

## 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!

"Sometimes our prayers can be merely an expression of our own selfish nature.  
That's why we need to pray in submission to the will of God."

~ SS Quarterly, 1st Qtr. 2018, p. 31

## Sabbath School

9:00 a.m.

Song Service .....	Jon Wentworth
Welcome & Prayer .....	Cathy Olson
Special Mission Presentation .....	Dr. Michael Campbell
Lesson Study .....	Classes
<b>#5 The Conversion of Paul</b>	



## 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	Pastor Office
The Upper Room Sabbath School (Collegiate)	Above Family Center
Former Balcony Class Sabbath School (Focus Group)	Earliten 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

August 4, 2018 – 10:45 a.m.

Songs of Praise .....	Lonnie Sedge
<b>#499 What a Friend We Have in Jesus</b> <b>#422 Marching to Zion (verses 1 &amp; 4)</b>	
Announcements .....	Nate Perry
Opening Hymn .....	Lonnie Sedge
<b>#100 Great is Thy Faithfulness</b>	
Prayer Song .....	
<b>#290 Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus</b>	
Morning Prayer .....	Nate Perry
Scripture .....	Nate Perry
<b>Exodus 2:23-25</b>	
Offering .....	Doug Frood
<b>Our Budget</b>	
Offertory .....	Sylvia & Conrad Hyde
<b>Arioso/How Great Thou Art</b>	
Children's Story .....	Vicky Davis
Special Music .....	Sylvia & Conrad Hyde
Message .....	Pastor Sitrler
<b>"The Leading: It's Not About Us!"</b>	
Closing Hymn .....	#469
<b>"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"</b>	
Benediction .....	Doug Frood

Piano: Margaret Hallock

Organ: Judy Crane



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be turned off or placed on vibrate.*

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

<b>Sabbath, Aug 04</b>	Sermon ~ Pastor David Sitrler	11:00 a.m.
	Potluck	12:30 p.m.
	Project Rescue	2:00 p.m.
	Sunset	8:41 p.m.
<b>Sunday, Aug 05</b>	Deacons' Brunch at Pavilion	10:00 a.m.
<b>Monday, Aug. 06</b>	CORE Meeting	6:00 p.m.
<b>Tuesday, Aug. 07</b>	Church Finance Committee Meeting	7:00 p.m.
<b>Wednesday, Aug. 08</b>	Prayer Meeting	7:00 p.m.
<b>Thursday, Aug. 09</b>	Church Board Meeting	7:00 p.m.
<b>Friday, Aug. 10</b>	Sunset	8:35 p.m.
<b>Sabbath, Aug. 11</b>	Sermon ~ Pastor David Sitrler	11:00 a.m.
	Sunset	8:34 p.m.

## Upcoming Community Events

Workbee at Standifer Gap SDA School	August 12
First Day Of School Standifer Gap SDA School	August 15
Young Adult Liaison Training	August 17-18
Family Atlanta Braves Game Day	August 19
Grief/Loss Recovery Weekend	August 24-26
Pathfinder Registration	August 29
Young Adult Retreat	August 31- Sept. 2
CONNECTIONs Convention for Women	September 6-9
Church Campout	September 14-16
Standifer Gap SDA School 70th Anniversary	September 29
Men's Retreat at Cohutta Springs	October 5-7

## Finance Report

	Received Last Week	Year-To-Date Total:	Minimum for Budget:
Combined Budget	\$3,264	\$116,800	\$101,500
Student Assistance	\$1,000	\$16,960	\$15,000
Playground	\$1,012	\$44,706	\$140,000

If you would like to donate from home, you can give online by visiting the church website - [sgsda.org](http://sgsda.org) - & clicking *Donate Online*.

## 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) **WELCOME PASTOR DAVID & CINDA LEA SITLER** to Standifer Gap SDA Church. We are glad you are here. May the Lord bless you and your family.
- 4) **PASTORAL FAMILY VISITATION:** As we newly arrive here at Standifer Gap, we would like to get to know you personally through brief 10-minute “doorstop” visits to your home throughout the next four to five weeks. To help us be able to visit you, please fill out the postcard in the bulletin and return it to Pr David, Pr Ian, one of the elders or deacons, or place it in the offering plate. *Thank you, Pr David & Cinda Lea*
- 5) **SECOND READING OUT OF STANDIFER GAP CHURCH** Michael & Tisha Looby are transferring to Collegedale Church, TN.
- 6) **INFO IS NEEDED** Our clerk needs an emergency number for each family, other than spouse or children living in the same household. If you have family members of the SG Church, this will be helpful too. This is confidential information for the Clerk and/or Pastor as needed. Please let Nan know of this info ASAP. If you have any questions feel free to contact Nan Schu, Clerk. Thank you for your help.
- 7) **DEACONS’ BRUNCH** *Tomorrow* a deacons’ brunch will be held at the Family Center at 10:00 a.m. All deacons are welcome to attend to get acquainted and talk about the next two years of service. We hope you are able to attend!
- 8) **CHURCH FINANCE MEETING** will be held on Tuesday, August 7 at 7:00 p.m. at the church.
- 9) **PRAYER MEETING** on Wednesday, August, 8 at 7:00 p.m.
- 10) **SCHOOL WORKBEE** Please come on Sunday, August 12 from 9:00 a.m. to noon and help get our school ready for the new school year.
- 11) **ARW (Adventist Retired Workers)** Fellowship will be featuring Linda Moss Mines of the Tennessee Historical Commission at its Sunday, August 12, luncheon in the fellowship hall of Collegedale Church (SAU). Linda Mines has a passion for history and will share with ARW members and guests the vast historic resources of the Chattanooga region. Luncheon is potluck; bring your favorite dish and plan to be there by 11:30 to enjoy fellowship and fun.
- 12) **NOW ENROLLING AT STANDIFER GAP SDA SCHOOL.** Please talk with your neighbors, friends, and co-workers about our school. We have openings in every grade except very *limited* spaces in grades 1 & 2. Please pray for the right families to attend our school this upcoming school year. *First day of school is Wednesday, August 15 at 8:00 a.m.*
- 13) **FALL CHURCH CAMPOUT** at Gee Creek Group Campground September 14-16. For those not wishing to camp overnight, please join us for Sabbath church service and a potluck to follow. More details to follow as the date nears, but for questions please contact Katie Campos.
- 14) **STANDIFER GAP SDA SCHOOL** is celebrating it's 70th Anniversary Home Coming on September 28 & 29, 2018. All former students and staff are invited to attend our celebration. We are planning a Golf Tournament on *Friday, October 5* and festivities all day Sabbath the 29th. We are looking for anyone who has pictures and stories to share with us from 1948 to now. Please contact (423) 892-6013 or for further details visit: [sgsdaschool.org](http://sgsdaschool.org).
- 15) **ATTENTION MEN:** The GCC Men’s Retreat is October 5-7, 2018 at the Cohutta Springs Conference Center. Our theme this year is “Blood Brothers” which is in reference to the restoration of the brotherhood of men through the blood of Jesus Christ. The weekend will include great food, inspirational music, challenging messages, and brotherhood! Complete information can be found at [www.blueprintformen.org](http://www.blueprintformen.org). Registration deadline is September 20.

## 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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