

**EPHESUS SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**

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**OUR CHURCH SCHOOL**  
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**SERMON CD**



PLEASE SEE THE A/V TEAM

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**ANNOUNCEMENT****9/7/2019**

**Announcements** due Wednesday to [ephesuschurch@birminghamephesus.org](mailto:ephesuschurch@birminghamephesus.org)

**Reserve Room:** [ephesuschurch@birminghamephesus.org](mailto:ephesuschurch@birminghamephesus.org) or voicemail 252-7490.

**Drivers Needed.** please TEXT Wayne Blanding at (205) 903-5550.

**The Prayer Line Number** is 515-604-9094, access code: 337243850# Join us Sunday-Friday at 6a.m., Sunday-Tuesday 6p.m. and Thursday-Friday at noon. We are praying for you.

**Bulletin Secretary.**, please TEXT Tameka Hannah at (205) 249-9720

**FIGHT for Your Marriage**, authored by Anika Chrishon.

[fightforyourmarriagetoday.com](http://fightforyourmarriagetoday.com) [thenecessaryschool.com](http://thenecessaryschool.com)

The book trailer can be found at: [https://youtu.be/BlxYDF\\_iG6g](https://youtu.be/BlxYDF_iG6g)

The New Life SDA (Fultondale) invited Ephesus to **Family Fun Night**, September 7th 8pm-10pm. \$3 entry fee. Greystone Branch YMCA

**Church Business Meeting:** A short business meeting September 7<sup>th</sup>, at sunset (7pm), Ephesus Fellowship Hall, to deal with the water situation

**LIVING THE GOSPEL****SS Summary**

The song “Jesus Loves Me” has been very popular since it was written in the 1800s. When John F. Kennedy’s PT-109 was rammed and sunk in the Solomon Islands in 1943, the islanders who found them sang the song with the Marines as they were being rescued by other PT boats. They had learned the song from Seventh-day Adventist missionaries.

Seventh-day Adventists have kept missionary outreach a priority, as a way to spread the gospel to all the world. **No matter where we are, however, we are to live the gospel in a way that others will see Jesus and know that He loves them too.**

Wholistic medicine is now being seen as a valuable tool in healing people. **In order for health to be restored, the medical world is now looking at the whole person—their physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual well-being.**

**DIVINE WORSHIP****11:00AM**

Introit

Call to Worship &amp; Invocation .....Elder Clinton Jones

Mission Statement .....Elder Clinton Jones

Announcements

Welcome

Greetings &amp; Fellowship

Hymn of Worship

Intercessory Prayer ..... Pastor Larry Bailey

Tithes and Offering ..... Elder Clementine Collins

Children’s Ministry

Scripture Reading..... Leroy Abrahams

Praise &amp; Worship

Spoken Word ..... Colin Jones

Benediction .....Elder Clinton Jones

Closing Hymn

Some churches, including Seventh-day Adventists, have embraced the same wholistic approach as we minister to people spiritually. This is why SDAs operate so many hospitals, medical clinics, schools, and colleges across the globe.

We may not be able to serve in foreign countries, but almost all church members have the opportunity to contribute monetarily to foreign missionary projects, no matter where they live. In addition, volunteer opportunities abound and invite us to serve in various ways on the local level.

**Sacrificial giving is not just an option for Christians. It’s a requirement** that must be met before Jesus comes again to complete our redemption. **We’ve seen His mercy; it’s almost time to see His justice.**

*Next Week’s Lesson: Living the Advent Hope*