

## Welcome! We're so glad you're here.

We are so glad you chose to worship with us this Sabbath! If you are looking for a church home, there is an information card in the pew that you can fill out & put in the offering plate or the brown offering box in the back of the church sanctuary. We would love to have you join our family!

"God's 'nothings' are His most positive answers. We have to stay on God and wait. Never try to help God to fulfill His word."

~ O. Chambers



Sabbath School 11:30 a.m.

### #6 "Abraham's Seed"

Lesson Study: Steve Daugherty

New Location: Alcove

Happy Sabbath to our Family and Friends!

### Youth Sabbath School Classes

Youth (Ages 14-18)  
 Juniors/Earliteens (Ages 10-13)  
 Primary (Ages 6-9)  
 Kindergarten (Ages 4-5)  
 Cradle Roll (Ages Newborn-3)

Downstairs by Front Stairs  
 Downstairs by Doorway  
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## Church in Worship

May 8, 2021 10:00 a.m.

*"Equipping all Generations for Christ and His Coming Kingdom"*

Song of Praise ..... Leah Parris-Gray  
*#330 Take My Life and Let It Be*  
 Standifer Gap Family Life ..... Billy Saunders  
 Song of Praise ..... Leah Parris-Gray  
*#633 When We All Get to Heaven*  
 Opening Hymn..... Leah Parris-Gray  
*#304 Faith of Our Mothers*  
 Prayer Song..... Leah Parris-Gray  
*#290 Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus*  
 Morning Prayer..... Billy Saunders  
 Offering ..... Rick Halterman  
**Disaster & Famine Relief**  
 Offertory .....  
 Tribute to Our Church Ladies.....Sheryl Stull  
 Scripture..... Kevin Brickley  
**Proverbs 31:30-31**  
 Special Music .....  
 Message ..... Pastor Sitler  
**"Moms" in the Gap**  
 Closing Hymn ..... Leah Parris-Gray  
*#655 Happy the Home*  
 Benediction Blessing ..... Pastor Sitler

*Livestream of Church Livestream.com/sgsda*

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 all cell phones should be turned off  
 or placed on vibrate.*



## This Week at Standifer Gap

Sabbath, May 8	A Special Mother's Day Sabbath Service Sermon ~ Pastor Sitler Sunset	10:30 a.m. 8:32 p.m.
Sunday, May 9	Happy Mother's Day! Southern Adventist University Graduation	All Day Various Times
Tuesday, May 11	Finance Committee Meeting ~ zoom Pathfinder Meeting <i>practice for investiture</i>	7:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday, May 12	Prayer Meeting <i>The Story of Redemption p.69.1 ~ zoom</i>	7:00 p.m.
Thursday, May 13	School Musical performance ~ pavilion Church Board Meeting ~ <i>in person</i>	7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.
Friday, May 14	Sunset	8:37 p.m.
Sabbath, May 15	Education Sabbath Family Ministries Day w/ Project Rescue Sermon ~ Pastor Sitler Sunset	2:00 p.m. 10:30 a.m. 8:38 p.m.

## Programs Updates

Kindergarten Graduation	May 17
8th Grade Graduation	May 19
Last Day of School	May 21

## Finance Report

	Year-To-Date Total:	Minimum for Budget:
Combined Budget	\$62,287	\$58,600
Student Assistance	\$7,965	\$7,200
School HVAC	\$5,830	\$11,500

If you would like to donate from home, you can give online by visiting the church website - sgsda.org - & clicking *Donate Online*.

## Church Announcements

- 1) **WORSHIP TIMES AND FORMATS** Church, 10:00 a.m. & S.S., 11:30 a.m. The regular & children's offering will be collected again. An adult sanctuary Sabbath School class meets in the Alcove with Livestreaming.
- 2) **A SPECIAL MOTHER'S DAY SABBATH SERVICE** will be held today. Happy Mother's Day to all current and future mothers!
- 3) **SECOND READING INTO STANDIFER GAP SDA CHURCH** Jennifer Downing from Port Charlotte SDA Church (Port Charlotte, FL).
- 4) **A HUGE THANK YOU FOR PROJECT RESCUE BLOCK PARTY.** Thanks for the church support, members and the many volunteers. The day was a huge success. See you next year! ~ Carla Smith
- 5) **CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2021 GRADUATES:**  
**Standifer Gap SDA School Kindergarten** Christian Castillo, Isla Cook, Sophia Davis, Samuela (Hosea)Fukofuka,Dexter Land, Jeremy Phillips, & Abram Twomley.  
**8th Grade** Jericho Baum, Bridgham Gray, Tayman Oswald, & James Overstreet.  
**Southern Adventist University** Madai Miller, Heather Trelfa (wife of former extern Aaron Trelfa), Noah Banks (New Bible Worker Coordinator), Clayton L. Powell (former extern), Jeremiah Samuel (extern), Drew Weaver (extern), & Enyi (Daniel) Zhang (Parent Karen & Angeline).
- 6) **LISTEN KIDS SERMON** The following children turned in an activity-coloring sheet last Sabbath: Amelia, Annalise, Belle, Carter, Easton, Colburn, Hunter, Jacob, James, Nathaniel, Nicole, Sailor, Tatum, Sophie, & Uryese. Pick up today's new sheet during the Children's Story. Please *write your name* on your sheet before turning it in after church in the foyer.
- 7) **FAMILY MINISTRIES** invites you to join Project Rescue on Sabbath, May 15, at 2:00 p.m. to pass out Rescue Packs. All ages welcome! We are also collecting donations of toilet paper and wipes to hand out while we're there. Come join the fun! Bring your lunch to eat together before we leave.
- 8) **CHURCH ORCHESTRA SABBATH** on May 22, 2021. If you'd like sheet music to join us in playing with song service that day, call or text Clyde Runyon at 706-625-2525. All skill levels welcome!
- 9) **PASTORAL SABBATICAL** Pr David will be on a Church Board & Conference approved sabbatical (not at church) from June 1 to July 31 or Aug. 4, so he can develop a new Bible beliefs seminar series for our Church's Fall evangelism beginning Sabbath, September 18. Pr Jason will be *the* pastor during this time working with the Elders.
- 10) **COLLEGEDALE ONLINE CAMP MEETING "Great Things He Hath Done":** June 3-5, with speakers: Elder Victor Maddox, Thursday night, Elder Chester Clark, Friday night & Elder Gary Rustad, Sabbath night. You can watch at the Conference website: gccsda.com.
- 11) **BLOOD DRIVE- STANDIFER GAP SDA SCHOOL** on Sunday, June 13, 11:00 -3:00 p.m.. Anyone can come by and get a popsicle! Extra snacks and drinks will be available for those who donate. Plus various incentives are offered by Blood Assurance. If you want to get a head start, give this week and you'll be eligible again by then. <https://www.bloodassurance.org/schedule>
- 12) **EVENING ANTHEM** vespers on May 8 features Will Labrenz and Shelly Rene Westerbeck in 'An Evening of Classic Country Gospel.' The program begins at 6:30 p.m. at Chattanooga First SDA. Come and enjoy a special close of the Sabbath with a country flavor.

## The Standifer Gap Seventh-day Adventist Church

**Who we are...** We are a Bible-based family of believers who want to experience God's love, acceptance, & forgiveness, & believe that His love is for all sinners. Our prayer is that your time worshiping with us will enrich your own walk with God & create a deeper desire to know Him better.

### What we believe...

**Christ...** That Jesus Christ was God, the Son, co-eternal with God, the Father, & God, the Holy Spirit. That God's Son chose to become human so He could live & die for us. We believe He is now our High Priest in the heavenly Sanctuary preparing heaven for us & preparing us for heaven.

**Cross...** That Jesus' death on the cross was sufficient for all the sins of all humanity. Anyone who accepts Jesus as his/her personal Savior from sin is forgiven by God & has been born again through the Gift of God's Holy Spirit. This makes him/her a child of God & part of God's family.

**Commandments...** By the power of the indwelling Holy Spirit we choose to live in harmony with all of God's revealed will – including the Ten Commandments. These commandments written with God's own finger describe the principles of His Kingdom & reveal the character of God's true children. We choose to remember all ten – including God's Sabbath gift of time which He gave for building a deeper relationship with Himself & each other.

**Coming...** Jesus promised to come back & He will come gloriously in the clouds of heaven & every person will see, hear, & know that the King of Glory has come to take His born again children to be with Him forever. This truly is the "blessed hope" of all God's children. We look forward to meeting our Creator & Redeemer face to face.

If you would like to know more, please fill out a *Note to the Pastor* card in the back of the pew or talk to someone after the worship service.

**SDA Christian Radio:** 3ABN radio – FM 106.1 | LifeTalk radio – FM 98.5

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