

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!

“In...communion with Christ, through prayer and study of the great and precious truths of His word, we shall as hungry souls be fed, as those that thirst, we shall be refreshed at the fountain of life.”

~ Morris Venden, “Faith that Works” p. 194

Sabbath School

9:15 a.m.

Song ServiceJon Wentworth

Welcome & PrayerCathy Olson

Mission Spotlight.....

Lesson StudyClasses
#3 That They All May Be One”

Piano: Judy Crane

Adult Sabbath School Classes

David Olson /Steve Daugherty	Alcove
Open Circle	Through Door by Organ
New Believers	Through Door by Piano
Mario DeLeon / Jeff Wilson	Back of Sanctuary
Art McKenzie / Harold Grundset / Bob Greve	Pastor Office
The Upper Room Sabbath School (Collegiate)	Above Family Center
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

October 20, 2018 – 10:45 a.m.

Songs of PraiseDeborah Austin

#159 *The Old Rugged Cross*
#310 *I Would Draw Nearer to Jesus*

Announcements Billy Saunders

Opening HymnDeborah Austin

#100 *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

Prayer Song
#290 *Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus*

Morning Prayer.....Jon Wentworth

ScriptureJon Wentworth

Isaiah 55:1 & Revelation 3:18

Offering Extern Matt Haire

Our Church Budget

Offertory.....

Children's Story Adventurers

Special MusicGrace Scoggins

“It Is Well with My Soul”

Message Pastor Sitler

Walking: Chasing What's Most Important

Closing Hymn..... #316

“Live Out Thy Life Within Me”

Benediction Extern Matt Haire

Piano: Tara Graham

Organ: Judy Crane



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

Please submit all church bulletin content by **Wednesday at noon.**
For bulletin information, email standifergapsda@gmail.com (preferred) or call (423) 892-6013.
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This Week at Standifer Gap

Sabbath, Oct. 20	Sermon ~ Pastor Sitler	11:00 a.m.
	Project Rescue	2:00 p.m.
	Sunset	7:00 p.m.

Sunday, Oct. 21 7 Bridges Marathon in Chattanooga

Wednesday, Oct. 24	Prayer Meeting	7:00 p.m.
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Thursday, Oct. 25	School Board Meeting	7:00 p.m.
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Friday, Oct. 26	Adventurer Family Fun Weekend ~ Cohutta Springs	
	Marriage Retreat ~ St. Simons Island, GA	
	Sunset	6:53 p.m.

Sabbath, Oct. 27	Sermon ~ Pastor Sitler	11:00 a.m.
	Memorial Service ~ Lucille Bergman	3:30 p.m.
	Sunset	6:51 p.m.

Upcoming Community Events

Pathfinder Food Fair	October 28
Pathfinder Teen Challenge	November 2-4
Project Rescue	November 3
Craft Bazaar at Standifer Gap School	November 4
Standifer Gap School Fall Festival	November 10
Collegedale Academy Day	November 16
Pathfinder Junior Event	November 30– December 2
Ministries Training at Calhoun Church	December 1

Finance Report

	Received Last Week	Year-To-Date Total:	Minimum for Budget:
Combined Budget	\$9,208	\$164,825	\$143,500
Student Assistance	\$585	\$22,153	\$20,000
Playground	\$355	\$54,323	\$140,000

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

Announcements

- 1) **HAPPY SABBATH** to Standifer Gap SDA Church. We hope you will be blessed with our church services today.
- 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) **SECOND READING INTO STANDIFER GAP CHURCH** Christine Mahoney from Collegedale Community Church, Ooltewah, TN.
FIRST READING INTO STANDIFER GAP CHURCH Matthew & Teresa Bennett from Plantation SDA Church Plantation, FL, and Kristee Williams from Collegedale Church in Collegedale, TN.
- 4) **MEMBER NEEDS RIDE** An elderly member, who lives near Talent Rd & Collegeview Drive, needs a ride to and from church for S.S. & Church. If you are able to help in a rotating/sharing schedule, please contact the office or Pr David.
- 5) **PROJECT RESUCE SHOE MINISTRY** would like to provide new shoes for the homeless downtown. They will be \$13 or less a pair. To help, mark your tithe envelope “shoes” or give your donation to Carla, JoAnne, & Pam.
- 6) **PRAYER MEETING STUDY** We continue our new series, *Winning Ways to Witness: 7 Witnessing Styles that Attract People to Christ*, this Wednesday, October 24 with the review of chapter eight.
- 7) **SCHOOL BOARD MEETING** will be held Thursday, October 25 at 7:00 p.m.
- 8) **SCHOOL PROJECTS** We are in need of several repairs and small projects at the school. If you can help please contact the school or Joel McQuistan.
- 9) **BAPTISM & CHILD DEDICATIONS** Next Sabbath, October 27, will be a full, but amazing Sabbath. We will be dedicating the children of Matthew & Rachel Seth and Joshua & Rachel Carithers along with seeing Stacy Thomas dedicate his life to the Lord through baptism. It is awesome to see how God works on people's hearts to bring them to dedicate their children and themselves to Himself!
- 10) **MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR LUCILLE BERGMAN** (Shari McQuistan's mother) next Sabbath, October 27 at 3:30 p.m. in the church sanctuary.
- 11) **NO TRICK, BUT TREAT NIGHT** October 31st, 6:00-8:30 p.m. We will be going door to door in our community handing out cookies and GLOW tracts about Halloween. We'll meet at the Family Center at 6:00 p.m. and hand out literature for about an 1 ½ hours. Then we'll have games, snacks, and a bonfire at the Family Center until 8:30. If you cannot make it to the event, you can join us in making cookies at home, buying small pre-packaged cookies, or joining us on Oct. 28 at 10:00 a.m. to bag up the cookies. Thank you for your help with this outreach to our community!
- 12) **NOVEMBER POTLUCK DATE CHANGE** due to the Standifer Gap SDA School will be having their Fall Festival on Saturday evening, November 10, the church potluck for November will be held on the first Sabbath in November. Please remember to bring plenty of extra food for members and guests and to label all your containers for easy pick up after the potluck.
- 13) **CRAFT BAZAAR** will be held on November 4 at the school 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. For more information or to reserve a table contact Karon Brasgalla (941) 720-4181.
- 14) **BIBLE INSTRUCTOR TRAINING** will be held on October 20 and December 8, at Chattanooga First SDA Church at 2:00 p.m.

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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