

Cherokee Seventh-day Adventist Church

We welcome our guests today and are pleased you have chosen to worship with us.
We hope you will visit with us again soon.

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

April 2 2011

11:00 a.m.

Prelude

Call to Reverence

(Chimes)

Julia Danforth

Musical Call to Worship* The Lord Is In His Holy Temple

Julia Danforth

Invocation

Todd Danforth

Hymn of Praise **

Immortal! Invincible!

No. 21

Welcome, Family Sharing Prayer

Todd Danforth

Prayer Hymn*

*O Come to My Heart Lord Jesus
There Is Room In My Heart for Thee*

No. 140 Refrain

Offering

Cherokee Church Budget

Marcus Leopoldo

Doxology

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

No. 694

Scripture Reading

Matthew 26:17-30

Marcus Leopoldo

Sermonette

Remember Me

Elder Roy Musgrave

Children's Story

MUST Ministries

Janet Diercks

Ordinance of Service

Ordinance of the Lord's Table

Hymn of Dedication

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

No. 155

Dismissal at your leisure following Postlude

*Congregation Please Kneel

** Congregation Please Stand

"This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins"

Matthew 26:28 (NIV)

Our Mission Statement

By God's grace, to reflect His loving character to our community, to provide a place to grow spiritually, and to present the Bible in a manner that will lead people into a richer, more joyous relationship with Christ and His church.

THE CHURCH IN STUDY

April 2, 2011 9:45 a.m.
Songs of Praise Tom Cole
Theme Song
Prayer Tom Cole
Adult Study - IN THE LOOM OF HEAVEN Sanctuary Jark Lau
(ISAIAH 64, ROM. 3:21-31, 4:1-7, 6:1-13, PHIL. 3:3-16.) Fellowship Julia Danforth
Preparation for Baptism Roy Musgrave
John Williamson

Memory Text
"Blessed are they whose transgressions are forgiven, whose sins are covered"
Romans 4:7, NIV

Adult Study - Sabbath, April 9th
FROM EXALTED TO CAST DOWN

WEEK AT A GLANCE: In growing proud of his gifts and seeking more than what God gave him, Lucifer cultivated evil in his heart and encouraged doubt in others. This led to war in heaven and tragedy on earth.

Sabbath lessons are available online for all ages and languages at www.ssnet.org

THE CHURCH IN PRAYER

April 6, 2011 7:30 p.m.
Sharing of Praises and Prayer Requests*
Bringing our Petitions to God*
Study
Benediction
**No one is obligated to verbally express praises, prayer requests and petitions if they do not wish to do so*

EVENTS, MEETINGS & FELLOWSHIP

Today, April 2nd
• Sabbath ends today at 7:59 p.m. and begins again Friday at 8:03 p.m.
Sunday, April 10th
• Tea Party, 1:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall
Tuesday, April 12th
• Vegetarian Cooking Class, 7:00 p.m.

Sabbath, April 16th
• Visitors' Sabbath
• MUST Ministries Tomato-based food collection
• All Church Fellowship Lunch, following worship
• Woodstock Nursing Home Visitation, 3:30 p.m.

Monday, April 18th
• Church Board Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

THAT YOU MAY KNOW

Visitors' Sabbath -- April 16.

Please invite your family and friends to attend.

Tea Party

We're going to have a Tea Party! All the ladies of the church and friends are invited to attend on Sunday, April 10, from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m., in our fellowship room. Please come for fun, entertainment, light refreshment and fellowship! We'll be looking for YOU.

ASI Southern Union Spring Conference

April 7-9, 2011 in Dalton, GA at the Trade and Convention Center. Please contact Carol Hollie-Tsede at 404-299-1832, Ext 449 for further information.

Donations to ADRA for Japan

If you would like to make a special donation to ADRA for their Japan relief fund, please include it in your tithe envelope with the amount clearly marked for ADRA/Japan.

Vegetarian Cooking Class

The Cherokee SDA Church's next vegetarian cooking class will be on Tues. April 12th from 7:00 to 8:00 pm. Cost: \$3.00 Everyone is welcome to come and bring a friend. Please call Ethel Kaufman two days prior to class to register at 770-479-4318.

Creation Evolution Seminar

We will be hosting the "Making Sense of the Creation Evolution Debate" May 4-8 at 7:30pm live via satellite on the Hope channel. A scientist, Timothy Standish, Ph.D. and a practical theologian Ron E.M. Clouzet, D.Min. present evidence you cannot miss. Starting from the Big Bang, then covering the topics of genetics and fossils, you will gain a greater awareness of how the world began. We encourage all Church members to invite family, friends, neighbors and co-workers. We will be providing handbills to pass out to everyone as soon as they come in.

It's All Good

Read Psalm 104:1-13, 24-30

"God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good."-Genesis 1:31 (NRSV)

In early spring I like going into the damp woods near our home to find the purplish hepatica, the first delicate wildflower to bloom. The droopy yellow Canadian violet blooms next, then the flashy three-lobed white trillium. Then come many more -- all blooming and fading during the brief period of warm weather before the trees leaf out. Exactly why God created these beautiful, short-lived flowers I don't know, but I'm sure there were reasons. God had reasons for the nearby great lakes with their squishy sand, magnificent sand dunes, and myriad fish, and reasons for the hot, dry deserts with their lizards and twisty-armed saguaro cactus. God even had a reason for creating pesky mosquitoes.

God has created for us great variety -- many kinds of beauty, many forms of life. Some life we cannot see; probably some we have not yet discovered. God called every part of creation good.

We can glimpse the reason for some things. We know that green plants produce oxygen for us and absorb the carbon dioxide we breathe out. But we cannot comprehend God's entire, intricate, wonderful design that makes it possible for us to thrive in this world. That doesn't matter. We can still be thankful and respect, cherish, and enjoy this beautiful world God made for us.

Sue Briggs (Michigan)
Upper Room Devotional, March 31, 2011

PRAYER Thank you, God, for this very good world. Amen.

Let us care for this amazing planet that God has given us as our home.

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 26:17-30 (NIV)

- 17 On the first day of the Festival of Unleavened Bread, the disciples came to Jesus and asked, "Where do you want us to make preparations for you to eat the Passover?"
- 18 He replied, "Go into the city to a certain man and tell him, 'The Teacher says: My appointed time is near. I am going to celebrate the Passover with my disciples at your house.'"
- 19 So the disciples did as Jesus had directed them and prepared the Passover.
- 20 When evening came, Jesus was reclining at the table with the Twelve.
- 21 And while they were eating, he said, "Truly I tell you, one of you will betray me."
- 22 They were very sad and began to say to him one after the other, "Surely you don't mean me, Lord?"
- 23 Jesus replied, "The one who has dipped his hand into the bowl with me will betray me.
- 24 The Son of Man will go just as it is written about him. But woe to that man who betrays the Son of Man! It would be better for him if he had not been born."
- 25 Then Judas, the one who would betray him, said, "Surely you don't mean me, Rabbi?" Jesus answered, "You have said so."
- 26 While they were eating, Jesus took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body."
- 27 Then he took a cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you.
- 28 This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins.
- 29 I tell you, I will not drink from this fruit of the vine from now on until that day when I drink it new with you in my Father's kingdom."
- 30 When they had sung a hymn, they went out to the Mount of Olives.

Worship Leaders

	Today	Next Week
Speaker	J Williamson	J Williamson
Presiding Elder	T Danforth	A Cheek
Offering/Scripture	M Leopoldo	J Diercks
Pianist / Organist	J Danforth	J Danforth
Chorister	T Cole	N Weinzettel
Deacons	S Kaufman, S Weinzettel	A Winans, G Alves
Greeters	A Winans, M Winans	C Bekesky, M Cavaletti
A/V	N Cheek	JIn Benjamin

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