Today's Service

April 20, 2024

Prayer Time 9 – 9:25 a.m. in the sanctuary. Sabbath School 9:30 – 10:50 a.m.

Welcome and Opening Song Mission Spotlight

Prayer for the Teachers

Study Classes

(Children's Classes, Young Adult, Adult, New Life Experience)

Gathering to Worship 10:50 a.m.

Welcome Ministry Minute James Mchome

Worship Service

	11.00	
Praise & Worship	Maiteh and Giselle Zaldua	
lymn of Praise	"Can You Count the Stars"	#098
Children's Story		Irly Pierre-Victor
Offering Appeal	Local Church Budget	Arlan Gagnon
(Loose offering - Combined Budget, Other offerings – in envelopes)		

Luke 2:25-32

Testimony Time Scripture Reading

Congregational Prayer

Audra Bellman Nick Linton

Heavenly Father, to Thee we pray, on this holy Sabbath day; Through Thy Word Thy will make known;

May each heart become Thy throne, Let Thy living water flow That we Thy boundless love may know. Amen SDAH #677

Special MusicAutumn Lyons and Immaculate MchomeSermon"Dissonance in the Song"Drew MacKenzieClosing Hymn "Rise, My Soul, and Stretch Thy Wings"#630BenedictionJames Mchome

Enter to Worship. Depart to Serve. - Isaiah 6:1-8

Announcements

<u>The week at a glance</u>

Today:	Deaconess Training
	Pathfinder Movie Night Fundraiser, 7:30 p.m.
Sun:	Women's Ministry Meeting, 10 a.m.
Tues:	Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.
	Pathfinder Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
Sab:	Speaker - Pr. Jonathan Nino
	Communion

<u>There will be a deaconess training</u> for the April 27 Communion. This will be held on April 20. Starting after church service along with a potluck. Please mark your calendars for the date. Rice, beans, and drink will be provided. We would appreciate it if you could please bring fixings; lettuce, corn chips, tomatoes, black olives, cucumbers, guacamole, salsa, cheese, sour cream, etc.

<u>AY Vespers</u> – Every second Friday of the month at 7 p.m. in the church fellowship hall.

Sunset Tonight: 7:35 p.m.

<u>Anyone wishing to join the church email list</u> to receive important church communications and urgent prayer requests, please email Dale Spencer at <u>dalemspencer@gmail.com</u>.

<u>Pastor's Contact Information</u> – Pastor Jonathan Nino, 1 (860) 207-1168, <u>pastorjnino@gmail.com</u>.

<u>Head Elder's Contact Information</u> – Jim Dixson, 978-314-7013, jfdmensministry@gmail.com.

Prayer Family of the Week Johnrich Mbwambo **Bulletin Information:** Please send information to Olivia Howes at <u>ohowes0@gmail.com</u> by Wednesday evening. Thanks!

Prayer Ministries - Without unceasing prayer and diligent watching, we are in danger of growing careless and deviating from the right path. The adversary seeks continually to obstruct the way to the mercy- seat, that we may not by ernest supplication and faith obtain grace and power to resist temptation. (Review and Herald, December 8, 1904). Please join us for Prayer Meeting each Tuesday Night (a) 7:00.

ADVENTURERS needs additional staff to teach classes (ages 4-9 years old). Meetings are on Tuesday evenings 6:30pm to 8:00 pm.

Please join women's ministry for #2 in our "Fruits of the Spirit" series. Come and discover **JOY** in our daily walk as christians! April 21, 10 a.m. @ People's Place for brunch. Bring a favorite breakfast dish to pass!

<u>There is an available stove</u> downstairs in the fellowship hall. If anyone is interested in giving it a new home, please contact Jim Dixson at 978-314-7013.

<u>Please join us</u> for a Pathfinder Movie Night Fundraiser scheduled for this Sabbath Evening, April 20, 2024 with a sundown worship at 7:30 pm. The movie will be 'Rescued by Ruby'. Bring your own lawn chair. There will be a concession stand available.

Thatcher Harrison, Guitar in Concert: Saturday April 20, 2024 7:00 PM. College Church, 337 Main Street Lancaster, MA. International award winning guitarist, Thatcher Harrison returns to the concert series for the second year in a row. He will explore works by classic composers as well as newly composed works by himself. Thatcher is known for beautiful, layered playing, ranging from simple melodies to virtuosic solos. You won't want to miss this fantastic, free, concert! Reception to follow. <u>SLA is doing a Book Drive</u> until April 23 - Drop off your books to South Lancaster Academy Monday-Friday

<u>SLA is offering</u> a Group Class for Beginner Strings (violin, viola, cello and bass) April 4 - May 16 Cost - SLA students - \$60.00, Non-SLA students - \$90.00 Email Mrs. Flores at acadyflores@gmail.com to register.

<u>SLA is offering</u> a "Real Me" seminar for girls. April 13 - 2:00 pm Grades 4 & 5, April 27 - 2:00 pm Grades 6 & 7. RSVP to kmonteverde@mysla.org