### SEPTEMBER CALENDAR

Sept 23 Sab 12:30 pm **Potluck Picnic** at Catoctin Creek Park & Nature Center

Sept 27 Wed 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting via Zoom
Oct 15 Sun 1:00 pm Fall Festival at the church

## CHURCH BUDGET REPORT

ITEM	BUDGET		OFFERINGS		Aug	YTD
Monthly Budget: \$7,000 Church Expense: \$3,500 Capital Improvment: \$3,500	Aug 7,000.00	YTD 56,000.00	Aug 6,179.95	YTD 48,664.90	+/- -820.05	+/- -7,335.10

**HEADS UP!** The project to replace the bridge/culvert between Quebec School Road and Countryside Drive on MD 17 is operational. Traffic signals at both ends of the bridge will regulate traffic for the year.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR!** On Oct. 15, from 1–3 pm, we will have a Fall Festival with many fun activities at the church. Anyone interested in helping with setup, staffing, or cleanup for the event should contact Heather Root.

**ANIMALS ON HOLIDAY TODAY!** The Nature Center at Mt. Aetna Retreat Center will be closed today for a Conference event. It will reopen the following week from 2–5 pm on Saturday afternoons.

**COMMUNITY TABLE MEALS:** Interested in helping serve meals at the Community Action Agency in Frederick on the third Sabbath of the month at 4:30 pm? Please let Tracie know (tefrederick@gmail.com or 703-470-1505).

MVSDA PRAYER LINE TIME: All are welcome to call 240-575-3248 and join our prayer line, weekdays at 7:00 a.m.

**PRAYER MEETING:** Join us every Wednesday @ 7:00 PM as we draw closer to Jesus, praying together and studying. We hope you will join us on Zoom.



Sunset: Sabbath, Sept 23 / 7:05 pm Sriday, Sept 29 / 6:56 pm

he night is far gone; the day is at hand. So then let us cast off the works of darkness and put on the armor of light. —Romans 13:12

# MIDDLETOWN Valley

# SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH



**SEPTEMBER 23, 2023** 

# The Day is at Hand

#### **Pastor**

César Antonio González 1811 Arnold Road, Jefferson, MD 21755-9601 mvsdachurch.org mvsdabulletin@gmail.com

# SABBATH SCHOOL | 9:30 A.M.—10:40 A.M.

### **ADULT**

Adult (19+ years): Fellowship Hall
Bible Study: "Waging Peace" / Jeff Jeffers

#### YOUTH

Youth (14—18 year): Behind the Platform Curtains

**CHILDREN** (Lower Level)

Beginners (Birth—3 years): 2nd door on right Kindergarten (4—6 years): 1st door on right Primary (7—10 years): 2nd door on left Juniors (11—13 years): 1st door on left

# WORSHIP SERVICE | 10:50 A.M.

SONGS OF PRAISE: "I Sing the Mighty Power of God" / #88

"Worthy, Worthy Is the Lamb" / #246

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS: Paul Bauer

\* DOXOLOGY: "Surely the Presence of the Lord" / Congregation

\* INVOCATION: Paul Bauer

\* OPENING HYMN: "To God Be the Glory" / #341

TITHES & OFFERINGS: Chesapeake Advance / Paul Bauer

CHILDREN'S STORY: Celinda Bauer

\*\* CONGREG. PRAYER: "Now Dear Lord" / Rhea Harvey

SCRIPTUE READING: Acts 20:7–12 / Susan Harvey

SPECIAL MUSIC: Timothy George

SERMON: Eutychus / Paul Bauer

\* CLOSING HYMN: "Amazing Grace" / #108

\* BENEDICTION: Paul Bauer

Presiding Elder: Paul Bauer | Deacons: Ron Brauer and Rusty Hauver

Pianist: Enoque Filho

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

¡BIENVENIDO! WELCOME to the Middletown Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church. May you experience the love of Christ and sense the warmth of His presence as we worship Him. *Thank you for choosing to worship with us today. Gracias por elegir adorar con nosotros hoy.* 

ACT YOUR AGE? SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS: "Cherish all your happy moments; they make a fine cushion for old age." Happy "Happy Birthday" church family members born this month! If we inadvertently omitted your name, please speak with Celinda Bauer.

1 Paul Bauer11 Brielle Ortega21 Elinor Zerne8 Elijah Nerona14 Sandra Ortega22 Carl Calfo

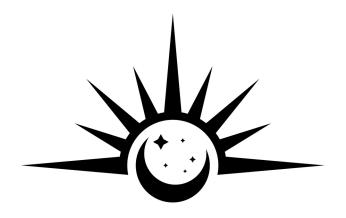
8 Oscar Oravec 15 Anais Molina 23 Emerson Nerona

9 Erick Ortega 16 Bristol Cooper

# SECOND READING FOR MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS:

- Jerry and Maureen Elliott to the Frederick SDA Church
- ◆ Todd, Yvonne, and Isabella Rozman to the Willowbrook SDA Church
- Jeff, Becky, and Eric Scoggins to the Minnesota Conference SDA Church

THE "MAJOR MUNCH" IS HAPPENING TODAY! Please join us for a *potluck picnic* after the service at the Catoctin Creek Park & Nature Center, 2929 Sumantown Rd., Middletown, MD 21769.



THE NIGHT IS FAR GONE; THE DAY IS AT HAND.

<sup>\*</sup> Congregation Standing. | \*\* Congregation Kneeling