

Church Life

WELCOME FRIENDS – We welcome you heartily in the name of Jesus Christ, the Good Shepherd! We are one flock of his worldwide fold. We try to heed his voice. We are thankful that He knows each of us by name. He is the Good Shepherd. He gave His life for His sheep—for you and me. Visitors, if you are searching for a church home, please consider Burnt Mills Church. We would be happy to have you.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Today	Choir Practice – following church service Vespers 5:00 followed by Dinner in Cruze Fellowship Hall
Tuesday	Youth Choir Practice 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
Friday	Vespers, 7:30 p.m. followed by Choir Practice

MINISTRY TEAM If you have a need or concern, please contact the pastor, or this week's elder in charge Joseph Pakkianathan (301-595-4082). Next week's elder in charge will be Richard Rajarathinam.

FLOWERS for the sanctuary today are given in honor of the birthday of Alyssa Nathaniel.

THE BEAUTIFUL POINSETTIA on the platform is provided by Joice Wu in memory of her daughter, Kathy Facemire, who was a loving member of this church for many years.

PRAY FOR EACH OTHER

The following people have birthdays this week. Please keep them in your prayers that the Lord will continue to guide them in the coming year and that they will be a witness to others of His love and mercy.

December 9 Mario Marquez, Andrew James
December 11 Clara Jagdale, Caleb Salazar
December 12 Eric Dundon, Sheila Pandit, Rohan Panickar
December 13 Antoinette Cockshott, Steve Rupert
December 14 Mark Ehrlich

1st Reading for the transfer out of Jeff and Meena Dayak to Olney Seventh-day Adventist Church.

A **FELLOWSHIP DINNER** will be held following the services. Visitors, please plan to join us so that we may get better acquainted.

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FOLLOWING FELLOWSHIP DINNER at 2:00 p.m. we will have Total Health Seminar #2 in the sanctuary featuring Dr. Richard Ruhling. See insert for more information.

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE AND CHURCH BOARD will meet this Tuesday at 6:15 and 7:00 p.m. respectively.

BURNT MILLS CHURCH CHRISTMAS PARTY December 16 beginning at 6:00 p.m. See insert for more information.

INDIA PROJECT FUND RAISING EVENT this evening, December 9. There will be a vespers program beginning at 5:00 p.m. followed by a dinner in Cruze Fellowship Hall. This will be an enjoyable evening as we support the needs of our India Project. See insert.

REMEMBER our sermons each Sabbath are available on a CD. Complete the form in the pew and pick them up the following Sabbath.

HOPE FOR HUMANITY (The new face of Ingathering) In partnership with local organizations and churches, Hope for Humanity projects a demonstration of God's love through Christ-centered compassionate ministries. 100 percent of donated money is directed to this program

ADVENTIST COMMUNITY SERVICE OF GREATER WASHINGTON When people are at the end of their rope, they turn to Adventist Community Services of Greater Washington because ACSGW center helps people. For those currently facing poverty, and the difficult situations that poverty presents, we can help!

THE BETHLEHEM NATIVITY DRAMA directed by Francisco deAraujo will be presented December 16 through 24 at 7:30 p.m. at the Takoma Park SDA Church. Free admission. See bulletin board.

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS If you would like to help make our church beautiful with flowers for the Christmas Season, see insert.

THIS WEEK'S DEACONS: C. Anbiah, E. Dundon, J. Israel, G. James, B. Massey, M. Oh, S. Watkins, P. Wilson.

NEXT WEEK'S DEACONS: J. Cordray, M. Panickar, T. Miller, J. Roe, K. Roe, R. Shaiza, P. Shyam..

BURNT MILLS WEBSITE: <http://www.tagnet.org/burntmillssda/>

SUNSET TODAY: 4:46 p.m. **NEXT WEEK:** 4:47 p.m.



A house of prayer for all people

“God’s Guiding Gift of Prophecy”

December 9, 2006

Pastor
Wallace Frost

Be joyful always; pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.
1 Thess. 5:16-18 (NIV)

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About Us

The Burnt Mills Seventh-day Adventist Church is dedicated to sharing God's love with all those who walk in through our doors and to those who live around us. As you spend time today in this house of prayer, we encourage you to "Be joyful always; pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus" (1 Thessalonians 5:16-18, NIV).

Burnt Mills is part of the worldwide Seventh-day Adventist Church which is dedicated to spreading the good news of Jesus and His love and His soon second coming. As a family-friendly, multi-cultural church, it is a place for everyone to study the Scriptures, and understand God's promises and His will for us. Burnt Mills provides opportunities for all to unite in worship and fellowship. We have ministries and activities to meet the needs of people of all ages and backgrounds. We invite you to return often to this "house of prayer for all people" and become a member of our church family.

Sabbath School

9:30 a.m.

Main Floor Sanctuary: James Morgan/Jude Edwards
 Pastor's Study: Pastor Frost

Lower Level Room 3: Nathan Purushothaman/Chapman Reeves
 Room 14: Paul Paulraj
 Youth Chapel: David Oh

Lesson Study: 9:30-10:25 a.m.
 Song Service: 10:30 a.m.

David Oh
 Karen Couto
 Joseph Pakkianathan

Special Feature Primary Division

13th Sabbath Offering East Central Africa Division

We request your consideration and cooperation by turning off all cell phones during the worship service.

Sabbath Worship

10:55 a.m.

PREPARATION

Organ Prelude	Junamae Wegner
Preparation for Worship	<i>Stand in Silent Prayer</i>
Introit	<i>See Side Panel</i>
Call to Worship	Pastor Frost
*Opening Hymn	No. 248
	<i>"O, How I Love Jesus"</i>

THANKSGIVING

Tithes/Offerings	Pauline Brown
	<i>Inner City Ministries</i>
	<i>(All loose offering will go to the church budget)</i>
Offering Response	<i>See Side Panel</i>
Children's Offering	Pauline Brown
Children's Special Music	
Children's Story	Pastor Frost

PRAYER & PRAISE

Special Music	Burnt Mills Church Choir
Prelude to Prayer	<i>See Side Panel</i>
Pastoral Prayer	Joseph Pakkianathan

PROCLAMATION

Written Word	Mark Ehrlich
	<i>2 Chronicles 20:20</i>
Spoken Word	Pastor Frost
	<i>"God's Guiding Gift to Prophecy"</i>

RESPONSE

Hymn of Dedication	No. 265
	<i>"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"</i>
Benediction	Pastor Frost
Benediction Response	<i>See Side Panel</i>
	*Waiting worshipers may enter
	Chorister: David Oh

Responses

TREAD SOFTLY

Be silent, be silent, A whisper is heard;
 Be silent, and listen, Oh, treasure each word.
 Tread softly, tread softly, The Master is here;
 Tread softly, tread softly, He bids us draw near.

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DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
 Praise Him all creatures here below,
 Praise Him above ye heavenly host;
 Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
 Amen.

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ALMIGHTY FATHER

Almighty Father, hear our prayer,
 And bless all souls that wait before Thee.
 Amen.

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GRACE, LOVE AND FELLOWSHIP

(Based on 2 Corinthians 13:14)

May the grace of Christ, our Savior,
 And the love of God, our Father,
 And the fellowship of the Spirit be with us.
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 And the love of God, our Father,
 And the fellowship of the Spirit be with us.
 Forever, and ever, forevermore, Amen.

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