

*Welcome to Worship with our  
Niles Westside Adventist Church Family*

**8:30 am**

**Worship Service**

Welcome & Invocation Steve Grooms

Opening Hymn *How Great Thou Art* #86

Congregational Prayer Steve Grooms

Offering Student Aid Steve Grooms

Offertory Havana Pagaja  
*Stand Up! Stand Up for Jesus?*

Sermon Pastor Darrel le Roux  
*A Triumphant Struggle*  
Hosea 12:2-6

Closing Song *Standing on the Promises* #518

Benediction Pastor Darrel le Roux

**Elder:** Steve Grooms

**Pianist:** Daphne Kent

**Deaconess:** Melody Marotz

**Deacons/Junior Deacons:** Bob Horvath; Matthew Horvath, Alex Horvath

**9:30 am**

**The Church at Study**

Song Service Frank Chole

Study of the Word In Classes

Closing Prayer In Classes

**Pianist:** Daphne Kent

**Bible Study Classes:** Two classes meet in the sanctuary. One class meets in the foyer.  
**Pastor Bill's class will not meet today.** Two classes meet at the school. You are  
welcome to join any class you like.

“May We Enter to Worship and Depart to Serve.”  
2018 Theme: *Christ-Confident!*

10:55 am

Worship Service

Praise in Song

Welcome & Invocation – Pastor Darrel le Roux

Call to Worship – Lynn Merklin

Worship in Song

Congregational Prayer – Lynn Merklin

Offering – William Crawford  
Student Aid

Children’s Story – Doug Taylor  
*Please bring up the Lamb’s Offering for Student Aid*

Sermon – Pastor Darrel le Roux  
*A Triumphant Struggle*  
Hosea 12:2-6

Closing Hymn – *Standing on the Promises* – #518

Benediction – Pastor Darrel le Roux



**Praise Team:** Westside Kids

**Pianist:** Denise Kidder

**Elder:** Lynn Merklin

**Deaconesses:** Alma Carlsen, Kathy Dockerty

**Deacons:** Peter Lyons; Eric Tudor

## *Church Life Highlights*

**Hold On, You're NOT Alone!** When you feel like giving up, here's support for those who care about those **caught in addiction**. Recognize the signs. Understand drug addiction. For parents, spouses, family, friends. You're not alone. **Journey with a Community of Care!** Thursday, October 4, at 6:30, Niles Adventist School. For more information email [2care4me2@gmail.com](mailto:2care4me2@gmail.com) or text/call 269-605-7895.

**Witness for Life – A Michiana Initiative** As part of the ongoing NADEI training hosted at our church, our morning speaker next Sabbath will be Ed Schmidt, followed by a fellowship lunch and then an afternoon meeting from 3:00 to 6:00 pm, when Errol McLean will present **In the Process of Pointing Others to Christ We Too Are Transformed**.

**Single Parenting Care:** Resumes Monday nights at Niles Adventist School at 6:30 pm beginning October 8. Contact Nichole Koenigshof or Pastor Darrel for more info.

### Offerings for August 2018

	Church Budget	Student Aid	Parking Lot Fund
<b>Monthly Budget Needs</b>	\$12,104	\$3,400	<b>Total Cost:</b> \$147,065
<b>Received in August</b>	\$9,577	\$2,994	<b>Received as of August 25:</b> \$74,641
<b>Fiscal Year-to-Date Budget</b>	\$24,208	\$6,800	<b>Amount Still Needed</b>
<b>Received YTD</b>	\$20,562	\$6,223	\$72,424
<b>+/- for YTD</b>	-\$3,646	-\$577	



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*Niles Westside*

*Seventh-day Adventist Church*



September 29, 2018

## *Church Life*

- Remember to **take five minutes** after church to meet someone new.
- **Bonfire Social** Today at 5:30 (weather permitting) at the Chapel in the Woods. See insert.
- **After-school Baptismal Class** From 3:10 - 4:10 pm every Tuesday afternoon at NAS, starting this Tuesday, September 18. Contact Pastor Darrel if you are interested in participating.
- **Mid-week Bible Study:** How do you read? How do you interpret God's Love? Come journey in God's word with Pastor Darrel on Wednesday evenings, 7 to 8 pm.
- **Hold On, You're NOT Alone!** When you feel like giving up, here's support for those who care about those **caught in addiction**. Recognize the signs. Understand drug addiction. For parents, spouses, family, friends. You're not alone. **Journey with a Community of Care!** Thursday, October 4, at 6:30, Niles Adventist School. For more information email [2care4me2@gmail.com](mailto:2care4me2@gmail.com) or text/call 269-605-7895.
- **Heart Transplanting Salvation** (Fall Series) – **Who Holds Your Heart?** Come and journey one week with Pastor Darrel le Roux and let God's Salvation Change Your Life Forever. Nightly beginning at 6:45 pm from October 14 to 19 at the Niles Adventist School, 110 N Fairview Ave. **Invite your friends and neighbors** to this series that will focus on **Salvation – from the Sanctuary to the Second Coming**.
- **Passing of Former Member** Dorothy Louise Shepherd passed away September 10, 2018 at age 94. A member here much of her life, she moved to Cadillac about nine years ago.
- **Pastor Bill's Sabbath School Class** will begin studying the book of Daniel today. All are welcome to attend.
- **Adventist Homeschool Ministry** NAS has several opportunities available for area homeschoolers! Band, voice, strings, art, IOWA testing, Bible labs, and/or field trips! Interested in joining or knowing more? Contact Jenn Cook at 269-845-5585.
- **BibleStudyOffer.com** We have some new Bible study requests from Biblestudyoffer.com. Volunteers are needed to deliver Bible studies to homes weekly. If you are ready to take on a new Bible Study request talk with Tyler Willey at 309-303-0424 or connect with him between 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> services.

## *Church Life Cont.*

- **Lost and Found** items are located in the hallway outside of the Copy Room.
- **Bible Journaling** meets on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm.
- **Adventurers** is for families with children in kindergarten - 4<sup>th</sup> grade. We meet in the gym on most Sundays during the school year, from 4-5:30 pm. A parent must accompany children. For more information contact Tami le Roux (nwcaterepillars@gmail.com).
- **Pathfinders** is for kids in grades 5-10. We meet in the gym on most Wednesdays during the school year from 6:30-8:30 pm. For more information contact April Hughes (269-462-1662 or niles4flagspathfinderclub@gmail.com).
- **Men's Basketball:** Most Sundays at 8 am in the gym. Contact Greg Barney (269-591-9067) for more information.
- **Badminton:** Every other Sunday from 2-4 pm in the gym. Those interested in playing may contact Chikoppella Makungu Richard at 574-299-6465 (text/msg).
- **Adult Volleyball:** Most Sundays at 6 pm in the gym. RSVP to Gina Meekma (call/text) 269-845-8870) to make sure that we are playing.

*A man ought to live so that everybody knows he is a Christian...  
and most of all, his family ought to know. – Dwight L. Moody*

## *Niles Adventist School*

Grades K – 8 ~ William Crawford, Principal  
269-683-5444 ~ [www.NilesAdventistSchool.org](http://www.NilesAdventistSchool.org)

**Easy Ways to Support NAS:** Pray for students, families, and staff; collect and turn in Box Tops for Education and Spartan brand bar codes; use the Hardings community rewards programs to benefit NAS; buy Scrip shopping/gift cards for shopping and gift needs; and use Amazon Smile to benefit NAS. Contact Lorraine at the school for more information.

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

## *Community & Other Announcements*

- **God's Hands 4 Kids** Invites you to CONNECT with other foster/kinship/adoptive families. For anyone interested in fostering or adopting, this is a support group brought to you by God's Hands 4 Kids as part of the Berrien County Foster Adoption Network. We meet at Pioneer Memorial Church, Andrews University Campus, Berrien Springs, on the second Thursday of each month. Come October 11 at 5 pm for a Celebration of Changing Seasons. For more information go to [www.Gh4k.org](http://www.Gh4k.org).
- **Children's Leadership Conference & Pathfinder Leadership Training** The theme of this year's conference is *Domino Effect – Empowering Children to Reach Children!* Pathfinder and Master Guide training will be offered as well. Free Admission. October 12 to 13 at Chan Shun Hall, Andrews University. Registration deadline September 30. Register at [www.cye.org](http://www.cye.org). For more information phone 269-471-8380.
- **Health and Fitness Expo:** Andrews University School of Health Professions is partnering with several Niles organizations to offer a free community health fair, Sunday, October 14 from Noon to 3 pm at the **Niles-Buchanan YMCA**. This year's activities include: bounce house and activities for kids, mini workouts, cooking demos, nutrition information, games, local health service information, community health and wellness opportunities, health screening and much more. Don't miss the chance to win a variety of health and fitness related prizes just for participating.
- **Adventist Retirees of Michiana** Meeting date change – Normally our meetings take place on the second Sunday of each month. For the month of October only, the meeting will happen on the third Sunday, October 21, at the Village Seventh-day Adventist Church at 1:00 pm. The guest speaker will be Dr. Art Robertson. He will be sharing some fabulous photos of the heavens. Bring a dish to share at potluck, and plan for an afternoon of good food, good fellowship, and a beautiful look at the heavens through the eyes of one of our local astronomers. Remember you don't have to be retired to join us. You just need to be 55ish or above. For more information contact David Waller ([dwaller46@gmail.com](mailto:dwaller46@gmail.com) or 269-409-1020).
- **Foster Homes Needed in Berrien County:** If you are interested, please contact Hope Leach (269-983-7111 x 8407; 269-325-7265 – cell; [hleach@berriencounty.org](mailto:hleach@berriencounty.org)).

## *Continued Prayer Requests*

- Please keep us updated on these requests:

**Cancer:** Joe Buda (Denise Scroggs' son)

**Health:** Don Wheeler (kidney failure issues); Drew Evans; Jerry Edwards; Peggy Nannay (kidney problems); Yelena Wheeler; Sylvia Budd; Grace Singer; Marilyn Wood; Hope Housam; Ray Constable; Susan Hobson; Don Hilliard; Bud Robbins; Ruth Miller (recovering from successful heart surgery); Jay Constable; Florencia Tudor (lung transplant recovery); Rhonda Peak; Bobbie Brelowski; Glory Einhorn; Julie Ailey; Peggy Cain; Linda Moore (Barb Harris' friend); Virginia Cummings; Rashell Rogers; Frances Burton; Mark Howell; Dorothy Metzger; Jacqueline Barney; Ed Saville (Gina Meekma's father).

**Missions:** Neish, Storie, and Sutton 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; Kris & Rich Sutton (housing situation in Belize & mission to foster kids and orphans; Herzberg Family; John Jann & family (recent loss of his brother); Alicia Harris

## *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.*



## *Upcoming Events*

<b>Today</b>	Pastor Bill's SS Class will NOT meet today.....9:45 am Bonfire Social (Chapel in the Woods).....5:30 pm Sunset .....7:34 pm
<b>Sunday</b>	Men's Basketball (gym)..... 8 am Adventurers (Andrews).....9:45 am Badminton (gym)..... 2 pm Adult Volleyball (gym)..... 6 pm
<b>Monday</b>	School Board..... 7 pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	Elders Meeting ..... 7 pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	Pathfinders .....6:30 pm Bible Journaling.....6:30 pm Bible Study ..... 7 pm Bulletin items due to John ..... 9 pm
<b>Thursday</b>	John's Office Hours .....10 am to noon <i>Hold On, You're NOT Alone!</i> (NAS) .....6:30 pm
<b>Friday</b>	Sunset.....7:22 pm
<b>Sabbath</b>	Ed Schmidt, speaker ..... 8:30 & 10:55 am Pastor Bill's SS Class (Pastor's Study) .....9:45 am Fellowship Lunch ..... after 2 <sup>nd</sup> svc. <i>Witness for Life</i> /Michiana Initiative (NADEI)..... 3 pm Offering: Local Church Budget

**Bulletin Information Deadline: Wednesdays** by 9 pm to John Hood at  
secretary@nileswestside.org or call/text 260-340-2083

### ***Let's Connect!***

Text # 213-634-8828 or E-mail [nilesconnect@gmail.com](mailto:nilesconnect@gmail.com)

### **Flocknote Texting**

Text *Nileswest* (one word) to **84576** to sign up to have  
reminders/announcements/weather closings etc. texted to you.

Or sign up via our website.