

Welcome to Worship with our Niles Westside Adventist Church Family.

“May We Enter to Worship, and Depart to Serve.”
2017 Motto: *Christ Our Confidence*

8:30 a.m.

Divine Worship

Welcome & Invocation	Sue Fattic
Opening Hymn	#86
<i>How Great Thou Art</i>	
Congregational Prayer	Sue Fattic
Offering	Sue Fattic
Michigan Advance Partners	
Sermon	Joseph Kidder
<i>The Church of My Dreams</i> Acts 2:42-47	
Closing Hymn	#350
<i>Blest Be the Tie that Binds</i>	
Benediction	Joseph Kidder

Elder: Sue Fattic

Pianist/Organist: Daphne Kent

Deacons/Junior Deacon: Mark Howell; Dave Scroggs, Mitchell Meekma

Deaconess: Ellie Eager

9:30 a.m.

The Church at Study

Song Service	Katrina Crawford
Special Feature	
Study of the Word	In Classes
Closing Prayer	In Classes

Bible Study Classes: Two classes meet in the sanctuary. One class meets in the foyer, and Pastor Bill's class is in the Pastor's Study. Two classes meet at the school. You are welcome to join whichever class you choose.

Pianist: Daphne Kent

The Upper Room

11 a.m.

Praise in Song

Welcome & Announcements – Pastor Darrel le Roux

Call to Worship – Matt Atcheson

Praise in Song

Congregational Prayer – Matt Atcheson

Offering – Rick Loenser
Michigan Advance Partners

Children's Story – Nina Atcheson
Please bring up the Lamb's Offering for Student Aid.

New Disciples – Aubrie Demler, Aniya Emetu, Ben Loenser, Josh Loenser, Natalie Makumbe, Havana Pagaja

NAS Dedication – Pastor Darrel le Roux

Special Music – NAS Staff

Sermon – Joseph Kidder
The Church of My Dreams
Acts 2:42-47

Closing Hymn – #350
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Praise Team: Michelle Blahovich, Kaoma Chende, Nicole Koenigshof, Lorren & Seth Wiedemann

Pianist: Denise Kidder

Elder: Matt Atcheson

Deacons: Peter Lyons; Reggie Curtis, Jason Hippler, John Jann, Dan Johnson, Brandon Koleda

Deaconesses: Anke Pagaja, Sue Mann

Offerings for July 2017:

	Church Budget	Student Aid	School Addition
Monthly Budget Needs	\$11,521	TBD	<i>Monthly loan payment is \$3,000.</i>
Received in July	\$11,761	\$5,006	\$1,200
Fiscal Year-to-Date Budget	\$11,521	TBD	
Received YTD	\$11,761	\$5,006	
YTD (+ or -)	+\$240		
			Loan Balance – Aug 7
			\$25,455

Church Events

Today	Pastor Bill's SS Class (Pastor's Study) 9:45 a.m. Leadership Lunch & Prayer Workshopafter 2 nd svc. Baptisms at Weko Beach (Bridgman) 7 p.m. Sunset..... 8:32 p.m.
Sunday	Sunday Sunup Runners/Walkers (Plym Park) 8 a.m. Men's Basketball (gym)..... 8 a.m. Youth Basketball (gym)..... 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m. Badminton (gym).....3:45-6 p.m. Adult Volleyball (gym) 6 p.m.
Monday	Adventurers (gym)6-7:30 p.m.
Tuesday	Baptismal Class 6 p.m.
Wednesday	Pastor & Family Out of Town Through Labor Day Bible Journaling for All 6:30 p.m. Pathfinders (gym)..... 6:30-8:30 p.m. Bulletin Items Due to secretary@nileswestside.org 9 p.m.
Thursday	Gina's Office Hours..... 1-3 p.m. NAS Parent Orientation6 & 6:30 p.m.
Friday	Baptism at Weko Beach (Bridgman) 7 p.m. Sunset..... 8:20 p.m.
Sabbath	Ken Stout, Speaker.....8:30 & 11 a.m. Pastor Bill's SS Class (Pastor's Study) 9:45 a.m. Offering: Local Church Budget

Bulletin Information Deadline: Wednesdays by 9 p.m. to Gina Meekma, Church Secretary, at 269-845-8870 or secretary@nileswestside.org.

Niles Westside Adventist Church

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269-683-5998 ~ www.nileswestside.org ~ "Like" us on Facebook!

Let's Connect Text # 269-605-4878 or E-mail nilesconnect@gmail.com

Niles Westside

Seventh-day Adventist Church



... they **broke bread**

at home and


ate their food



with **glad** and

generous hearts,

praising **God** and

 having the
goodwill of all

the **people.** Acts 2:46-47, NRSV

August 26, 2017

Church Life

- Remember to **take five minutes** after church to meet someone new.
- **New Prayer Request:** Eric & Stacie Saylor (former Westside attendees whose daughter Julianna passed away recently from a brain tumor)
- **First Reading for Nominated Position:** Junior Deaconess – Melissa Bayles
- **Beach Baptism:** This **Friday, September 1**, after 7 p.m. at Weko Beach, Isabela Constable will be baptized. There will be a vespers as well. Please bring a snack to share and join us for this special occasion!
- **OCC Shoe Boxes:** With school supplies on sale at most every store, this is a PERFECT TIME to purchase these important shoebox filler items for children in need around the world! This is our 21st year to be involved with Operation Christmas Child as an official drop-off center. Since 1997, more than 300,000 shoebox gifts have been sent from our Michiana area to the waiting hands of the poorest children of our world, providing them with school supplies, small toys, and best of all--the story of Jesus! This year our goal is to send another 36,500 shoeboxes from our area. Please plan to impact the life of a child by packing a box and/or assisting with shipping costs. Thank you for sharing Jesus' love and helping to fulfill the Great Commission of Matthew 28. Our shoebox collection week at Niles Adventist School is fast approaching: **November 13-20**. If you have questions, please contact Esther Jones (269-845-5770 or email: occesther@gmail.com).
- **All Church Leaders:** You are invited to potluck lunch and an important Leadership Workshop on Prayer with Dr. Joseph Kidder **this afternoon** at NAS.
- **Baptisms at Weko Beach:** **Today** after 7 p.m., six of our young people will be baptized. Bring a snack to share and come celebrate with the Barney, Demler, Loenser, Makumbe, and Pagaja families. Look for our group on the left side (facing the water) of Weko Beach (Lake St, Bridgman).
- **Prayer for Power:** On Wednesday nights, **September 6, 13, and 20**, at 7 p.m. with Pastor Darrel, you are invited to our mid-week Prayer Meeting that will focus on praying for power in our lives. Keep reading *Prophets and Kings*, as God's Spirit wants to give us understanding about His Power, through His Presence to accomplish His Purpose in our lives.
- **Unlock Revelation Invitation:** The book of Revelation is exactly that: to reveal Jesus Christ in an incredible and amazing way that has not been seen before in scripture. Jesus is revealed as so weak that He dies so that He can become invincibly strong to save those who put their trust in Him. Discover the Power, Presence, and Purpose that Jesus wants you to live with Him today. This *Unlock Revelation* series will help you unlock an experience with Jesus that gives you an incredible confidence in our turbulent world today. Plan to bring your friends, family, and neighbors with you to the first compact week of *Unlock Revelation*, starting Monday evening, **September 25**, for the whole week!
- **Bible Journaling** meets on **Wednesdays** at 6:30 p.m. for anyone interested.

Church Life Cont.

- The **Adventurers** are looking for more teachers two or three times a month to teach the curriculum provided for the school year. If you are interested in volunteering to join the Adventurer Staff, please contact Tami le Roux at nwcaterpillars@gmail.com or call 269-425-2161.
- **Church Web Site:** Find the monthly calendar, weekly bulletins and events, listen to sermons, access the church directory (password protected), online payment of tithes and offerings, and more on our web site at www.nileswestside.org.
- **Sunday Sunup Runners/Walkers:** Are you a runner or walker who would like to exercise with others? Bring a friend and join us on Sunday mornings at 8 a.m. at **Plym Park**. All fitness levels are welcome. **RSVP** to Marga Prouty at 269-605-9318 or carrot.tops@gmail.com.
- **Men's Basketball:** Most Sundays at 8 a.m. in the gym. Contact Greg Barney (269-591-9067) for more information.
- **Youth Basketball:** Most Sundays in the gym from 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m. for junior high and high schoolers. Contact John Chung for more information.
- **Badminton:** Some Sundays from 3:45-6 p.m. in the gym. Those interested in playing can contact Richard Makungu at 574-299-6465 (text or leave a msg).
- **Adult Volleyball:** Most Sundays at 6 p.m. in the gym (or Riverfront Park). **RSVP** to Gina Meekma (call/text 269-845-8870) to make sure we are playing.
- **Adventurers** is for families with children in Kindergarten - 4th grade. We meet on most Mondays during the school year, from 6-7:30 in the gym. A parent must accompany children. For more information, please email Tami le Roux (nwcaterpillars@gmail.com). Our first meeting is this Monday, August 28.
- **Pathfinders:** We meet on most Wednesday evenings during the school year in the gym for kids in grades 5-10. For more information, contact April Hughes (269-462-1662 or niles4flagspathfinderclub@gmail.com). See our Facebook page for **online registration**.

Niles Adventist School

Grades K – 8 ~ William Crawford, Principal
269-683-5444 ~ www.NilesAdventistSchool.org

- **Considering Christian Education?** Check out NAS! We have a low teacher-to-student ratio, a beautiful campus, combined grades and programs, exciting field trips, service opportunities, and more. Visit www.NilesAdventistSchool.org or call the school at 269-683-5444 for more information. Go to our web site for **online registration!**

*We bring our children to Jesus to be touched by His love,
trained for service, and educated for Heaven.*

Community & Other Announcements

- **King's Heralds Concert:** Sabbath, September 23, at 7 p.m. at the Village Adventist Church (635 St Joseph Ave, Berrien Springs).
- **SciFest & ArtFest 2017:** Andrews University invites high school students to register ASAP for SciFest 2017, to take place September 21-23. This annual STEM weekend offers high school students a unique college experience on the University's main campus in Berrien Springs, Michigan. Come explore the seven STEM departments at Andrews, and find out what this year's theme, Cells, means in Agriculture, Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Engineering, Mathematics and Physics. Students will participate in hands-on laboratory projects in each of these departments. This event culminates with a team Quiz Bowl game show, where each school displays their STEM knowledge in the hopes of winning a trophy and academic scholarships. ArtFest will run concurrently on campus with the theme, Building Blocks. For information about SciFest email stemconnect@andrews.edu. For information about ArtFest, email commdept@andrews.edu.
- **South Bend Junior Academy** is celebrating its 100th year this September 23 and 24. Join them as they celebrate! Dan Peters, previous school principal, will be speaking on Sabbath. There will be a potluck in the gym following the church service. The **King's Heralds** will be giving a sacred concert on Sabbath afternoon at 3 p.m. (an offering will be taken for the school endowment fund). Sunday morning activities include a fun run/walk, bike ride, disc golf, and regular golf. For more information and to register for activities, please call the school office at 574-287-3713 or on the website www.oursbj.com.
- **Senior Camp:** Living in God's beautiful nature book! Fellowship with Christian friends! Delicious food without having to cook! Entertainment and activities! Just "kicking back" and relaxing! These are some of the things waiting for you at the fun and affordable Senior Camp. **Where:** Camp Au Sable. **When:** September 10-13. For reservations, call Mona Hickman (517-316-1520).
- **Mother-Daughter Retreat:** October 13-15 at Camp Au Sable in Grayling, MI. The theme for 2017 is "RV There Yet?" This retreat is for mothers with daughters under the age of 18. The programming is geared for children and will be a lot of fun! Wendy Welch and her daughters, Hunter and Paige, will be the speakers. Registration is now open ONLINE or by phone. Go to www.misda.org and click Member Services, then Women's Ministries to register. Phone registrations (517-316-1565) for those without computers will be available, but may be delayed due to call volume, so please take advantage of the online registration if possible.
- **Pregnancy Care Center Needs:** Diaper bags, non-perishable food (for their Nutrition Class), summer clothes (newborn – 9 months), baby wipes, and new volunteers. The Pregnancy Care Center is located at 527 E Main St, Niles. Like them on Facebook (nilesppc), and call them at 269-684-6200 for more info.

Continued Prayer Requests

- Please keep us updated on these requests:

Cancer: Karen Hillebert; Joe Buda (Denise Scroggs' son)

Health: Don Wheeler (kidney failure issues); Drew Evans; Jerry Edwards; Peggy Nannay (kidney problems); Yelena Wheeler; Abbey Brendenkamp; Sylvia Budd; Grace Singer; Glory Einhorn (recovery from dislocation of left artificial hip); Marilyn Wood; Terry (aneurisms) & Hope Housam (surgery recovery); Ray Constable; Ester Crawford (shingles); Susan Hobson; Don Hilliard; Bud Robbins; Ruth Miller (congestive heart failure and lumbar stenosis); Jay Constable; Connie Strang (back surgery recovery); Florencia Tudor (lung transplant and pneumonia recovery); Kathy Herbel (gallbladder surgery recovery); Rhonda Peak; Mark (Tami le Roux's brother); Elijah le Roux (arm surgery recovery)

Missions: Neish, Storie, Sutton, and Shameerudeen families

School: Students, teachers, and school board members

Armed Services: Caleb Barney (Navy); Tori Curtis (Air Force); Casey Scameheorn (Navy); Robert Bishop (Army - McCalments' grandson); Pavel Poperkov (Yelena (& Don) Wheeler's son - Navy); All service members currently deployed and in harm's way.

General: Bible studies; Nicole Gray (family intervention); Kris & Rich Sutton (housing situation in Belize & mission to foster kids and orphans); George Bomban (relative of Melanie & Roger Mann)



Mission Statement

God's enveloping love inspires us to intentionally abide in His presence and reflect His love by...

- embracing families and individuals
- serving the community
- sharing the hope of salvation
- making disciples

as we joyously anticipate His glorious return.

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