

# Welcome

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



**OOLTEWAH ADVENTIST CHURCH**

August 5, 2023

## CHURCH FINANCES TO DATE: JULY 31, 2023

Combined Monthly Budget \$31,927.00

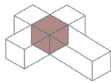
**Received \$24,829.24**

Student Aid Fund \$12,200.00

**Received \$8,516.98**

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

## CORNERSTONE BUILDING PROJECT



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Goal: **\$2.2 million**

Received to Date: **\$2,160,714.92**

*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: 8:40pm | July 21: 8:33pm

## EVENTS THIS WEEK

### SATURDAY AUGUST 5

- Church Potluck
- Singspiration, 7pm

### MONDAY AUGUST 7

- Cancer Support Group, 6pm

### TUESDAY AUGUST 8

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

### WEDNESDAY AUGUST 9

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

### THURSDAY AUGUST 10

- Health Ministries Cooking Class, 6:30pm



## PRAYER REQUESTS THIS WEEK

- **Craig Rogers:** Having blood pressure issues
- **Freda Zallinger:** Her daughter, Joan, had a stroke
- **Rusty Dockery:** He has terminal cancer
- **The Klinner Family**
- **A family in Romania-** their son passed away

August 5, 2023  
SANCTUARY 9 AM | FELLOWSHIP HALL 11:30AM

Prelude	Organ
Instrumental Prelude	Chester Caswell & Jamie Hagan
	<i>Festival Trumpet Tune</i>
Welcome and Announcements	Pastor Peter Kulakov
Opening Song	Congregation
	<i>We Have Come to Join in Worship: Celebration Hymnal #207</i>
Opening Prayer	Ian Spicer // Linda Kulik
Elder Ordination (2nd service only)	Pastor Peter Kulakov
Children's Story	Connie Reynolds // Shelly Parrish
Offering Call and Prayer	Ed Demaree // Steve Kulik
	<i>Today's offering is for Local Church Budget</i>
Music and Worship	Congregation
	<i>1st Service</i>
	<i>Lead On, O King Eternal: SDA Hymnal #619</i>
	<i>My Eyes Have Seen the Glory: SDA Hymnal #647</i>
	<i>2nd Service</i>
	<i>The Old Rugged Cross: SDA Hymnal #159</i>
	<i>More About Jesus: SDA Hymnal #245</i>
	<i>Power in the Blood: SDA Hymnal #294</i>
Call and Prayer   Cares Chorus	
Elder's Prayer	Bill Fisher // Steve Kulik
Scripture Reading   Exodus 20:8 & 11	Jenny Spicer // Linda Kulik
Special Music	Chester Caswell & Jamie Hagan
	<i>My Prayer</i>
Sermon	Pastor Peter Kulakov
	<i>Sabbath a Sign of Identity</i>
Benediction	Pastor Peter Kulakov
Benediction Response	Organ
Postlude	Organ

Organ: Kathy Sabo || Piano: Carol Phillips  
Song Leader: Ron Malloch || Rebecca Powers & Sidney Whitmill  
Presiding Elder 1st Service: Ed Demaree || 2nd Service: Steve Kulik

SABBATH SCHOOL 10:15 AM  
Check the posters in the lobbies or ask a greeter for more information.

## OUR CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### ELDER ORDINATION

#### 2nd Service

We would like to give our prayers of encouragement & congratulations to Staci Rivera! Today she is being ordained for her ministry as church Elder. May God's blessings be with her on this journey!

### MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS

#### 1st Reading

#### Transferring Out:

**Jason & Elizabeth Bryner** to McDonald Road SDA Church in McDonald, TN

**John, Judy & Juliet Hernandez** to Collegedale Community SDA Church in Ooltewah, TN

**Caron Oswald** to McDonald Road SDA Church in McDonald, TN

#### Transferring In:

**Kerre Conerly** from Fletcher SDA Church in Hendersonville, NC

**Ron & Tami Holland** from Camino SDA Church in Camino, CA

**Nicholas Holland** from Placerville SDA Church in Placerville, CA

**Ronald O'Quinn** from Bowman Hills SDA Church in Cleveland, TN

**Todd Parrish** from Highland SDA Church in Portland, TN

**Alex Peek** from Collegedale Community SDA Church in Ooltewah, TN

**Renee Perry** from Norridgewock SDA Church in Norridgewock, ME

**Laura Weimer** from Hot Springs SDA Church in Hot Springs, AR

**William Weimer** from Chattanooga First SDA Church in Chattanooga, TN

### SEASON OF CHANGE

#### August 7, 12pm

If you are a widow or have a friend who is widowed, please join us for a breakfast brunch

here in the Fellowship Hall. Come join us for community & fun! Please contact Marlene Keaton at 423-779-4774 for more details.

### HEALTH MINISTRY

Watch, learn, taste & enjoy some great smells as experienced cooks demonstrate healthy, tasty & uncomplicated dishes. This is a plant-based cooking class that will take place August 10, 17, 24 from 6:30-8:30pm here in the Fellowship Hall. A meal is provided, so you don't have to cook that night! There is a small fee. Please RSVP by August 3 to (423) 708-8186.

### MUSIC MINISTRY

The fall calendar is ramping back up & if you have been considering adding your musical talents to the church, now is the time! Larry Otto oversees Voices in Worship & the Sanctuary Choir. Wes Bradford oversees Brass for Worship. HIS Orchestra will start meeting again on August 10. There is a Music Ministry flier available to you in the lobby hallway. Reach out to Larry Otto for more information.

### MINISTRY APPRECIATION BANQUET

#### August 13, 6:30pm

The Connect Committee is hosting an appreciation "Thank you" banquet for our Ministry Leaders! Come join us for an evening of friendship & gratitude! This will be held at 9506 Balata Drive Ooltewah, TN 37363. **Adults only please, childcare won't be provided.** For more information contact Mike Haughee.

### ADVENTURERS

#### August 16, 6:30pm

Join us in the Fellowship Hall to register for the Adventurers Club! Adventurers is a club for children in Pre-K through 4th grade to learn about God's love for them & His plan for their lives. Starting this year, meetings will now be held once a month on Sabbath afternoons & will include club potluck, songs, earning awards, & of course, fellowship and fun! **The club is in need of volunteers who could help with leading songs, giving brief worship, and teaching honors. We can use your help for one meeting or for the whole year!**

We hope you'll join us this year! For more information please contact Staci Rivera at (423) 902-2606 or oacadventurers@gmail.com.

## PATHFINDERS

Summer is marching on, and Pathfinders is coming on strong! The staff are making preparations for the new year, and what an exciting year it is! We need all hands on deck, Pathfinders and staff alike. Once a Pathfinder, always a Pathfinder. Have mercy! Just 12 months from our "Believe the Promise" International Camporee in sunny Gillette, WY where seldom is heard a discouraging word, and the kids will be rowdy all day. We can't wait!! Now is the time to join our club. Those registered this year will be eligible to attend the Big-one. Plans are now underway! Thanks to all contributors to the cause of our kids! Registration is August 16 at 6:30pm in the Fellowship Hall. You will also see us at OAKS Open House on August 14th at 5pm.

## MEN'S MINISTRIES

**October 6-8, 2023**

There will be a Men's Retreat hosted by Blue Print for Men that will be held at Cohutta Springs October 6-8. **Registration is now open for this event!** Come learn some faith tools with other Christian men to build community! There is sponsorship of the costs available! Please see the flier in the church lobby & contact Matt Geraghty at (423) 206-0394 for more information.

## OAKS OPEN HOUSE

**August 14, 5-7pm**

Come join us at the Open House to see the new changes to the building, to meet your teachers & sign up for music lessons or bible studies! Parents, this is the opportunity to sign up to volunteer at school events throughout the year. Orientation will run from 6:40-7:30pm. If you are a new parent or a part of the Partnering for Eternity Program we need to see you there!

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

### STOCK THEIR LOCKERS

**July 17- August 17, 2023**

During the dates listed, there will be a barrel in our Sanctuary lobby to collect backpacks, paper, pencils binders and much more! These items will be provided to families at no cost for those at apply for the program.

### JESUS FOR ASIA

**August 16-20, 2023**

FaithCampTN is a set of inspirational, FREE meetings for all ages. This is a place to hear frontline missionaries share their experiences & walks of faith. Free meals are provided as well. The meetings will be held in their new headquarters at 9649 Leyland Dr. Collegedale, TN 37363. For more information & to register visit [faithcamp.org](http://faithcamp.org).

### CALHOUL SDA CHURCH

**August 18 & 19**

We will be hosting Pastor Randy Maxwell from the Washington Conference. He is the author of "If my People Pray". His theme is "Pray Different" & will speak August 18 at 7pm and August 19 at 11am & 2:30pm.

### GEORGIA-CUMBERLAND CONFERENCE MARRIAGE RETREAT

**September 22-24, 2023**

Pastor Nathan & Becky Renner will be presenting "Rekindle the Flame" at Cohutta Springs. Come out to spend some quality time with your spouse & be in community with other couples. Registration is now open but closes on **September 6th** at [www.gccsda.com/events/100795](http://www.gccsda.com/events/100795).



Ooltewah SDA Church  
9209 Amos Rd, Ooltewah, TN 37363

# PLANT-BASED COOKING CLASS

Meal provided | \$5 fee per class



**RSVP**  
BY AUG 3 TO  
423-708-8186

**AUGUST 10, 17, 24 | 6:30 - 8:30 PM**

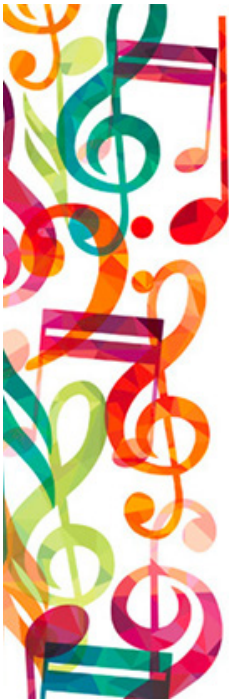


**CHRISTIAN  
GROWTH** SERIES  
**STEP BY STEP**

## **SMALL GROUP SETTING**

- Deepen your walk with Jesus
- Find peace, joy, purpose, & meaning
- Share and hear testimonies
- Experience simple, engaging study as we read through Steps to Christ together

**Every Wednesday @ 7 pm**



# Let Your Voice Be Heard!

Join the Sanctuary Choir

**FIRST REHEARSAL ON  
TUESDAY, AUGUST 8, 2023  
FROM 7:00 TO 8:00 P.M.**

**WORSHIP ONLINE LIVE AT 9AM & 11:30**  
www.ooltewahchurch.org or link on Facebook @OoltewahSDA

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(423) 994-2825

**KEVIN HICKS: OAKS SCHOOL BOARD CHAIR**

(219) 863-7618

**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.)*