### weekly events

Sunday | Community Services Thrift Store 1-4 pm | Mulligan Stew 4:30 pm

Monday | CS Thrift Store -1-4 pm | Ladies Bible Study - 5:30 pm

Tuesday | CS Thrift Store - 1-4 pm

Wednesday | Pastor's Bible Study

Thursday | Discovering Revelation Seminar - 7 pm

Friday | Sunset 5:50 pm CST | Discovering Revelation Seminar - 7 pm

Next Sabbath's Speaker | Bliss Kuntz - Discovering Revelation

**HIGHLAND PRAYER CORNER** | Angel Tucker, Douglas Gannon, Albert Dittes, and Judi Rimer

FIRST READING Church Office | Jona Ratliff - deaconess

**SECOND READING | Incoming** - Arin Beyer from Burleson SDA Church, Burleson, TX; Edwin DeAngel from San Marcos SDA Church, San Marcos, TX.

### Scripture

1 Samuel 28:3-6

3 "Now Samuel had died, and all Israel had mourned for him and buried him in Ramah, his own city. And Saul had put the mediums and the necromancers out of the land. 4 The Philistines assembled and came and encamped at Shunem, and Saul gathered all Israel, and they encamped at Gilboa. 5 When Saul saw the army of the Philistines, he was afraid, and his heart trembled greatly. 6 And when Saul inquired of the LORD, the LORD didn't not answer him, either by dreams, or by Urim, or by prophets."

### highland leadership team

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OFFICE HOURS | M-TH | 8:30 AM - 1 PM | F 8:30 AM - 10:30 AM

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# HIGHLAND SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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### church life

**VISITOR LUNCH** | Visitors are warmly invited to a meal in the fellowship hall today. Please meet your host on the kitchen side of the lobby, immediately following the church service.

**MEN'S MINISTRY HIKE – Sabbath, October 25 at 3:00 PM** | Join us this afternoon for fellowship and fresh air at Winding Stairs Park (655 Nature Trail Way, Lafayette, TN)! The Men's Ministry invites all men—and their families—to come along for a relaxing hike and time together in nature. It's a great opportunity to connect, unwind, and enjoy God's creation.

**MULLIGAN STEW** | Join us tomorrow, October 26, for an evening of fun! Activities kick off at 4:30 pm at the Highland ball field. Don't forget to bring lawn chairs, and your favorite vegetable cut up and partially cooked to add to the stew. In addition, families with last names beginning with letters A-M please bring bread, and N-Z please bring desserts to go along with the stew and chili. We'll enjoy dinner at 6 pm followed by hayrides, games, and more. We can't wait to see you there!

**APPLESAUCE PARTY** | Come be a part of an applesauce making party on November 9 at 9 am at the Leroy Parrish Family Life Center. Learn how to make and can applesauce. Donations accepted to help cover costs. Please RSVP to Laura Vetter by Friday, November 7 - 208-310-0296.

**THANKSGIVING BANQUET** | We're excited to invite you to our annual Thanksgiving Banquet on Sunday, November 16, at 5:00 PM in the Leroy Parrish Family Life Center! This special evening is a wonderful time to gather as a church family, share a delicious meal, and celebrate God's blessings together. To help us prepare, please register in advance so we can plan seating and food accordingly. Register here: <a href="https://forms.gle/6XoyxaMPfu6LEDTh9">https://forms.gle/6XoyxaMPfu6LEDTh9</a>, or click on the link in the Highland Herald Newsletter.

HARVEST SABBATH - Give thanks by giving | As we celebrate this special season of harvest, we invite you to share God's blessings with those in need on our annual Harvest Sabbath, November 22. If you have names of families or individuals who could use support, please contact Dr. Littell, Community Services or the church office. We encourage you to bring non-perishable items before Harvest Sabbath. On November 22nd, please bring fresh produce such as oranges, apples, potatoes, onions, and other Thanksgiving meal essentials. Let's come together as a church family to share God's abundance and make this Thanksgiving special for people in our community!

**COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING SERVICE** | Join us at the church on Monday, November 24 at 7:00 pm for a special Thanksgiving service. Let's gather as a community, united in thankfulness, as we give praise for the blessings bestowed upon us.

#### **OFFERING SCHEDULE**

TOTAL CHURCH GIVING

This week - KYTN Advance

Next week - Church Budget

\*All unmarked offerings will go toward the church budget

Year to Date Received | Year to Date Needed \$76,077 | \$58,026

2025/2026 BUDGET | \$234,900

### church at study | 9:30 am

Beginners (Ages 0-3) Kindergarten (Ages 4-6) Primary (Ages 7-9) Juniors (Ages 10-12) Teens (Ages 13+) Young Adult Class (Ages 18+) Adult Lesson | Center Back Sanctuary Adult Lesson | Balcony Adult Lesson | Training Room EGW Class | Organ Side, Sanctuary Pastor's Class | Piano Side, Sanctuary

### church at worship | 10:45 am

Prelude Organ Welcome/Prayer "Blessed Assurance" Hymn of Praise #462 Call for the Offering David Beckworth Musical Offering Highland Church Choir Children's Story Elise Gaines "1 Samuel 28:3-6" Scripture Reading David Duncombe Songs of Praise **Bob Schimp** Prayer Song "Now, Dear Lord, As We Pray" Congregation Church Family Prayer Donn Clute The Message "Bad King, Good King - There is Pastor Benjie Something Rising" Postlude Organ Pianist | Patty Wade Organist | Jan Bagshaw

Be the reason someone feels welcomed, seen, heard, valued, loved and supported.