

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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Discipleship Pastor	Rebecca Brillhart	ext. 123
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OCTOBER 16, 2004
8:45 & 11:15 A.M.

Prelude

Prayer / Boellmann

Welcome & Church Life Pastor Rebecca Brillhart

***Call to Worship** Pastor Rebecca Brillhart

*Hymn of Praise

All People That on Earth Do Dwell / No. 16

*Invocation

Pastor Peter Bath

Music for Meditation

+ *Amazing Grace Medley* / arr. Gilbertson
My Tribute / Crouch

† Call to Prayer

*Dear Lord and Father of mankind,
 Forgive our feverish ways;
 Reclothe us in our rightful mind
 In purer lives Thy service find,
 In deeper reverence praise.*

† Prayer

Pastor Stan Dobias

WE REFLECT

Scripture

Leviticus 19:18
 Matthew 22:37 -40
 James 2:8 - 13

Pastor Debbie Eisele &
 Samantha Douglas

Homily

Pastor Peter Bath

Who Is My Neighbor?-- A Grateful Heart, part II

WE PREPARE

Ordinance of Humility

Women: Fellowship Room A & B
 Men: Youth Room
 Families: Memorial Chapel

Children may stay by in the Sanctuary for a special lesson.

Story Time

Pastor Ismael Gama

Sligo Seventh-day Adventist Church

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 301-270-6777

Church & Community

Children & Youth

Youth Sabbath School meets downstairs in the Youth Room, 10 a.m. October's theme is "Image" -- how to look at ourselves, at our world, and at God. Please come join us.

Hour of Hope is a Wednesday prayer meeting for the youth, by the youth. Our speakers through the end of the year will be our Sligo Youth Directors. This week's speaker is **Danny Gorris**. Memorial Chapel, 7 - 8 p.m.

Open Forum will start this Friday night. This is a time for candid discussion of real life topics among youth. Please remember this group is limited to high-school youth. Youth Room, 7 - 8:30 p.m.

Eyeglass Drive: Sligo Youth will be collecting used eyeglasses next Saturday, October 23. Lensecrafters will be preparing them for people who are unable to afford them. To donate used eyeglasses, please call the youth office, 301-270-6777 ext. 133, or bring them to the youth department next Saturday at 10 a.m.

Sligo Youth Choir is open to all youth. Please contact Pete Garza at the church office.

Thank you to all who supported the Selah concert last Sabbath! We had over 1500 people in attendance. It was a blessed and uplifting evening. All proceeds are going to the Sonika Ram project which benefits the children of the El Oasis Orphanage in Baja, Mexico.

Sligo Adventist School

The 8th grade class fundraiser yard sale will be held tomorrow, October 17, 10 a.m. The event will take place in front of the school.

Columbia Union College

Collegiate Worship begins at 10 a.m. each Sabbath in the Richards Hall chapel. Don't miss the great speakers and thought-provoking messages.

Adventist Community Services Center

Campaign for Community touches the hurting in our local community by providing services through ACS, including emergency financial and food assistance, community health services and basic educational programs. For more information, please call 301-585-6556.

Hurricane disaster relief: Adventist Community Services represents the pooled donations and volunteers for the Seventh-day Adventist Church and works under formal, written agreements with the American Red Cross and FEMA. If you want to help, mark your offering "ACS Hurricane Relief," or call 800-438-9600.



Calendar

October 16, Sabbath

Dr. Lindsey Duncan, Nutrition / Health Lecture, Sanctuary, 2 - 3:30 p.m.

October 19, Tuesday

Prayer Gathering, Sanctuary, 7 p.m.

October 20, Wednesday

Wednesday Night Out

Women's Ministries Book Club, Fellowship Hall B, 7 p.m.

Hour of Hope (youth), Youth Room, 7 p.m.

Sligo Sanctuary Choir, Choir Room, 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.

October 22, Friday

Open Forum (youth), Youth Room, 7 - 8:30 p.m.

October 23, Sabbath

Elder's Breakfast, Fellowship Hall, 8:30 a.m.

Looking Ahead...

October 31

Catholic University of America Symphony Orchestra, Sanctuary, 3 p.m. Free event.

November 12 - 14

Restored Sanctuary / Organ Grand Opening. Save these dates! Join Sligo Church for an unforgettable weekend of worship and special events as we celebrate our completed sanctuary and organ restoration. Our programs will feature former senior and associate pastors, a premier concert introducing the new organ, and a celebration of 60 years of service. Mailers are on the way!

Worship Schedule

8:45 and 11:15 AM

October 23

Pastor Peter Bath
Always Something to Say! --
A Grateful Heart, Part III

October 30

Pastor Peter Bath
The Choice That Really Matters--
A Grateful Heart, Part IV

New Community Fellowship

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

October 16

Pete Garza

October 23

Daniel Blair

October 30

Kitty Pilli & Youth Drama Group

Sunset
Tonight: 6:29
October 22: 6:19

Sabbath Celebration

8:45 & 11:15 a.m.

WE CELEBRATE

Communion Hymn

Lord God, Your Love Has Called Us Here / No. 396

*Litany

Pastor Rebecca Brillhart

Leader: Lord, You have asked us to come apart, to evaluate and renew our commitment in the quiet of communion with You. Together we have shared the ceremonial cleansing of our outward selves.

Congregation: We come before You now, individually and corporately, with a desire for inner cleansing.

Leader: Cleanse us from all unrighteousness that we may be fit vessels to receive the blessings You want to pour out on us this morning.

Congregation: Create in us, clean hearts, O God, and renew a right spirit within us.

Leader: May we remember through the symbols of Jesus' sacrificial body and blood, the extraordinary gift You have given each of us.

Congregation: As members of the body of Christ, let the partaking of these symbols bind us together in unity of purpose and goal.

THE LORD'S SUPPER

Music for Celebration

WE GO TO SERVE

Invitation to Give

Pastor Terry Johnsson

Offertory

How Great Thou Art / Hines

* Hymn of Response

In a Little While We're Going Home / No. 626

*Benediction

Pastor Peter Bath

*Benediction Response

Postlude

Toccata / Boellmann

Sylvan Coke & Peggy Brooks, *deacon & deaconess*
Sharon Ford, *presiding elder*

+ Judy Vandeman, *soprano*
John Lintner, *organist*

Harold Chandler, *baritone*

- + 8:45 service only
- * congregation is standing
- † congregation is kneeling

Sabbath School

Discipleship for Everyday Believers
10 a.m.

Song Service

Zelma Edwards

Opening Song

Standing on the Promises / No. 518

Prayer

Welcome

Clarence Dunbebin

Musical Selection

Judy Vandeman

How Majestic is Your Name / arr. Gilbertson & Vandeman

Mission Emphasis

Bible Study

Class Leaders

Daniel: The Fiery Furnace

Benediction

Class Leaders

Jon Gilbertson, *pianist*

FOOTNOTES

Samantha Douglas, a second grader, is a bright child who cares for others with a sensitivity beyond her years. Ivybelle Roye, a Sligo elder, was her teacher at the Community Academy Charter School in the District where they met. Samantha has now found a permanent home with Ivybelle, whose warmth embraces everyone who sees her smile.

Judy Vandeman is a registered nurse in the telemetry unit at Washington Adventist Hospital. Judy and her husband, Rob, have a daughter, Keri, and a son, Kevin. Judy also plays the folk harp and her concerts are very much in demand.

Harold Chandler, a Sligo member since 1995, serves as business manager for a Christian graduate program in clinical psychology based in Arlington, Virginia. He and his wife, Swinitha, have two children, Jasmine and Ian.

Both guest musicians are accompanied by **Jon Gilbertson**, adjunct music professor at Columbia Union College (CUC), who has generously blessed Sligo with his gift of music for many years. Jon and his wife, Shemlene, have two sons, Myles and Ian.

Our organist, **John Lintner**, is an alumnus of CUC. His graduate degrees from universities in California included studies with organist Ladd Thomas. John currently plays for the Georgetown Presbyterian Church, the oldest church in the nation's capital.



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 hymn 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.

Membership Team representative, **Ivybelle Roye**, will be happy to assist you with changing membership data, transfer in, and church ministry opportunities.

Thank you, Karim Salim and family, for providing today's beautiful flowers.

Prayer Support: Ed Burnett and Jasmine Abdelnour for healing; requests brought to Prayer Gathering Tuesday evenings. 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.

Pictures still needed: Photos of Sligo Church or church life (weddings, concerts, programs, etc.) are needed to capture the church's history for a display being prepared for the Grand Opening weekend in November. Bring your photo marked with return information to the Atrium. Organizers Barbara Djordjevic and Lidija Plantak will receive and care for them until they are returned to you.

Hospitality Committee for the November Opening needs YOU! We are looking for volunteers to bring large quantities of ethnic finger food for Sabbath, November 13. If you would be willing to help us out, please stop by our table in the Atrium today and sign up. Thank you!

Attention Parents: Please remember that, as a hard surface, the stage area is new to our children. You are welcome to come up and assist your child during the children's story.

PROFILE OF GIVING

Church Budget as of October 9, 2004

	Received	Goal	(Short) / Over
Last week	\$4,817	\$11,439	(\$6,622)
Year to Date	\$355,517	\$445,383	(\$89,866)
Annual Church Budget:		\$615,000	

Please remember to support our church budget.

Organ/Sanctuary Renovation			
	Received	Pledges	(Short) / Over
Last Week	\$3,489		
Goal:	\$4,054,463		
Project to Date	\$2,051,524	\$355,974	(\$1,646,965)
Project Expenditure to Date:	\$3,715,785		
Giving Unit:	993	45.9%	

Church & Community

Organ/Sanctuary Restoration Update:

Final adjustments to the catwalk, and mechanical and electrical systems are underway.

For more information regarding the renovation progress, log on to www.sligochurch.org. To make donations, e-mail osr@sligochurch.org.

Dr. Lindsey Duncan, world-renowned nutritionist and naturopath, will conduct a health seminar at Sligo followed by a question and answer session *today*, 2 - 3:30 p.m. A frequent guest of major network news stories and advisor to key figures in our society, he has recently been invited to be on the editorial board of *Vibrant Life*. For more information, visit www.genesis2day.com or call 301-681-6147.

Women's Ministries Book Club meets the second Wednesday of each month in Fellowship Room B, 7 p.m.
October 20 (third Wednesday): *My Antonia* by Willa Cather
November 10: *Letters From Prison* by D. Bonhoeffer
December 8: *Requiem for a Nun* by William Faulkner

Wednesday Night Out presents *A Proactive Approach to Menopause*. Learn how you can take advantage of this critical period of life, not simply endure it. Information on Hormone Replacement Therapy (HRT) benefits and risks can be confusing. Our National Institute of Health (NIH) presenter will introduce the best ways to make the healthiest choices for you. October 27, 7 - 8:30 p.m. To register for this free event, call 301-315-3136.

Volunteers needed for the Walk Through Bethlehem play at the General Conference -- one night or all six. Spanish-speaking night is December 12. High school students who volunteer will receive community service credit. Children 15 and younger must volunteer with a parent or guardian. Walk Through Bethlehem dates are December 2, 4, 5, 9, 11 and 12 and volunteer time 5:30 p.m. - 9 p.m. For more information Contact Tanya Holland 301-680-6072 or e-mail hollandt@gc.adventist.org.

The Breath of Life television broadcast will air each week on Thursdays, 7 p.m. and Sundays, 6:30 p.m. on the Comcast Cable Network on the following channels: Baltimore City - 2, Howard County - 76, Baltimore and Anne Arundel Counties - 79, Hartford County - 80. For more information visit www.experiencethepower.tv.

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, 5 p.m. E-mail bulletin information to theresa@sligochurch.org, or fax it to the church office.

