# **Sierra Vista Seventh-day Adventist Church**

September 9, 2023 **The Church at Study 9:20 – 10:40am** 

Song Service Daniela Gheorghe
Prayer and Welcome Daniela Gheorghe
Mission Report DVD

Lesson Study "Practicing Supreme Loyalty to Christ"

Sanctuary – Stephanie Rose Truth Seekers (BLC) – Wayne Kooser

Adult Class 2 (Pastor's Study) - David Allen

Welcome & Announcements (10:50am) Wayne Kooser Personal Ministries (10:55am)

#### The Church at Worship 11:00am

	The Charter at the comp	
Call to Worship	(Participants enter & kneel, Congregation stands)	Holy Ground
Invocation		Steve Spooner
Opening Hymn	Jesus Saves	#340
Call for Offering	World Budget - Radio Ministries	David Allen
Offertory		Isabel Nazareth
Offering Response	We Give Thee but Thine Own	
Lambs Offering	(All proceeds help Cochise SDA School)	David Allen
Children's Story		Doug Kittleson
Intercessory Prayer	(Congregation kneels, if possible)	Ann Schreven
Prayer Response	Hear Our Prayer, O Lord	
Special Music		Doug Kittleson
Scripture	RR #711 Praise the Lord, O My Soul	Wayne Kooser
Morning Message	"Picking Up Stones? Or People?"	Steve Spooner
Closing Hymn	Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus	#290
Benediction		Steve Spooner
Postlude		Isabel Nazareth

#### The Church at Your Service

Church Phone & Address: 520.458.2641; 777 S. Highway 92, SV, AZ, 85635

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Pastor: Alvin Schnell - 208.954.4565

First Elder: Jim Van Arsdale - 608.371.4097

Church Clerk: Aurel Gheorghe - 520.266.8454 (svsda\_clerk@aol.com) Treasurer: Bob Coffen - 509.690.7656 (svsdatreasurer@gmail.com)

### **Announcements**

- \* Video Livestreaming and Recording in Progress: If you don't want your picture appearing in a YouTube sermon video, please sit in the 3 front rows.
- \* Quiet Bag Ladies Meeting: All ladies responsible for the Quiet Bags for Children, please join Ila Rice for a super short meeting after church today.
- \* Another Loss in Our Church Family: Please take a moment to sign a card out in the foyer for Linda Elisaia. Her sister passed away last week.
- \* First Reading for Membership Transfer: Jan Carmichael to Sierra Vista SDA Church AZ from Benson SDA Church AZ.
- \* **Choir Rehearsal:** Wednesday, September 13<sup>th</sup>. Questions? Please contact Karen Cisco (248) 875-1428 or email at, williamcisco@sbcglobal.net.
- \* Church Board Meeting: Thursday, September 14th at 6:00pm in the BLC.
- \* Huachuca City/Wetstone Bible study: Starting Sabbath, September 16<sup>th</sup> from 3:00 4:00 pm at 123 N Huachuca Blvd, Huachuca City.
- \* Plant, Pantry and Surplus Sale: BLC Patio fundraiser, October 1st from 8am-2pm. Reserve your space with Janelle Miller. See Alcove bulletin board for more information and registration forms.
- \* Let's Go Hiking! Our next hike is on October 8th at Fairbank Historic Townsite. We'll meet at 8:00am in the parking lot at Fairbank (From Sierra Vista follow AZ-90 and turn right onto AZ 82 E to Fairbank Historic Townsite). This is considered an easy 4.6-mile loop. It's pet-friendly, if they are on a leash, easy enough for kids to join in (elevation gain is only 47 feet) and takes approximately 1.5-3 hours to complete. Bring a lunch as we can tour the schoolhouse & eat lunch at the picnic tables afterward. More information and a hiking map are at <a href="https://www.archaeologysouthwest.org/explore/fairbank-historic-townsite/">https://www.archaeologysouthwest.org/explore/fairbank-historic-townsite/</a>. Please come and invite your friends because we want to have all skill levels join us. If you have any questions, please call or text Angela at 520-224-7856 Note-The date is subject to change based on the monsoons.
- \* Fun Fundraiser for Cochise SDA School: On October 22nd a 5k walk/run is planned as a fund raiser for our Bisbee School. More information to follow.
- \* The Value of Art: Countless studies clearly show that art education not only develops the right side of the brain (responsible for all imaging and visualizing aspects of learning), it also develops neural body-brain connections. This is crucial if children are to realize their full potential in all areas of study (including math, reading, languages, science, and writing). This is especially true for children in their formative elementary school years. Art education helps children develop emotionally and socially and provides them with a greater ability to deal with school and life in general. The Cochise SDA Christian School art program is one thing that differentiates us from other educational institutions. If you know someone who is seeking a quality education, please contact Juliebee Roberts / jolly12bee@outlook.com / (520) 432-9186..
- \* Recycling For Our School: (Earned in August \$89.46!) The recycling shed's lock code is 7777. Please lock the shed again after leaving your recycling bag. Recycling that pays aluminum cans (including cat food cans) and <u>clear</u> plastic bottles that had a drinkable liquid in them (i.e., water, juice, soda). *No milk or water jugs that are not clear and no glass*. Rinse out the bottles/cans, bag, & crush them, before turning them in.

#### **Prayer Request**

We will gladly join with you in praying for your specific need.

Please write your request here and tear off and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher.

Please pray for:	
Requested by:	
Date:	
I would like for some to contact me to pray over more confidential matters. Phone Number:	

Please share with us as God meets your needs so that we may rejoice with you.

## Visitor Response

Mr Mrs Ms
Name:
Address:
State: Zip Code: Phone ()
E-mail:
Age group:0 - 6
Active in another church  I am:     looking for a church home     just visiting     an out-of-town guest
I would appreciate a visit from the pastor.
Other request

- \* Christmas Boxes: Stop and look at the display for the Christmas Purse boxes! Since we have 50 to fill, let's start collecting now. There are items that can be made for a small cost. Take a flyer to better understand what you can safely put in the box.
- \* Sponsor a Pathfinder to Camporee: If anyone is interested in sponsoring a Pathfinder or defraying the cost for their parents to Gillette, WY, please place funds in a tithe envelope and label it 'International Pathfinder Camporee'. Every dollar helps a Pathfinder, no donation is too small. Thank you.
- \* Men's Retreat, Sept. 22-24: Arizona Conference Men's Ministries is having their annual Men's Retreat at Camp Yavapines Sept. 22-24. This event provides an opportunity for men to detach a bit and focus on a relationship with God and fellowship with others. To register go to <a href="https://glendaleazsda.org/mens-retreat">https://glendaleazsda.org/mens-retreat</a> or contact Pastor Gary Venden at 602-524-6019 or <a href="mailto:gvenden@cox.net">gvenden@cox.net</a>.
- \* Family Ministries Couples Retreat, November 17-19: Arizona Conference Family Ministries Department couple retreat is November 17-19 featuring Pastor Edwin Mendoza. Registration is \$100 and includes Sabbath lunch, Saturday evening romantic dinner, & a gift. Special rates for the SureStay Plus Hotel by Best Western are available until October 27. For registration or make a payment please call Eunice at (480) 991-6777 or text to (480) 442-2778 or email elopez@azconference.org

## Preview of Next Week

September 9, 2023

**TODAY, SABBATH** 

**FRIDAY** 

6:27pm

Offering

6:26pm

**SABBATH** 

After Church Fellowship Meal 2:00 - 5:00**Pathfinders** 6:35pm Sunset **WEDNESDAY September 13, 2023** 11:00am Prayer Meeting with Doug 6:00 - 6:55pm **Choir Practice** Prayer Meeting with Alvin in the BLC 7:00pm **THURSDAY September 14, 2023** BULLETIN INFO DUE Contact Cindi @ 509.690.7657 5:00pm e-mail: svsdabulletin@hotmail.com 6:00pm Church Board Meeting in the BLC

**September 15, 2023** 

**September 16, 2023** 

Local Church Budget

Sunset

Sunset

Welcome to the Sierra Vista SDA Church! It's a blessing to worship with you today. September 9, 2023