

General Information

CHURCH FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT

2022 Church Budget

May 31, 2022	Budget	Actual
Needed	\$168,816.65	
Received	\$134,730.97*	\$134,730.97*
Spent		(\$134,506.90)
Surplus (Deficit)	(\$34,085.68)	\$224.07

*Includes restricted giving that offsets church budget expenses.

BUDGET: Our 2022 church budget is \$405,160 to cover our ministries, SLA subsidy, building maintenance, and operating expenses.

ACTUAL: This compares income vs. expenses. We'd like to fund everything according to budget, but we try not to spend what we haven't received yet.

REMEMBER: Tithe, although vital, goes to our local Conference and doesn't cover any of our expenses. Those come out of Church Budget. So let's make the Church Budget as regular a part of our giving as tithe. We believe God will bless us for it.

SCHEDULE OF SPEAKERS

Aug. 6	Einar Rom
Aug. 13	Einar Rom (education dedication, three baptisms)
Aug. 20	Einar Rom (Andrew Pak baptism)

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS are due Wednesdays by noon (except in certain holiday weeks) at bulletin@wearecc.net. All submissions require pastoral staff approval and are subject to editing.

PARENTS WITH INFANTS: We have a training chapel for your convenience in the right rear of the sanctuary. It includes a restroom, a private nursing area, and a baby changing station. Note: A Sabbath School class meets in that room from 10:00–11:00 AM.

✓ There are also changing stations in the restrooms downstairs.

OUR SERVICES AIR on Sterling/Lancaster, Clinton, Leominster, and West Boylston cable TV. See schedule at <https://wearecc.net/local-tv>.

TO SPONSOR FLOWERS, go to <https://wearecc.net/flowers>.

AGAPE FUND AND WORTHY STUDENT FUND: The Agape fund helps College Church members who are in need, and the Worthy Student fund helps families pay for Adventist education. To donate, designate either fund in Adventist Giving or on your tithe envelope.

COMMUNITY SERVICE CENTER: 129 Bolton Rd., Lancaster, 978-365-7152.

✓ *Help for the Needy:* On Tuesdays from 9:30 AM–noon you can pick up clothing and housewares. They request a small donation.

✓ *House of Refuge:* 7:00–8:45 PM on the second Friday of each month. Sermonette, music, testimonies. To take part in the service, call or text Becky Renzi at 978-870-0266.

FEED THE HUNGRY: Second Friday of the month, 3:30 PM. We prepare and serve food for the needy at WHEAT in Clinton.

NURSING HOME MINISTRY: Fourth Friday of the month. Michelle Lee Williams leads this ministry for the residents of Sterling Village, 18 Dana Hill Rd, Sterling, MA. She needs pianists, singers, and speakers each month. For info, call her at 508-728-6495.

HARD OF HEARING? Try an assisted listening device from the sound booth in the back of the sanctuary. Bring your headphones to connect (needs standard headphone jack).

Education & Music

SOUTH LANCASTER ACADEMY provides Seventh-day Adventist Christian education from Pre-K through grade 12. We are a constituent church of this fine institution, providing both financial & logistical support. Info: 978-368-8544, www.mysla.org.

✓ Newsletter: www.mysla.org/school-newsletter.

✓ SLA ALUMNI: Do we have your contact info, especially your email? Our email is alumni@mysla.org, or update at www.slaalumni.org. We also post updates on Facebook.

AUC ALUMNI: Are you receiving the latest info on alumni events? Visit AlumniOfAUC.com to sign up for monthly emails with news. If you don't have email, you can sign up to receive a special note from the Alumni Association. Visit AlumniOfAUC.com today!

EDUCATION GRANTS:

✓ *Get \$10,000 from SNEC:* Junior and senior education majors may be eligible for grants. See the video bulletin board for details.




WOMEN'S CHORUS: Keila Mejia leads on Sabbaths at 5:00 PM.

THAYER CONSERVATORY: Lessons in art, drama, music (piano incl. gospel piano, guitar, strings, harp, brass, woodwinds, percussion, voice). Groups: flute ensemble, brass ensemble, orchestras, and special classes for homeschoolers. More info at 978-368-2100 or ThayerConservatory.org.

Online Services

[HTTPS://WEARECC.NET](https://wearecc.net) has our calendar, videos, bulletins, and more.

ONLINE/MOBILE GIVING: Download the Adventist Giving app or click the Giving link on our website. *Be sure to choose the College Church or we won't get your donation.* Questions? Please contact the church office.

Search for collegechurchofsda on  YouTube  Facebook  Instagram

Bulletin



Giving



COLLEGE CHURCH
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Contact Us

MINISTRY NEEDS/MEMBERSHIP: We'd love to hear your prayer and ministry needs, comments, or address changes. See below to contact us, or fill out the card found on the back of the pews. You can also request membership transfer with the card, or at <http://wearecc.net>.

CHURCH OFFICE:

Regular Hours:	Monday–Wednesday: 8:30 AM–12:30 PM, 1:30–3:00 PM Friday: 8:30 AM–12:30 PM
Phone:	978-368-2130
Address:	337 Main St., South Lancaster, MA 01561
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clerk@wearecc.net

Caleb Bastien and Ron Gründer, Treasurers:

treasurer@wearecc.net

HELP IN THE UKRAINE CRISIS

Many are fleeing the horrors of war, and you can help provide for their needs through ADRA. Visit <https://donations.adra.org/humanitarianresponse-ws>.



8 - 12
MONDAY - SABBATH
AUGUST, 2022
5:00 - 7:00 P.M.
REGISTRATION IS OPEN
INVITE A FRIEND



ADDRESS: 30 BRIGHAM ST. NORTHBOROUGH, MA, 01532
CONTACT US AT: (508) 308 - 7440
EMAIL: DINASPOT@HOTMAIL.COM

VOLUNTEERS
Ages 1-12
13 up Volunteers



More of God. Less of Me. All of Us.

August 6, 2022

The Church at Work

PRAYER FOCUS

Health Concerns: Lothar Suckert, Beth Vecchione, Priscilla Winslow, Julio Gonzalez, (Laura Mapes' brother), Mark (friend of Cameron Loss), Lorelie Linton (Dan's mom), Inigo Vega, Larry Curtis, Sean Nolan (friend of Adelita Weaver), Linda Oetman, six members of the Schad family, Rich Lamoureux, Keila Mejia, Salma Prata and Solange Baia (Keila's mom and aunt); Elnora King, Joe Drader; Rachel Gravelin, Danny Morris, Laura Lee Williams, David Tessier (brother of Wendy Hall), Isaac (relative of the Giffords), Bob Rogers, Juanita Quaille (Judy Moran's mom).

Other Concerns: Ukraine; Jacob Peters (Tia Allain's cousin in military service).

Week at a Glance. See the announcements or general info for more.

South Lancaster Sunset: Today 8:02 PM, Friday 7:54 PM

Sun.	Pathfinder Campout Concludes
	8:30 AM Praying Mothers
	1:00 PM Women's Ministry at the Art Museum
Mon.	2:00 PM College Church TV Broadcast (more airings)
	7:30 PM Iron Sharpens Iron Men's Group
Tues.	9:00 PM Late Night Bible Study
Wed.	12:00 PM Bulletin Deadline
	7:00 PM Prayer Meeting
Thur.	7:30 PM Al-Anon Meeting
Fri.	3:30 PM Feed the Hungry
	7:30 PM Gospel of Matthew Study
Sat.	10:00 AM College Church TV Broadcast (more airings)
	10:00 AM Sabbath School (see Church at Study)
	11:15 AM Worship Service: Einar Rom
	After Church Fellowship Picnic
	4:00 PM Required Sabbath School Meeting
	7:30 PM Spoken Logos Grow Group

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

- ✓ Worcester Art Museum free day tomorrow. We will meet at 1:00 PM at the back entrance across from the parking lot. The museum is always such a wonderful place to explore!
- ✓ Community Baby Shower: Donations are needed for the upcoming Community Baby Shower (see next announcement). Women's Ministries is looking for new or gently used baby clothes, supplies, and maternity clothing; also new nursing/feeding supplies and cloth/disposable diapers. Please bring donations to the College Church by August 10. For monetary donations, mark your tithe envelope WM Community Baby Shower. Questions? Please contact Kari Radford or Deb Loss.
- ✓ To receive help from this, sign up at www.glomom.org.

SUMMER PICNIC SCHEDULE

- Here are the locations as we resume our summer picnics. The church provides plates, plasticware, and napkins. Visitors are welcome, and they don't need to bring anything.
- ✓ August 13: Michelle Lee Williams and Chris Elsbree
 - ✓ August 20: Connie and David Drexler
 - ✓ August 27: Barbara and Tom King

SPOKEN LOGOS

SATURDAY, AUG. 13, 7:30 PM | THE VEGAN NEST CAFÉ

Share your story. Eat good food. Connect. This is a casual gathering to exchange ideas and build community through poetry, song, art, discussion, and other forms of creative expression. *Location:* 54 High St, Clinton, MA.

GLO MOM

SUNDAY, AUG. 14 | CLINTON CENTRAL PARK

Volunteers needed for this event. There is no specific time commitment. If you can help, please let Deb Loss or Kari Radford know. This is an important community outreach. *Areas needed:*

- ✓ Making calls to potential vendors
- ✓ Making calls to baby suppliers (formula, diapers, etc.)
- ✓ Helping at the event.
- ✓ We'll also need financial assistance for supplies, serving a meal, as well as donating baby clothes. Please mark your envelope as Women's Ministries – Glo Mom. Thank you in advance for your assistance with this important endeavor.

REQUIRED SABBATH SCHOOL MEETING

SABBATH, AUG. 13, 4:00 PM | YOUTH CHAPEL

All Sabbath School teachers, assistants, substitutes, and helpers, of all ages, please come for this required first meeting of the new officer period. More Sabbath School news:

- ✓ **Sabbath School Graduation:** Sabbath, Aug. 27 during church. Parents, please make sure you children are here.
- ✓ **Important:** Please see the announcement below regarding child protection training. This is mandatory for those working with children.

ANDREW PAK THAILAND MISSION TRIP

The fundraising link is ymcsda.org/give and there is an option under "Additional Information" to specify Andrew Pak. You can watch his fundraiser concert for free at <https://youtu.be/Xq8EPCpiLqE>.



BELL REPAIR FUNDRAISER

Our bells are in desperate need of being fixed. In order to make this happen, we need to raise \$2,084 as soon as possible. The bells will be sent to a company in Texas for repair and the process takes about 8 weeks. As of right now they're booking out to September. Please help us make this possible so our community bell choir can continue! The bells haven't had major work done since they were purchased in the 1980s. Thank you for help and generosity!

- ✓ Please contact Ilana at 978-503-9212 if you'd like to make a donation, and then mark your tithe envelope/online donation Bell Repair. As of yesterday we have raised \$1860!

The Church at Study, 10:00 AM

See more online and in-person study options at wearecc.net/sabbath-school-options. Get free study guides at www.ssnnet.org, download the Sabbath School app, or scan the QR code on the right.

Lesson



CLASSES FOR CHILDREN & YOUTH

Downstairs:		Upstairs:	
Newborn-Age 2:	Open	Grades 4-5 (Juniors)	Open
Age 3-Kindergarten	Open	Grades 5-8	Open
Grades 1-3 (Primary)	Open	Grades 9-12	Open

CLASSES FOR ADULTS

Spanish	Sanctuary	
Young Adults	Fellowship Hall	
Rom, Prather	Sanctuary	Livestreamed

IMPORTANT: CHILD PROTECTION TRAINING

We have new officers, so each person working with children must complete mandatory child protection training. If you are 18 or older and have not taken it, or if it has been more than three years since you have, please go to <https://wearecc.net/child-protection> and follow the instructions.

CLINTON SCHOOL DONATIONS

School will be starting soon. We are still collecting for the Clinton Public Elementary School. You can put donations in the collection bin in the upper foyer or make a cash donation in a tithe envelope marked "Clinton School." There's a list of items we're collecting on the bin.

- ✓ If you have questions, please contact Dawn Rom at 978-833-4310.



Worship at Winnekeag

Join us at 257 Ashby Rd, Ashburnham on Sabbath, Sept. 10, for outdoor worship at 10:00 AM, followed by dinner and a relaxing afternoon. We'll be in the cafeteria if it rains. No activities Friday or on Sabbath evening.

Sabbath dinner is free, but you must register for it by Sunday, Sept. 4, with the form at <https://wearecc.net> (click the blue-and-white N in the lower right corner of the page) or by contacting the church office.

Registration is super important because we have to tell the camp how many meals to prepare. If we go over the number we tell them, we pay \$20 for each one we're over. So if you don't register, you may not get a meal!

If you wish to help defray costs, you may do so at <https://wearecc.net/give> or on your tithe envelope (Social Programs).

The Church in Praise, 11:10 AM

Please silence all mobile devices.

PRELUDE (11:10 AM)

Intermezzo (from Sonata IV) (Josef Gabriel Rheinberger)

WELCOME, OFFERING, & ANNOUNCEMENTS (11:15 AM)

Pastor Einar Rom
Loose offerings go to local church budget.

INVOCATION AND CALL TO WORSHIP

Responsive Reading 892
Margarita Merriman

HYMN OF PRAISE

21, Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise (St. Denio)
Arielle Cady Flores, leader

LAMB'S OFFERING AND CHILDREN'S STORY

Ralph Gifford III

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Prayer Song: We Are an Offering (Dwight Liles)
We lift our voices, we lift our hands
We lift our lives up to You, we are an offering
Lord, use our voices, Lord, use our hands
Lord, use our lives, they are Yours, we are an offering
All that we have, all that we are
All that we hope to be we give to you, we give to you
We lift our voices, we lift our hands
We lift our lives up to you, we are an offering, we are an offering
Prayer: Daniel Thomas

SCRIPTURE

Exodus 19:1-6
Maureen Hodson

MUSICAL SELECTION

Kirosha Sidelca

THERE IN THE MIDDLE OF NOWHERE ...

Einar Rom
Einar is our lead pastor.

HYMN OF DEDICATION

306, Draw Me Nearer (Doane)

BENEDICTION

Einar Rom

POSTLUDE

Allegro maestoso e vivace (from Sonata IV) (Felix Mendelssohn)
Feel free to remain in the sanctuary for a time of reflection during the postlude.

Andrew Sheranian, organ

We record our services for broadcast and streaming, and we may include your image. CCLI#s 1364543, CSPL032559.