# ANNOUNCEMENTS

PLEASE SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONES

### **PASTOR SEARCH INPUT SURVEY:**

Joel Sutherland, Ministerial Director for the KY-TN Conference, is looking for input for the search of our next Pastor. Here is a link to the survey he would like for all to fill out: https://forms.office.com/r/e88HeMØvPN

*The survey will close at 11:45 PM on Sunday, April 23,* so all responses will need to be recorded by then. To take the survey, please type the address above into a browser window. We are working with the Conference to see if we can get some paper copies for those with no computer/internet access.

**PASTOR APPRECIATION FAREWELL SERVICE AND 'DINNER':** Everyone mark your calendars and make plans now to join us on **April 29** to thank Pastor John and LeAnne for their nearly 13 years of dedicated service here at the Leach Church serving our every spiritual need. We will have a Vespers service beginning at 6:00 PM followed with snacks and "finger foods" in the fellowship hall to bid them farewell as they answer God's calling to relocate their ministry to the Port Orchard, Washington SDA church.

**THUNDER IN THE HOLYLAND DVD SETS**: We are needing copies (within their binder too) of the Thunder in the Holyland DVD sets. These are effective bible study tools and they are most effective showing them rather than sitting on your shelves. If you could return some to the pastor, he would be most happy to receive them.

**YOUNG WOMEN'S RETREAT "APRIL IN PARIS": April 30** at Paradise Ranch and Retreat. Price: *FREE!* Young Women, 9-12th grade. Activities: French Baking, Spa, Painting Party, Perfume making, and more!

#### To register: www.kytn.net/young-womens-ministry

**CHURCH GROWTH SEMINARS:** The Church Growth department is providing a series of training Sabbaths on Church Growth. Discover God's answers for church growth in *Acts in Action Part 1: The Why?* Join us at White House SDA Church on **April 22, 2023** from 10 AM–5 PM. Register at *www.kytnrenew.net/training*. Space is limited, so register early! Questions: Contact KYTN Church Growth at 615-448-1029. See poster on bulletin board in the foyer for more information.

**FREE FINANCIAL SAVVY WEBINARS:** Everyone is invited to attend. The next one is scheduled for **April 25** @ 5:00 PM CST., the focus will be "Setting Up Retirement Income Streams". These are informative webinars that help people get ready and plan for their retirement (something that can't be done too soon!). In order to register please contact **kytntrust@kytn.net** or call **615-859-1391** to receive the link to the webinar. See poster on bulletin board in foyer of the church for more information.

**LEAD LIKE JESUS – LEADERSHIP TRAINING: RESCHEDULED TO MAY 7:** 9:00AM–2:30PM at the KYTN Conference Chapel. \$25.

Register at https://www.kytn.net/womens-leadership

## ANNOUNCEMENTS (continued)

**WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY 6:00 PM:** We are having Bible Studies here at the Leach SDA Fellowship Hall every Wednesday evening beginning at 6:00 pm. For further information contact Heather Floyd at 731-415-6968 or Mary Fry at 731-307-1933, if no answer send text message.

**COLLECTION:** Sister Ola Twing of our church is collecting labels from vegetarian canned foods. If you have any of these labels you would like to donate, please include the entire label. For more information, contact Sister Ola at our church.

**CARD MINISTRY:** The Leach Seventh-day Adventist Church Greeting Card Ministry provides encouragement to our congregation and community by sending greeting cards to those in need. If you know of someone who needs extra encouragement, please notify Becky McMinn with name and address.

**THE LEACH CHURCH FOOD PANTRY:** Operates on a monetary donation basis only by marking the amount you want specified for this with "Community Service" on your tithe envelope under the Local Church Budget section. If you know of someone in need, contact Aaron Sirk or Pastor Baker.

**ARE YOU CURIOUS** about Bible Prophecy and what it means for us today? Find the answers and invite friends to visit: **GODLED.ORG** 

**JESUS 101:** has created free downloadable inspirational videos that may be helpful as a means of sharing your faith in both English and Spanish. These short videos examine doctrinal topics such as Creation, the Second Coming, the Sabbath Rest, Prayer, and more from a Christian perspective. Access the videos in English and in Spanish. Take advantage of this free resource today! To download, visit **www.Jesus101.tv/4kids**.

#### TODAY'S SCRIPTURE READING Mark 4:35-41

#### **KING JAMES VERSION**

<sup>35</sup> And the same day, when the even was come, He saith unto them, Let us pass over unto the other side. <sup>36</sup> And when they had sent away the multitude, they took Him even as He was in the ship. And there were also with Him other little ships. <sup>37</sup>And there arose a great storm of wind, and the waves beat into the ship, so that it was now full. <sup>38</sup>And He was in the hinder part of the ship, asleep on a pillow: and they awake Him, and say unto Him, Master, carest thou not that we perish? <sup>39</sup>And He arose, and rebuked the wind, and said unto the sea, Peace, be still. And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. <sup>40</sup> And He said unto them, Why are ye so fearful? How is it that ve have no faith? <sup>41</sup>And they feared exceedingly, and said one to another. What manner of man is this, that even the wind and the sea obey Him?

<sup>35</sup>As evening came. Jesus said to His disciples, "Let's cross to the other side of the lake." <sup>36</sup>So they took Jesus in the boat and started out, leaving the crowds behind (although other boats followed). <sup>37</sup> But soon a fierce storm came up. High waves were breaking into the boat, and it began to fill with water. <sup>38</sup> Jesus was sleeping at the back of the boat with His head on a cushion. The disciples woke Him up, shouting, "Teacher, don't you care that we're going to drown?" <sup>39</sup>When Jesus woke up, He rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Silence! Be still!" Suddenly the wind stopped, and there was a great calm. <sup>40</sup> Then He asked them, "Why are you afraid? Do you still have no faith?" <sup>41</sup>The disciples were absolutely terrified. "Who is this man?" they asked each other. "Even the wind and waves obey Him!"

**NEW LIVING TRANSLATION** 





## SABBATH, APRIL 15, 2023

Welcome to our visitors and members who are worshipping with us today. This is the day that the Lord hath made! Let us rejoice and be glad in it! We welcome you in Christian fellowship and hope you will return to worship with us again. We give thanks to God for your presence and prayer. As we rejoice together, He fills us with renewed strength to face another week.

### Leach Seventh-day Adventist Church 9575 Highway 70 • Cedar Grove, TN 38321

Worship Service begins every Saturday at 9:15 AM Sabbath School classes immediately following at 10:30 Pastor: John Baker 731-571-5138 Head Elder: Aaron Sirk 731-614-6543

# WORSHIP

| Song Service & Announcements 9:15 a.m.  |
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| Health MinuteBrian Baird  |
| Prelude   |
| Introit Congregation: Please Stand<br>Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place. I can feel His mighty power and His grace~<br>I can hear the brush of angels' wings. I see glory on each face.<br>Surely the presence Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place. |
| Invocation (Please Remain Standing)   |
| Opening Hymn No. 27 "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart!"  |
| OffertoryCongregation: Please Be Seated (Leach Church Budget)   |
| Doxology Congregation: Please Stand<br>Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;<br>Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. ~A-men.  |
| Congregation: Please Be Seated<br>Lamb's Offering Our Children  |
| Children's Story  |
| Congregation: All Who Are Able, Please Kneel<br>Pastoral Prayer   |
| Prayer Response   |
| Congregation: Please Be Seated<br>Worship in Special Music  |
| Scripture Reading: Mark 4:35-41<br>(See back panel of bulletin)   |

### Message From God's Word

"The 'AYE' of the Storm" Pastor Richard Parent

| Closing Song N<br>"Does Jesus Care?" | Io. 181 |
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| Benediction Pastor                   | Parent  |

# STUDY

## ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL PROGRAM

| Welcome and Remarks | .10:30 a.m. |
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| Lesson Study        |             |
| Closing Prayer      |             |

### SABBATH SCHOOL INSTRUCTORS

*CHILDREN:* Heather Floyd, Janie Hampton, Wendy Hill *ADULT:* Aaron Sirk, Heather Floyd, Bill Davis, Richard Parent

### PLEASE ACCEPT OUR INVITATION TO JOIN US EACH WEEK IN SABBATH SCHOOL!

### Why Celebrate Sabbath School?

- Because God's Work and His Will is Being Done
   Because God's Love is Being Shared
- Because God's Word is Being Studied and Taught!
  Because the Sabbath Day is Being Observed

## PRAYER

#### PLEASE REMEMBER WITH SPECIAL PRAYER THIS WEEK:

| Pastor John & LeAnne                                       | Sandy Gentry<br>Eddie Haley | Ransel Sirk<br>Shauna Sirk |  |
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| Baumgardners   |                             |                            |  |
| Joann Bell   | Vance Harrington            | Travis Williquette         |  |
| James & Tina Boals   | Glen & June Huey            | Carolyn Willis             |  |
| Travis Bray  | Roberta Lange               | Debbie Yates               |  |
| Janet Gentles Caldwell                                     | Becky McMinn                | Our Church Family          |  |
| Bill Davis   | Jimmy Parham                | Our Nation                 |  |
| Mary Fry   | Rosalind Powers             | The Ukrainian People       |  |
| And: All those affected by the recent tornadoes and storms |                             |                            |  |

**PLEASE NOTE:** If you have a name to add, please contact Bob Williquette, bulletin editor, at rogabert@gmail.com, or by text or phone at 731-358-8152.

Visit our website at: leachtn.adventistchurch.org Watch our Sabbath Service live every Saturday morning beginning at 9:15 a.m. at: https://leachtn.adventistchurch.org/online-sermons/live-sermon Follow us on Facebook at: www.facebook.com/leachseventhday.adventistchurch

# SERMON NOTES

#### GOD'S HOLY SABBATH CONCLUDES AT 7:27 TODAY, AND BEGINS AGAIN NEXT FRIDAY AT 7:32

Any information for publication in the bulletin must be submitted **no later than Thursdays at 6:00 pm.** to: **rogabert@gmail.com**, or by phone/text to: Robert Williquette at **731-358-8152**.