



Stoneham Memorial Seventh-day Adventist Church

29 Maple St. Stoneham, MA 02180

Our Motto: To live and share the truth about God and His Kingdom.

*On the night Christ was born
Just before break of morn
As the stars in the sky were fading
O'er the place where He lay
Fell a shadow cold and gray
Of a cross that would humble a King*

*Born to die upon Calv'ry
Jesus suffered my sin to forgive
Born to die upon Calv'ry
He was wounded that I might live*

Our Mission Statement: We are committed to sharing the truth about God with the world. Believing that everything we do changes the world, we commit to demonstrate God's love and truth to each person He brings into our lives. Through His power and guidance we will choose to act with compassion, creativity and cooperation.

Sunset today 4:12pm

December 3, 2022

Sunset Next Friday 4:12pm

Welcome To

Stoneham Memorial Church

Organ Music Today

Prelude: Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750) - 'Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland' BWV 659

Postlude: Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750) - Fugue in C Major BWV 547

The collection of '18 Leipziger Choräle' includes two 'trilogies' one of which is on the Advent hymn 'Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland' ('Savior of the Nations, Come'). This music it is all about Jesus, who has three roles in the catechism: sanctifier, redeemer and protector. Maybe Bach meant the first role here. The music is full of mystical expectation and before the end, the world's amazement is reinforced by a harmonic pause and an abrupt deceleration of the bass – as though everyone holding their breath – awaiting the birth of Jesus.

In the Fugue in C Major Bach uses a similar method: just when the end appears to be in sight, he makes your heart jump as the pedal suddenly and unexpectedly enters. The fugue theme is now heard in a tempo that is twice as slow. In the Fugue, too, there is a short chromatic 'faltering' near the end, after which the pedal comes to rest on the home base with a throbbing low C, while the rest of the parts run the final stretch.

Church at Study 9:20AM. Adult Sabbath School Joint Sabbath School Today

Sabbath School Leader – Elvert & Libby Bodden

Today's Lesson – ***The Fires of Hell***

You can access the Sabbath School Lesson for FREE at absg.adventist.org

There is also a FREE - SS app for your iPad in the App Store.

Useful Phone Numbers & Email Addresses

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Church Finances as of Nov. 30, 2022

Budget Donations Nov.	\$13,298.50
Budget / mth	\$16,000.00
Budget +/- for mth	(\$2,701.50)
YTD Budget Donations	\$154,711.99
YTD Budget +/-	(\$21,288.01)
Revolving Fund Loan:	(\$34,833.62)
Ex Prin/Oct.	\$3,555.00
GBA Reserve Fund TD:	\$47,058.66

Church Attendance for November 26, 2022, was 120.

Church at Worship

11:00AM

Jesus died that YOU might live!

Prelude: Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750) - 'Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland' BWV 659)

Welcome	John Valentin
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Worship in Singing	Susan Andrews
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Hymn	#137, "We Three Kings"	Congregation
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Children's Story	Brad Tait
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Worship in Giving	<i>Our Church Budget</i> All Loose Offerings go to Church Budget	Fred Christiansen
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Scripture	<i>Hebrews 2:14-18</i>	Earle Andrews
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Pastoral Prayer	Kalon Ho
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Special Music	Llewelyn / Madden Group
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Sermon	<i>"Born To Die"</i>	Bertrand Pryce
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Hymn	#140, "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne"	Congregation
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Benediction	Bertrand Pryce
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TODAY

Organist: Cris Coconcea
Deacon Team Leader: Brad Tait
Greeters: Sofia Eyassu & Cynthia Bradley
Worship Coordinator: Andrews Group

NEXT WEEK

Organist: Ted Wilson
Deacon Team Leader: Deborah Donnelly
Greeters: TBD
Worship Coordinator: Barren Group

Announcements

December 3, 2022

Recent Passings – Church member Inge Hunzelman passed away early in November and former Edgewood Elementary teacher, Sue Meikle passed away on November 30, 2022. SACS volunteer, Tony Zaccardo's father passed away Thanksgiving Day. Please remember the families of these dear friends as they mourn their loss.

TODAY

Speaker – Bertrand Pryce

Fellowship Lunch

Pathfinder Fundraiser – Game night at GBA – there will be food for sale, 5:30pm.

Tomorrow Morning – 9:30 am. Help Needed at our Community Service Building to rake leaves. Bring a rake and a grateful spirit and thankful heart.

Speaker Next Sabbath – John Valentin

UPCOMING:

Dec. 5 – “All About Jesus Seminar” 7pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Dec. 6 – Board Meeting 6:30pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Dec. 9 - Vespers 7pm

Dec. 10 – GBA Christmas Concert, 4pm

Dec. 11 – Women's Ministry 9am in the Fellowship Hall.

SMC Adventurers Club – Seraphin Mafouana needs help with the Adventurers Club. If you can help, please contact Seraphin or the church office.

Stoneham Adventist Community Service - A BIG thank you for your generous support with our gift cards at the pantry during our Thanksgiving distribution. There was enough for all - we are grateful! This Thanksgiving we were able to serve 221 families. 100 volunteers shared 279 hours of their time to help our community! THANK YOU again for helping to make a difference in our community - May God be praised!

GYC – This year GYC is being held in Phoenix, AZ, Dec. 28 – Jan. 1. Please start making your plans to attend now! Check with Glaucia Barren and Odeli Zarate for more details.

Video Equipment Upgrade – Please mark your tithe envelope "Audio Visual Project" or select Audio Visual in AdventistGiving.

Box Tops for Education - You can do Box Tops for EDUCATION with your smart phone. Just scan your grocery receipt and your school of choice gets the credit. Get the app – BTFE. For this app, our school is known as “Edgewood Seventh-day Adventist.”

Online Giving www.stonehammemorialchurch.org

Wednesday noon is the bulletin deadline. Please email bulletin information to the office at: stonehammemorial@verizon.net.