Sabbath Worship Services

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Singing Praises Cheri Hoie

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SERMON NOTES

I. For Government
   The higher authority is God
   1. We ought to obey God rather than men. Acts 5:29

II. For the Church
   The higher authority is God’s Word.

III. For Marriage
   The higher authority is God and safety in the home.
   1. Submit as unto the Lord. Ephesians 5:22.
   2. Submit as it is fit in the Lord. Colossians 3:18.
   3. Staying in a difficult relationship may have eternal consequences. 1 Corinthians 7:13-16

IV. For God
   The higher authority is our choice.
   1. God allows evil. Isaiah 45:7. In order to have freedom of choice, two alternatives must exist. God lovingly allowed (or created the possibility of) created beings disagreeing with Him (choosing evil) so that they could truly have freedom of choice, develop accordingly, and intelligently serve Him. God did not cause Lucifer to sin (Ezekiel 28:15). Lucifer simply exercised his power of choice and chose to disagree with God. After the controversy is ended, the universe will be secure for all will have seen the results of disagreeing with God and will have intelligently chosen to serve Him.

V. For us individually
   The higher authority is God and His Word.
   1. Life without limits could lead to death. Proverbs 14:12.

Church Family Prayer List

Maxine Hauser—hip and back pain.
Laurie Heinrich—continuing heart issues.
Bill Shiffer—continued healing.
Sam Regehr—is in failing health.
Jere Patzer—completed treatments, going for stem cell transplant this month.
Cherie Mowery—recovery from surgery.
George, Joanna’s brother—spiritual, physical healing, job Paul Cochran—full time employment.
Bob Hauser—chemo therapy for cancer.
Cheri Hoie—complete healing.
Deborah Frame, Brandee’s sister—brain tumors.
Joyce Weiler—health concerns.
Shears—that they see their need of Jesus.

TODAY Sunset 8:56
Elder Calvin Smith
Deacon in Charge Mike Runyan
Greeters The Bischoff’s
Luncheon Hosts Youth & Children’s SS

NEXT WEEK Sunset 8:57
Sermon COMMUNION Pastor Shultz
Elder Jim Ball
Greeters The Badger’s
Offering Youth/ Education Fund
Luncheon Hosts

Budget/Building Budget in Blue * May Income in Green
WELCOME
Welcome to Worship! We are so glad you have chosen to worship with us. If you have any special needs or want to learn more about our church, we invite you to fill out the communication card in the back of the pew. You are invited to the All-Church Potluck in the Fellowship Hall following the church services. We look forward to having you worship with us again.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS BELIEVE:
As a people we hold the Bible in supreme regard as the revealer of God’s truth to guide us to salvation. Our love and devotion is rooted supremely in Christ who we worship as our Savior, Creator, Lord and King.

We believe that forgiveness, healing and eternal life are offered freely to all on the basis of what Jesus has already accomplished for us at the cross, and continues to do as He ministers on our behalf in the heavenly sanctuary above. God’s mercy and grace are infinite and are received by faith, to prepare a people for Jesus’ second coming.

The “New Covenant” provides not only forgiveness for sin, but also God’s promise to write His law on our hearts so that our greatest joy will be to do His will. His law includes also the fourth commandment Sabbath which invites us to spend a special time of fellowship with God on the seventh day.

We feel compelled as a people to share with a perishing world these messages of God’s love in the context of God’s final judgment-hour message in Revelation 14. Because of our devotion to Christ we joyfully look forward to His soon return in the clouds of heaven when we shall see our Savior face to face.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Today 2:30 p.m. Outreach Meeting
8:56 p.m. Sunset

Monday 7:00 p.m. Nominating Committee
Tuesday 8:30 a.m. Exercise Class — Fellowship Hall
Wednesday 9:00-9:30 a.m. Prayer Fellowship
7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting in the Fellowship Hall
Thursday 8:30 p.m. Exercise Class — Fellowship Hall
Friday 8:57 p.m. Sunset

TRANSFER IN: 2nd READING
Paul Coehran from Chico, CA

“. . .We must obey God rather than men!” Acts 5:29  NIV

Brookings
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