



*Welcome to the*  
SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST  
Church of Monroe

November 10, 2007

Prayer Circle.....	9:15am
Wake-up Call.....	9:30am
Study Classes.....	10:00am
Worship Hour.....	11:00am
Buffet Luncheon.....	12:30pm

*Order of Service*

Praise in Song.....	Praise Singers
Welcome.....	Tom Fulp
Announcements.....	Deanette Mills
Missions.....	<i>A Time for Thanks Living</i>
Offering.....	Michele Iglesias
Children's Story.....	Bobby Carpenter
Praise Time.....	Tam Adams
Scripture.....	Praise Singers
Special Music.....	
Morning Prayer.....	Tom Fulp
Sermon.....	Tom Fulp

*Upcoming Events*

December 1.....	Movie Night
December 15.....	Christmas Party

*Thank you for coming to visit us today.*  
Come back again soon!

*Announcements*

- **Buffet Lunch Today**—A special invitation is extended to our visitors to stay by after the service and enjoy this meal with us.
- **Library Grand Opening!**—Our church librarians have been working for many months, preparing hundreds of wonderful Christian books for your benefit. Everything is ready. The Grand Opening will be today! Please plan to stay for a little while after buffet for the ribbon-cutting ceremony.
- **Drinking from the Well**—Women's Ministries Sabbath with Chaplin Wanda Grimes Davis, November 17 at the Charlotte Sharon Church, 9:00am or 11:30am, followed by potluck, and a final session at 2:00 pm. Also on Sunday, November 18 at the Carolina Conference Office, 10:00am for brunch. Please bring a potluck dish on Sabbath, and RSVP if you are coming to brunch—Barbara Blocker at 704-779-0408. The cost \$10 per person.
- **Vespers Next Sabbath**—Join us next Saturday evening at 5pm as we close the Sabbath with a special vespers featuring the Nava Jeevan Orphanage out of
- Calcutta, India. Mellissa Myers, Wanda Dellinger's daughter, will bring us photos from the orphanage where she recently adopted her new little girl, Mousumi.
- **ShareHim TV Newsmagazine**—The second episode of this weekly ShareHim news program was broadcast on 3ABN last night, Nov. 9, 2008 at 12am EST and Sunday morning, Nov. 4 at 8:30am EST.
- **Sunset Schedule**—Sabbath Ends: 5:21 PM November 10, 2007  
Sabbath Starts: 5:17 PM November 16, 2007
- **Weekly Prayer Meeting**—Tuesday nights at 7pm here at the church. Mark it on your calendars to attend this mid-week spiritual refreshment.
- **One Year Bible**—Want to read the Bible through in a year? Here's a suggested schedule for this week.  
**Week 43**—Eze. 12:1-23:49, Heb. 7:10-10:39, Ps. 105:37-109:31, Prov. 26:20-27:2
- **This Week's Offering**—The loose offering today is for the church budget.



*“Investing  
With God:  
A Sure Return.”*

**Did you see the bad news this week? Wall Street's brokers are despondent because stocks again fell! At the Monroe church our news is always good and we are never despondent because we invest all our resources with God and that always brings a sure return—a return that we will enjoy eternally!**

These are exciting times to be part of the Monroe church! We are opening ourselves up to be used by God in miraculous and amazing ways. God has given us the vision to pay off our debt and expand our facilities. We know that you will want to be part of this partnership with God as we grow for Him. Our campaign motto is Investing With God: A Sure Return! Every investment you make in God's work is a wise investment! and it pays awesome dividends!

We are in the process of investing with God in two ways over the next three years. First, we have voted to expand our sanctuary and fellowship hall to accommodate our rapidly grow-

ing congregation and, secondly, to pay off our mortgage. With God's help, we are stepping out in faith to make this dream a reality in the next 36 months.

Prayerfully consider what you can give to this project. Our sanctuary and our fellowship hall provide visible evidence to our community about what is important in our lives.

Not every member can give an equal amount, but all of us can prayerfully consider what God would have us to give over the next three years to His honor and glory. Take time on your knees and ask the Lord what He wants to give through you. Have faith that He will bring the funds we need — we just have to be willing to surrender it to His will.

May God bless you as you consider your pledge to this project.

**Steering Committee:**

Pastor.....	Jeff Villegas
Campaign Directors.....	Tom Mills/George Mills
Ministry Emphasis Director.....	Howard Andrew
Secretaries.....	Charles Neu/Lamar and Mary Redmon
Prayer Emphasis Director.....	Bobby Carpenter
Promotions Director.....	Becky Carpenter
Banquet Director.....	Deanette Mills
Host/Hostess Directors.....	Robert Papuga/Kathy Burrows
Canvass Director.....	Elders
Advance Commitments Director.....	Debbie Chinn
Follow-Up.....	Pastor/1st Elder/Treasurer

Announcements or schedule changes?  
Please give them to Becky Carpenter no later than Thursday.  
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