

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) Evans/Christman/Upson 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
LAVENDER (front center) Battle-Brooks / Johnson Team

BELIEVERS AND DOUBTERS, Balcony Level, Room 44.

Currently studying *Meditating on the Psalms* by John Eaton.

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

COLLEGIATE SABBATH SCHOOL: 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.

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

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

Church Office Phone: 301-270-6777
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Web Site: www.sligochurch.org NCF: www.4fellowship.com
Youth Web: www.sligo youth.com
Emergency Pager: 301-617-7770

Senior Pastor Elect	Ron Halvorsen, Jr.	
Interim Senior Pastor	Terry Johnsson	ext. 119
Discipleship Pastor	Rebecca Brillhart	ext. 123
CUC Chaplain		301-891-4112
Worship Pastor	Debbie Eisele	ext. 127
Children's/Family Pastor	Ismael Gama	ext. 124
Youth/Young Adult	Terry Johnsson	ext. 119
Administrative Pastor	Kermit Netteburg	ext. 122
Head Elder	Lloyd Buddoo	301-384-3986
Senior Ministries	Israel Castro	ext. 136
Administrative Officer	Karim Salim	ext. 112
Church Secretary	Flordeliza Balay	ext. 114
Church Secretary	Theresa J. Leahy	ext. 115
Organist	Joy-Leilani Garbutt	301-270-6777
Youth Choir Director	Pete Garza	ext. 133
Sligo Adventist School	Larry Rich	301-434-1417
Takoma Academy	Dunbar Henri	301-434-4700
Columbia Union College	Randal Wisbey	301-891-4000
Adventist Comm Svcs	Ronald Wylie	301-585-6556



AUGUST 20, 2005

8:45 & 11:15 A.M.

STEWARDS OF THE LORD, PART V

Prelude

Blessed Jesus, We Are Here / Bach

Welcome & Church Life Pastor Kermit Netteburg

+Baby Dedication Pastor Terry Johnsson
Taylor Lunsford

+Celebration of Ministry Pastor Kermit Netteburg
Sligo Adventist School Teachers & Pastor Terry Johnsson
Ismael Gama

***Call to Worship** Pastor Kermit Netteburg

Leader: O Lord, You are the Provider of everything we have; the Observer of everything we do. To each of us You have given the responsibility of great treasure.

All: Through our discipleship, teach us wisdom that we may use Your treasure sensibly.

Leader: To each of us You have allocated hours and days, weeks and months.

All: May we increasingly use Your time as You desire.

Leader: As we consistently employ our talents in harmony with Your will, lead us into a clearer understanding of divine motivation.

All: May our use of all Your treasure; every moment You give us; and every talent You bestow, always be motivated by our relationship with You.

***Hymn of Praise**
Rejoice, the Lord is King / No. 221

***Invocation** Don Schneider

Music for Worship
Selections for Meditation

Sligo Seventh-day Adventist Church

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

Sabbath Celebration

8:45 & 11:15 a.m.

† Call to Prayer

Jesus, Stand Among Us / Filitz

† Prayer

Ron Christman

+ Children's Story

Larry Rich

Invitation to Give

Pastor Kermit Netteburg
+ Pastor Rebecca Brillhart

Offertory

Deep River / arr. Gruselle

Scripture

Matthew 6:19-21

Maurice Battle

Sermon

Jesus is My Lord

Don Schneider

* Closing Hymn

I'd Rather Have Jesus / No. 327

* Benediction

Don Schneider

* Benediction Response

Postlude

Carillon Toccata / Young

Sylvan Coke & Grace Chadalavada, *deacon & deaconess on duty*

Summer Strings at Sligo

Daniel Ashton & Evonne Baasch, *co-directors*

Joy-Leilani Garbutt, *organist*

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

Sabbath School

Discipleship for Everyday Believers
10 a.m.

Song Service

Opening Hymn

Take My Life and Let It Be / No. 330

Scripture

Psalm 8

Olive Hemmings

Welcome

Olive Hemmings

Musical Selection

Bible Study

The Spiritual Life: Lord of Our Resources

Class Leaders

Benediction

Class Leaders

Footnotes

Don Schneider is the president of the 1 million members and 6,000 churches in the North American Division of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. His schedule keeps him traveling, but he is a “regular visitor” to Sligo when he and his wife, Marti, are in town.

Ron Christman has been a Sligo member for two years. He is a member of Sligo's Administrative Board and Evangelism Committee. He also serves as a Sabbath School teacher and an elder.

Larry Rich, Sligo Adventist School's new principal, is looking forward to the start of school next Monday. Larry and his wife, Molly, and their two daughters, Ashley and Amanda, moved from Las Vegas, Nevada, over the summer to be with us.

Maurice Battle, a member for over 25 years, has just retired from his post as head elder. He is far from idle however. Maurice serves as one of the adult Sabbath School associate superintendents and on Sligo's Administrative Board. He also continues to serve as an elder.

Summer Strings at Sligo is a group of dedicated musicians who have gathered together so they might share in making today's worship service richer and more meaningful. Members include Vicki Ashton, Deanna Baasch, Renee Battle-Brooks, Robbie Conway, Jonathan Daley, Matthew Daley, Moyna Daley, Myles Gilbertson, Crystal Hart, Gabrielle Liverpool, Celesti Magpayo, Jamey Mayden, Esther Ro, Katia Tomenko, Pasha Tomenko, Yuri Tomenko, Joshua Toth, Sarah Toth, Jillian Uzuegbu, Nisha Varghese, and Anastasia Zorina.



Church & Community Children & Youth

Hiding Place meets each Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the Youth Room. This is a Christian “hangout” spot for youth with live music, food, games, and fun. All-high school aged youth, we’d love for you to join us. Each week we feature a different genre of music. This week we will be having a block party. Hope to see you there!

Hour of Hope is held Friday nights, 7 p.m. This week the Takoma Park Church youth group will be joining us as we continue our series on the armor of God and talk about the helmet of salvation.

Thank you, parents and youth, for making last weekend’s trip to Busch Gardens such a great success!

Sligo Adventist School

Some grades are completely full at Sligo Adventist School, but some aren’t. You might be able to register your son or daughter; check by calling the school on Monday. An Adventist education at Sligo Adventist School is valuable.

Classes start this Monday, August 22, at 8:30 a.m., with an early release at 12:30 p.m.

Back-to-School night is Thursday, August 25, at 7 p.m. Parents, plan to attend!

Columbia Union College

First Week events begin this Wednesday, August 24, at CUC. For more information, call the college, 301-891-4000.

Registration is open through August 29 and classes begin August 30. Please keep your college in prayer as students return to campus and the new semester begins.

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*. Donations can be included with your tithe and offering contribution. Simply mark the tithe envelope for *Campaign for Community*.



Calendar

August 20, Sabbath

Elders’ Breakfast, Fellowship Hall, 8:30 a.m.
Sabbath School Superintendent meeting, Disciple Room,
8:30 - 9:45 a.m.

August 22, Monday

Classes start at Sligo Adventist School
Regeneration, Disciple Room, 7:30 p.m.

August 23, Tuesday

Prayer Gathering, Sanctuary, 7 p.m.

August 24, Wednesday

Wednesday Night Out
Hiding Place (youth), Youth Room, 8 p.m.

August 25, Thursday

Back-to-School Night, Sligo Adventist School, 7p.m.
Administrative Board meeting, Fellowship Hall A, 7 p.m.

August 26, Friday

Hour of Hope (youth), Memorial Chapel, 7 p.m.

Looking Ahead...

September 7, 14, and 21

Evangelism Training Institute with Pastor Kermit Netteburg and the Sligo Evangelism team, 7 - 8:15 p.m. This event prepares people to help with Sligo Church’s scheduled downlink of *The Appearing*, a 5-night series of meetings from September 23 - 27

September 10

New Senior Pastor, Ron Halvorsen, Jr., will be speaking.
Membership Committee meeting, senior pastor office, 9 a.m.

Worship Schedule

8:45 and 11:15 a.m.
August 27 Pastor Terry Johnsson
September 3 Stephen Chavez
September 10 Pastor Ron Halvorsen, Jr.

New Community Fellowship
Services held in the Sligo Church Sanctuary, 6 p.m.
August 20 Pastor Rebecca Brillhart, *Praise Factor*
August 27 Brian Hoehn

Sligo By The Sea
August 27 Kermit Netteburg
September 3 William Loveless

Sunset
Tonight: 7:57
August 19: 7:47

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, use a purple card in the hymnal rack in front of you.

Today we conclude our series on stewardship. Your pastors and church leaders hope you have seen a new picture of a loving God as we've explored our steward relationship to Him.

Stop by the Membership Booth in the Atrium. **Jasmin Hewitt**, a Membership Team representative, will be happy to assist you with changing membership data, transferring in, and exploring church ministry opportunities.

Prayer Support: Alex Comilang, Sue Einfeldt, and Ruth Gilmore for renewed health, and the families of P. J. Prasad and Marga Vanags for comfort; requests brought to Prayer Gathering Tuesday evening. Please remember our ministry of encouragement to one another.

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

Parents, please watch your children. We have noticed damage to the pew fabric over the past few weeks. Thank you.

Membership Transfers (first reading):
Joining Sligo: Nicole Barone, Englawni Chhakchhuak, Wilson Guria, Pui I, Eunice Joseph, Claudia Leahy, Pau Pi, Larry Rich, Molly Rich, Cheryl Toscano, Timothy Toscano, Michael Upton, Jenny Wright
Joining elsewhere: Antionette Hicks, Perdita Kokila, Leelamma Ressalam

PROFILE OF GIVING

Church Budget as of August 13, 2005

Our church budget for this year is \$634,000. This pays routine needs of our church – the heat and lights in our sanctuary, the insurance and custodian. It also helps support our community services center and our church school. And of course it supports the ministries of the church – our outreach to the community, our nurture of members.

	Needed	Donated	(Short)/Over
Last Week	\$12,680	\$10,600	(\$2,080)
Year to Date	\$342,991	\$293,084	(\$49,907)

Church & Community

Do you have friends who would enjoy coming back to Sligo? Invite them to come September 10, the first Sabbath that Ron Halvorsen, Jr., speaks as our new senior pastor.

Sligo Evangelism: September 23-27 Sligo will host "The Appearing," a satellite downlink series presented by *It Is Written* and speaker Shawn Boonstra. The series explains the Second Coming.

New Pictorial Directory This Fall. Sligo's church directory is four years old, and we're going to take new pictures and create a completely new directory this fall. Come get your picture taken, and get a brand new directory as a Christmas present from Sligo.

Sign up for DISCIPLE Bible Study in the Atrium today. DISCIPLE is a powerful approach to Bible study that focuses on listening to the Scripture. To register, or for more information, visit the Atrium booth today or on Sabbaths, August 27, and September 3. Orientation will begin the week of September 19 and groups will meet Sabbath mornings, 9 - 11 a.m., and at alternative times during the week.

Branson / Ortner Sabbath School Class. On August 27 all are invited to hear Charles Scriven, president of Kettering Medical College and former pastor of Sligo Church, teach the Branson / Ortner class, 10 a.m., Fellowship Hall. Dr. Scriven will lead a discussion of "The New Diversity: Renewing the Heart of Adventism."

Grief Support Group: If you, or someone you know, is experiencing a significant loss (of a loved one, job, relationship, beloved pet, health, etc.), you are invited to participate in an informal grief support group facilitated by Vimala Abraham and Joice Wu here at Sligo Church. This support group is free and open to the community, so invite a grieving neighbor or work colleague. To register, call the Church Office, 301-270-6777.

Reunion for Union Springs Academy Alumni and staff, Sabbath, August 27, noon to 5 p.m. will be held at Sligo Adventist School. Come for a potluck lunch and a good visit. RSVP to Ingrid Satelmajer, iisatelmajer@mac.com.

Meals on Wheels needs volunteers! If you are willing to donate one and a half hours each week (11 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. any weekday), or are willing to be an emergency volunteer, please call Audrey Messenger, 301-588-6023. *Meals on Wheels* delivers meals to home-bound seniors living in our area. We need drivers and helpers to deliver meals which are prepared at the Washington Adventist Hospital. Join us for the joy of helping others.

