

SERVICE OUTLINE FOR SABBATH 5TH JANUARY 2019

MORNING PRAYER SESSION 9:45 - 10:00

Bible Study Hour: 10:00 am

Bible Study Guide FIRST Quarter 2019: "The Gospel From Patmos".

Welcome Remarks	John Walton
Opening Hymn	1 "Praise to the Lord"
Prayer	Eld. Johnny Addai-Peprah
Opening Remarks	John Walton
Lesson Study	Pr. Neil Robertson & Eld. Tarzan Bhebhe
Musical Item	Fountainview SDA Academy
Mission Item/Offering	Leilla Mitchell
Closing song	522 "My Hope is Built on Nothing Less"
Benediction	John Walton

DIVINE SERVICE 11:15

Welcome & Announcements	Eld. Tarzan Bhebhe
Opening Hymn	312 - "Near The Cross"
Opening Prayer	Pr. J. Botha
Scripture Text	Micah 5:2
Tithes & Offering	Abbie Tetty-Addo
Children's Story	Professor Noodlebrain
Second Hymn	329 - "Take the World but Give Me Jesus"
Sermon	"Family Time" - Pr. J. Botha
Closing Hymn	341 - "To God be the Glory"
Benediction	Pr. J. Botha

AFTERNOON SESSION

PRAYER MINISTRIES

"The praying church is a powerful and growing church".

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WEEKLY THOUGHT

Happy New Year

I found this interesting message from Mrs. E.G. White to the youth of the church written at New Year in 1881. The story she quotes challenges both young and old to think and plan carefully for the year ahead.

Another year now opens its fair unwritten pages before you. The recording angel stands ready to write. Your course of action will determine what shall be traced by him. You may make your future life good or evil; and this will determine for you whether the year upon which you have just entered will be to you a Happy New Year. It is in your power to make it such for yourself and for those around you.

I once read of an "old man who stood upon the border of the closing year, and looked forth from his window upon the blue heavens bright with stars, and upon the cold earth white with snow, and he thought no heart could be so hopeless and joyless as his. He saw the open grave before him, and behind him the sins and sorrows of a wasted life. He had followed the path of his own choosing for happiness, and he found it not. He was wasted in body, and his soul was filled with remorse.

"The days of his youth came back to his memory like reproachful spectres, and he saw himself again at the point where two paths met, the one leading to the heavenly home of peace, and the other leading to darkness and despair. He saw, he felt, the fearful mistake he had made in choosing the dark path, and following the leading of Satan, when angels of God were waiting and anxious to show him the path of light. Life to him was a failure. Distracted with grief and disappointment, he cried in agony, 'O my Father, give me back the days of my youth! Let me stand once more at the dividing ways, that I may choose the path of light.' But there was no Father's voice to answer, and the days of youth would not come back at his call. He thought of the companions of his youth who had chosen the better path, and he wished that he had gone with them. He wished that he had died in his infancy rather than to have lived a wasted life as he had done. With bitter remorse and blinding tears, he bowed his head and cried again, 'Oh that the days of my youth would come back! oh for a touch from the guiding angel's hand that once was put forth to lead me in the path of peace and holiness.'

"And his youth did come back; for all that he had seen and said and felt was only the prophetic dream of one who was still young in years, yet had been rapidly growing old in sin. In an hour of sadness and weariness with the world, he had seen, by anticipation, the remorse and disappointment to which he was hastening in his wanderings from God; and he awoke with joy to find that there was yet time for him to choose the path of peace, of happiness, and of Heaven." (Youth's Instructor, 5 Jan. 1881)

I pray that you may make the right choices at the beginning of this year so that you will have no regrets at its end.

Pastor Neil Robertson

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME: We are delighted to welcome you to Dundee Seventh-day Adventist Church; especially if this is your first visit. May our time together be blessed! We extend a warm invitation to all to join us for a bring-and-share meal immediately after the service.

PRAYER: Every Wednesday from 6:00 pm at Church. You are welcome to the Testimonies and Prayers Sessions, invite friends and families.

BAPTISMAL CLASS: All willing to be baptized please join the baptismal Sabbath School Classes in the large Children's Room every Sabbath.

TITHE, OFFERINGS & OTHER PAYMENTS: Sort Code: 83-25-25, Account No: 00172727 and email n.robertson@onetel.net.

FUNERAL SERVICE FOR CHARLES ROYLE. (Derek Royle's father), Wednesday, 9 January at 12 pm at Dundee Seventh-day Adventist Church followed by the burial at the Barnhill cemetery at 1 pm. We think of the Royle family during this difficult time. Please attend this service if possible.

EVANGELISM, Interdepartmental Collaboration Meeting, 12 January by Edr. Brenya Obeng and Br Lloyd Makonese then follow up meeting on 2 February, with Pastor Botha.

BUSINESS MEETING: 9 February 3.30 pm. Please communicate agenda items with Pastor Botha before 2 February. Only 3 items will be carried on agenda.

THANK YOU: Grateful thanks to all those who served the Lord faithfully in the past year in many positions in the church.

ALSO: A big thank-you to those who contributed to the Member Care Fund and to those who brought, and continue to bring, food for the Dundee Food Bank.

CHILDREN SAFETY/CARE: In Dundee, our intention is for everyone to enjoy their worship experience. We therefore requested that all parents should always know where their children are, and are responsible for their children's whereabouts on church premises. Thank you for understanding.

BULLETIN ITEMS: Send by Wednesday 7pm to immoyo@hotmail.com or WhatsApp 07951034434.

Forthcoming Preachers

12/01 - Dr. G. Aori
18/01 - Pr. J. Botha
26/01 - Pr. N. Robertson
20/02 - Pr. J. Botha

Forthcoming Events

12/01 - Health Ministries Day
19/01 - Religious Liberty Day
19/01 - Communion Service
26/01 - Ten Days of Prayer
02/02 - Media Workshop



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Guided by God's sufficient **grace**
Relying on God's free gift of **grace**
Acclaiming God's abundant **grace**
Calling all to live by God's merciful **grace**
Enlightened by the sure word of God's **grace**

SUNSET TIMES

Friday 04 Jan -15:52
Sabbath 05 Jan -15:53
Friday 11 Jan - 16:02
Sabbath 12 Jan - 16:04

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