

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 Karen Armstrong's *The Great Transformation: The Beginning of Our Religious Traditions*.

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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 Web Site: www.sligochurch.org E-Mail: postmaster2@sligochurch.org
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Senior Pastor	Ron Halvorsen, Jr.	ext. 121
Discipleship Pastor	Rebecca Brillhart	ext. 123
CUC Chaplain	Otis Coutsoumpos, Jr.	301-891-4112
Congregational Care Pastor	Debbie Eisele	ext. 127
Youth/Young Adult	Terry Johnsson	ext. 119
Associate Youth Pastor	Pete Garza	ext. 136
Children's Pastor	Mark Sigue	ext. 122
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JUNE 30, 2007
8:45 & 11:15 A.M.

Prelude

+Introduction and Passaglia / Reger

Welcome & Church Life

Pastor Terry Johnsson

*Call to Worship

Pastor Terry Johnsson

*Hymn of Praise

Come, Christians, Join to Sing / No.10

*Invocation

Pastor Ron Halvorsen, Jr.

Anthem

+Cares Chorus / Willard

✠ Prayer

Pastor Terry Johnsson

+Children's Story

Sligo School Puppeteers

Invitation to Give

Charles Sandefur

Offertory

+Variations on Doxology / Maddux

Scripture

1 Corinthians 12:1-7

Emita Rich

+Music for Meditation

Don't Be Afraid / Miller

Sermon

T.B.A.

Pastor Ron Halvorsen, Jr.

*Hymn of Response

Take My Life and Let It Be / No. 330

Sligo Seventh-day Adventist Church

7700 Carroll Avenue Takoma Park MD 20912
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Sabbath Celebration

8:45 & 11:15 a.m.

***Benediction** Pastor Ron Halvorsen, Jr.

***Benediction Response**

+Postlude

Sonata No. 3 in A Major / Mendelssohn

Sylvan Coke & Esther Battle, *deacon & deaconess on duty*

+Children's Choir Charisse Sullivan Thompson, *director*
Kendall Delille, *soloist*
Sophia Virgo, *soloist*

Dr. Elmer Carreno, *chorister*

Fred Weber, *organ*
+Lerie Dellosa, *organ*

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

Sabbath School

Discipleship for Everyday Believers
10 a.m.

Song Service Judith Upshaw

Opening Song
Give Me the Bible / No. 272

Scripture Paul Bright

Prayer Paul Bright

Welcome Harrison John

Special Music

Special Report Ron Wylie
Adventist Community Services

Bible Study Class Leaders
The Word of God Endures

Benediction Class Leaders

Norman Martin, *pianist*

Footnotes

Dr. Charles Sandefur is president of Adventist Development and Relief Agency. ADRA seeks to identify and address social injustice and deprivation in developing countries in order to improve the quality of life for people in need.

The **Sligo Adventist School Puppeteers**, *Our Hands*, share our children's story today. The group is directed by Makeeya Hazelton. Makeeya has been a Sligo member for two years and serves as one of our Sabbath School teachers.

Emita Rich gives so much of her time to our church and school. Hers is the cheerful voice you hear when you call the church office Friday mornings. Emita is also a member of the choir and has helped with Sabbath School music.



Church & Community

Children & Youth

Parents: Today the Children's Sabbath School classes will be holding graduations to the next division. Please remember to pick up your child from his or her new class.

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. This month's topic will be "Seven Things That God Hates."

Friday Night Vespers is an awesome time to fellowship with other youth and to spiritually grow. Friday Night Vespers will be held during the months of July and August and will feature various pastors and youth speakers. The first vespers is July 6 and the speaker is Pastor Terry Johnsson.

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.

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.

CUC's Summer Teaching Institute offers certification preparation courses for traditional education majors, teachers seeking certification, and continuing education credits for certified teachers from June 11 to July 27. To register or learn more, call 301-891-4464 or e-mail edudept@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.



Calendar

July 1, Sunday

55+ Club, Fellowship Room A, 10 a.m.

July 2, Monday

Regeneration, Disciple Room, 7:30 p.m.

July 3, Tuesday

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

July 4, Wednesday

Church Office closed

July 6, Friday

Friday Night Vespers (youth), Youth Room, 7 p.m.

Looking Ahead...

July 30 - August 3

Vacation Bible School: *Avalanche Ranch, a Wild Ride Through God's Word*, July 30-August 3, 6:30- 9 p.m. There will be a closing program Saturday, August 4, 6 p.m. Get ready for an exciting celebration of Jesus' love filled with amazing Bible adventures, unforgettable songs, and memory-making crafts. Visit www.sligochurch.org/vbs.htm for more information.

Worship Schedule

8:45 and 11:15 a.m.

July 7 Pastor Ron Halvorsen, Jr.
July 14 Pastor Terry Johnsson
July 21 Pastor Pete Garza
July 28 Pastor Rebecca Brillhart

New Community Fellowship

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

June 30 Concert by "In Touch"
July 7 Pastor Pete Garza
July 14 Jacqueline Sanchez
July 28 Damien Johnson

Sligo by the Sea

July 7 William Johnsson
July 14 Kermit Netteburg

Sunset
Tonight: 8:38
July 6: 8:36

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.

Prayer Support: Jon Gilbertson, Leonard Camagay, Alicia Robertson, and Ivybelle Roye for recovery and the Chappell family for comfort; requests brought to Tuesday evening's Prayer Gathering.

Seasons of Prayer: Come in July 3 - 24 for *Seek God While He May Be Found* with Pastor Otis Coutsoumpos. Bring your family and friends. 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.

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

PROFILE OF GIVING as of June 23, 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:	\$ 11,570.22
Received YTD:	\$252,578.55
Budget YTD:	\$346,154.10
Shortfall:	\$ 93,575.55

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

Received Last Week:	\$4,844.26
Received YTD:	\$60,142.14
Budget YTD:	\$95,700.00
Shortfall:	\$35,557.86

*The offering today is for the Church Budget.
The conference offering emphasis today is for
World Mission / World Budget.*

Thank you for your support!

Church & Community

Adult Sabbath School quarterlies for July to September 2007, *For Better or for Worse: Lessons From Old Testament Couples*, are available at the reception desks. A small supply of quarterlies is also available at the Church Office. Large print quarterlies are a special order item. If you signed up for one, there will be a copy waiting for you at the desk on the organ side. Please remember the extra expense for this material in your giving. Remember, complete SS lessons with commentary are *always* available online for your convenience: <http://www.ssnet.org>.

Lost and Found items are displayed on tables in the Atrium. Please look at the array of Bibles, eyeglasses, keys and other items and claim what is yours. After tomorrow we plan to donate glasses to the Lions Club, clothing to ACS, and Bibles to Children's Ministries and Pathfinders.

The Believers and Doubters class is studying Karen Armstrong's *The Great Transformation: The Beginning of Our Religious Traditions*. All are welcome to join. The group meets in Room 44 behind the balcony of the Sanctuary.

Join in a wonderful journey, Sabbath, June 30, during New Community Fellowship. The Jonah Project, along with Sligo Church and In Touch, presents *The Journey: There's STILL Room for You*—a dramatic program full of song and spirit. Nathlene Moore will be the opening act.

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.

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

October 8: *Their Eyes Were Watching God* by Zora Neale Hurston

The Men's Ministry Retreat, *Men, Where Do we Go From Here?*, of the Allegheny East Conference will be August 17 - 19 at Virginia Beach. All men are invited to join in for discussion and group activities. Featured presenters include Dr. George Thorton, Dr. John Trusty, and Dr. Wesley Plummer. The \$350 fee covers lodging, meals, and material. For more information call the conference, 610-326-4610.

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.

