

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/Christman 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 *Simply Christian: Why Christianity Makes Sense* by Anglican bishop and New Testament scholar N.T. Wright.

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.

THE WAY, Fellowship Room B. Spiritual growth for 20-somethings.

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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NOVEMBER 11, 2006

8:45 & 11:15 A.M.

Prelude

"Couplets" from Kyrie & Gloria / Couperin
 + *Reverie* / Debussy & Wiffin
 + *Patriotic Salute (National Anthem)* / Hosay

Welcome & Church Life

Pastor Terry Johnsson

*Call to Worship

Washington Johnson
 U.S. Navy

Leader: Almighty Defender, we praise You this morning for
 Your magnificent acts of mercy.

**All: Open our eyes to the glory of Your forgiveness,
 Your grace, and Your unstinting love.**

Leader: Give us, this day, thankful hearts overflowing with
 gratitude.

**All: Prepare us to be protectors of Your kingdom,
 Lord, keepers of Your peace, and compassionate
 citizens of the New Earth.**

*Processional Hymn & Posting of Colors

For the Beauty of the Earth / No. 565

†Prayer

Dan Pabon
 U.S. Army

Anthem

Star-Spangled Banner / Key
 + *America the Beautiful* / Ward & Dragon

Celebration of Freedom

Pastor Terry Johnsson
 U.S. Air Force

The Prayer / Sager & Foster

Invitation to Give

Erwin Mack
 U.S. Army

Sligo Seventh-day Adventist Church

7700 Carroll Avenue Takoma Park MD 20912
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Sabbath Celebration

8:45 & 11:15 a.m.

Offertory

Prelude in C / Bohm
+ *Trilogy Americana / Bulla*

The Cost of Freedom

Pastor Terry Johnsson
U.S. Air Force

Veterans, please come forward at this time.

Scripture

Abraham Beltran
U.S. Navy

Music for Meditation

Jesus Led me All the Way / arr. Stoddart

Sermon

Pastor Kermit Netteburg
+ The Honorable Johnny Johnson

*Recessional Hymn & Retrieving of the Colors

Eternal Father, Strong to Save / No. 85

*Benediction

Dan Lane
U.S. Marines

Postlude

Inventions from the Sacred Harp / Curnow

Alan Manuel & Karen Kautz, *deacon & deaconess on duty*

Sligo Pathfinder Strings
Sonia Stovall, *piano*

Walesia Cates, *high coloratura soprano*

Columbia Concert Winds
Bruce Wilson, *director*

Anthony Nardino, *organist*
+ Lerie Delloso, *organist*

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

Sabbath School

Discipleship for Everyday Believers
10 a.m.

Song Service

Theme Song

Is This a Day of New Beginnings? / No. 342

Scripture & Prayer

Welcome

Ivy Vedamuthu

Musical Selection

Patrick Balay &
Charlotte Conway
Concerto No. 5 / Seitz

Mission Report

Marvin King

Bible Study

Class Leaders
Beginnings and Belongings: The Earth After the Flood

Benediction

Class Leaders

Footnotes

Today's speaker, Dr. **Johnny Johnson**, is retired Secretary of the U.S. Navy.

Lt. Comdr. **Washington Johnson** is chaplain at the Navy District Washington base in Southeast Washington, D.C.

Dan Pabon, a Vietnam veteran, is one of Sligo's Sabbath School leaders. He is chaplain at the Bainum Family Health Group and for the Takoma Park Police Department.

Erwin Mack served from 1952 to 1954 in Germany, where he kept track of all professional medical personnel records in the First Infantry Division.

Before moving to Maryland, **Abraham Beltran** lived in London while serving in the U.S. Navy. A 2000 graduate of Columbia Union College, he works at the Naval Medical Information Management Center in Bethesda.

Dan Lane, a native of Takoma Park, graduated from Sligo Adventist School. Upon retirement from more than 20 years in the U.S. Marines, he moved back to Takoma Park and is currently working at Columbia Union College.

The Sligo Pathfinder Strings includes Luke Hecht, Melinda Pandiangan, Michelle Pauliah, Jephthalyne Senas, Krystal Uzuegbu, and Marina Van Putten. Sonia Stovall, a pathfinder parent, will accompany the string group on the piano today.

Anthony Nardino is an undergraduate organ performance major at the Catholic University of America. He is from Toms River, New Jersey.

Dr. Walesia Cates is an emergency medicine physician, a published musician, and an author. Her debut CD, *My Cornerstone*, presents a unique blend of inspirational hymns and anthems.



Church & Community

Children & Youth

Youth Sabbath School is a great way to stay tuned in to God and is also a great place to fellowship and grow with other youth. This month's topic is "friends." Join in every Sabbath morning in the Youth Room, 10 a.m.

Hour of Hope is held every Wednesday night. This is a youth prayer meeting for the youth and by the youth. Memorial Chapel, 7 p.m. Come and invite all of your high school friends!

Youth Social: The youth leaders have planned an exciting social at Sugarloaf Mountain on November 18. You do not want to miss it! Sign up in the Youth Room today or call the Youth Office, ext. 137. The group will meet in the Youth Room at 2:30 p.m.

The 3C initiation trip was last weekend. The youth had a fantastic and exciting time at Mt. Aetna Camp and Retreat. It was the first of many great events planned for the year. The next 3C meeting will be Friday in the Youth Room, 7 p.m.

Sligo Adventist School

Fruit order pickup: Sunday, November 19, noon - 4 p.m., and Monday, November 20, 3:30 - 6 p.m. Please support our school and tell your friends, coworkers, and neighbors. Call 301-434-1417 ext. 203 or email fruit@sligoadventistschool.org.

Columbia Union College

Singspiration: Join CUC students each week for a gospel inspired praise and worship program held Fridays in the Sanctuary, 7:30 p.m.

Columbia Union College Open House Sunday, November 12, 1 p.m. Prospective students will learn more about the college and visit with school representatives to learn everything they need to know about attending Columbia Union College. Call 800-835-4212 or e-mail enroll@cuc.edu.

Adventist Community Services Center
Sligo Church works through ACS in the community to help families during 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

November 11, Sabbath

Membership Committee, Fellowship Room B, 9 a.m.
Discipleship Ministry Team meeting, Junior Room, immediately after the 11:15 worship service

November 13, Monday

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

November 14, Tuesday

Flu Clinic, Atrium, 6 - 8 p.m.
Men's Ministry, Disciple Room, 6 p.m.
Prayer Gathering, *Attitude of Gratitude*, Sanctuary, 7 p.m.

November 15, Wednesday

CUC's Convocation, Sanctuary, 11:15 a.m.

Wednesday Night Out

Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary, 7 p.m.

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

Sligo Church Bells, Sligo Adventist School, 7 - 8 p.m.

November 16, Thursday

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

November 17, Friday

3C (youth), Youth Room, 7 - 8:30 p.m.
CUC's Singspiration, Sanctuary, 7:30 p.m.

Looking Ahead

November 30

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

Worship Schedule

	8:45 and 11:15 a.m.
November 18	<i>Festival of Praise</i> Pastor Ron Halvorsen, Jr.
November 25	Pastor Ron Halvorsen, Jr.
December 2	<i>First Week of Advent</i> Pastor Terry Johnsson
December 9	<i>Second Week of Advent</i> Pastor Ron Halvorsen, Jr.

New Community Fellowship

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

November 11	Charles Tapp
November 18	Pastor Terry Johnsson
November 25	Thanksgiving Play
December 2	Pastor Terry Johnsson

<p><i>Sunset</i> Tonight: 4:59 November 17: 4:53</p>
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Welcome to Sligo Church

Welcome to Sligo Church. We pray you will feel the presence and majesty of God this week as we worship together.

Interested in joining Sligo Church? The people at the Information and Membership desks in the Narthex and Atrium can help you learn more about being a member of Sligo Church.

Let us know your special prayer needs by placing a request in the offering plate or in one of the boxes in the Narthex.

Today's flowers: The flowers in front of the pulpit are given by Sam and Stephanie Stone in celebration of their 20th wedding anniversary. **The flowers next to the baptistery** are given in fond memory of Pastor Sharad S. Pandit by his wife, Sharlet Pandit, his children, and his grandchildren.

Our Hospitality Ministry needs your support. A hundred or more people join us each week for a hot meal after the 11:15 worship service! If you're baking and happen to make an extra casserole, drop it at the kitchen on Sabbath morning.

Prayer Support: Mariadoss Paulraj, Thangathai Paulraj, Mary Futcher, Jevani Green, and Finnie John for renewed health, and the Christman and Cress families for comfort; requests brought to Tuesday evening's Prayer Gathering.

Change of Heart series continues with a Thanksgiving focus: Attitude of Gratitude. Prayer Gathering meets Tuesdays at 7 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

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

We have much to thank God for. The number of people giving has grown by 188 people compared with last year—that's 15.4 percent. In addition, our OSR donations have increased this year and we have improved giving to church budget. However, with the increased spending for the ministries of the church this year we still a way to go to meet our goal.

Church Budget giving as of October 31, 2006

	Year to Date	October
Given	\$452,806	\$45,042
Goal	\$499,200	\$14,478
Over/(Short)	(\$46,394)	(\$14,478)

Church & Community

Today we honor the men and women who have served in their countries' armed forces for the cause of freedom. Sligo is a diverse church, with people representing 80 countries. Our service today is not to laud any specific country, but to show our respect to those who have served bravely.

Sligo's Festival of Praise next Sabbath highlights our fall season. Please bring nonperishable food so we can make Thanksgiving and Christmas special for families in our community. If you know of people who may benefit from receiving extra food, please call the church office by Tuesday evening.

Last Flu Clinic at Sligo will be in the Atrium on Tuesday, 6 - 8 p.m. Only cash, checks, and Medicare Part B will be accepted. Those with Medicare must present their card. Pneumonia shots will also be available. Flu Shot: \$25. Pneumonia Shot: \$30. You may not get a shot if you are allergic to eggs, have a fever, or have Guillain-Barre. If you are pregnant, you must bring written approval from your physician. Sponsored by Health Action Team and Adventist HealthCare.

Ring in the New Year with an evening of elegance and fellowship, December 31. Featured will be Metropolitan Opera singer, Angela M. Brown, soprano, accompanied by David Wolff. A reception will be held before and after the recital. Early-bird tickets are \$35 and go on sale this week. Visit www.AngelaMBrown.com for information about the artist.

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.

November 13: *Our Endangered Values...* by Jimmy Carter

December 11: *The Kite Runner* by Khaled Hosseini

January 8: *Unbearable Weight* by Susan Bordo

Takoma Academy's Thanksgiving Auction will be tomorrow, 4 - 7 p.m., in the Takoma Academy Auditorium. Proceeds will benefit the performing arts department. Tickets are \$15 and light refreshments will be served. Auction items are listed online at www.TA.edu.

Nominating Report (second reading):

Elder: Mark Sigue

Sligo School Administrative Board: Samuel Stone, Carla Conway, and Joviah Ndahayo

Women's Ministries Action Team: Judy Codling, Rashelle Robinson, and Myrna Bas

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

