

# RESTORATION PRAISE CENTER

## SABBATH SCHOOL IN THE ROUND July 31, 2010

*Just choose your seat and sit down at 9:30 am each Sabbath.*

Within each round is a RPC Small Group Family welcoming visitors and members to participate in the dynamics of the Sabbath School experience which emphasizes:

- Nurture
- Prayer
- Outreach
- Bible Study
- Fellowship
- Reclamation

*Medical Personnel On Staff* – Marcia Oliver

*BUILDING FUND as of July 24* .....\$84,096.01

*PLEASE ALLOW THE USHERS TO FACILITATE SEATING AND DISMISSAL*  
Please show reverence and limit moving about within the sanctuary.



*SUNSET – TODAY*  
Sabbath 07/31/10 – 8:20 pm

*SUNSET – NEXT WEEK*  
Friday 08/06/10 – 08:13 pm

## Order of Service

<i>Call to Worship</i> .....	Summer Sinclair
<i>Invocation</i> .....	Summer Sinclair
<i>Opening Song</i> .....	Praise Team & Congregation "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus"
<i>Praise &amp; Worship</i> .....	Praise Team & Congregation
<i>Welcome</i> .....	The Gibbons Family "Praise the Lord with Me"
<i>Altar of Prayer</i> .....	Elder Derrick McCollum "There is a Name"
<i>Response</i> .....	Praise Team & Congregation
<i>Special Music</i> .....	Marietta James
<i>Testimonies</i> .....	
<i>A Celebration of Praise</i> .....	Praise Team & Congregation
<i>Testimonies</i> .....	
<i>Baby Blessing</i> .....	Baby Prentice
<i>Special Music</i> .....	Dr. Nicole Flynn
<i>Testimonies</i> .....	
<i>A Celebration of Praise</i> .....	Praise Team & Congregation
<i>Testimonies</i> .....	
<i>Appeal</i> .....	Pastor Kelvin Mitchell
<i>Offering</i> .....	Barbara Laws "Glorified"
<i>Response</i> .....	Praise Team & Congregation "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"
<i>Benediction</i> .....	Pastor Kelvin Mitchell
<i>Processional</i> .....	Praise Team



## Announcements for July 31, 2010

1. **Reminder: PUSH Wednesdays** (Pray Until Something Happens) *Ezra 8:23 So we fasted and besought our God for this, and he was intreated of us...*The Pastoral and Leadership Teams invite you, our church family, to join with us in weekly fasting and praying for God's will as we search for a new church home. Wednesdays have been set aside as a day to earnestly lift our prayers and fast in whatever manner God has called you to as we as a corporate body of believers PUSH: Pray Until Something Happens.
2. **First (1st) Friday**- Metro Area Adventist Young Adults (MAAYA) invites you to join them for "First Fridays" as they present "The Young & the Restless: Maintaining Healthy Relationships in the 21st Century." Come out to hear the insight, wisdom and advice of Dr. Willie and Elaine Oliver, directors of Family Ministries North American Division. This is definitely an evening you won't want to miss. First Friday will be held on Friday August 6, 2010 at 7:30 pm at Emmanuel Brinklow SDA Church located at 18800 New Hampshire Avenue Ashton, MD 20861. Bring a friend or two or three and be blessed! For more information, please contact Pastor Moses Eli at (856) 362-1227 or Trevor Fraser at (301) 880-0946. See you there!
3. **Attention all Couples:** Heart2Heart – The next couples ministry meeting will be next Sabbath – August 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. There will be a panel discussion on the topic "Technology and Relationships". You won't want to miss this one!
4. **Children's Story:** RPC is in search of volunteers for the Children's Story. Participants must be 12 years and older and love story-telling. If you are interested, please contact Giselle Jones, Interim Children's Story Coordinator, at 301-675-6094 or via e-mail at [giselle.n.jones@gmail.com](mailto:giselle.n.jones@gmail.com) for more information.
5. **RPC 21-Day Challenge:** On June 26, 2010; Pastor Paul Graham preached about how it takes 21 consecutive days to make a beneficial habit and to break an abominable one. The challenge started on July 18th and we're already 14 days in!

Are you apart of the RPC 21 Challenge? We want you to share your testimonies and experiences with us. View the web page to testify, inspire or ask a question. And follow [@rpc21days](https://twitter.com/rpc21days) on twitter for daily inspiration as we strive to replace our bad habits with a good habit that will help lift us to the throne of God.

Web: [www.rpc21days.com](http://www.rpc21days.com) Twitter: [@rpc21days](https://twitter.com/rpc21days)

6. **Ellington's Christian Café'** presents "**The Reason Why We Sing**" **August 28<sup>th</sup> at 8pm**. Featured artists –Summer Sinclair, Remembrance & Spoken Word by Talaya Crawford, Saxophonist Ekwenzie Gray including Open Mic/Christian Karaoke; MC's Robert Browne and Jermaine Assent. Sit back, relax and enjoy an evening of uplifting music, food, fun and fellowship. Or tell us the reason why you sing and join the other artists scheduled to inspire you through song & spoken word-show us those vocal abilities you've been practicing in the shower and "Praise Him" at the same time! Tickets- \$15 Advance; \$18 at the door (meal included). **Tickets available for purchase via [www.cpcsda.org](http://www.cpcsda.org) at PayPal link on the Ellington's ministry café events page; Online Giving-Ellington's; or cash.** Event held at **Community Praise Center, 1400 Russell Road, Alexandria, VA 22301**. FMI contact Chaundra Williams: 301-332-6353; Chariolett Johnson: 240-620-7420 or Toni Russell: 301-526-6856. **Tickets are limited! Don't delay, get your tickets soon and see you at Ellington's!**
7. "To God be the Glory Hallelujah" Berea Temple SDA Church presents Evangelist Paul Heflin in concert on Saturday, August 14, 2010 at 6:00pm. Berea Temple S.D.A. Church 1901 Madison Avenue Baltimore, MD 21217 Doors open at 5:30pm. No admission fee. A liberal offering will be collected. For more info contact Amber Stackhouse (443) 904-6354.
8. **SAVE THE DATE** ~ Washington Metro Area Women's Ministries (WMAWM) invites you to join us on **Sabbath, November 6, 2010** at the Hyatt Chesapeake Resort in Cambridge, Maryland for our 10<sup>th</sup> Biennial Retreat. Our theme this year is, "*Pray, Praise, Persevere....Any How*". Pastor Dilys Brooks, Associate Campus Chaplain, Loma Linda University will be our key note speaker.
  - a. Registration for this year's retreat is \$90 for adults and \$80 for young women (up to age 18). The fee includes breakfast and lunch at the hotel. Transportation is available for an additional \$25. For those who wish to spend the night at the Hyatt, your room will cost only \$129 per night, plus a \$6 resort fee (and applicable tax and gratuity).
  - b. You may register on the WMAWM website at [www.chosen-vessels.org](http://www.chosen-vessels.org) and receive more details. Please e-mail your Women's Ministries Leader, Catherine McIver, at [womensministries@thebowieproject.org](mailto:womensministries@thebowieproject.org) for questions and to indicate that you have registered. Deadline for registration is September 18.
9. Summer Fun at Seabrook's Summer Enrichment Program: Ages 2 – 13 / June 14 – August 20 / 8888 Good Luck Rd, Lanham, MD. Call 301-552-0007 for more information.

10. Takoma Academy has recently been awarded additional scholarship funds through the "Pathways to Success" program sponsored through the Commonwealth Foundation. The scholarship is based on the following financial information:

Family of 2 with an adjusted gross income of less than \$40,000.  
Family of 3 with an adjusted gross income of less than \$40,000.  
Family of 4 with an adjusted gross income of less than \$44,100.  
Family of 5 with an adjusted gross income of less than \$51,580.  
Family of 6 with an adjusted gross income of less than \$59,060.

If you or someone that you know qualifies for this scholarship please contact Alana Pabon at apabon@ta.edu for additional information. The guidelines for income are strictly enforced by the foundation so please be sure that you do not exceed the amount listed in the above guidelines.

11. **Hospitality:** Would you like to share a special event with your church family? Like birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, birth announcements or even school events! Let hospitality know, so that we too can celebrate with you too. Just send us an email at: [hospitality@rpcsda.org](mailto:hospitality@rpcsda.org) and we'll do our best to spread the joy!! If you're not sure if your event is special... send it anyhow, we'll find a way to celebrate it!!
12. **HOUSEKEEPING:**
- Overflow parking is at East Gate Shopping Center and the empty lot next to CCF. There will be NO MORE Double Parking in the CCF church parking lot.
  - Sabbath, August 14, 2010 we will not have access to the grass parking lot adjacent to our host church, Capital Christian Fellowship. Stay tuned for the alternative plan.**
  - We no longer have access to the upstairs / Upper Room.
  - Please supervise your children at all times.

13. **BIBLE STUDY:** Every Sabbath at 4:30 pm

14. **AY:** Every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sabbath

#### **Calendar of Upcoming RPC Events**

- August 22: Communion
- September 18: Women's Day

#### **Stay Informed**

Keep up with RPC via Twitter, Facebook, and our Web site at <http://rpcsda.org>

To submit announcements, please send an email to [communications@rpcsda.org](mailto:communications@rpcsda.org) & [clerk@rpcsda.org](mailto:clerk@rpcsda.org) by **Tuesday at 7:00 pm.**