

## ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

### EPHESUS JUNIOR ACADEMY SPOTLIGHT

It's time to register your child for the 2019-20 school year and we want EVERY child at Ephesus to be enrolled and be a part of our school family. If you have questions or concerns, please email the principal at [rhumphreys@aecsd.com](mailto:rhumphreys@aecsd.com) or stop by for a visit. Renee Humphreys, Principal, Ephesus Jr. Academy

**Ephesus Church Family You Are Invited To Attend** the wedding ceremony of Edith Allen and Robert McCray on Sunday June 9, 2019 at 3 PM. The bride and groom look forward to seeing you.

### AEC Camp Meeting June 27-July 7, 2019 Sabbath Speakers



**SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS:** Maxine Bailey, Ethel Baker 598-3942, JoAnne Bradian, Sis. Maxine Bethea (Purette Mills' mother), Tamera Cousley, Beverly Coleman 308-3831, Shawn Cunningham, Eddie Ellis, Jr. 222-0640, Eddie Ellis, Sr., Deborah Ferguson, Patricia Harris 553-0615, Alto Holt, Doris Jasper, Carolyn Jones 359-9079, Lee Ola Massey, Lucille Nelson, Eleanor Robinson 233-5676, Evelyn Pittman-Ruff, US Shields 353-3881, Raymond Thompson, Billy and Jean Warfield 562-0620, Members serving in the military.

Our dear brother Robert B. Lively was laid to rest yesterday. Continue to pray for the family.

Send condolences to:

Mrs. Evelyn Lively and Family  
12402 Wagonwheel Ct.  
Midlothian, VA 23113

## We Welcome You!

*We're glad you came to worship with us this Holy Sabbath day,  
We hope you'll feel God's love, in a new, refreshing way.  
You're welcomed in this place, and we hope you'll come again,  
To join with us in fellowship and make new eternal friends.*

### Seventh-day Adventists Believe

- The **Holy Scripture** is the inspired word of God. *2 Tim. 3:16*
- In the **Trinity**: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. *Heb. 1:1-3; Heb. 7:25*
- In **regeneration and the New Birth** through the **acceptance** of the **Gospel**. *John 3:1-7; 2 Corinthians 5:17*
- In **justification** by faith **through Christ**. *Romans 4:3-5*
- In the literal, personal and **soon coming of Christ**. *John 14:1-3;*
- That **God's law**, the Ten Commandments, **including the Sabbath** command is the rule of life for Christians. *Ex. 20:3-17*
- In **baptism by immersion** and in the Communion of the Lord's Supper preceded by the Ordinance of Cleansing. *Rom. 8:3-5; Mark 1: 9, 10; John 13: 4-17; 1 Corinthians 11: 23-26*
- That **man by nature is mortal and eternal life is a gift of God** through Christ. *Gen. 2: 7; 1 Tim. 8:15; 1 Cor.15: 52-54*
- In the **Gifts of the Holy Spirit**. *Ephesians 4: 8-11*
- That the **dead are sleeping and will be resurrected** when Jesus returns. *Eccl. 9:5-6, 1Thess. 4:13-17; John 5:29*
- In the ultimate **final destruction of sin and the wicked**. *Malachi 4: 1-3*
- In the support of the Gospel through **tithes and offerings**. *Malachi 3: 8-11; Matt. 23:23*
- In **discarding unhealthy practices**. *1 Cor. 3: 16, 17 Deut. 14: 3-20*
- That **Christians will be characterized by modesty in dress, conversation, deportment, and a high standard of social relationships**. *1Tim. 2: 9, 10; James 1:27*

### Church Directory

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#### SDA CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Ephesus Junior Academy: Renee Humphreys, Principal Office: 804.233.4582

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**CHRISTIAN PANTRY** Call 804.233.5201

**PRAYER LINE:** Call 515\_606-5187 access code 854-605, Daily 6 AM & 7 PM (Prayer)

**CHURCH WEBSITE:** <http://www.ephesusrichmond.com> (Online Giving)

**SUNSET TODAY 8:25**

**SUNSET FRIDAY 8:29**



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*Dr. Gary Banks, Pastor*

### Sabbath Services - June 1, 2019

Adult & Youth Sabbath School: 9:30 - 10:40 AM

Kids Konnect Sabbath School 10-10:45 AM

K.K. Worship 11-11:45 AM 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> Sabbath

Divine Worship Service: 11:00 AM

Adventist Youth: 1 Hr Before Sunset

### Power Hour

Wednesdays @ 7:00 PM

**ANNOUNCEMENTS & 2019 CHURCH CALENDAR**

June 8 Kids Konnect Sabbath School Breakfast 9:15 AM  
 June 27 – July 7 AEC Camp Meeting  
 June 29 13 Sabbath Program 10:30 AM  
 July 15-20 Vacation Bible School - JAMII Kingdom

**AYS TODAY 6:00 PM**

**MORNING WATCH TEXTS FOR JUNE 8, 2019**

June 2 Ruth 1: 16, 17      June 3 Ruth 2:4  
 June 4 Ruth 3:11      June 5 Ruth 4:14  
 June 6 1 Samuel 1:11      June 7 1 Samuel 2:26  
 June 8 1 Samuel 3:10

**75 DAYS TILL OSH KOSH 2019!**

**THE PATHFINDER CAMPOREE, "CHOSEN" begins in OSH KOSH, WISCONSIN on August 12, 2019.**



Ask our Pathfinder leaders how you can be part of one of the most exciting youth events around the world!

**VOLUNTEER, DONATE and PRAY!**

**Kids Konnect**

June 8 Sabbath School Breakfast 9:15 AM  
 June 16 Conference Call meeting 1:00 PM  
 June 29 13 Sabbath Program 10:30 AM  
 July 15-20 Vacation Bible School JAMII Kingdom  
 The closing program will be during AYS time.

*Order of Service*

Sabbath, June 1, 2019

**Preparation for Worship**

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 Call to Worship Elder Keith Gordon  
 Invocation Elder Keith Gordon  
 Congregational Reading Hymn #786  
 Opening Hymn #330 Congregation  
 "Take My Life and Let it Be"

**Ministry of Fellowship**

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 Welcome Host/Hostess  
 Pastoral Remarks Pastor Gary Banks  
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 Songs of Praise Dr. Lenore Joseph

**Preparation of the Heart**

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 Intercessory Prayer Elder Ron Hobson  
 Special Music Sanctuary Choir  
 His Tithe/Our Offering Elder Keith Gordon  
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 Special Music Sanctuary Choir  
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**Ministry of the Word**

Sermonic Meditation Congregation  
 Sermon and Appeal Pastor Gary Banks

**Prepared to Serve**

Benediction Elder Joseph Friday

In reverence for the sanctuary, we ask that all cell phones be turned off as you enter the sanctuary and if you are a medical professional, please set your phone on vibrate.

**SERMON NOTES**

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**GETTING TO KNOW YOU!**

**COMPLETE, DETACH AND PUT IN THE OFFERING PLATE**

DATE \_\_\_\_\_ MEMBER Update \_\_\_\_\_ VISITOR Information \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/St/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ I Need Special Prayer \_\_\_\_\_ I Desire Baptism

\_\_\_\_\_ I Need a Pastoral Visit/Appointment \_\_\_\_\_ I Desire Re-baptism

\_\_\_\_\_ I Would Like to Join the Church \_\_\_\_\_ I Need Bible Studies

**SDA MEMBERSHIP TRANSFER REQUEST**

TRANSFERRING FROM: \_\_\_\_\_

Church City/State: \_\_\_\_\_

TRANSFERRING TO: \_\_\_\_\_

