

Sierra Vista Seventh-day Adventist Church

May 20, 2023

The Church at Study 9:20 – 10:40am

Song Service	Daniela Gheorghe & Yvonne Villegas	
Prayer and Welcome	Daniela Gheorghe	
Mission Report	DVD	
Lesson Study	"The Sabbath and the End"	
Sanctuary – Craig Nazareth	Truth Seekers (BLC) – Alvin Schnell	
Adult Class 2 (Pastor's Study) – Susan Tawney		
Praise Song Service (10:45 – 10:55am)	Charrie Paclar & Jessorie Fetke	
Welcome & Announcements 10:55am	Jim Miller	

The Church at Worship 11:00am

Call to Worship	(Participants enter & kneel, Congregation stands)	Sweet, Sweet Spirit
Invocation		Kisha Collins
Opening Hymn	<i>All Things Bright and Beautiful</i>	#93
Intercessory Prayer	(Congregation kneels, if possible)	Ila Rice
Prayer Response	<i>Hear Our Prayer, O Lord</i>	
Call for Offering	Local Church Budget	Nevin Johnson
Offertory		Jeanie Hixson
Offering Response	We Give Thee but Thine Own	
Lambs Offering	(All proceeds help Cochise SDA School)	Aleina Antonio
Children's Story	Sierra Vista Warriors Pathfinder Club	
Special Music	Sierra Vista Warriors Pathfinder Club	
Scripture	Luke 9:47-48	Arop Ajing
Special Feature	Pathfinder Presentations & Awards	Kisha Collins & Ila Rice
Closing Comments	Kisha Collins & Lori Orek	
Closing Hymn	<i>The Cleansing Wave</i>	#332
Baptisms		
Benediction		Alvin Schnell

The Church at Your Service

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Church Clerk: Aurel Gheorghe - 520.266.8454 (svsda_clerk@aol.com)
Treasurer: Bob Coffen - 509.690.7656 (svsdatreasurer@gmail.com)

Announcements

* **Video Livestreaming and Recording in Progress During the Sermon.** If you don't want your picture appearing in a YouTube sermon video, please sit in one of the first three front rows.

* **Church Board & Business Meeting:** Sunday, May 21st. Times are 9:00am for board meeting and business meeting will begin at 10:00am. All church members are cordially invited to participate. Agenda items, so far: 1. Year-to-date Treasurer's report - Bob Coffen; 2. Internet in the BLC - Bob Coffen; 3. Financial Policy Review timing - Bob Coffen; 4. BLC Patio Project - Janelle Miller; 5. Proposed Planning Committee due to Church Growth - Janelle Miller.

* **Cochise SDA School Graduation:** Please come and join us for our 8th grade Graduation Program on May 25th, at 6pm, at Spooner's Oasis and Botanical Garden. The speaker will be our very own conference president, Elder Ed Keyes.

* **Singing Ministry:** Next Sabbath, May 27th at 1:45pm, we'll be starting a new ministry of singing for/with the residents in the Life Care Center of Sierra Vista using the song books in the BLC. This is planned to be a monthly ministry. If you'd like to read a poem or very short story, or have something else you'd like to share, contact Karen at 248-875-1428

* **Summer Palooza is coming up!** This is a joint social with the Bisbee church and held at the Schnell's home next Sunday, May 28th. A meal will be served and games/prizes with a sing-along will keep all busy. Everyone bring your own chair and each family or single member is asked to also bring a salad or a bag of chips to round out the meal. Contact Janelle Miller or Dawn Goad for more info.

* **Book of the Month for May:** *In Harmony with Heaven*, by Ted NC Wilson, brings into focus the importance of the three angels' messages; what they mean to us as a church, but more importantly, their relevance to our daily lives. Learn more about this book at www.adventistbookcenter.com and don't forget to use the code 71082. If you have any questions, please see Janelle.

* **Quiet Bag Ministry needs your help!!!** If you are not involved in a ministry at this church consider helping with the quiet bag organization. Each week, the bags are emptied out and restocked. Any adult or teen can do this. If you are not already involved in a ministry here please contact Janelle Miller to get on the schedule to help one week a month with this valuable chore. Thanks..

* **Vacation Bible School:** Summer is coming and so is VBS! Dates are July 9 – 15, but we want to get started early in preparing for this event. Please keep this event in your prayers as you worship and pray at home. If you have questions or would like to participate call Ila at 520 255 7388 or Leann at 520 220 8933.

* **Brett Murphy Celebration of Life:** Brett passed to his rest on Sabbath, April 29th. A celebration of life is planned for July. More details to follow.

* **Church Library Update:** We received a nice collection of recently published books from Steve and Denise Hamous. There are biographies, mission stories, story collections, as well as books on Christian living, prayer, & SDA doctrines. There are several books for children and youth. They will be on display after church in the library. Come browse, and checkout books.

Prayer Request

We will gladly join with you in praying for your specific need.

Please write your request here and tear off and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher.

Please pray for:

Requested by:

Date:

_____ I would like for someone to contact me to pray over more confidential matters.
Phone Number:

Please share with us as God meets your needs so that we may rejoice with you.

Visitor Response

Mr. ___ Mrs. ___ Ms. ___

Name: _____

Address: _____

State: ___ Zip Code: _____
Phone (____) _____

E-mail: _____

Age group:
___ 0 – 6 ___ 20 - 30
___ 7 – 12 ___ 31- 40
___ 13 – 15 ___ 41 - 50
___ 16 – 19 ___ 51 +

Please check one:
___ First time Visitor
___ Returning Visitor
___ Active in another church

I am:
___ looking for a church home
___ just visiting
___ an out-of-town guest

___ I would appreciate a visit from the pastor.

Other request

* **Health Expo in Bisbee:** Tomorrow, Sunday, May 21, from 10 - 3 p.m. at the School. We could use more volunteers, please call Ludo Prikler at 520-559-1330 if you want to help.

* **Thank You For Supporting Our School:** Cochise SDA Christian School wants to thank you for the support of the school, especially our exceptional faculty and students. Remember the school in your thoughts and prayers as we take a much-needed summer break. Some who would love to attend CSCS find finances challenging and appreciate any financial assistance you can provide. Please consider helping as you plan your budget. We recommend contributing to tuition assistance or special school projects. Please connect with Juliebee Roberts / jolly12bee@outlook.com / (520) 432-9186

* **Recycling For Our School:** Save your aluminum cans (including cat food cans) and plastic bottles that contained a drinkable liquid (i.e. water, juice, soda, sports drinks, etc.) and leave them in/by the bin in the BLC kitchen. *No other plastics are accepted (including milk jugs)* and no glass. Please rinse out the bottle/can before turning it in.

* **Summer Camp Sponsorships –** Camp Yavapines summer camp sessions are in July and camper registration is already open! For details, and to register, go to <https://www.campyavapines.com/allaboutcamp>. To help reduce the cost of a child attending summer camp, sponsorship options are available for both first-time campers and returning campers. In both cases it would only cost \$110/child. Only a limited number of sponsorships are available for returning campers. For more information contact the church treasurer, Bob Coffen, at (509) 690-7656.

Preview of Next Week

TODAY, SABBATH	May 20, 2023
After Church 7:14pm	Fellowship Meal Sunset
WEDNESDAY	May 24, 2023
11:00am 10:00am-12:00n 7:00pm	Prayer Meeting with Doug Community Services Open to the Public Prayer Meeting with Alvin in the BLC
THURSDAY	May 25, 2023
5:00pm	BULLETIN INFO <u>DUE</u> Contact Cindi @ 509.690.7657 e-mail: <u>svsdabulletin@hotmail.com</u>
FRIDAY	May 26, 2023
7:18pm	Sunset
SABBATH	May 27, 2023
Offering After church 7:18pm	Conference Advance – Camp Yavapines Fellowship Meal Sunset

*Welcome to the Sierra Vista SDA Church!
It's a blessing to worship with you today.
May 20, 2023*