

Announcements

- 1) **WELCOME** we are glad you chose to worship with us today. Have a blessed and safe Sabbath 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) **FIRST TRANSFER INTO STANDIFER GAP CHURCH** Melba Walin from Chattanooga First Church.
- 4) **DELIGHTING IN THE ALMIGHTY (SEMINAR)** – Everyone is welcome to attend today and next Sabbath January 20, as we explore the joy-filled life of primitive godliness in practical terms, including children ages 8 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.
- 5) **POTLUCK** everyone is invited to come to the potluck/fellowship luncheon on today in the Standifer Gap SDA School, located across the street, immediately following the church service.
- 6) **CHURCH FINANCE MEETING** is Monday, January 15 at 5:00 p.m. at Doug's office.
- 7) **PRAYER MEETING** next Wednesday (January 17) at 7 p.m. Pastor Carney is leading out.
- 8) **SCHOOL BOARD MEETING** is Thursday, January 18 at 7:00 p.m.
- 9) **CHURCH BUSINESS MEETING** will be held on Thursday, January 25 in the church sanctuary. All members are encouraged to attend.
- 10) **FAITH HOUSE** our building project with Habitat for Humanity has made some great progress. In two Sundays, January 28, we will be going out to work on the project ourselves. We will be finishing siding and soffit work, in addition to starting the porch and doing some touch up paint. If you're interested in helping out on this project, please contact Pastor Ian.
- 11) **YOU ARE LOVED DINNER AND VARIETY SHOW** will be held on Sunday, February 11 at 5:00 p.m. in the school gym. Tickets are adult \$12 kids 3-11 \$5. The meal is vegetarian with an option for vegan and gluten free for an additional \$2. Tickets can be purchased on Tuesdays and Thursdays at the school. The deadline to purchase tickets is February 8. For more info contact Becky Daugherty.
- 12) **PRAYER CONFERENCE: If My People Pray** at Cohutta Springs Conference on February 16-18, 2018. The speaker is Pastor Kevin Wilfley. He is the senior pastor for the Kirkland Adventist Church and Prayer Ministry Director for the North Pacific Union Conference. For more information contact Adventsource at 1-800-328-0525 and to register for the event visit www.gccsda.com. Registration deadline is January 24 and final deadline is January 31.
- 13) **MARK TWAIN ON THE SOUTHERN BELLE** on Sunday, February 25 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. For tickets visit Chattanoogariverboat.com or for more info contact Becky.
- 14) **STANDIFER GAP SDA SCHOOL** is celebrating its 70th anniversary on Sabbath, September 29. We need alumni information. Please provide all your information and to Becky Daugherty or email it to the home and school at sgshomeandschool@gmail.com.
- 15) **KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP IS BACK!** It will be held on Wednesday, March 14 at 12:45 p.m. In order to enroll for kindergarten this Fall you must be 5 years old by August 15. We will also have our annual MOVE UP DAY! Every student will move up to the next grade. If you know someone interested in the school, this is the best time to attend and visit our school. If you have any questions, please contact the office.

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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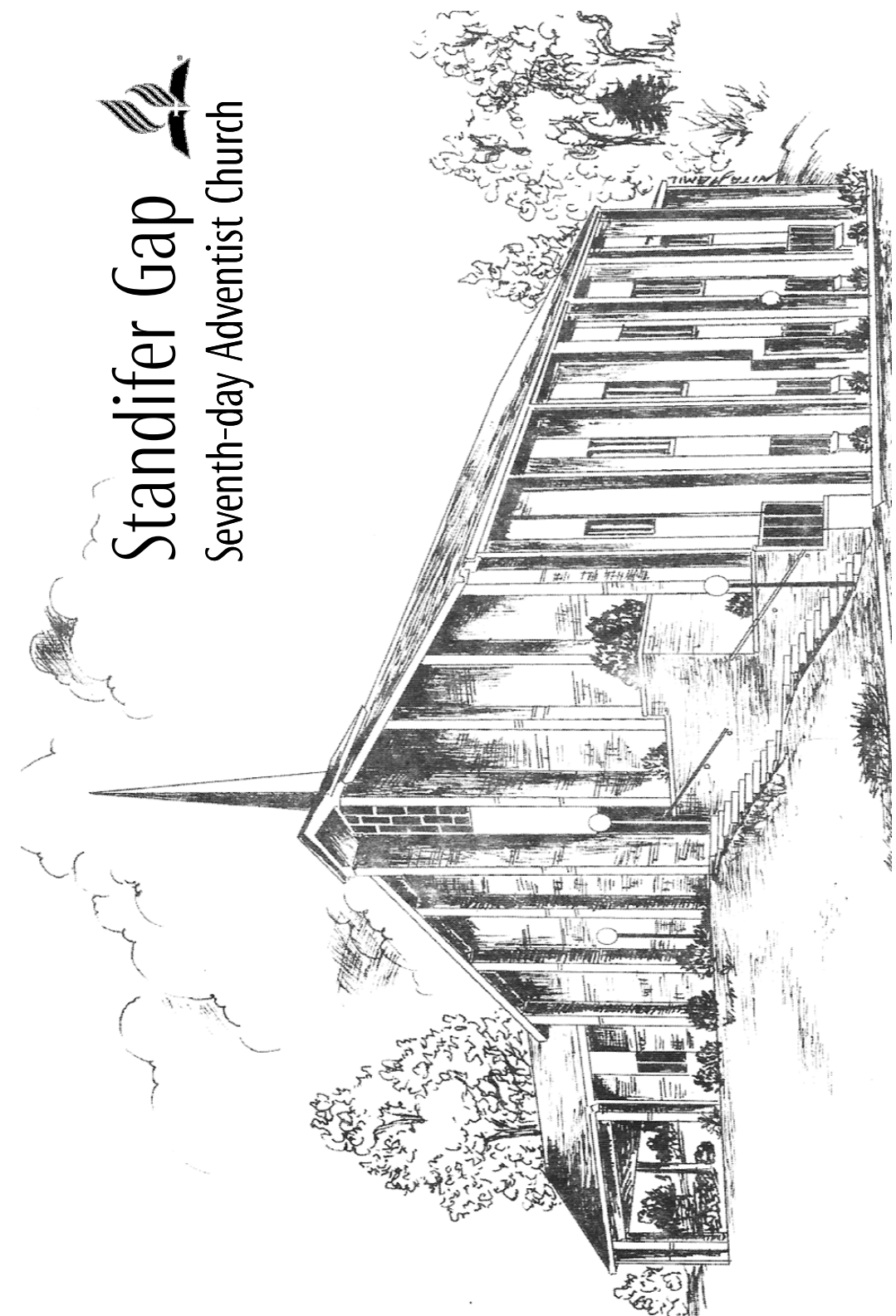
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