



Shiloh SDA Church Connection

Welcome to Shiloh!

Shiloh Seventh-Day Adventist Church in Smyrna, GA is a Christian community, and we would love to have you join our family. To learn more about what we believe, you can visit our About Us page. Please join us for Bible study, worship, and prayer.



Pastor Harold Thomas III



SCHEDULE: AUGUST 2023

Join our services In-Person, or via Shiloh APP, YouTube or Facebook at www.shilohsda.org

SABBATH SCHEDULE

Children/Youth/Adult Sabbath School
Sabbath 10:00am-10:55am In-Person at Shiloh

Divine Service
Sabbath 11:00 am In-Person, or via our Shiloh APP, YouTube, Facebook or www.shilohsda.org

PRAYER MEETING (Zoom only)

Wednesday 7:00pm-8:00pm
Zoom Login: <https://zoom.us/j/91387932398>
or dial 929-205-6099; Meeting ID: 913-879-2398

UPCOMING EVENTS

The Extension:

- Friday, 8/4/23 & 8/18/23, 7pm (Drop off only)

Food Pantry:

- Tues, 8/8/23 & 8/22/2023, 2:00pm-5:00pm

Pathfinders/ Adventurers Club:

- Open House/Registration
Sunday, August 13th 11:00am-1:00pm

Shiloh Seniors/Sabbath Ministries: (Ice Cream/Movie Social)

- Sabbath, 8/20/23 2:00pm-4:00pm

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Church Board Meeting (Board only):

- Monday 8/21/2023 at 7:00pm

Church Business Meeting (All members):

- Thursday 8/24/2023 at 7:00pm

AYS Social Event:

- Sabbath, 8/26/2023 at 7:00pm

Stewardship Day:

- Sabbath, 9/2/23 11am

From the Pastor's Desk

August 2023 Keep Praying- Part 1

“A MAN was praying one day in a church in England. His English was terrible and broken. He was doing a horrible job destroying the king’s English. A lady who was hearing his prayers was just beside herself as this man spoke in this manner. After he said, “amen,” she said, “Young man, that was the worst grammar and articulation I have ever heard in my life. I am disgusted that you would talk like that.” He turned, looked at the woman, and said, “But lady, I wasn’t talking to you.” (Tony Evans).

I think that was well said. When we pray, we pour our hearts out to God. In the next few months, I will share several reasons to keep your prayer life alive.

Have you ever asked yourself, if God already knows what I need, why do I even have to ask? One answer is, we need to pray because Jesus asks us to. He says, “Ask, and it will be given you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it shall be opened to you: For everyone who asks receives; and he who seeks finds; and to him who knocks it shall be opened.” (Matthew 7:7, 8 NKJV). Brothers and Sisters, keep praying because Jesus asked us to pray. Don’t allow anyone or anything to prevent you from talking with God. I’ll see you next month with another reason to keep praying.

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From the Pastor's Desk

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REACH Workshop – What is REACH? REACH is the acronym used to align ministries and their work in Shiloh.

R-Revival & Reformation

E-Education/Discipleship

A-Alignment in the Church

C-Community Service & Evangelism

H-Healthy Leadership

This workshop is designed to update some and inform others of the various ministries and their functions and how you can build your Shiloh community through service and fellowship. On **Sabbath, September 9th**, the workshop will provide you with the tools, answers, and possibilities of how you can further engage in Shiloh. “I need you, you need me, we’re all a part of God’s body. Stand with me, agree with me, we’re all a part of God’s body. It is His will that every need be supplied. You are important to me. I need you to survive.”

Stay tuned for more information and announcements in the coming weeks.

Submission of articles

**To all Ministry Leaders: You can submit your articles for our monthly Connection- two weeks in advance. Thank you.
“Looking forward to see yours in September 2023”**



Church News



**Shiloh Food Pantry
MONTHLY REPORT**

JULY 2023

Distributed: 24,662 lbs.
Families: 651
Individuals: 1,807

**YOUR DONATIONS MATTER!
Thank You!**



Back To School Drive

Shiloh Cares distributed over 200 backpacks filled with school supplies during their annual Back to School Drive.

Shiloh Community Drive-Thru Food Pantry

Tuesdays
August 8, 2023
August 22, 2023
2PM - 5PM



Travel on I-285?

Text 285 to 36096 for more details.

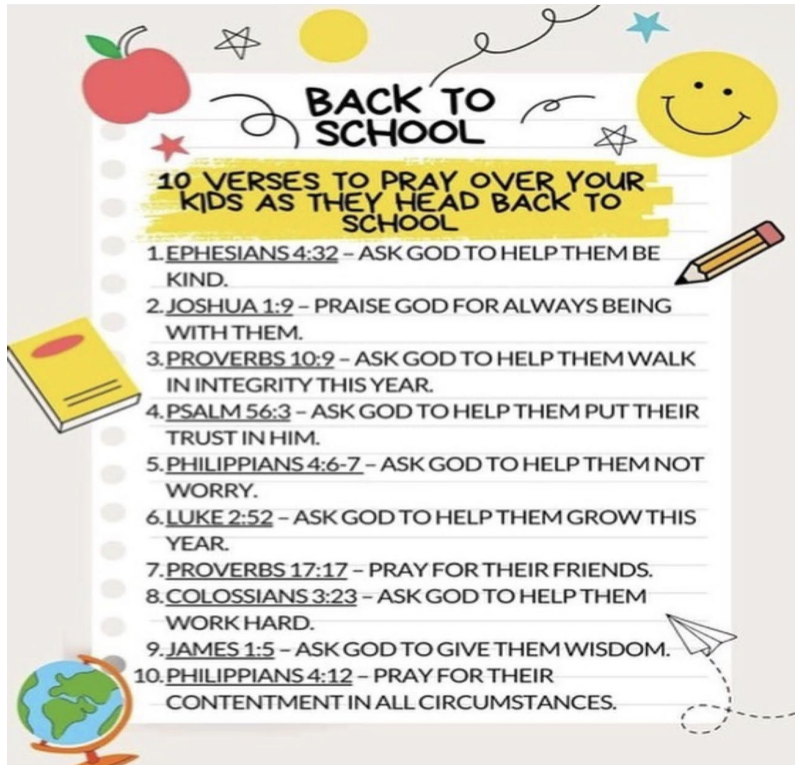


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-  More Reliable Trip Times
-  More Consistent Travel Speeds
-  Learn more at: bit.ly/285TopEndELcp
-  Reduce Congestion
-  Enhance Transit Options



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BACK TO SCHOOL

10 VERSES TO PRAY OVER YOUR KIDS AS THEY HEAD BACK TO SCHOOL

1. **EPHESIANS 4:32** - ASK GOD TO HELP THEM BE KIND.
2. **JOSHUA 1:9** - PRAISE GOD FOR ALWAYS BEING WITH THEM.
3. **PROVERBS 10:9** - ASK GOD TO HELP THEM WALK IN INTEGRITY THIS YEAR.
4. **PSALM 56:3** - ASK GOD TO HELP THEM PUT THEIR TRUST IN HIM.
5. **PHILIPPIANS 4:6-7** - ASK GOD TO HELP THEM NOT WORRY.
6. **LUKE 2:52** - ASK GOD TO HELP THEM GROW THIS YEAR.
7. **PROVERBS 17:17** - PRAY FOR THEIR FRIENDS.
8. **COLOSSIANS 3:23** - ASK GOD TO HELP THEM WORK HARD.
9. **JAMES 1:5** - ASK GOD TO GIVE THEM WISDOM.
10. **PHILIPPIANS 4:12** - PRAY FOR THEIR CONTENTMENT IN ALL CIRCUMSTANCES.

Birthdays & Anniversaries



AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

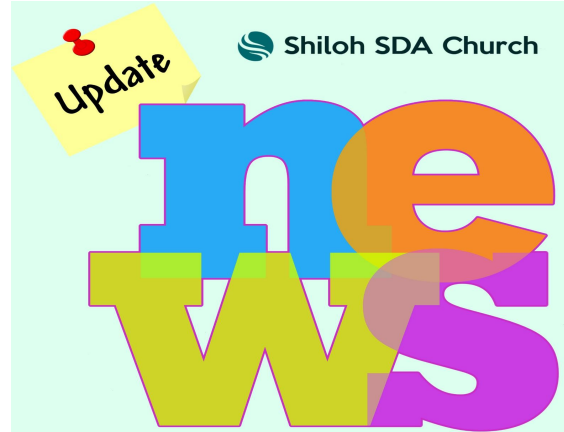
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 Howell, Lilli 11
 Grenne, Carter 12
 Gattison, Angela 12
 Heurtelou, Danielle 12
 Wright, Dorothy 16
 Bryan, Aloma 18
 St. Ellie, Rashunda 18
 Brown, Ethan 19
 Douse, Carol 23

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Baptiste, Shanece 24
 Edwards, Owen 24
 McKenzie, Vivian 24
 Cox, Taissa 25
 Ditsele, Justin 25
 Makombe, Ty 26
 Daniels, Judith 27
 Liburd, Elliott 27
 Bryce, Seanna 28
 Samms, Aaron 29
 Bolton, Tim 30

AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES

Brittany & Judson Simmons 3
 Jennifer & Kariim Wales 3
 Dorothy & Nevill Wright 5
 Wanda & Craig McPherson 31
 Doreen & Madison Wisdom 31



Submit Your News Items

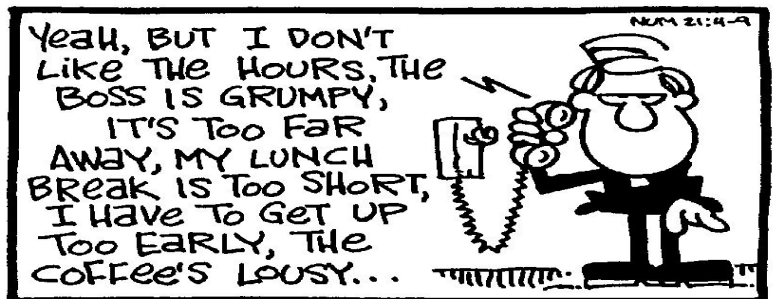
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Looking forward to seeing yours next month!

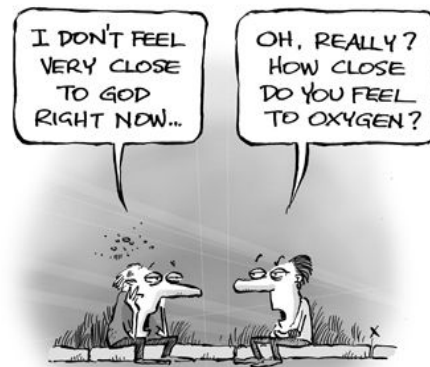
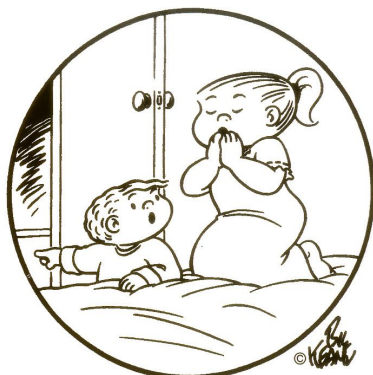
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THE FAMILY CIRCUS



CHURCH OF THE COVERED DISH by Thom Tapp



"No, Dolly, our father art downstairs watching TV"

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"Its from our church... we've been called up for active duty."