



Announcement Sheet

May 13th, 2017

Sabbath Joy Begins Next Week — 8:06 p.m.

Bulletin

The deadline for all bulletin announcements will be Wednesday by 12:00 p.m. Please contact Nora Renzi for any requests at NoraRenzi@gmail.com or by calling (978) 401-6791. Thank You!

This Sabbath

- A prayer journal is located in the foyer for those that would like to request special prayer from their church family.
- Vespers will begin at 7:30 p.m.



Calendar Events

- The Men's Ministry invites ALL of the women of The Village Church, their friends and family to the 6th annual Mother's Day Brunch, tomorrow Sunday May 14th starting at 10:00 am in The Village Church Fellowship Hall. This is a time that the men of the church like to celebrate all of the women in our lives. Please fill out the invitation in the bulletin or call Jeff Drew at 978-597-5026.
- Mark your calendars and register your children for fun times at Camp Sunrise this summer! Join us for 1, 2 or all three weeks. Keep your campers (ages 5-12) engaged in a Christ centered day camp with worship, indoor and outdoor fun, swimming, and hands on learning.
July 10-14 The Thread of Weaving: field trip with hands on fun at Lowell National Historical Park
July 17-21 God's Wonders at the Seashore: field trip to explore tidal pools on the sandy and rocky shore of Parker River National Wildlife Refuge on Plum Island
July 24-28 Making Melodies: creating a drumming circle
Visit www.campsunrise.com for more information and to register.
- Keep your tweens and teens busy while having fun while learning job training, by having them apply and pay a minimum fee to be a CIT (counselor in training ages 13-18). They must apply to Mrs. Joyce Malin by May 26, 2017 (joycemalin55@gmail.com or Box 433, South Lancaster, MA 01561). Applications are available on the web site.
- The registration for the CHIP PROGRAM is open and will be closed on June 28. The price is \$399.00 You can register online at www.chiphhealth.com. When you are there, click on the locate chip tab. A box will be open. Type zip code 01523. Then click search. That will bring to the chapter. Click the view button will bring you on the schedule page. Click on the Enroll tab and put your info. After that first step sends your money order payable to Village SDA Church 75 Sawyer St, South Lancaster, MA. Write chip in the memo section. You have the option to pay the full amount up front or to give a deposit* of \$100. The remaining is due before closing date so you can have your material on time. If you cannot register online fill out the form below and email it back to me. But still, send the fees to the address above.
*When you make the deposit you can go to your doctor and health insurance provider to see if the cost can be covered by them. If yes bring the ok with you; if no, you are responsible for the remaining balance payable before June 28. If your job covers the cost it is awesome. See the attached flyers.
PS. We only accept money order. More info contact: [9783220578](tel:9783220578) or email: marieka61@yahoo.com

Weekly Events

- Pathfinders Meet every Saturday night from 5:00-8:00 pm.
- Prayer Meeting – We invite you to a special time of prayer each Wednesday evening, at 7:00 p.m. If you have concern and would like your church family to pray for you, would like to strengthen your prayer life, or become a prayer warrior for others please join us. “Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you.” Jeremiah 29:12

■ **Bread of Life -Village Food Pantry:** Bread of Life serves the community distributing food each week. This week they will be open on Thursday 4:30 p.m. Volunteers are needed in various areas. If you have an interest in helping or have any questions please Carl Bruso, Sr., 978-365-5414; Sandra Mendes, 508-304-4324, or Humberto Montoya 617-272-0520. *Please help us with can goods. We really could use them to distribute them to our food pantry participants.*

■ **Village Services Televised** - Our services are televised on the local channel. **Clinton:** Friday 7:30 p.m., Saturday & Sunday 9:30 a.m. **Lancaster & Sterling:** Saturday 8:00 a.m., Friday 2:00 p.m.

■ **The French/Haitian Creole Sabbath School Class** will function every Sabbath at the E.G White library and it is open to everyone who speaks the language or wants to learn it, follow direction from the entrance from the parking lot.

General Announcements.

■ **South Lancaster Academy is now accepting applications for the following positions for the 2017-18 school year:**

- Contract Development Director
- Contract Athletic Director

To read the job descriptions for these positions, go to www.sla-browning.org/careers.

Please submit inquiries and resumes to principal@mysla.org.

■ **Youth Sabbath School Volunteers:** looking for 1-2 volunteers to help with Sabbath School for 1-2 times a month. Please contact Jethro Jean-Baptiste for more information

■ **Young Adult Small Group Bible Study:** looking for 8-10 committed Young Adults (Between to Ages of 18-35) to be part of a 12 Week Bible Study Program. Please contact Jethro Jean-Baptiste for more information.

■ **Remember Embracing Ani O'Connor,** there are still commitment cards and special offering envelopes in the lobby, join us as we commit to helping Ani and her family.

■ **If you generously gave food to the O'Connor family and have not yet picked up your container, please go get your container from the kitchen and take it home with you. Thank You!!**

■ **All public announcements** from the front of the Church during Ministry Matters *must be pre-approved* by the Head Elder. *Last minute* announcements from the front of the Church will no longer be accepted on Sabbath morning. Please call Mike Brown at: 1-(978) 906-3524.
