



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

August 1, 2009

Song Service .....	9:00am
Prayer Circle.....	9:15am
Wake-up Call/Children's Time .....	9:30am
Children's Study Classes.....	9:45am
Adult Study Classes .....	10:00am
Worship Hour.....	10:55am
Buffet Luncheon .....	12:30pm

## *Order of Service*

Praise in Song .....	Praise Singers
Welcome.....	Bobby Carpenter
Announcements.....	Deanette Mills
Missions.....	
Offering.....	Wayne Joseph
Children's Story .....	Howard Andrew
Praise Time.....	Robert Papuga
Praise in Song .....	Praise Singers
Morning Prayer.....	Bobby Carpenter
Sermon.....	" <i>Salvation</i> " Bobby Carpenter

## *Upcoming Events*

July 25 .....	Evangelism Pillar Meeting
August 1 .....	Committed Discipleship Pillar Meeting
August 2 .....	Pool Party and Luau
August 21-22 .....	Abuse Workshop, Fletcher, NC
September 11-13 .....	Young Adult Retreat, Blue Ridge

*Thank you for coming to visit us today.*

Come back again soon!

# *Announcements*

*Announcements or schedule changes?  
No announcements can be accepted on Sabbath for that day. Please  
give them to Becky Carpenter no later than Thursday. Thanks!  
rmcarpenter@earthlink.net or 704-219-4660*

- **Buffet Lunch Today**—A special invitation is extended to our visitors to stay by after the service and enjoy this meal with us.
- **Committed Discipleship Pillar Meeting**—If you hold an office under the Committed Discipleship Healthy Church pillar, please plan to attend this meeting after buffet today.
- **Homecoming Celebration**—The Monroe Church 10th Anniversary will be celebrated on September 25, 2009. We are planning a "Homecoming" celebration for Friday evening vespers, Sabbath church services, buffet, Sabbath vespers and social. Please forward your comments and suggestions to Vivian (vtaylor14@comcast.net) and advise if you are willing to help plan this celebration. Volunteers needed and appreciated!!
- **Luau and Pool Party!**—Tomorrow is our luau and pool party on August 2 from 10am-1pm at the Drs. Mills home! The bulletin board has a sign-up sheet for food to bring. There will be fun games and prizes! See Debbie Chinn for more details.
- **Evangelism Web Site Cards**—Please remember to keep sharing discovertruthnow.com business cards to the community. If you run out of cards, you can pick up a fresh supply at the greeters' desk in the foyer.
- **Help Empower Abused Lives**—Education and healing on issues of domestic violence and sexual abuse. Open to the Community. When: August 21 & 22. Where: Lelia Patterson Center in Fletcher, NC. Registration fee: \$40. Includes two meals and bag lunch. Featured vocalist: Natasha Perez. To Register: call Women's Ministries at the Carolina Conference, 704.596.3200.
- **God Encounters Young Adult Retreat**—Experience the power of the Living God 24/7! Sponsored by the South Atlantic and Carolina Conferences. September 11-13 at the Blue Ridge Assembly in Black Mountain, NC. To register, visit [www.plusline.org/events](http://www.plusline.org/events).
- **"My Two Front Teeth"**—Don't forget to bring new, unwrapped toys worth \$25 or less in the bin in the Youth

building. If you have any questions, contact Denise Bustos or Nancy Bezant. Thank you!

- **Today's Offering**—The loose offering today goes to the local church budget.
- **Sunset Schedule**—  
Sabbath Ends:  
8:27 PM Aug. 1, 2009  
Sabbath Starts:  
8:20 PM Aug. 7, 2009

- **"Investing with God"**—Simply mark your tithe envelope "Investing with God Pledge" and indicate the amount.
- **Action: Church Edition**—Copies of the latest *Action: Church Edition* are available at the front entry desk. Be sure to pick one up!

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## *Next Week's Participants*

Michele	Buck	Bobby C	Tam	Melody
Alyssa	Charles	Karen	Tom F	Matthew
Bobby G	Paula	Tom M	Debbie	Wanda
Daniel	Deanette	Howard	Jenny	George M

*A copy of the church schedule and directory can be viewed on our website at [www.monroeadventist.org](http://www.monroeadventist.org). You must sign in as a member to access it. See Becki Sigmon or Becky Carpenter if you have questions.*

## *Prayer Corner*

Special Requests:  
Rose Johnson  
Ben Smith's father  
Julio Iglesias' father  
Those looking for work  
Rosie Andrew  
Claude and Gayle Ashley  
Kathy Burrows' father, Carl Lamar Redmon and Family

After the service each Sabbath, a church elder will be available in the pastor's study for anyone who would like to pray for a special need. **Today's elder is Bobby Carpenter.**

Special Prayer?—Be sure to fill out the prayer request form on the back and place it in the offering plate. The elders will add it to their daily prayers.

Know of a need?—If you know of someone in our church who is sick or has a need, please let one of our elders know.

Prayer Meeting— Please join us for prayer meeting, Tuesdays at 7pm.