

The Church at Study

The 10 o'clock hour provides opportunities throughout the complex to study God's word in small groups, 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) Evans/Ram Team
- 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
- SILVER** (front center) Battle-Brooks / Johnson Team

BELIEVERS AND DOUBTERS, Balcony Level, Room 44.

The class is studying Philip Yancey's book, *Prayer: Does it Make Any Difference?*

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

LOGOS COLLEGIATE SABBATH SCHOOL: Richards Hall chapel. An alternative Sabbath experience.

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

WORDS TO LIVE BY, First Level Conference Room, Church Office Building. Sabbath School lesson study for one hour.

DISCOVER BIBLE SCHOOL, Disciple Room. Adventist beliefs for new members and people considering membership.

Children, Youth & Young Adult Sabbath Schools

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 3, Behind Balcony
Youth (high school)	Level 1, Youth Room
Young Adults (18 to 20-something)	Memorial Chapel

Church Directory

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JUNE 9, 2007
8:45 & 11:15 A.M.

Prelude

Welcome & Church Life Pastor John Wagner
+Pastor Rebecca Brillhart

***Call to Worship** Pastor John Wagner
+Pastor Rebecca Brillhart

Leader: Lord, in Your presence this morning, we are called to renew our kingdom commitment.

All: Remove the tarnish that dulls the glow of our kingdom spirit.

Leader: Refresh our zeal to spread the kingdom message.

All: And teach us to pray, with revitalized insight, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in every heart this day and every day.

*Hymn of Praise

Crown Him With Many Crowns / No. 223

*Invocation

Pastor Debbie Eisele

Anthem

+ *Wait on the Lord* / Barnett

✠ Prayer

Pastor John Wagner
+Pastor Rebecca Brillhart

Invitation to Give

Fred Khandagle

Offertory

+ *Dwell in the House* / Jones

Scripture

Joseph Encarguaz

Luke 12:29-31

Sligo Seventh-day Adventist Church

7700 Carroll Avenue Takoma Park MD 20912
301-270-6777

Sabbath Celebration

8:45 & 11:15 a.m.

+Music for Meditation

O For a Faith / Carter

Sermon

Pastor Debbie Eisele

Whiners and Diners

*Hymn of Response

Seek Ye First the Kingdom / No. 224

*Benediction

Pastor Debbie Eisele

*Benediction Response

+Postlude

Allan Manuel & Joyce Arthur, *deacon & deaconess on duty*

+Emmanuel Brinklow Choir

Valeria Dizard, *director*
Rick Phillip, *co-director*

Marcellus Breach, *organist*

* congregation is standing

✝ congregation is kneeling

Sabbath School

Discipleship for Everyday Believers
10 a.m.

Song Service

Judith Upshaw

Theme Song

For Your Holy Book We Thank You / No. 277

Welcome

Lara Beaven

Prayer

Lara Beaven

Mission Focus

Egypt: The Oasis

Special Music

Judith Upshaw

Bible Study

The Bible and Happiness

Benediction

Footnotes

Then Jesus said to his disciples: "Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat; or about your body, what you will wear. Life is more than food, and the body more than clothes.

Consider the ravens: They do not sow or reap, they have no storeroom or barn; yet God feeds them. And how much more valuable you are than birds! Who of you by worrying can add a single hour to his life? Since you cannot do this very little thing, why do you worry about the rest?

Consider how the lilies grow. They do not labor or spin. Yet I tell you, not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these. If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today, and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, how much more will he clothe you, O you of little faith!

And do not set your heart on what you will eat or drink; do not worry about it. For the pagan world runs after all such things, and your Father knows that you need them. But seek his kingdom, and these things will be given to you as well.

Luke 12:22 - 31, NIV

Fred Khandagle, a member for 16 years, is one of our elders. Fred also serves as one of our greeters and on the Finance and Evangelism Committees.

Joseph Encarguaz, a junior at Takoma Academy, is an active member of our youth group. Joseph is a member of 3C and of the Sligo Youth Choir.



Church & Community

Children & Youth

Children's Church is today, downstairs in the Youth Room at 11:15 a.m. All children are invited to join in exciting service especially for children. Don't miss it!

Looking for Sensational Singers: The Vacation Bible School Praise Team wants YOU to come and sing! If you are between the ages of 6 and 13, you are invited to join the Avalanche Ranch Singers. Sign up today at the table in the lobby after the 11:15 worship service.

Youth Sabbath School is a great time to learn about God and interact with others. All high-school-age youth are invited to join in fellowship and growth through discussion. Sabbath mornings in the Youth Room, 10 a.m. Don't forget to come and invite a friend.

Hour of Hope is a prayer meeting held every Wednesday where youth come to worship in a friendly and fun environment. Hour of Hope is made by the youth for the youth. Join this midweek gathering in Memorial Chapel, 7 p.m.

Young Adults (18 - 30)

The Gathering meets in Fellowship Hall A every Wednesday night at 7 p.m. They are doing an in-depth study of the book of Romans. If you have not picked up your lesson study, they are available online at www.sligoyoungadults.com.

The Lord has blessed our Young Adult group by bringing new young adults for Sabbath School each week. Please join in every Saturday at 10 a.m.

Columbia Union College

Capital Summer Session: If you are a high school junior or if you are a high school graduate who has been accepted into CUC, you may be eligible to earn three college credits tuition-free through the college's Capital Summer Session, July 23 - August 9. There is a book and activity fee of \$200 and you may stay in the dorm for free. For more information or to apply, call 800-835-4212 or email ccs@cuc.edu.

Adventist Community Services

Sligo Church works through ACS in the community to help families in times of need. The ACS Center on Sligo Avenue helps people learn English, provides emergency food and clothing, and helps people gain job skills. If you want to know how to help, call 301-585-6556.

ACS has started a new program in remembrance of loved ones and dear friends who have passed away. For more information, or if you would like to make contributions to this program (the name of the person and donor will appear in the ACS newsletter), call 301-585-6556 or send your tax-deductible contributions to ACS, 501 Sligo Avenue, Silver Spring, MD 20910.



Calendar

June 9, Sabbath

Information & Membership, Fellowship Room B, 9 a.m.
Children's Church, Youth Room, 11:15 a.m.
Life After Divorce, Washington Adventist Hospital, 5 p.m.

June 11, Monday

Camp Upward Bound registration, Atrium, 5 - 8 p.m.
Women's Ministries Book Club, Conference Room, 7 p.m.
Regeneration, Disciple Room, 7:30 p.m.

June 12, Tuesday

Men's Ministry, Disciple Room, 6 p.m.
Prayer Gathering, *Fundamentals of Prayer*, Sanctuary, 7 p.m.

June 13, Wednesday

Wednesday Night Out
Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room, 7 p.m.
The Gathering, Fellowship Hall A, 7 p.m.
Hour of Hope (youth), Memorial Chapel, 7 p.m.

June 16, Sabbath

Life After Divorce, Washington Adventist Hospital, 5 p.m.

Looking Ahead...

June 21

Finance Committee, Senior Pastor's Office, 7 p.m.

June 28

Administrative Board, Fellowship Room A, 7 p.m.

June 30

Special Concert by *In Touch*, Sanctuary, 6 p.m.

Worship Schedule

8:45 and 11:15 a.m.

June 16 Otis Coutsoumpos, Jr.
June 23 Pastor Terry Johnsson
June 30 Pastor Ron Halvorsen, Jr.

New Community Fellowship

Services held in the Sligo Church Sanctuary, 6 p.m.

June 9 Pastor Pete Garza
June 16 Guest Speaker
June 23 Steve Murphy

Sligo by the Sea

June 30 Stephen Chavez
July 7 William Johnsson

Sunset
Tonight: 8:32
June 15: 8:35

Welcome to Sligo Church

May the Lord bless you as you worship with us today. We welcome our guests and visitors. To write the pastors a note, to make a prayer request, or to join Sligo Church, please use a card from the hymnal rack.

Want to be more involved in Sligo's mission? Contact the Information & Membership Desk to learn how your gifts can bless Sligo and our community.

Kamran Iyanrick John was born Sunday at Washington Hospital Center to proud parents, Iyanrick and Shilpa John. Harrison John, Sligo member for more than 40 years, is the happy grandfather. Kamran's father, Iyan, is a quintessential Sligo Church product. Iyan has been a part of the Sligo family since 1975 when he was born. He was dedicated here, attended Sabbath School, and graduated from Columbia Union College. The family is ready to start the cycle all over again!

Prayer Support: Alicia Robertson and Ivybelle Roye for recovery and the Szasz, Friday, and Soper families for comfort; requests brought to Tuesday evening's Prayer Gathering.

Seasons of Prayer: Come in June for *Fundamentals of Prayer*. Bring your family and friends, and experience God's loving embrace. Tuesdays in the Sanctuary, 7 p.m.

To sponsor flowers for future worship services contact Flor Balay at the church office, 301-270-6777 ext. 114 or florbalay@sligochurch.org.

PROFILE OF GIVING as of June 2, 2007

Church Budget: This offering pays for outreach and nurture ministries of the church and the church school, along with necessary expenses like utilities and upkeep of the church building.

Received Last Week:	\$ 14,269.89
May Online Giving:	\$ 7,661.50
Received YTD:	\$219,348.93
Budget YTD:	\$304,615.62
Shortfall:	\$ 85,266.69

Sanctuary Restoration Payment: This covers our monthly payment of \$16,500 for our church's restoration mortgage payment.

Received Last Week:	\$ 2,549.00
May Online Giving:	\$ 1,330.00
Received YTD:	\$50,577.30
Budget YTD:	\$85,800.00
Shortfall:	\$35,222.70

*All undesignated funds support the Church Budget.
The conference offering emphasis today is for
Adventist Chaplain Ministries.*

Thank you for your support!

Church & Community

Women's Ministries Book Club meets the second Monday of each month in the Conference Room on the first floor of the Church Office, 7 p.m.

June 11: *Free of Charge: Giving & Forgiving in a Culture Stripped of Grace* by Miroslav Volf

July 9: *The Brothers Karamazov* by Fyodor Dostoevsky

August 13: *The Year of Magical Thinking* by Joan Didion

September 10: *Ten Miles from the Nearest Sin* by Norma Koester Bork

Church Bus Project: A generous donor has made a challenge gift that will provide a 50-cents-per-dollar match for new gifts (up to \$4,000) toward the new church bus project. Mark your gift for the project as "new bus matching gift fund." Thank you for your generosity.

The Branson/Ortner class presents *Archetype to the Ark Type: Literary Embodiments of the Sacred*. Come to the class today to June 23 for this featured topic, 10 - 11 a.m. in Fellowship Room A.

Today: Aqua Vitae - The Waters of Scriptural Narrative with Richard Grant, assistant CUC professor.

June 16: Figurations of the Canticles in the 16th and 17th Century English Poetry with Susan Comilang, CUC English department chair.

June 23: That Which the World Could not Contain was Contained: Biblical Concepts of the Ark with Bradford Haas, assistant CUC professor.

Sligo's Music Ministries Concert Series will begin June 24 at 4 p.m. with Sheri Jackson, soprano, in the Atrium. Watch the bulletin for a complete list of upcoming concerts.

Shepherd's Table Hosts a Jazz-Age Benefit tomorrow at the Women's Club of Chevy Chase, 4 - 7 p.m. Come support Montgomery County's oldest resource center for the homeless. Featured entertainers will include Marcus Johnson as well as the Gangplank Ragtime Band. Admission is \$45. Register online, www.shepherdstable.org, or call Nancy Pond, 301-585-6463.

Special devices to help those with hearing deficits are available at the Audio-Visual booth in the balcony. If you have a hard time getting up to the balcony, please talk with a deacon.

A room is provided at the back of the Sanctuary for parents with young children.

All notices, posters, and announcements to be displayed on Sligo Church property must be delivered to the Church Office for approval and posting. Approved postings will be dated and posted for a maximum of two weeks after which time they will be removed.

Bulletin Information Deadline: Monday evening. Email bulletin information to theresa@sligochurch.org, or fax it to the church office.

