVENTS**

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### **Healthy Taste Chattanooga**

*TOMORROW 11am – 6pm*

This is a FREE event for the public at the Collegedale Commons.

This is a Total Plant-Based event with food, education, and activities for the children.

#### **Speakers include:**

Heather Neal- Boosting Immunity

Dr. Greg Steinke - Food and the Mind

Dr. James Marcum- Heart Health

There will be a special interactive program for children called "Snakes Alive". Special kid friendly recipes will be available, along with the basics in gardening (each child will leave with soil and seeds) and much more.

## **GOSPEL OUTREACH – April 8 and 9**

"Adventures in Missions" presents the GO TELL mission rally at the Chattanooga First Seventh-day Adventist Church on April 8 (7 p.m.) and April 9 (8:30 a.m., 10:45 a.m., and 3:15 p.m.). Hosted by Dick Duerksen, the rally features the inspiring music of recording artist Steve Darmody and gospel bluegrass by Gloryland Road. Hear and see firsthand reports of miracles and changed lives from the mission field. Discover how you can help hasten Jesus' return. Free admission. Due to the sensitive nature of these mission reports, the rally will NOT be livestreamed. For program details see <https://goaim.org/rallies>

## **SOUTHERN ADVENTIST UNIVERSITY HAPPENINGS**

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### **EVENSONG THIS EVENING 7:30 pm**

Evensong is a special tradition at Southern—a time when uplifting music and devotional readings celebrate the blessings of Sabbath and prepare us for the week ahead. Join us in person or online. The SAU Brass Quintet under the direction of Ken Parsons will share music. [www.southern.edu/evensong](http://www.southern.edu/evensong)

**BRASS QUINTET CONCERT – Sabbath, April 2, at 7:30 p.m.:** Southern Adventist University invites you to an evening worship experience with the School of Music's Brass Quintet, under the direction of Ken Parsons. It will be held in the Collegedale Church of Seventh-day Adventists. This Evensong meditation on thankfulness will include various arrangements of the hymn *Now Thank We All Our God* by composers Johann Sebastian Bach, Johann Pachelbel, and Václav Nelhýbel. The event is free and open to the public. It will be livestreamed at [southern.edu/streaming](http://southern.edu/streaming). For more information, visit [southern.edu/musicevents](http://southern.edu/musicevents) or call 423.236.2880.



**ORIGINS LECTURE BY DOUGLAS AXE – April 7:** The Biology Department at Southern Adventist University invites the community to a talk by Douglas Axe, PhD, on April 7 at 7:30 p.m. in Lynn Wood Hall Chapel. As part of the university's E.O. Grundset Lecture Series, Axe, a renowned scientist, and author, will discuss his book *Undeniable: How Biology Confirms Our Intuition That Life Is Designed*. For more information, call 423.236.2926.

**WIND SYMPHONY CONCERT – April 9**

The Wind Symphony of Southern Adventist University's School of Music, directed by Ken Parsons, will present a sacred concert titled "How Deep the Father's Love for Us" on April 9 at 4 p.m. at Collegedale Church of Seventh-day Adventists. The performance will musically recount the birth, ministry, crucifixion, resurrection, and exaltation of Christ. Free and open to the public, this and many other musical events are also broadcast at [southern.edu/streaming](https://southern.edu/streaming). For more information, visit [southern.edu/musicevents](https://southern.edu/musicevents) or call 423.236.2880.

**CHORAL ENSEMBLES CONCERT – April 10**

Southern Adventist University invites you to enjoy the School of Music choral ensembles, under the direction of Genevieve Brown-Kibble, in concert on Sunday, April 10, at 7:30 p.m. in Mabel Wood Hall's Ackerman Auditorium. Bel Canto, Die Meistersinger, and I Cantori will perform a wide spectrum of music themed "Songs of Wisdom, Wit, and Wonder." The performance will include a new piece by local musician Roland Carter that pays tribute to the life and legacy of civil rights leader John Lewis. Carter is an internationally renowned musician dedicated to preserving religious African American music. This event is free and open to the public and will also be livestreamed at [southern.edu/streaming](https://southern.edu/streaming). For more information, visit [southern.edu/musicevents](https://southern.edu/musicevents) or call 423.236.2880.

**Proverbs 24:16** The godly may trip seven times, but they will get up again. But one disaster is enough to overthrow the wicked. -NLT


Whatever you may find yourself struggling with, no matter how many times you trip up, KEEP. GETTING. UP. One day, like a child learning to walk, you will get up and never trip over that point again. If you allow Him, God will create within you such a hatred for that thing that when the devil presents it to you there will be nothing in you that responds. Can you imagine the peace? Nothing within us responding to that thing that once dominated us. How compassionate is our God!

I pray you have a blessed week!

*Laura*

# Church Finances to Date

March 28, 2022



<b>Combined Budget Goal for the Month</b>	<b>\$25,604.00</b>
Received	\$15,738.14

<b>Student Aid Fund Needed for the Month</b>	<b>\$11,840.00</b>
Received	\$5,563.88

<b>Cornerstone Bldg. Fund goal for April 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2022</b>	<b>\$1,000,000.00</b>
Received	\$985,450.41

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

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# ADVENTIST THEOLOGICAL SOCIETY

## “Mission During Uncertain Times: Challenges and Opportunities”

*April 8 and 9*

*On the campus of Southern Adventist University in Collegedale, TN*

Friday, April 8 at 7:30 p.m.

Lynwood Hall Chapel

“Mission Going Forward” – Dr. Lester Merklin

Sabbath, April 9 at 10:00 a.m.

Hackman Hall, Room 115

“Mission and Mental Health” – Dr. Liane de Sousa

Sabbath, April 9 at 11:00 a.m.

“Mission and Church” – Pastor Gary Rustad

Sabbath, April 9 at 2:30 p.m.

Lynn Wood Hall Chapel

“Mission and Religious Liberty” – Dr. Michael Hasel

We will end with a panel discussion following the 2:30 p.m. session.

Everyone is welcome and invited to attend.



# Cancer Support Group

Monday, April 4, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Ooltewah Seventh-day Adventist  
Church  
9209 Amos Road

- Refreshments
- Masks recommended
- Socially distanced seating
- Sharing time

For cancer patients, survivors, caregivers, and those who have lost loved ones. The group meets the first Monday of the month.

For more information:  
(423) 774-1441.





# Vegfest 2022

**SUNDAY, APRIL 3**  
**11 AM - 6:00 PM**  
THE COMMONS  
4950 Swinyar Dr. Collegedale, TN 37363

FOOD TRUCKS | COOKING DEMOS | PRESENTATIONS

LOTS OF PLANT-BASED FOOD

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[www.HealthyTaste.net](http://www.HealthyTaste.net)



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Southern Adventist University School of Music  
presents

# WISDOM & WONDER

## Spring Concert

featuring

Bel Canto  
I Cantori



Die Meistersinger

*Gennevieve Brown-Kibble, conductor*

[Cultural Credit]

**April 10, 2022 at 7:30 pm**  
**Ackerman Auditorium**

# P L A N N I N G



## APRIL

*Mark your calendar...*

- 1<sup>st</sup> YiELD Vespers 7pm
- 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Pathfinder Club Campout
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Church-Wide Potluck  
Singspiration 6:00pm
- 3<sup>rd</sup> In Person Childbirth Class 5pm
- 5<sup>th</sup> Voices in Worship in the sanctuary 6pm  
Sanctuary Choir rehearsal 7pm
- 6<sup>th</sup> Pathfinders / Adventurers  
Prayer Meeting 7pm in the sanctuary
- 7<sup>th</sup> Brass for Worship Rehearsal 7pm in the OAKS band room
- 9<sup>th</sup> Prayer Warrior Lunch following the service  
Youth Vespers 6pm
- 10<sup>th</sup> In-person Childbirth Class 5-9pm  
Pathfinder Service Project
- 11<sup>th</sup> Ministry Connect Leadership Meeting 7pm
- 12<sup>th</sup> Voices in Worship in the sanctuary 6pm  
Sanctuary Choir rehearsal 7pm
- 13<sup>th</sup> Pathfinders / Adventurers  
Prayer Meeting 7pm in the sanctuary
- 14<sup>th</sup> Women's Ministry 6pm  
Brass for Worship 7pm
- 15<sup>th</sup> HIS Orchestra 5:30pm
- 16<sup>th</sup> Youth Vespers 6pm  
Pathfinders Swim at SAU
- 18<sup>th</sup> Photo Directory Appointments 2pm – 8:30pm
- 19<sup>th</sup> Photo Directory Appointments 2pm – 8:30pm  
Voices in Worship in the sanctuary 6pm  
Sanctuary Choir rehearsal 7pm
- 20<sup>th</sup> Photo Directory Appointments 2pm-8:30pm  
Pathfinders / Adventurers  
Prayer Meeting 7pm in the sanctuary
- 21 – 24 Pathfinder Conference Camporee  
Brass for Worship Rehearsal 7pm in the OAKS band room
- 25<sup>th</sup> Church Finance Committee 6pm  
Church Board 7pm
- 26<sup>th</sup> Voices in Worship in the sanctuary 6pm  
Sanctuary Choir rehearsal 7pm
- 27<sup>th</sup> Pathfinders / Adventurers  
Prayer Meeting 7pm in the sanctuary



# SPOT THE DIFFERENCE

Boaz arranges to marry Ruth  
*Can you spot 10 differences between the pictures?*



Q: Who was the greatest female financier in the Bible?

Q: Where is medicine first mentioned in the Bible?

A: Pharaoh's daughter; she went down to the bank of the Nile and drew out a little prophet.

A: When God gave Moses two tablets.