

General Information

CHURCH FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT 2022 Church Budget

Aug. 31, 2022	Budget	Actual
Needed	\$270,106.64	
Received	\$219,481.90*	\$219,481.90*
Spent		(\$219,389.10)
Surplus (Deficit)	(\$50,624.74)	\$92.80

*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

Oct. 15	Ofelia Maskewich
Oct. 22	Einar Rom
Oct. 29	Einar Rom, Pathfinder/Adventurer Sabbath

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!

EUCATION GRANTS:

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

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.

FREE CONCERT SERIES TONIGHT, 7:00 PM | YOUTH CHAPEL Thatcher Harrison, guitar



October 15, 7pm
Thatcher Harrison, Guitar



November 19, 7pm
Hannah Meloy, Soprano
Ilana Joyce Cady, Piano



December 24, 7pm
Candlelit Christmas Eve



January 21, 7pm
Andrew Sheranian, Organ

February 18, 7pm
Dr. Wen-Ting Ong, Piano
Ilana Joyce Cady, piano



March 18, 7pm
Lira S. Cady, Harp
Arielle Cady Flores, Violin



April 15, 7pm
Jamaica Plain Saxophone Quartet



May 20, 7pm
Dr. Gaby Alvarado, Flute
Ethan Lin, Flute
Ilana Joyce Cady, piano

THE COLLEGE CHURCH
FREE CONCERT SERIES
337 MAIN STREET
SOUTH LANCASTER MA 01523
DONATIONS ENCOURAGED

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



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 Tuesday 11:15 AM–1:00 PM, 2:00–4:00 PM Friday: 8:30 AM–12:30 PM
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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>.



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October 15, 2022

The Church at Work

PRAYER FOCUS

Health Concerns: Roz Wood & family, Bella, John, and Mark (friends of Cameron Loss), Wendy Hall, Lothar Suckert, Beth Vecchione, Priscilla Winslow, Julio Gonzalez, (Laura Mapes' brother), Lorelie Linton (Dan's mom), Inigo Vega, Sean Nolan (friend of Adelita Weaver), Linda Oetman, six members of the Schad family, 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.

In Bereavement: The family of [Rosaura Bracetti](#) (wife of Pastor David Bracetti), who died last Wednesday.

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

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

South Lancaster Sunset: Today 6:06 PM, Friday 5:57 PM

Today	1:30 PM Adventurers 7:00 PM Free Concert Series (<i>see other side</i>)
Sun.	8:30 AM Praying Mothers
Mon.	2:00 PM College Church TV Broadcast (more airings) 7:00 PM Finance Committee 7:30 PM Iron Sharpens Iron
Tues.	7:00 PM Church Board 9:00 PM Late Night Bible Study
Wed.	9:30 AM Playtime: Apple Picking 12:00 PM Bulletin Deadline 7:00 PM Prayer Meeting
Thur.	6:00 PM King's Kids 7:00 PM SLA Board 7:30 PM Al-Anon
Fri.	6:30 PM Community Bell Choir 7:30 PM Friday Night 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 Potluck Dinner

PATHFINDER CLUB—GENERAL MEETING

TODAY, 2:00-4:00 PM | YOUTH CHAPEL

Thank you to those who supported our yard sale last Sunday. We raised \$440 to put towards our Gillette Camporee.

IRON SHARPENS IRON MEN'S GROUP

THIS MONDAY, 7:30 PM | IN PERSON & ONLINE

All men are welcome, regardless of membership. Info at <https://wearecc.net/iron-sharpens-iron>.

- ✓ Team Iron Sharpens Iron can do certain yard/home tasks that some may find overwhelming. If you need help, please call/text Ralph Weichmann at 978-727-2906.

HAROLD & VELMA KNOX MEMORIAL SERVICE

THIS TUE., OCT. 18, 1:00 PM | YOUTH CHAPEL

All are welcome. There will be a service here at the church and a social gathering following; details will be announced following the service.

PLAYTIME

THIS WEDNESDAY, 8:30-11:30 AM | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Children from newborn to kindergarten with their guardians are invited for breakfast, playtime, a craft, story time, and lunch.

FELLOWSHIP DINNER

NEXT SABBATH, OCT. 22, AFTER CHURCH | FELLOWSHIP HALL

This fellowship dinner will be a potluck meal. Members, please bring a dish of some kind and join us. Visitors are welcome, and you don't have to bring anything.

- ✓ A group from Indiana Academy will be joining us, so please bring a little extra if you can.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

- ✓ Women's Ministries will meet at Tower Hill Botanical Gardens on Sunday, October 23 at 1:30. Tower Hills is always such a special venue that we can share together. If you don't plan to go and could share your passes, please contact Kari Radford or Deb Loss.

- ✓ Women's Ministry is adopting a family for Christmas who currently live in a shelter. They have two young children and another one due in February. We need monetary donations to help us make their Christmas special. Please mark your envelopes WM - Christmas Family, or online check the appropriate category. Thank you in advance for your assistance with this worthy cause.

FUNDRAISER FOR SLA BASKETBALL TRIP TO TEXAS

SLA'S basketball team is once again going to Southwestern Adventist University's tournament. For their fundraiser, any donation of \$20 or more will be entered into a drawing for four tickets to the opening night of Disney's Aladdin at the Hanover Theatre in Worcester. Total value of the tickets is \$180.00. Drawing will be on Thursday, Oct. 27 (a week before the show). More info: Roger Prather, 978-333-1546.

JOIN OUR COOKIE FUNDRAISER

ADVENTURER CLUB

Red Barn Cookies

\$45 PER PERSON DIY COOKIE CLASS

SUNDAY DECEMBER 4TH AT 4:00PM

CONTACT ARIELLE FLORES TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT
ACADYFLORES@GMAIL.COM

COLLEGE CHURCH 337 MAIN STREET LANCASTER, MA 01523

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	Grades 4-5 (Juniors)
Age 3-Kindergarten	Grades 5-8
Grades 1-3 (Primary)	Grades 9-12

CLASSES FOR ADULTS

Bible Journaling	Fellowship Hall	
Young Adults	Young Adult Room	
Blatt, Radford	Training Chapel	
Spanish	Sanctuary	
T. Bloom, D. Thomas	Sanctuary	Livestreamed
Robertson	Conference Room	

PATHFINDER/ADVENTURER SABBATH

SABBATH, OCT. 29

Church members: if you bought a black Club t-shirt from us this past spring, please wear it on Oct 29, Adventurer/Pathfinder Sabbath. FYI —17 teens/adults from our club are on the Teen Canoe/Kayaking trip this weekend, led by Joyce Malin. They are on the CT River in Western MA. Please pray for their safe travels.

ANDREW PAK THAILAND MISSION TRIP

The fundraising link is www.ymcsda.org/andrewpak. You can watch his fundraiser concert for free at <https://youtu.be/Xg8EFCpiLqE>.

NAILED IT! SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30
FALL FAMILY FUN FOR EVERYONE 4:30PM - 7:30PM



- DRESS UP AS YOUR FAVORITE REFORMER
- POTLUCK DINNER
- LAWN GAMES
- PHOTO BOOTH
- CRAFT TABLE
- & MORE!

COLLEGE CHURCH OF SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS
337 MAIN ST.
SOUTH LANCASTER, MA



The Church in Praise, 11:10 AM

Please silence all mobile devices.

PRELUDE (11:10 AM)

Basse et Dessus de Trompette (*Louis-Nicolas Clérambault, 1676-1749*)

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

Jean-Claude Rodrigue
Loose offerings go to local church budget.

INVOCATION AND CALL TO WORSHIP

SDA Hymnal #704, from Psalm 121
Evelyn Rodrigue

HYMN OF PRAISE

191, Love Divine (*Beecher*)
Arielle Cady Flores, leader

LAMB'S OFFERING AND CHILDREN'S STORY

Lira Cady

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Prayer Song: Make Me a Servant (Kelly Willard)

Make me a servant, humble and meek,
Lord, let me lift up those who are weak
And may the prayer of my heart always be
Make me a servant, make me a servant
Make me a servant today

Prayer: Alejandro Urbina

SCRIPTURE

Joshua 1:9
Alyssa Christoph

MUSICAL SELECTION

No One Understands Like Jesus (*John W. Peterson*)
Alex Bezerra, vocal; Edson Delinski, guitar

DON'T BE AN OBSTACLE FOR GOD'S PLAN

Ofelia Maskewich
Ofelia is our Sabbath School coordinator.

HYMN OF DEDICATION

184, Jesus Paid it All (*John T. Grape*)

BENEDICTION

Celia Urbina

POSTLUDE

Improvisation (*Wesley Hall*)

Feel free to remain in the sanctuary for a time of reflection during the postlude.

Wesley Hall, organ

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