

*Welcome to the*  
SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST  
Church of Monroe  
January 9, 2009

Song Service .....	9:00am
Prayer Circle .....	9:15am
Wake-up Call .....	9:30am
Children's Study Classes .....	9:30am
Adult Study Classes .....	10:00am
Worship Hour.....	11:00am
Buffet Luncheon .....	12:30pm

*Order of Service*

Praise in Song .....	Praise Singers
Welcome .....	Pastor Harry Robinson
Announcements .....	Becki Sigmon
Offering.....	Howard Andrew
Children's Story .....	Babette Crofford
Praise Time .....	Tom Mills
Scripture .....	Praise Singers
Praise in Song .....	Praise Singers
Morning Prayer .....	Pastor Harry Robinson
Sermon .... <i>The Book We Call the Bible</i> ...	Pastor Harry Robinson
Closing Song .....	<i>Give Me the Bible</i>

*Upcoming Events*

January 9.....	Communion
January 9.....	Church Business Meeting
January 30.....	G!@M Ministry Prep Series
February 6 .....	Scripture Memorization Seminar

*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.

**Secret Sisters**—If you would like to participate in Secret Sisters for the new year, please fill out a form. See Paula for details.

**Communion**—There will be a special Communion service this evening beginning at 5pm.

**Church Business Meeting** – Immediately following the Communion service this evening will be an important Church Business Meeting. Your input is needed as we make decisions and plans for the future.

**Chronological Bibles Available**—The Chronological Bibles are here! If you ordered one, you can pick it up at the front desk.

**Special Seminar on February 6** - Dr. Bob Banks, Ministerial Director for the Potomac Conference, will present a seminar on scripture memorization. At the morning service he will speak about the great importance of memorizing Bible verses, and in the afternoon he will present tips and techniques on ways to learn scripture.

**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.

**Girlfriends@Monroe**— Happy New Year, Girlfriends of Monroe! If you have not yet **completed a survey**, located at the display desk in the foyer, please do so TODAY! The G!@M Advisory Board will be launching a **ministry preparation series** for Girlfriends @ Monroe members on January 30 at 1:15PM to 3:30PM. Learn details of the vision of G!@M; identify your best service fit, what it will entail and how you can be most successful in it. Also figure out which interest group is best for you. Stay tuned for more specific information.

Meanwhile, fill out those surveys to assist in more effective planning for this ministry.

**G!@M will be launching a women's Bible Study**--Women in the Bible and Me, within the next few weeks. Please see the G! Growth Coordinators, Debbie and Karen for details.

**Today's Offering**—This week, the loose offering goes to Carolina Advance.

**Sunset Schedule**— Sabbath Ends: 5:28 PM Jan. 9, 2009.  
Sabbath Starts: 5:34 PM Jan.15, 2010

**Flowers and Gifts**--Please notify Paula Gregory when you know of an illness or a need.

**Church Budget Figures**

Needed Monthly.....	\$4490.00
Received in Dec.....	\$4307.59
Received 1/2/10.....	\$1590.68

**Prayer Meeting** ---Tuesday evening at 7:00 pm. Don't miss this mid-week spiritual refreshment!

*NEXT WEEK'S PARTICIPANTS*

Becki	Deanette	Alyssa	Robert
Justin M	Ben	Frances	Babette
Charles	Bobby C	Karen	Howard
Tam	Tom F	Debbie	Ashley
Natasha	Liz	Laura	Wanda

*PRAYER CORNER*

**Special Requests:**  
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 Howard Andrew.**  
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.

# Prayer Requests

“... Let your request be made known to God.” Philippians 4:5

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## Notes or Needs:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

To: \_\_\_\_\_

From: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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I am a:

\_\_\_\_\_ Visitor \_\_\_\_\_ Member

\_\_\_\_\_ I recently moved to the area

I would like information on:

\_\_\_\_\_ Bible Studies \_\_\_\_\_ Baptism

\_\_\_\_\_ Church ministries

\_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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# January Celebrations

## Birthdays:

January 4.....Ashley Horard

January 10..... Tony Duncan

January 11..... Vashti Brantley

January 14..... Lacy Gabor

January 15..... Nerva Valcin

January 16..... Julio Iglesias

January 16..... Noah Minsk

January 27..... Paula Gregory

January 29..... Howard Andrew

## Anniversaries:

January 1..... Wayne and Evonne Joseph

January 25..... Ike and Kathy Burrows

*(If your birthday/anniversary is not listed, see Becki Sigmon.)*

## Mission Statement

*“Through passionate, Spirit-led worship and dedicated ministries, preparing all people to become fully-devoted followers of Christ.”*

*“In All Things, Pointing to Him . . . “*

## Contact us!

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