CHURCH IN PRAYER

Claiming HIS Grace

"Now this is the confidence that we have in HIM, that if we ask anything according to HIS will, HE hears us." 1John 5:14 (NKJV)

In Our Prayer:

Linda Davis, Robert Tewksbury, Vanessa Rugambo, Tripona & Carol Tayag, Antonio Soraci.

CHURCH AT WORK

Sharing HIS Blessings/Welcome & Announcements

- 01. From the Pastor "We are grateful for GOD's blessings of a good year, for our loved ones, for our country, for our church family, and for HIS WONDERFUL GIFT of A REDEEMING SAVIOR. We must celebrate GOD's blessings as a witness to this secular world. This is the time for us, as GOD's children, to turn on our lights and reveal in our lives THE LIGHT that this dark world so desperately needs." Merry CHRISTmas!!! Pastor Elsen
- **02.** Merry CHRISTmas! "GOD would be well pleased if on CHRISTmas, each church would have a CHRISTmas tree on which shall be hung offerings, great and small, for these houses of worship." Ellen G. White, R & H, December 11, 1879.
- **03. Fellowship Lunch** Bring your favorite vegetarian dish, soup, salad, or fruit and join us!!
- **04. Next Baptismal/Biblical Class** SABBATH, January 4, 2025 at 1:30p.m. If you wish to be baptized, please join us!
- 05. Next Prayer Meeting Wednesday, January 8 at 7:00p.m.



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2024 GIVING REPORT

MONTH	NEEDED	RECEIVED
DECEMBER	MONTHLY	IN DECEMBER
CHURCH BUDGET	\$ 4,650.00	2,853.10

"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." Matthew 6:31	Received December 14	Received Year-to-date
Tuition/Subsidy —	\$ 92.00	\$ 2,916.50



CHURCH APPOINTMENTS

Sharing HIS Calling

"Obey THE LORD and serve HIM faithfully with all your heart. Remember the great things HE has done for you."

1 Samuel 12:24 (GNT)

Pastor Elsen (vistasda@gmail.com)
Church Office (vistasda@gmail.com)
Head Church Elder: Cleveland Kisaka
Social Coordinator: Cheryl Sagman

Contact Information Available on the E-mailed & Printed Versions.

DEACON & HELPERS FOR THIS SABBATH

Joseph Kisaka

Helpers: Joram, Moses. Prince Kisaka

DEACONESS FOR THIS SABBATH

Diana Kisaka.

DECEMBER'S BIRTHDAYS ANNIVERSARIES

"If you live wisely, you will live a long time; wisdom will add years to your life."

Proverbs 9:11 (NCV)

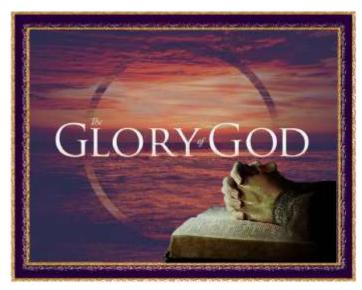




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"What We Scatter"

"Therefore,
whether you eat or drink,
or whatever you do,
do ALL to the glory of GOD."

1 Corinthians 10:31 (NKJV)

December 21, 2024

WELCOME

"I was glad when they said to me, 'Let us go into the House of THE LORD." Psalm 122:1 (NKJV)

CHURCH AT STUDY

(For Teleconference – Please Use Login Below)

Please Call (978) 990-5149 & Enter Access Code 1310781# Please MUTE Your Telephone. Thank You!

SABBATH School Program – 9:30 a.m. to 10:40 a.m.

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CHURCH AT WORSHIP

10:50 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

"You shall keep MY SABBATHS and reverence MY SANCTUARY: I AM THE LORD." Leviticus 19:30 (Teleconference - Call (978) 990-5149 & Code 1310781#

CELEBRATING HIS GOODNESS					
Welcome/Announcen	nents	Cleveland Kisaka			
Prelude	" <u>Family</u> "*	Congregation			
Call to Worship	" <u>Psalm 106:1</u> "	Patrick McGuire			
	"Praise THE LORD ! Thank THE LORD because HE is good. HIS love continues forever." (NCV)				
Invocation		Patrick McGuire			
Hymn of Praise #359	*	Congregation			
" <u>Hark!</u>	The Voice of JESUS (Calling "*			
Call to Prayer	" <u>Psalm 6:9</u> "	Helene Matsubara			
Congregational Praye	er	Helene Matsubara			
Call to Faithfulness	" <u>Psalm 116:18</u> "	Cleveland Kisaka			
Worship Through Gi	ving	Cleveland Kisaka			
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PRO	CLAIMING HIS W	ORD			
Children's Message	" <u>Psalm 34:11</u> "	Angela Atchison			
Special Music		Henry Tabingo			
Scripture Reading	"1 Corinthians 10:31"	Helene Matsubara			
MESSAGE "What We Scatter" Patrick McGuire					
Hymn of Affirmation	# <u>361</u> *	Congregation			
"Hark! 'Tis THE SHEPHERD 's Voice I Hear"*					
"But now, being made free from sin and having become servants of GOD , you have your fruit of sanctification and the result of eternal life." <u>Romans 6:22</u>					
Benediction		Patrick McGuire			

CHURCH IN PRAISE

*Prelude — "Family"

Family, we are family, JESUS, HE is OUR GOD. And I'm so glad **HE**'s brought us all together. And I'm so glad that **OUR FATHER** is **OUR GOD**.

*Hymn of Praise #359

"Hark! The Voice of JESUS Calling"

- (1) Hark! the voice of **JESUS** calling, "Who will go and work today? Fields are white, the harvest waiting, who will bear the sheaves away?" Loud and long **THE MASTER** calleth, rich reward **HE** offers free; Who will answer, gladly saying, "Here am I, O LORD, send me"?
 - (2) If you cannot cross the ocean and the heathen lands explore, You can find the heathen nearer, you can help them at your door; If you cannot speak like angels, if you cannot preach like Paul, You can tell the love of **JESUS**, you can say **HE** died for all.
 - (3) If you cannot be the watchman, standing high on Zion's wall, Pointing out the path to heaven, offering life and peace to all; With your prayers and with your bounties

You can do what Heaven demands.

You can be like faithful Aaron, holding up the prophet's hands.

(4) While the souls of men are dying, and **THE MASTER** calls for you, Let none hear you idly saying, "There is nothing I can do!" Gladly take the task **HE** gives you, let **HIS** work your pleasure be; Answer quickly when **HE** calleth, "Here am I, O **LORD**, send me."

*Hymn of Affirmation #361

"Hark! 'Tis **THE SHEPHERD**'s Voice I Hear"

(1) Hark! 'tis THE SHEPHERD's voice I hear.

Out in the desert dark and drear, calling the sheep who've gone astray, Far from THE SHEPHERD's fold away.

- (R) Bring them in, bring them in, bring them in from the fields of sin; Bring them in, bring them in, bring the wanderers to **JESUS**.
 - (2) Who'll go and help THE SHEPHERD KIND, Help **HIM** the wandering ones to find? Who'll bring them back into the fold,

Where they'll be sheltered from the cold?

(3) Out in the desert hear their cry, out on the mountain wild and high. Hark! 'tis **THE MASTER** speaks to thee.

"Go, find MY sheep where 'er they be."

*Epilogue — "Our Prayer"

"May each moment of each hour of each day of your life Be a picture of love to all the world.

And in JESUS may you grow, may you trust HIM, May you know of **HIS** love, that **HIS** love may know you.

(2X) And when soon **HE** shall come, may we all join as one, In the love that we share in **HIS** glory, this is our prayer."

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Postlude "Our Prayer"* Congregation Words printed on next side column