

Captain Gilmer Christian School invites you to our annual Spring Program at the Arden Adventist Church Community Life Center on **Thursday, May 2, 7pm**. Come receive a blessing, and support our young people.

God's Closet Shop Day at the Mills River Adventist Church will be held on **Sunday, May 5, 1-4pm**. We collect and distribute children's clothing. Donate. Volunteer. Shop. Questions? Visit our website: www.godscloset.com or call Marlene at 712-2090.

Sacred Concert at the Fletcher Church on **Friday, May 10, 7:15pm**. Contact the Fletcher Church for more details.

Southern Adventist University is hosting 12 camps for high school students **June 17-19**. Topics include: automotive repair, business entrepreneurship, computing (app development), creative writing, film making, journalism, outdoor adventure leadership, photography, pre-med, psychology, social work/missions, and vegetarian culinary arts. Total expenses for all three days combined are \$150 for day students or \$200 for overnight students. To assist parents, free transportation assistance from Asheville to camp and back is available. To learn more, visit southern.edu/camps or call (423) 236-2781.

2019 Great Controversy Tour (June 21 - July 4, 2019) with Dr. Gerard Damsteegt, specialist in church history and development of prophetic interpretation. See the prophecies of Daniel and Revelation come alive. Visit Rome and the Reformation sites in the Waldensian Valleys, Switzerland, France, and Germany. These tours give you a new vision how to inspire church members for Jesus' coming and future challenges. A most exciting experience! Call 269-815-8624, or email GCTours@mac.com.

Sunset April 20 – 8:02 Sunset April 27 – 8:13

Arden Church Ministry Personnel:

Lead Pastor– Eric Bates – 828-585-7313

Associate Pastor– David Cook – 828-435-1636

CGCS Principal – Wanda Lee – 828-684-8221

Presiding Elder – Gary McKinney – 828-243-2557

Deacon for the month – Richard Hodges – 828-388-0982

Deaconess for the month – Pam Livingston – 828-691-7970

The pastor on call this weekend is Pastor Eric Bates. If you need pastoral assistance, please call him at 828-585-7313.

Church Address: 35 Airport Road • Arden, NC 28704

Email: office@ardenadventist.org Website: www.ardenadventist.com

Office Telephone: 828-684-6700

Bulletin Deadline: Wednesday noon

Mission Statement: The mission of the Arden Seventh-day Adventist Church is, by God's grace, to reflect His character in our community, to provide a safe place to grow spiritually, and to present the Bible in a manner that will lead people into a richer, more joyous relationship with Christ and His church.



April 20, 2019

10:50 am Worship Service

Prelude		John-Thomas Chavez
Song of Greeting	Come, People of the Risen King	Praise booklet, p 52
Church Life		Pastor Eric
Invocation		Pastor Eric
Children's Story		Bruce Herbert
Worship in Giving	Church Budget	Donna Jarrett
Offertory	The Lord's Prayer	
Worship in Music	How Deep is the Father's Love for Us	Jon Fritz
Call to Prayer		Arthur Gibbs
Call to Prayer Song	Open Our Eyes, Lord	Praise booklet, p 11
Worship in Prayer		Arthur Gibbs
Worship in Word	Isaiah 53:5	Angel Peña
Drama	Women Who Met Jesus	
Sermon	Four Women and a Savior	Pastor Eric
Worship in Music	Forever	Carisa Belanger
Benediction		Pastor Eric
Postlude		John-Thomas Chavez

Piano: Ellie Fritz Keyboard & Organ: John-Thomas Chavez
Song Leader: Jon Fritz

Praises and prayer requests may be noted on the white cards in each pew and turned in at the time of the morning prayer.

Quiet Bags are available for children ages 3-10 to use during the worship service. Please inquire in the church lobby, and return the bags after use.

The altar flowers today are in celebration of Abrielle Belanger's 2nd birthday.

Today, April 20

You are invited to a prayer session for our youth in the West Wing classroom following the second worship service.

If you are visiting our church today, we have good food and warm fellowship following the second worship service in our Community Life Center. Please join us, we would love to get to know you better.

Sunday, April 21

Easter! We serve a risen Savior, He's in our world today.

Intercessory Prayer Group, all are welcome at **2pm**.

Tuesday, April 23

Finance Committee meeting in the seminar room at **6pm**.

Church Board meeting in the seminar room at **7pm**.

Wednesday, April 24

Adventurer & Pathfinder Investiture at **6pm**.

Friday, April 26

Cindy Mercer prayer ministries "It Happened Because of Prayer" in the church at **7pm**.

Sabbath, April 27

Please join us next **Sabbath, 9:30-10:35am** for small group bible study. There are Sabbath School classes for all ages. For more information about the classroom locations and topics, please see one of our greeters in the church lobby.

General Fellowship lunch will be hosted by the Betchley & Truckenbrodt group in our Community Life Center. If you would like to join them, please bring your favorite potluck food to share with members and guests. Families of two or more, please bring at least two items to share.

Cindy Mercer afternoon seminar on "Prayer that Works" in the seminar room at **2pm**.

Prayer Ministries Event- There is a prayer ministries weekend planned for **April 26 & 27** at the Arden Church with Cindy Mercer who has worked extensively with Prayer and Women's Ministries. You will be inspired, challenged, and blessed as Cindy presents a series of messages that will increase your faith, journey through forgiveness, and emphasize the powerful demonstration of God's restorative power. The **Friday night** presentation will be "It Happened Because of Prayer" at **7**, **Sabbath morning**: "7 Fold Promise of God", and **Sabbath afternoon at 2pm** will be on "Prayer that Works".

Men's Ministries looking for volunteers for trash pick up and Work Bee on **Sunday, April 28**. Trash pick up along Airport road at **9am**, need adult volunteers. Afternoon work bee all ages to help with clean up, pruning and mulching at **1:45pm** after the Sunday church service. Gloves and reachers provided for trash pick up. Bring work gloves and garden tools for pruning, raking and spreading mulch.

Graduation Potluck - We will be recognizing our graduates this year at potluck on **May 4**. Please plan to stay and congratulate them. We are proud of their accomplishments and wish them blessings for the future. We will have a special cake for them, and they will have displays set up. If you have a graduate (Pre-K - College), please let the office know right away so that we can honor them properly. For questions about the graduation potluck, please contact Carrie Chavez.

Medical personnel - We would like to meet with anyone working in the medical field **after potluck on May 4th** in the seminar room. We would like to brainstorm what we should do for health outreach in our community and church. Questions call DeWayne 777-7774.

Ladies' Night Out is Tuesday, May 7 at Acropolis on 140 Airport Rd. in Arden. Meet at **6pm** for a fun time with friends and a meal you don't have to cook!

FLAG Camp - The Arden Seventh-day Adventist Church will be conducting its Annual 16th Christian Summer Day FLAG (Fun Learning About God) Camp program for kids ages 5-12 starting **June 17 through August 2, Monday-Friday: 8:30am-4:30pm**. Open House will be on Wednesday, June 12, 6:00-8:00pm. FLAG Camp provides kids a safe, fun-filled, educational summer day camp experience. Fees are competitive and are charged by the day. Pre-Care and After Care services are available. Register now by calling 828-585-4112 or 828-684-6700. Registration forms and further information are also available online at www.ardenadventist.org.

Farewell Party for the Collins Family - July 13 in the evening. Mark your calendars and save the date so you can attend this special time, as this will be the evening before they move. More details later!

Grace Notes Mailing Ministry is in need of several more people to help monthly with preparing Grace Notes for mailing. Meet in the morning on the last Wednesday of each month for about three hours. Work consists of hand folding final fold, tabbing and labeling for the post office. Put your talents to work for God while enjoying fellowship with other church members. Contact Gailon (989-2119 text or phone) or Shirley (685-9275).

Bags of love is in need of puzzles for kids 14-18yrs old (new only), medium size stuffed animals (new or like new), teen devotional books and bibles (new or like new condition).

Prayer Ministry - If you have something that you would like your church family to be praying about, please use our email hotline, ardenprayers@gmail.com.

Requests for Sharing at Arden should go to ardensharing@gmail.com.

You can sponsor flowers in the sanctuary for Sabbath morning. You may want to celebrate a special day or the memory of a special occasion. Just place your name on the sanctuary flowers calendar, in the foyer on the bulletin board, to reserve your special date. You can also make arrangements by contacting the church office at 828-684-6700 or send an e-mail to office@ardenadventist.org. At the end of the second service you may take the flowers home. Please call the church office with your dedication to be printed in the bulletin.

Membership transfer in, second reading; Matthew Gandy from Vancouver Community SDA Church in Vancouver, WA to Arden.