

A serene winter landscape featuring a stream flowing through a forest of snow-laden evergreen and deciduous trees. The scene is bathed in a warm, golden light, likely from the sun filtering through the trees. The water in the stream is a clear, vibrant blue, contrasting with the white snow and dark rocks.

# Welcome

We are so glad you're here to worship with us today!

**OOLTEWAH ADVENTIST CHURCH**

JANUARY 7, 2023

## CHURCH FINANCES TO DATE: DEC 31, 2022

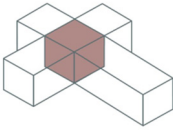
Combined Monthly Budget \$26,638.00

**Received \$63,291.30**

Student Aid Fund \$11,840.00

**Received \$21,154.21**

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



**CORNERSTONE**  
BUILDING PROJECT

## CORNERSTONE BUILDING PROJECT

Goal for DEC. 31, 2022: **\$2.2 million**

Received to Date: **\$1,954,867.05**

## LIGHT OF HOPE

Sent to Ukraine: **\$230,000.00**

**LIGHT OF HOPE** is grateful for the many **individuals** and **organizations** **outside of our church** who are generously supporting our ministry with their large donations. We have been able to spread God's love and care so much farther with these contributions! *Thank you!*

**GIVE DONATIONS**  
[ooltewahchurch.org/give](http://ooltewahchurch.org/give)



## EVENTS THIS WEEK

### TODAY JAN 7th

- Singspiration 4pm  
(Fellowship Hall)

### MONDAY JAN 9th

- Cancer Support Group, 6:30pm  
(Fellowship Hall)

### TUESDAY JAN 10th

- Group Fitness Class, 5pm  
(Fellowship Hall)
- Voices in Worship, 6pm
- Sanctuary Choir, 7pm

### WEDNESDAY JAN 11th

- Prayer Meeting, 6:30pm
- Pathfinders, 6:30pm
- Adventurers, 6:30pm
- Brass for Worship, 7:30pm

### THURSDAY JAN 12th

- Group Fitness Class, 5pm  
(Fellowship Hall)
- HIS Orchestra, 6:30pm

## PRAYER REQUESTS THIS WEEK

- **Steve Bremner:** pneumonia recovery
- **Marcia Knowles:** hospital for congestive heart failure
- **Jane Turner:** loss of son

**JANUARY 7, 2023**  
**SANCTUARY 9AM & FELLOWSHIP HALL 11:30AM**

Prelude	<b>Organ</b>
Choral Prelude	<b>Voices In Worship</b>
Welcome and Announcements	<b>Pastor Matthew Shallenberger</b>
Opening Song	<b>Congregation</b>
<i>O Worship The King: SDA Hymnal #83</i>	
Opening Prayer	<b>Mike Doucoumes/Bradley Hyde</b>
Children's Story	<b>Nolan Wright</b>
Offering Call and Prayer	<b>Mike Doucoumes/Linda Kulik</b>
<i>Today's offering is for Local Church Budget</i>	
Music and Worship	<b>Congregation</b>
<i>Deeper Yet: SDA Hymnal #302   1st Service</i>	
<i>Blessed Assurance: SDA Hymnal #462   1st Service</i>	
<i>Showers Of Blessing: SDA Hymnal #195   2nd Service</i>	
<i>O How I Love Jesus: SDA Hymnal #248   2nd Service</i>	
Call to Prayer   <b>Cares Chorus</b>	<b>Congregation</b>
Elder's Prayer	<b>Ron Malloch/Steve Kulik</b>
Scripture Reading   <b>Psalms 119:1-3</b>	<b>Tommy Fernandez/ Bradley Hyde</b>
Special Music	<b>Voices In Worship</b>
<i>No More Night</i>	
Sermon	<b>Pastor Peter Kulakov</b>
<i>God's Law is a Sure Guide for 2023</i>	
Benediction	<b>Pastor Peter Kulakov</b>
Benediction Response	<b>Organ</b>
Postlude	<b>Organ</b>

*Song Leader: **Ron Malloch/Denver Nelson and Friends***

*Organ: **Wayne Stevens***

*Voices In Worship Leader: **Larry Otto** | Voices In Worship Accompanist: **Brandon Wilcox***

*Presiding Elder 1st Service: **Ron Malloch** | Presiding Elder 2nd Service: **Greg Leavitt***

**SABBATH SCHOOL 10:20AM**

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

## OUR CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### HOMELESS MINISTRY

Thank you for all your wonderful donations over the holidays. They were greatly appreciated! If you would like to donate toiletries or other items in the future, please contact Richard Johnson at **(423)505-5746**.

### YOUNG AT HEART

The next "get-together" will be at Thai Chili on the 11th of January at 1:30pm. If you are one of those who feel younger than your birthday suggests, come and join us there.

### GROUP STRENGTH TRAINING CLASS

**5-6pm (every Tues & Thurs)**

Join us in the Fellowship Hall to learn how to get stronger with resistance bands and more. Contact Barb at **630-698-0852** or **BarbWeimerFitness@gmail.com** for details, cost, and reserving a spot.

### ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT NEEDED

The Ooltewah Adventist Church is looking to fill the part-time position of Administrative Assistant. The job will include preparing and printing the church bulletin, managing the church calendar and assisting the pastor in various administrative tasks during the hours of 8am-12pm. For more information or to apply call the church office at **(423)238-4619** or email **pkulakov@gccsda.com**

### CHURCH FAMILY

We have additional copies of the church directory available at the church office. There is a small fee of \$10. They can be picked up during office hours. Please contact **(423)238-4619**.

### CHURCH WIDE POTLUCK

**January 14, after church**

Our Church wide potluck will be held on January 14, 2023, due to the upcoming bible training seminar.

### PRAYER WARRIORS POTLUCK

**January 7, after church**

Please note that the prayer warrior potluck is today after second service and will be held at Sondra Chilson's home. Please contact her for more details at **(423)396-2855**.

### FAMILY MINISTRIES ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### WANTED:

Family Ministries is looking for someone - we may need more than one to do childcare from 5:30 PM to 9 PM the night of February 14 (Valentines Day). The person must be an adult and be vetted as someone who is trustworthy to care for children.

#### WHAT'S UP!

Family Ministries is hoping that couples will take advantage of Valentine's day for a date night with their partner. Childcare personnel will be paid for services. Call or text Pastor Dave at 423-284-6945 if you are interested.

### TRAINING SEMINAR

**January 14, all day events**

Training Seminar on tried & true, Spirit-led ways of "How to Get & Give Bible Studies" presented by Crystal & Russ Jenson will take place at the Ooltewah SDA Church, Sabbath, January 14. 9:00 am & 11:30 am sermons on A Biblical Model of Evangelism; 1:00 pm Potluck Dinner; 2:00-7:00 pm Training Seminar; 7:00 pm Debriefing Time with Soup & Sandwiches. Plan to participate all day. Contact: Crystal Jenson **(706)252-1006** for more information.

### RELIGIOUS LIBERTY

We know that the prophecies are fast fulfilling which show that we are living in the close of this world's history. Change is coming! Our Religious Liberty offering will be on Jan. 14, 2023.



## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

### VESPERS FEATURING ORGAN AND VIOLIN

January 14, 5:30pm

Evening Anthem vespers is presenting Brandon and Cameron Wilcox at Chattanooga First SDA on January 14 at 5:30 pm. Come and be blessed by "Laud and Honor," featuring organ and violin.

### BIBLES FOR NICARAGUA

Nica Ministries in conjunction with It Is Written is collecting English and Spanish Bible for an Evangelistic campaign in January 2023. These will be passed out to newly baptized members. Please bring your bibles within the next week to the lobby. If you have any questions give me a call, Doug Dickson (423)994-2546.

### ACADEMY DAY AT CA

January 13, 9am – 2:15pm

Collegedale Academy invites all high school aged students to come see what it's like to be a part of the CA family. This includes rising freshmen and all current 9th - 11th graders who will be new to CA.

Academy Day showcases many aspects of CA. Come get a glimpse of our students demonstrating life as a student at CA – spiritual life, academic life and student life. For more information or to let us know you are attending, please call (423)396-2124 or email [ahowell@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:ahowell@collegedaleacademy.com). (Note: most 8th graders attending a local Seventh-Day Adventist middle school typically join this event with their teachers and class as a group). Academy Day is one way for interested students and families to learn about CA. We encourage all who are interested to schedule a visit to CA. Come for a family tour or prospective students may shadow a current student to experience a day-in-the-life. Use the contact information above to schedule a time and date that works for you. Looking forward to meeting you!

## COMMUNITY SOFTBALL

Collegedale Softball is back and you are invited to register for the 2023 Season! Register from January 1 to January 14 to receive a \$5 discount. Registration closes on February 19, so sign up today! For more information or to register, please visit [www.cdalesoftball.com](http://www.cdalesoftball.com)

## FREE COUNSELING

Southern Center for Counseling and Emotional Wellness at Southern Adventist University offers free confidential counseling from master's-level counselors-in-training. Trainees are supervised by licensed, experienced counselors. Both in-person and virtual appointments are available from January to May. For more information or to make an appointment, call (423)236-2492.

## PHOTOGRAPHY GALLERY OPENING

January 19, 6pm

Southern Adventist University's School of Visual Art and Design invites the public to a photography show featuring works by art professor Mindy Trott, MFA. Opening on Thursday, January 19, 2023, at 6 p.m., photos themed "But Only So For An Hour" will remain on display in the John C. Williams Art Gallery in Brock Hall until February 16. This event is free and open to the public. For more information, visit [southern.edu/artgallery](http://southern.edu/artgallery) or call (423)236-2732.

## Singspiration

Saturday, January 7, 2022  
at 4pm

OOLETEWAH  
ADVENTIST CHURCH



JANUARY

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Come & bring a friend to  
this special **FREE** concert  
at **6PM**.

Ooltewah SDA Church  
9209 Amos Rd  
Ooltewah, TN 37363  
423-238-4619



## MARION PEPPERS IN SACRED MUSIC CONCERT

Marion is a concert vocalist who has chosen to use her gift to glorify God and to lift up Jesus in praise. Marion has ministered throughout the United States, singing for ministries such as It Is Written, Amazing Facts, and 3ABN television. She has also been featured on multiple radio stations around the World.

Marion's husband, Wes, is the Evangelism Director for It Is Written Television. They enjoy traveling together around the world ministering to people, and have the joy of raising their two children: Levi (10) & Liana (7).

Marion loves to share the gift of music whenever she gets the chance. Come and listen as she shares a mix of testimonies and beautiful songs from her heart!

**OOLTEWAH ADVENTIST CHURCH**  
PRESENTS

**SABBATH, JANUARY 14**

# HOW TO GET & GIVE BIBLE STUDIES: TRAINING SEMINAR

**9 & 11:30AM: A BIBLICAL MODEL OF EVANGELISM**

**2-7PM: TRAINING SEMINAR**

**7PM: DEBRIEFING TIME WITH SOUP & SANDWICHES**

## PRESENTERS/COACHES:

**CRYSTAL JENSON: Bible Instructor**  
**(706)252-1006 | [crystaljenson@gmail.com](mailto:crystaljenson@gmail.com)**

**RUSS JENSON: Master of Divinity**  
**(704)975-5673**

**BIBLE STUDY INTEREST LEADS** already exist or can easily be obtained. It is common for volunteers to feel hesitant giving face-to-face Bible Studies for any variety of reasons.

This Training Seminar by soul-winning mentors, Crystal & Russ Jenson, will emphasize being moved by the Holy Spirit, going where God is already working, and being led to ripe fruit.

It is a practical "how-to" that will deal with questions like:

***Why do we give Bible studies?***

***How do I give Bible studies?***

***Where can I get help?***

Participants will learn the science and art of:

***Getting leads***

***Getting in doors***

***How to give Bible Studies***

***How to gain decisions***

***Join us and gain the confidence, tools, and inspiration to win souls for the Kingdom of God!***

**9209 AMOS RD. OOLTEWAH, TN 37363**

**WORSHIP ONLINE LIVE AT 9AM & 11:30**  
www.ooltewahchurch.org or link on Facebook @OoltewahSDA

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**LARRY OTTO: MINISTER OF MUSIC**

(423) 779-4457

**PRAYER REQUESTS: PASTOR PETER (678) 571-1743**

Text your prayer requests to Pastor Peter or fill out a prayer request card and place it in the elder'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.)*