

Welcome! We're so glad you're here.

We are so glad you chose to worship with us this Sabbath! If you are looking for a church home, there is an information card in the pew that you can fill out & put in the offering plate or the brown offering box in the back of the church sanctuary. We would love to have you join our family!

"Thanks be to God for His indescribable gift!."

~ II Chronicles 9:15

Sabbath School

9:00 a.m.

Song Service	Deborah Austin
Welcome & Prayer	Cathy Olson
Mission Spotlight.....	Dr. Michael Campbell
Lesson Study	Classes
The Reformation	
#12 Overcoming Evil With Good	

Piano: Judy Crane

Adult Sabbath School Classes

David Olson /Steve Daugherty	Alcove
Open Circle	Through Door by Organ
New Believers	Through Door by Piano
Richard Plank / Mario DeLeon / Jeff Wilson	Back of Sanctuary
Art McKenzie / Harold Grundset / Bob Greve	Library
The Upper Room Sabbath School (Collegiate)	Above Family Center
Former Balcony Class Sabbath School (Focus Group)	Earliteen Room Downstairs

Youth Sabbath School Classes

Youth (Ages 14-18)	Downstairs by Front Stairs
Juniors/Earliteens (Ages 10-13)	Downstairs by Doorway
Primary (Ages 6-9)	Downstairs by Doorway
Kindergarten (Ages 4-5)	Downstairs by Back Stairs
Cradle Roll (Ages Newborn-3)	Downstairs by Back Stairs

Church at Worship

December 23, 2017 – 10:45 a.m.

Songs of Praise	Deborah Austin
#121 Go, Tell It on the Mountain	
#135 O Little Town of Bethlehem	
Announcements	Jon Wentworth
Opening Hymn	Deborah Austin
#143 Silent Night , Holy Night	
Prayer Song	
#290 Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus	
Morning Prayer	Andrew Osborne
Scripture	Andrew Osborne
Luke 2:8-11	
Offering	Doug Frood
Local Conference Advance	
Offertory	
Child Dedication.....	Hugo Olson
Children's Story	Jean Mabuto
Special Music	Charles Joseph
"O Holy Night"	
Sermon Message	Extern Tony Jamgochian
"A Gift for All"	
Closing Hymn	#122
"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"	
Benediction	Doug Frood
Piano: Cathy Olson	Organ: Judy Crane

To be reverent in the sanctuary, all cell phones should be turned off or placed on vibrate.



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For bulletin information, email standifergapsda@gmail.com (preferred) or call (423) 892-6013.
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This Week at Standifer Gap

Sabbath, Dec. 23	Sermon: Extern Tony Jamgochian Sunset	11:00 a.m. 5:34 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 24	Christmas Eve Program ~ Collegedale Church	4:00 p.m.
Monday, Dec. 25	Merry Christmas	All Day
Wednesday, Dec. 27	Prayer Meeting	7:00 p.m.
Friday, Dec. 29	Sunset	5:37 p.m.
Sabbath, Dec. 30	Communion Sunset	11:00 a.m. 5:38 p.m.

Upcoming Community Events

NAD Day of Prayer	January 6, 2018
Ten Days of Prayer	January 10-20, 2018
Delighting in the Almighty Seminar	January 13 & January 20
Blueprint for Men Symposium	January 13, 2018
Children's Ministries Convention	January 12-14, 2018
Marriage Conversion Weekend in GA	January 12-13, 2018
Singles' Ministries Hike to Glen Falls	January 13, 2018
Pathfinder TLT Convention	January 19-21, 2018



Finance Report

	Year-To-Date Total:	Minimum for Budget:
Combined Budget	\$207,850	\$186,240
Student Assistance	\$29,981	\$27,400

If you would like to donate from home, you can give online by visiting the church website - sgsda.org - & clicking *Donate Online*.

Announcements

- 1) MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL THE MEMBERS AND VISITORS:** We are glad you chose to worship with us today. Have a blessed and safe holiday season with your family and friends.
- 2) GIVE ONLINE:** If you are unable to give at church today or you miss being at church to return your tithe or give an offering, you can always go to the following church website: <https://sgsda.netadvent.org/> there you will find a link to where you can give.
- 3) CHILD DEDICATION TODAY**—Welcome to the Olson family as David and Cathy Olson's grandchild Hugo Olson will be dedicated to the Lord today.
- 4) WELCOME TO OUR SPECIAL MUSIC TODAY** Charles and Thecla Joseph. They were married several years ago in our church.
- 5) THANK YOU** for your thoughts and prayers last week after the passing of my Mamaw. We appreciate the beautiful plant the church sent in her honor. We miss her but look forward to seeing her again soon! ~ Tara Graham and The Davis Family
- 6) THANK YOU** church family for the prayers, cards, visits during my hospital and rehab stay. ~ Salatha Ringer
- 7) EVENING ANTHEM VESPERS** is presenting its second annual Christmas Eve vespers program at Collegedale Church on Sunday, Dec. 24, at 4 pm. Please join Kelly Mowrer and her family as they celebrate Christmas with an inspiring program of music and testimony that will encourage and bless you. You won't want to miss this. Come and celebrate Jesus our Savior!
- 8) PRAYER MEETING** next Wednesday (December 27) at 7 p.m.
- 9) DELIGHTING IN THE ALMIGHTY SEMINAR** – Join us at Standifer Gap SDA Adventist Church on Sabbath, January 13 and 20, as we explore the joy-filled life of primitive godliness in practical terms. All are welcome, including children age 8 or 9 and above! Starts at 11 a.m. Sabbath morning and continues Sabbath afternoon 1:30-3:00. Free workbook for all who attend afternoon meeting.
- 10) ATTENTION MEN AND WOMEN** You are invited to attend the 3rd annual *Blueprint for Men Symposium* at Hamilton Community Church on Saturday, January 13, 2018 from 3:00-6:00 pm. The theme for the TEDx style event is *ABBA: Dads by Design*. The keynote speaker will be John Finch, director and producer of the powerful documentary film, *The Father Effect*. If you have a father, are a father, or are married to a father this event is for you! Both men and women are encouraged to come. Child care provided. For more information visit www.blueprintformen.org or contact Marty Miller at [423-322-8491](tel:423-322-8491).
- 11) SINGLES' MINISTRIES HIKE TO GLEN FALLS:** The Glen Falls Trail offers a short, scenic out and back walk with a waterfall and rock steps to a cutout/tunnel above the pool. This is a real place to explore. Limited parking; carpooling encouraged. For more information, contact Judy Delay at (423) 504 6538 or jdelay@southern.edu.
- 12) MARRIAGE CONVERSION WEEKEND** at Alpharetta Adventist Church in Alpharetta, GA. Want more for your marriage? Richie and Timari Brower share how their own marriage was nearly destroyed and then converted to something better than they had ever dreamed of. Childcare available for all meetings. Workbook and lunch provided. Fore more information call (404) 803-7002 or www.marriageconversionuniversity.com
- 13) CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES CONVENTION** is January 12-14, 2018 at Cohutta Springs Conference Center. This event will provide valuable workshops and inspiring messages that are designed specifically for those who work with children. For more information or to register, visit registration.gccsda.com.

The Standifer Gap Seventh-day Adventist Church

Who we are... We are a Bible-based family of believers who want to experience God's love, acceptance, & forgiveness, & believe that His love is for all sinners. Our prayer is that your time worshiping with us will enrich your own walk with God & create a deeper desire to know Him better.

What we believe...

Christ... That Jesus Christ was God, the Son, co-eternal with God, the Father, & God, the Holy Spirit. That God's Son chose to become human so He could live & die for us. We believe He is now our High Priest in the heavenly Sanctuary preparing heaven for us & preparing us for heaven.

Cross... That Jesus' death on the cross was sufficient for all the sins of all humanity. Anyone who accepts Jesus as his/her personal Savior from sin is forgiven by God & has been born again through the Gift of God's Holy Spirit. This makes him/her a child of God & part of God's family.

Commandments... By the power of the indwelling Holy Spirit we choose to live in harmony with all of God's revealed will – including the Ten Commandments. These commandments written with God's own finger describe the principles of His Kingdom & reveal the character of God's true children. We choose to remember all ten – including God's Sabbath gift of time which He gave for building a deeper relationship with Himself & each other.

Coming... Jesus promised to come back & He will come gloriously in the clouds of heaven & every person will see, hear, & know that the King of Glory has come to take His born again children to be with Him forever. This truly is the "blessed hope" of all God's children. We look forward to meeting our Creator & Redeemer face to face.

If you would like to know more, please fill out a *Note to the Pastor* card in the back of the pew or talk to someone after the worship service.

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