

## **OOLTEWAH ADVENTIST CHURCH**

March 22, 2025

## MORTGAGE UPDATE TO DATE: March 15, 2025 TOTALS

 Mortgage Loan:
 \$2,977,505.61

 Monthly Payment:
 \$23,723.81

 Received This Month:
 \$15,017.50



The earth is the Lord's, and everything in it,

Psalm 24:1 NIV

## **CHURCH FINANCES**

**TO DATE: MARCH 15, 2025** 

 Combined Monthly Budget
 \$29,252.00

 Received\*
 \$14,426.80

 Student Aid Fund
 \$10,318.00

 Received\*
 \$3,084.95

\*Monies not designated on the tithe envelope will be accredited to the offering schedule for the week.

**GIVE DONATIONS** ooltewahchurch.org/give



SUNSET TIMES: Ooltewah, TN TODAY: 7:54 pm | NEXT FRI: 7:59 pm

"Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit."

Matthew 28:19

## March 22, 2025 NEW SANCTUARY 11 AM

Prelude Be Born In Me Piano

Welcome and Prayer Mike Doucoumes

Opening Song We Know Not The Hour #604 Congregation

Children's Story: Puppet Ministry Margo Haughee

Offering Call and Prayer Joe Recchia

Today's loose offering is for GCC Ministries - Evangelism

Music and Worship Burdens Are Lifted At Calvary #476 Larry Otto

Praise Him, Praise Him #249

Special Music I Must Tell Jesus Mary Wilcox: Flute

Cameron Wilcox: Violin

Justin Stone: Piano

Scripture Reading: Matthew 28:19 Gretchen Sigsworth

Community Prayer Earl Sigworth

Cares Chorus

Sermon Christ's Method Pastor Michael Garcia

Benediction astor Michael Garcia

Benediction Response May The Lord, Mighty God Congregation

Postlude Piano

Piano: Arlene Leavitt

Song Leader and Choir Director: Larry Otto

Presiding Elders: Earl Sigsworth and John Sabo

## SABBATH SCHOOL 9:30 - 10:45 AM

Check the posters in the lobbies or ask a greeter for more information.

#### EVENTS COMING UP

#### **SABBATH, MARCH 22**

- Worship Service Michael Garcia
- Church Wide Potluck I pm
- Afternoon Seminar Michael Garcia (Workplace Evangelism)
- Basketball Activity Group 8:30 pm

### **SUNDAY, MARCH 23**

• Men's Breakfast 9 am

#### **TUESDAY, MARCH 25**

- Voices In Worship 6 pm (Sanctuary)
- Choir Rehearsal 7 pm (Sanctuary)

#### **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26**

- Pathfinder Meeting 6:30 pm
- Be Transformed Prayer Meeting 6:30 pm
- Brass For Worship 7:30 pm

## **THURSDAY, MARCH 27**

• HIS Orchestra Rehearsal 6 pm

## SABBATH, MARCH 29

- Connect Committee Breakfast 9 am
- Worship Service Communion
- Gospel Outreach Rally 6 pm
- YIELD Date Night 6 pm
- Basketball Activity Group 8:30 pm

### SUNDAY, MARCH 30

• Pathfinder Pool Honors 2 pm (Hulsey)

## **MONDAY, MARCH 31**

- Finance Committee 6 pm
- Church Board 7 pm

## TUESDAY, April I

- Voices In Worship 6 pm (Sanctuary)
- Choir Rehearsal 7 pm (Sanctuary)

## **WEDNESDAY, April 2**

- Young At Heart Luncheon 1:30 pm
- Pathfinder Meeting 6:30 pm
- Be Transformed Prayer Meeting 6:30 pm
- Brass For Worship 7:30 pm

## Our Church Announcements

#### **CHURCH MEMBERS**

This Sabbath our guest speaker is Pastor Michael Garcia, an evangelism trainer who will speak to us about witnessing to our co-workers and neighbors. A special potluck after the worship service and an afternoon seminar will follow. Thank you to Elder Mike Doucoumes for organizing this Sabbath focused on evangelism.

#### YIELD DATE NIGHT FUNDRAISER

Please note that this event will be held on March 29 at 6 pm. See graphic for registration and more details. Register through the link at www.collegedalechurch.com or call (423) 396-3462 if you do not have internet access.

## FINANCIAL AID - STUDENT ASSISTANCE (2025-2026)

Submitted annually, 2025-2026 Academy Non-constituent Assistance and Student Aid Applications are currently being accepted. Is your family eligible? On the church website under ministries/school/student aid, select the academy (Non-constitutent) or the need-based (Student Assistance) application. Help us help you by getting the information in by May 2. If you have questions about our assistance application process, reach out to me, Earl Sigsworth - earlsigsworth@gmail.com; (423) 424-6085 Student Aid Chair.

## **MISSION PROJECT**

If you are interested in a mission project that you can do from home, Scott Griswold from Reach the World Next Door (ASAP) is looking for a volunteer who would be willing to work with his My Language, My Life (MLML) program. MLML publishes inspirational online stories, blogs, sermons, and documents in

about 2000 languages in order to attract and reach non-Christians around the world. Scott wants someone who will read and highlight the best stories on the website (mlml.org) in English to direct readers to them. He also would like the volunteer to provide additional stories to share with readers that will inspire them to learn more about faith and trust in God. If you are interested in such a project and have skills in this area, please contact me or Scott Griswold (a distant cousin). Go to mlml.org/explore to see what kind of things are available on the website. Scott can be reached at scott@reachtheworldnextdoor, com to learn more about the project. Edwin Reynolds, 423-316-7280, reynolds@southern. edu.

#### **OAKS REGISTRATION**

Online registration for the 2025-2026 school year has begun. Returning families can access the application via their parent portal. The deadline to apply is midnight on March 23.

#### YOUNG AT HEART

Please join us at the Cheesecake Factory at 1:30 pm for lunch (2084 Hamilton PI Blvd, Chattanooga, TN 37421). All are welcome. For questions, please contact Willis Adams at 937-609-3070.

#### **GOSPEL OUTREACH**

Please join us on both evenings as **Gospel Outreach Presents Search and Rescue**with Steve Darmody, The Melashenko Family
Singers, and Gospel Outreach Reginal
Directors.

Friday, March 28: McDonald Road SDA Church at 7 pm. Special guest Steve Darmody.

Sabbath Evening March 29: Ooltewah SDA Church at 6 pm. Special Guest The Melashenko Famly Singers.

Sunday Evening March 30: Ladd Springs SDA Church at 6:30 pm. Pastor Joedy Melashenko and the Melashenko Five.

#### **SEASON ON CHANGE**

All widows are welcome to join us on April 7 @ noon for a spring luncheon. To RSVP, please contact Marlene Keaton at 423-779-4774.

### **VBS VOLUNTEERS**

VBS is right around the corner! VBS will be held on July 20-24 from 6-8 pm. We are looking for volunteers to help out in all areas. If you are interested, please contact Kandenne DeLauer at 423-702-1040.

# Community Announcements

#### YOUNG ADULT / COLLEGIATE

Are you a young adult or post collegiate looking for deeper connection with your peers and with God? Join us at the Farrow Farm in Collegedale on **April 4-5** as we explore what it means to be part of a Community of Faith. Details and registration can be found at bit.ly/community-of-faith.





Are you interested in sharing Jesus with friends and neighbors but don't know where to start?

Are your evangelism efforts not as successful as you hoped?

Come to this training and learn foundations of successful evangelism including:

- 2 p.m. Afternoon Seminar- Unlock the Hidden Power of Friendship!

Date: March 22

Worship Service and Afternoon

Location:

Ooltewah SDA Church

9209 Amos Rd. Ooltewah, TN. 37363

Presenter: Mike Garcia **Evangelism Trainer** 

Organized by the Georgia-Cumberland Conference Evangelism/Leads Program

gccsda.com/evangelism/leads





Saturday, March 29, 2025 6:15 to 9:15 p.m. Ooltewah Adventist Church, 9209 Amos Rd. All ages welcome

Pre-registration preferred, but same day registration accepted. Scan code or call (423) 396-3462.

Cost: Donation (tax deductible) to the YiELD Puerto Rico Mission Trip



Mike Garcia has spent a lifetime sharing his faith and leading others to Christ through missions,

Bible studies, personal ministry, and church leadership. With nearly 40 years of experience as a cardiovascular perfusionist in heart surgery, he has mastered the art of workplace evangelism—demonstrating how faith can be effectively shared in any profession or setting.

Beyond his medical career, Mike is a passionate church planter with lay-pastor and evangelism training. His commitment to ministry extends to his roles as an Evangelism Trainer for the Georgia-Cumberland Conference and a Spiritual Care Coordinator for LifeMed Clinic, where he mentors and equips others in sharing their faith.

As the **founder and president of Go Missions**, a nonprofit ministry dedicated to evangelism "Across the Street and Around the World," Mike is committed to mobilizing believers to engage in soulwinning efforts both locally and globally. His leadership has inspired individuals and churches to embrace active outreach, fostering a culture of discipleship and mission-driven service.

Mike is blessed to share this journey with his wife, **Karla**. Together, they have four children and two grandchildren, forming a family deeply devoted to faith and service.





## **WORSHIP ONLINE LIVE AT 11 am**

#### www.ooltewahchurch.org or link on Facebook @Ooltewah SDA

If you would like to receive the weekly newsletter, please send an email to office@ooltewahchurch.org.

#### **OOLTEWAH ADVENTIST CHURCH**

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## **PRAYER REQUESTS**

Please fill out a prayer request card and place it in the prayer leader's Bible during prayer time. (These can be found in the pew in front of you, on the booth in the lobby, or you can request one from a deacon.) You may also contact our Prayer Warrior Leader Sondra Chilson at 423-396-2855 with prayer requests.

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