



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

From the Pastor's Desk

Happy Mother's Day

"The loveliest masterpiece of the heart of God is the heart of a mother." (St. Therese of Lisieux).

Mother's Day reminds us of God's great gift to humanity. It's a time to celebrate and appreciate. A mother's love is loyal, strong, and enduring. We can discuss the wisdom of God in the gravitational pull of the earth and how it keeps everything in the earth's atmosphere balanced. But a mother's hug holds her children together when the world tries to pull them apart. We can discuss the wisdom of God in His creation of the Sun and its perfect placement in space. But a mother knows how to be in the perfect place at the right time to listen and shine their love on us to brighten our lives.

Someone said it right when they said, "To the world, you are a mother, but to your family, you are the world." Let us praise God for a mother's willingness to sacrifice everything for the survival and success of her children. Spend time with your mother and tell her how much you appreciate her. If your mother is not alive, reflect on her love for you and express your gratitude to God for the gift He gave you. If you never knew your mother or had a bad relationship with her, continue to seek God's grace and peace. Shiloh mothers, we praise God for you, and **Happy Mother's Day**.

"Mothers can look through a child's eyes and see tomorrow." —Reed Markham

"Honor her for all that her hands have done, and let her works bring her praise at the city gate." Prov.31:31

Keep God First!

810 Church Street, Smyrna, GA 30080
P.O. Box 2045, Smyrna, GA 30081

(770) 434-4548
www.shilohsda.org

SCHEDULE: May 2023

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

SABBATH SCHEDULE

Adult Sabbath School

Sabbath 9:15am-10:45am Zoom

Sabbath 10:00am-10:45am In-Person at Shiloh

Zoom Login: <https://zoom.us/j/99877200373>

or dial 929-205-6099; Meeting ID: 998-772-00373

Youth/Children Sabbath School

Sabbath 10:00am-10:45am In-Person at Shiloh

Divine Service

Sabbath 11:00am 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

Grief Support Group Meetings:

- Sabbaths, 4/1 – 5/6/2023, 5:00pm

Food Pantry:

- Tues, 5/9 & 5/23/2023, 2:00pm–5:00pm

Pathfinders/ Adventurers Club:

- Meetings 2nd & 4th Sunday, 10:00am

Church Board Meeting (Board only):

- Monday, 5/15/2023, 7:00pm

Church Business Meeting (All members):

- Thursday, 5/18/2023, 7:00pm

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Baptism:

- Sabbath, 5/27/2023

Divine Worship:

- Sabbath, May 6th - Children's Church in the Park
- Sabbath, May 13th - Mother's Day
- Sabbath, May 27th - Memorial Day Spotlight

Church Office Closed for Memorial Day:

- Monday, 5/29/2023

Church News



**Shiloh Food Pantry
MONTHLY REPORT**

APRIL 2023

Distributed: 30,560 lbs.
Families: 472
Individuals: 1,299

YOUR DONATIONS MATTER!
Thank You!



**Attention
GRADUATES
CLASS OF 2023**

Shiloh Student Registration

The Shiloh Education Department is planning to recognize all students graduating in 2023. All graduates --- Kindergarten, 5th, 8th and 12th grade, and those completing college, advanced degree, vocational or certificate programs are included.

>> REGISTER HERE by MAY 15 <<

**Shiloh Community
Drive-Thru Food Pantry**



Tuesdays
May 9, 2023
May 23, 2023
2PM - 5PM



Parents and Supporters of Shiloh SDA Graduates

Shiloh Graduation Reception

DONATIONS REQUESTED

Please scan to sign up to donate items for the graduation reception **June 3rd**.



For details, visit www.shilohsda.org, or contact Sis. Shawnte Tompkins.

**Pre-Order Your New
Shiloh T-Shirt**

Shirts orders will be fulfilled in 3 weeks

Available in

- Cotton (green or white)
- Dri-Fit (white only)



To Order visit

- <https://tinyurl.com/ShilohTshirts>
- Questions?
Email communications@shilohsda.org

ORDER HERE  PAY HERE 

SEASONS
Moving Through the Changes of Grief and Loss
Show Strength — Seek Help



Grief Support Group Meetings
Every Saturday
April 1 - May 6, 2023 5 P.M.

online meeting via Zoom
Meeting ID: 995 9151 6696
Passcode: 707836



CallingPost 

Stay Connected

We use Callingpost text and voicemail messages to communicate directly to the Shiloh Church family. To confirm or update your mobile number, contact clerk@shilohsda.org.

STAY TUNED

for changes coming to how you receive the **Shiloh Connection** newsletters and emails

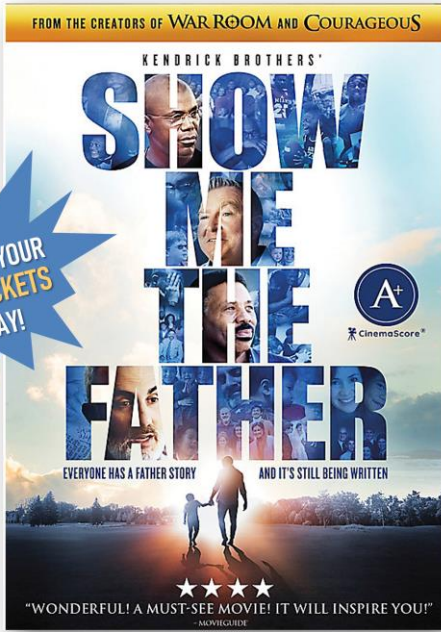


To confirm your correct email address is on file, send a message to communications@shilohsda.org

Church News

Shiloh SDA Church Communications and Family Life Ministries Departments Present

A Special Father's Day Screening



RESERVE YOUR
FREE TICKETS
TODAY!

Five captivating father-related stories interwoven with inspirational truths about the fatherhood of God.



Saturday, June 17, 2023 | 4PM
Shiloh SDA Church | 810 Church St, Smyrna, GA

ALL ARE WELCOME. Seating is Limited. Complimentary tickets available at <https://FathersDayScreening.eventbrite.com>.



SHILOH ADOPT A SENIOR

Charity Begins at Home

Our seniors are feeling a bit forgotten being away over two years. Let us re-engage them, like pen pals – send a note, call or text, send a gift, help with an errand, or arrange a meet-up. Let us remind them that we care about and miss them too.

If you are interested in getting to know a senior a little better or just helping one out, let us know at info@shilohsda.org and we will match you up with a senior. It does not take much time; this is only a three-month commitment, but it will make all the difference in the world to you both. Also, if there is a senior you have been connecting with, please let us know.



Please join us!

Sabbath, May 6th 2023, 11AM ET
For Children's Church at the
Yellow River Wildlife Sanctuary
4525 US 78
Lilburn, Georgia 30047

<https://yellowriverwildlifesanctuary.com/>
*Reservations Required

SCAN for details
and to register*



www.shilohsda.org

Vacation Bible School

Time: 6 pm - 8:30 pm

Dates: June 5 - 9th

Place: Shiloh SDA
810 Church St, Smyrna, GA 30080

Register at shilohsda.org

See you there!



CONGRATULATIONS TO BRO. OMAR NEWELL

on the publication of his
new book **Discovering the Bible: A Guide to Study and Teach the Bible.**

Available now on Amazon

For a sneak peek, visit
<https://a.co/d/06vR34E>

Conference News



ADVENTIST COMMUNITY SERVICES

South Atlantic Conference of Seventh-day Adventists
PRESENTS

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS WEEKEND

Fri- Sun
JULY 7-9
2023

COURSES INCLUDE

- Disaster Preparedness
- Donations Operations
- Community Assessments
- Sheltering
- DisasterAssessments

Presenter
NAD ACS Director
Derek Lea

SAC ACS Director
Joshua Nelson

TO REGISTER
VISIT: ADVENTSOURCE.ORG
CALL TANYA MOODY TO BOOK LODGING:
404-792-0535 EXT. 1101

Early Bird Registration: \$95
Early Bird Registration w/Lodging: \$220
Early Bird Registration Deadline: June 6

Regular Registration: \$105
Regular Registration and Lodging: \$250
Regular Registration Deadline: June 27

For more info visit:
WWW.SACSDA.ORG
524 Neeses HWY Orangeburg SC, 29115



GRADUATION Programs

BEREAN CHRISTIAN JR ACADEMY MAY 20, 2023
291 HAMILTON E HOLMES DR SW
ATLANTA, GA 30318

GREATER ATLANTA ADVENTIST ACADEMY MAY 26-28, 2023
291 HAMILTON E HOLMES DR SW
ATLANTA, GA 30318



Bible Bowl Ministry is back!

LOOKING FOR A MINISTRY TO PARTICIPATE IN?

We are looking for:

- GAME MODERATORS
- QUESTION WRITERS
- GAME JUDGES
- SCORE AND TIME KEEPERS

For more information:
Call: 734-707-3985
Email: sacbiblebowl@sacsda.org



South Atlantic Conference of Seventh-day Adventist
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CAMP MEETING 2023

ALL IN FOR CHRIST

PR. DEBLEAIRE SNELL
SPEAKER/DIRECTOR
BREATH OF LIFE
JUNE 14TH-17TH

DR. JOHN TRUSTY
SPEAKER
JUNE 10TH-13TH

LAMAR CAMPBELL
Special Musical Guest
JUNE 10TH

GIANNA SNELL
SPEAKER
JUNE 15TH

STEVEN MANDERS & DECREE
Special Musical Guests
JUNE 10TH

IN-PERSON & ONLINE
JUNE 9TH-17TH, 2023

524 Neeses Hwy, Orangeburg, SC 29115

Youth Excursions | Ministry Workshops | Community Engagement
For more details visit www.sacsda.org or call 404-792-0535

JOB OPENING

The Southern Union Conference is currently accepting applications for an **Administrative Assistant in Elementary Education**.

To apply, please visit www.southernunion.com/employment.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

MAY BIRTHDAYS

- 1 - Brenna Hall
- 1 - Neville Wright
- 2 - Dorset-Dedrick Calvin
- 2 - Carmen Haughton
- 3 - Jewe'll Thomas
- 5 - Kariim Wales
- 6 - Pauline Cooke
- 6 - Linda Roberson
- 7 - Mark Ferrier
- 9 - Dwight Batson
- 9 - Deandrea Carter
- 9 - Brian Hunter
- 10 - Abigail Grant
- 10 - Lois Martin
- 10 - Dian Mitchell
- 11 - Mark Agola
- 13 - Kysha Davis Logan
- 14 - Shari Morris
- 15 - Charlie Simmons
- 16 - Chrismar Morgan
- 16 - John Williams, Jr.
- 17 - Micah Mbugua
- 18 - Joshua McPherson
- 18 - Cynthia Miller
- 18 - Richard Morris
- 18 - Andre Williams
- 19 - John Williams

MAY BIRTHDAYS

- 20 - Jackie Anderson
- 20 - O'neil Cox
- 21 - Alexandria Cooke
- 21 - Shirland Cox
- 21 - Melese Tesfaye
- 22 - Kimberly Findele
- 22 - Nwoko Nwoko
- 23 - Craig Hodge
- 27 - Ava Andrews Hodge
- 27 - Niega Wilkinson
- 28 - Jessica Cooke
- 28 - Carka Bryce White
- 30 - Dr. Alicia Shelly
- 31 - Denise Mbugua
- 31 - Blair Wales

MAY ANNIVERSARIES

- 6 - Hope & Otis Smith
- 16 - Shari & Richard Morris
- 18 - Pauline & George Cooke
- 22 - Elise & Terrence Hines
- 22 - Erica & Torrance Simmons
- 24 - Ngozi & Tim Bolton
- 24 - Brenda & Kenneth Maliwa
- 25 - Pamela & Joel McBean
- 26 - Yulanda & Charles Greene
- 28- Patricia & Derron O'Connor

Update Shiloh SDA Church

news

Submit Your News Items

To all Ministry Leaders: You can submit your articles for our monthly Shiloh Connection newsletter two weeks in advance. Please email to info@shilohsda.org. Shiloh member news items also welcome.

Looking forward to seeing yours next month !



THE WORD SEARCH BATTLE

Bible
Difficulty: Medium

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P	S	N	A	M	O	R	N	N	Z
W	M	P	V	I	L	B	Y	I	F
N	W	K	B	U	Y	F	E	K	W
H	V	B	K	J	A	M	E	S	N
I	A	E	L	M	T	H	O	C	O
R	J	K	O	K	S	I	V	O	A
K	U	O	R	R	W	U	T	C	C
I	D	Q	D	A	V	Z	Q	U	T
K	E	A	N	M	N	H	O	J	S

Play this puzzle online at: <https://www.wordsearchbattle.io/topic/bible>

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| ACTS | JUDE | LUKE | ROMANS |
| JAMES | KING | MARK | SAVIOR |
| JOHN | LORD | RABBI | TITUS |

KID'S CORNER



CARRY YOUR BOOKS? A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters

