

SCRIPTURE READING
John 11:21-26 (NKJV)

- 21 Now Martha said to Jesus, "Lord, if You had been here, my brother would not have died.
- 22 But even now I know that whatever You ask of God, God will give You."
- 23 Jesus said to her, "Your brother will rise again."
- 24 Martha said to Him, "I know that he will rise again in the resurrection at the last day."
- 25 Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live.
- 26 And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die. Do you believe this?"

Worship Leaders

Speaker
Presiding Elder
Offering/Scripture
Pianist / Organist
Chorister
Deacons
Greeters
A/V

Today
M Nanbu
A Cheek
N Weinzettel
J Danforth
N Weinzettel
S Weinzettel, J Haskell
E Peck, J Watson
D Irimie

Next Week
D Benjamin
S Riera
S Weinzettel
J Danforth
M Bramble
G Alves, N Cheek
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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

March 3, 2012		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		Arthur Cheek
<i>Hymn of Praise **</i>	<i>O Worship the King</i>	<i>No. 83</i>
Welcome, Family Sharing Prayer		Arthur Cheek
<i>Prayer Hymn*</i>	<i>O Come to My Heart Lord Jesus There Is Room In My Heart for Thee</i>	<i>No. 140 Refrain</i>
Offering	Cherokee Church Budget	Nancy Weinzettel
Children's Story	MUST Ministries	
Scripture Reading	John 11:21-26	Nancy Weinzettel
Sermon	When You Come To the End of Your Rope, There is Hope	Pastor Mateus Nanbu
<i>Hymn of Dedication**</i>	<i>Under His Wings</i>	<i>No. 529</i>
Benediction		Pastor Mateus Nabu
Postlude		Julia Danforth

Dismissal at your leisure following Postlude
* Congregation Please Kneel

** Congregation Please Stand

"Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live."

(John 11:25 NKJV)

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

March 3, 2012 9:45 a.m.
Songs of Praise Nancy Weinzettel
Theme Song Eternal God, Whose Power Upholds No. 90
Prayer Nancy Weinzettel
Adult Study - THE BIBLE AND HISTORY Sanctuary Steve Riera
(Ps. 104:1-9, REV. 1:1-3, 2 PET. 1:21, DANIEL 2, REV. 12:7-17, Fellowship Roy Musgrave
ROM. 16:20, 2 COR. 5:17-19.)

Sabbath School Memory Text

"I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End," says the Lord, "who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty"

(Revelation 1:8, NKJV)

Adult Study - Sabbath, March 10th

THE PROMISE OF PRAYER

KEY THOUGHT: In numerous places in the Bible, the Lord calls us to pray because prayer is an essential component of our walk with Him.

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

THE CHURCH IN PRAYER

March 7, 2012 7:30 p.m.
Sharing of Praises and Prayer Requests*
Bringing our Petitions to God*
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, March 3rd

- Sabbath ends today at 6:36 p.m. and begins again Friday at 6:41 p.m.

Sunday, March 4th

- Prayer Warrior's, 10:00 a.m., Sanctuary
- Depression Recovery Program, 4:00 p.m.

Monday, March 19th

- Church Board Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

THAT YOU MAY KNOW

Prayer Warriors

As noted in the Events, Meetings & Fellowship section of today's bulletin, the Prayer Warriors meet tomorrow at 10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary. All are invited to join.

Everyone is asked to submit their requests for the Prayer Warrior team during the worship service. Pastor Nanbu will be collecting them at the appropriate time.

Community Outreach Program "Depression Recovery Program" NEXT SESSION - TOMORROW

Dr. Neil Nedley's "Depression Recovery Program" program is held every Sunday at 4:00 p.m. continuing through April 1st.

The whole doctrine of salvation can be expressed in this one sentence: God cancels our hopelessly stranded history and in its place puts His history. Through Him, the history of slavery to sin is ended in our life. Through Him, the stains of the past should not rise up to accuse, torment, and mock us. Our personal history, which would condemn each one of us, is replaced with Jesus' perfect history. Thus, in Him we find not only liberation from our past but the promise of a wonderful future. At the Cross, the Lord guaranteed that, whatever our history or whatever happened in world history, a new and glorious future awaits us and the world.

Our sins have been laid upon the shoulders of a Lord who willingly died beneath a load of human guilt and who, in its place, gave us salvation. And His promised climax of history will grant us eternal history with the Author of history. The destiny of every person is involved. The second coming of Christ will be decisive. Both the Old and New Testaments promise a "new heaven and a new earth."

Adult Sabbath School Lesson
Thursday, March 1, 2012

Wanted: Ordinary People

Read Matthew 14:22-33

"Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God — what is good and acceptable and perfect." - Romans 12:2 (NRSV)

What would you do if Jesus came to your church and said, "I'm looking for a few ordinary people"? Why would Jesus be interested in ordinary people?

Yet these are the ones Jesus called to be his friends: fishermen, a tax collector, a teacher, a homemaker. I have related to Peter more than any of Jesus' other followers.

Peter was impulsive, like me. Seeing Jesus walking on the water, he said, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you." Jesus did and Peter got out of the boat and walked on the water, something no one except Jesus had done. That is not ordinary. Then Peter looked around at the wind and the waves, and he fell. That is what I would do. That's ordinary.

After Jesus' arrest, fear overcame Peter and he denied knowing Jesus. I hate to say it, but I probably would have done the same. I am grateful that Jesus loved and forgave Peter and commanded him, "Feed my sheep" (John 21:17). Peter later became a preacher in the early church. The longer Peter walked with Jesus, the more he was changed. And the more I walk with Christ, the more I realize how much he wants to help me become the servant God wants me to be.

Sue Tornai (California)

Upper Room Devotional, March 1, 2012

PRAYER O God, help us ordinary people to be extraordinary workers for your kingdom. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

God calls ordinary people to be extraordinary servants.