

The Church at Study

The 10 o'clock hour provides opportunities to study God's word in small groups throughout the complex, to reflect on the meaning of faith, and to fellowship with one another.

ADULTS, Sanctuary. *Discipleship for Everyday Believers*: Small classes for Bible Study (lesson), discussion and life application. Gather around the colored banners for study:

- BLUE** (front right) Senior Pastor's Class
- RED** (front left) Brillhart/Candelaria Team
- BROWN** (back right) Wesley Team
- FUSCIA** (back left) Women's Ministries Team "Women & the Word"
- DARK GREEN** (center right back) Satelmajer Team "Wanderers"
- PURPLE** (center left back) Vedamuthu Team
- BEIGE** (center front) Arabic Class

BELIEVERS AND DOUBTERS, Balcony Level, Room 44, Experience the presence of God in a secular world.

BRANSON / ORTNER CLASS, Fellowship Room A. Conversations on Scripture and current issues.

COLLEGIATE WORSHIP: Richards Hall chapel. An alternative Sabbath experience which uses God's Word to confront collegiate concerns.

MIZO BIBLE STUDY, Church Office Building. Sabbath School lesson taught in Mizo.

POST COLLEGE / CAREER ADULT, Fellowship B.

Children's & Youth Sabbath School

Beginners (ages 0-2)	Level 1
Little Friends (ages 3-4)	Level 1
Kindergarten (ages 4-5)	Level 1
Primary I (1st and 2nd graders)	Level 1
Primary II (3rd and 4th graders)	Level 3
Juniors (5th and 6th graders)	Level 3
Earliteens (7th and 8th graders)	Level 1, Memorial Chapel
Youth (high school)	Level 1, Youth Room

Church Directory

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 Youth Web: www.sligo youth.com
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Interim Senior Pastor	Terry Johnsson	ext. 119
Discipleship Pastor	Rebecca Brillhart	ext. 123
CUC Chaplain	Stan Dobias	301-891-4112
Worship Pastor	Debbie Eisele	ext. 127
Children's/Family Pastor	Ismael Gama	ext. 124
Youth/Young Adult	Terry Johnsson	ext. 119
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Takoma Academy	Ken Knudsen	301-434-4700
Columbia Union College	Randal Wisbey	301-891-4000
Adventist Comm Svcs	Ronald Wylie	301-585-6556



JANUARY 15, 2005
8:45 & 11:15 A.M.

Prelude

Adagio / Mendelssohn

+Songs for Gathering

Elmer Carreno

Welcome & Church Life

Pastor Debbie Eisele

*Call to Worship

Pastor Debbie Eisele

Leader: Lord, this morning we have come willingly,
and gladly, into Your presence.

**All: Engage our minds that we may put the woes
of the week behind and forget for the moment the stress
of the week ahead.**

Leader: Create a space within us to be filled only by You,
not just this morning, but every day of our lives.

**All: Teach us daily to choose Your source of power, so that
everything we are flows directly from You.**

*Hymn of Praise

At the Name of Jesus / No. 232

*Invocation

Pastor Stan Dobias

Music for Worship

Praeludium & Allegro / Kreisler

+Anthem

People of God, Rejoice! / Pote

†Call to Prayer

*Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness,
And all these things shall be added unto you
Allelu, alleluia.*

†Prayer

Zack Plantak

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Church & Community

Children & Youth

Registration for Adventurers & Eager Beavers is still open. If you are interested, please visit the registration table in the Atrium, or contact Pastor Ismael Gama in the Church Office.

Youth Ski Trip. The Youth will be leaving tomorrow morning to go skiing at Ski Liberty. We are very excited about this opportunity!

January 22 is the Youth Community Sabbath. Sabbath School will feature special presentation. Following the 11:15 service, the Youth will have a potluck. After the potluck, the Youth will be going on a community outreach trip. We encourage all Youth to attend and to invite friends.

3C meeting will be this Friday, January 21, Youth Room, 7 p.m. Please remember this meeting is for members only.

Youth Choir will meet for practice on Wednesdays at 8:30 p.m. If you are interested, please stop by.

Parents, check our website for information on all events, for department updates, www.sligoyouth.com.

Sligo Adventist School

Next Fruit Order Deadline is January 21. For more information call 301-434-1417 or email fruit@sligoadventistschool.org.

Columbia Union College

Plan now! Spain's Golden Age Tour, May 9 - 20: Jet-set to the coastal resort of Málaga in southern Spain as you begin your travels to the Alhambra in Granada, take in a flamenco performance in Seville, wander the ancient city of Moors, Jews, and Christians of Toledo, and stroll the world-famous Prado museum, or get lost in the Palacio Real, a 2,800-room royal palace in Madrid. Course credit in Introductory Spanish will be taught by Señor Orlando Mastrapa. Dr. Joan Francis will lead a historical overview of Spain's Golden Age through courses offered for academic credit by Columbia Union College. For more information on itinerary and prices, contact David Miller, dmiller@cuc.edu or 301-891-4012.

Join the CUC community during Chapel 4 U Wednesday, January 19, 11 a.m. Choose from four different types of worship service, from discussion to praise and worship.

Experience Singspiration, a gospel-style worship service run by CUC students, on Friday nights 8, p.m., in the Agape Café. The speaker for this Friday will be Elder Dawn Small.

Adventist Community Services Center Campaign for Community touches the hurting in our local community by providing services through ACS: emergency financial and food assistance, community health services and basic educational programs. Please get involved in *Campaign for Community*. For more information, please call 301-585-6556.



Calendar

January 17, Monday

Church Office closed.
Regeneration, Disciple Room, 7:30 p.m.

January 18, Tuesday

Prayer Gathering, Sanctuary, 7 p.m. followed by Senior Pastor Search meeting, Sanctuary, 8 p.m.

January 19, Wednesday

Wednesday Night Out
Hour of Hope (youth), Youth Room, 7 p.m.
Sligo Sanctuary Choir, Choir Room, 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.

January 20, Thursday

Church Office closed.

January 21, Friday

3C (youth), Youth Room, 7 p.m.

Looking Ahead...

January 23, Sunday

Atrium Luncheon for Bath family hosted by Sligo southern Asians

January 24, Monday

Finance Committee meeting, Pastor Bath's office, 7 p.m.

January 31, Monday

Administrative Board meeting, Fellowship Hall A, 7 p.m.

Worship Schedule

	8:45 and 11:15 AM
January 22	Pastor Peter Bath
January 29	Pastor Peter Bath
February 5	Pastor Peter Bath

	New Community Fellowship
	Services held in the Sligo Church Sanctuary, 6 p.m.
January 15	Pastor Terry Johnsson
January 22	Dave Wiegley <i>First Anniversary celebration for NCF</i>
January 29	Concert & Thought by Kitty Pilli

<p>Sunset Tonight: 5:09 January 21: 5:17</p>

Sabbath Celebration

8:45 & 11:15 a.m.

Children's Hymn

Father, Lead Me Day by Day / No. 482
(stanzas 1,3,4)

Children's Lesson

Pastor Ismael Gama

Invitation to Give

Pastor Debbie Eisele

Offertory

Sinfonia No. 15 in B minor / Bach
+ Many Gifts, One Spirit / Pote

Scripture

Daniel 1:8
Daniel 6:10

Natasha Plantak

Sermon

What Are Your Priorities?

Pastor Stan Dobias

*Hymn of Response

Lord of Creation / No. 320

*Benediction

Pastor Stan Dobias

*Benediction Response

The Glory Be to the Father / Mendelssohn

Postlude

War March of the Priests / Mendelssohn

Frank Agard & Shanti Mani-Sinha, *deacon & deaconess on duty*
Zack Plantak, *presiding elder*

Jon Daley, *violin*
Matthew Daley, *piano*
Moyna Daley, *pianist*

Sligo Sanctuary Choir Marianne Scriven, *director*

John Lintner, *organist*

+ 11:15 service only
* congregation is standing
✙ congregation is kneeling



Sabbath School

Discipleship for Everyday Believers
10 a.m.

Song Service

Kenneth Flemmer

Opening Song

Victory In Jesus

Prayer

William Ruby

Welcome

Clarence Dunbebin

Musical Selection

Elmer Carreno

Tsunami & ADRA International Update

Kenneth Flemmer

Bible Study

His Wondrous Cross: Jesus and the Sanctuary

Class Leaders

Benediction

Class Leaders

Zelma Edwards, *pianist*

FOOTNOTES

The **Daley family** has a wonderful gift of music. **Moyna Daley**, a Sligo member for nearly 20 years, teaches music at Norwood and is involved in Sligo's women's ministries. Her older son, **Jon Daley**, loves music and sports. Jon is in 11th grade and wants to become a psychiatrist. Moyna's younger son, **Matthew Daley**, was baptized in September and is one of Sligo's newest members. Matthew is in eighth grade and also loves music and sports.

Zack Plantak chairs the religion department at Columbia Union College (CUC). This year he will travel to Loma Linda to speak on universal health care and to Zaosky Seminary in Russia to speak on soteriology. His daughter, **Natasha Plantak** is a freshman at CUC. She is a 4.0 honors student majoring in history and English, and minoring in philosophy. Natasha has an increasing interest in religion and works in the chaplain's office coordinating music for chapel and week of prayer.

Elmer Carreno, a retired general surgeon, has been a member of the Sligo Sanctuary Choir for 30 years. Currently he is Deputy Health Officer with the Prince George's County Health Department. Elmer was an original member of the Organ Committee and currently a member of the Organ Sanctuary Renovation Committee.



Welcome to Sligo Church

May the Lord bless you as you worship with us today. We welcome our guests and visitors. Please fill out a green card from the hymnal rack and place it in the offering plate. To join Sligo Church, use a purple card and provide *all* information.

Stop by the Membership Booth in the Atrium.

Carmine & Judith Pino, Membership Team representatives, will be happy to assist you with changing membership data, transferring in, and church ministry opportunities.

Today's flowers are given by Lidija, Zack & Roberta Plantak in celebration of Natasha's 18th birthday.

Prayer Support: Paul Copiz for recovery, the Netteburg family for comfort; requests brought to Prayer Gathering Tuesday evening. Please remember our ministry of encouragement to one another.

The Gathering meets every Tuesday evening, 7 - 8 p.m., for prayer in the Sanctuary. Come, bring your family and friends, and experience God's loving embrace.

Senior Pastor Search committee members: If you did not receive a message by email or letter regarding sermon tapes, please see Pastor Kermit Netteburg.

The sanctuary locks will be changed. Superintendents for each group only, please email key requests to theresa@sligochurch.org.

Nominating Committee:

Elders (*first reading*): Paul Djordjevic, Edwina Flynn, Joan Francis, Peter Garza, John Melnick, Julianne Melnick, Joan Silver, Tiffany Smith, and Carol Stewart.

Membership Committee (*second reading*): Sandra Brown and Heidi Copiz.

Bulletin Information Deadline: Monday, 5 p.m. E-mail bulletin information to theresa@sligochurch.org, or fax it to the church office, 301-270-3518.

PROFILE OF GIVING

Church Budget as of January 8, 2005

	Received	Goal	(Short) / Over
Last week	\$4,678		
Year to Date	\$8,261		

Annual Church Budget:

Please remember to support our church budget.

Organ/Sanctuary Renovation			
	Received	Pledges	(Short) / Over
Last Week	\$1,675		
Goal:	\$4,054,463		
Project to Date	\$2,218,712	\$346,549	(\$1,489,202)
Project Expenditure to Date:	\$4,055,282		
Giving Unit:	1016	47.0%	

Church & Community

Adventist Health Study-2 Needs Sligo Support:

Don't miss your opportunity to be in one of the largest and most exciting health studies in the country! Today, Sligo Church kicks off our local campaign to involve as many members (35 years and older) as possible in this landmark effort to research the correlation between diet, lifestyle and disease (the first such study involved fewer people in CA in 1976). Our goal is to involve at least 25% of our membership—about 750 persons. Conducted by Loma Linda University's Public School of Health and financed by the National Institutes of Health (NIH), member participation in this study is a "gift" the Sligo family can have a part of giving to the next several generations to help prevent premature aging and disease. We will be promoting this study in Jan-Feb with a variety of presentations. Questions? Contact Pastor Rebecca Brillhart at the Church Office.

Sligo / CUC AIM core team is growing!

We will meet on Thursday, Jan. 27, from 7-9 p.m. in Fellowship Hall B to plan for 2005. If you signed up to help with housing and immigration initiatives and/or have an interest in other local community issues, this meeting is for you. Contact Pastor Rebecca Brillhart at the Church Office if you have questions.

Religious Liberty Offering will be collected next Saturday, January 22. You are invited to join in the celebration as *Liberty Magazine* commemorates its centennial year by contributing for this annual offering. Imagine, 100 years of timely articles dedicated to defending religious freedom. Imagine, 100 years of devoted member support! Can you imagine what the next century would be like without it?

Save the date—On Sunday January 23, Sligo's southern Asian community is hosting one of the farewell luncheons for Senior Pastor Bath and his family in the Atrium. The luncheon is free—all donations will go to the Baths' farewell purse. Contact Johnson Ram, 301-237-8975, or Allan Manuel, 301-384-8220, for more information.

ADRA donations help tsunami victims: ADRA is working closely with other organizations to bring the most immediate response possible for people suffering the devastation and loss. Monetary contributions allow essential supplies to arrive faster than donated goods from other countries because they can be purchased locally and help revive the economy. You can make a donation by contacting ADRA online (adra.org) or by calling 800-424-2372.

Net 2005 Rally, at Takoma Academy, Friday, January 21, 7 p.m. & Saturday, January 22, 9:30 a.m. Come, be a part of this inspiring weekend as Doug Batchelor, Dr. Lee Gugliotto, and others share how you can be involved in bringing souls to Jesus through Net 2005. For more information call 916-434-3880, ext. 3028, or visit www.amazingfacts.org.

