

## Ephesus Youth Revival “KINGDOM CHARACTER”

Sun., March 31st - Sabbath, April 6th  
(NO SERVICE THURSDAY EVENING)

Speakers will include: OUR OWN YOUTH  
and guest speakers Elder James Thomas, Pastor  
Corey Johnson and Pastor Chris Whittaker  
*Look forward to a wonderful blessing!*

**SAFETY SABBATH**, March 23<sup>rd</sup> we are scheduled to have  
our annual safety awareness session immediately  
following morning service.

**YOU ARE ALL INVITED!** Pastor Banks will minister tomorrow at  
New Deliverance Tabernacle, 900 Decatur St., RVA 23224.

**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 320-  
8060, Alto Holt, Doris Jasper, Carolyn Jones 359-9079, Lee Ola  
Massey, Lucille Nelson, Eleanor Robinson 233-5676, US Shields 353-  
3881, Raymond Thompson, Billy and Jean Warfield 562-0620,  
Members serving in the military.

**BEREAVEMENT:** Our dear sister in Christ, **Mary Brown** (wife of Elder  
Howard Brown, deceased) passed . A memorial service will held at  
Ephesus, MARCH 24, 2019 at 12 Noon. Send condolences to The  
Family of Mary Brown, 4109 Walmsley Blvd., Richmond, VA 23234.



## 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

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#### CHRISTIAN PANTRY

Call 804.233.5201

**PRAYER LINE:** Call 515-739-1020 access code 854-605, Daily 6 AM & 7  
PM (Prayer), Wednesday, 12 Noon, Conf. Rm.

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

**SUNSET TODAY 6:11**

**SUNSET FRIDAY 7:17**



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#### Sabbath Services- March 9, 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

