

## NOTICES

1. **Happy Sabbath** to all from Pastor Cuvalay, The Church board and the Communication Department, we thank you for joining us today and may God's blessings be yours as we listen to His voice to us in Word and Song.. Again, We welcome you. Here are this week's notices and information for the upcoming week.
2. All members and visitors are invited to join us this afternoon at 3:30pm for our weekly Bible Study. Join us as the word of God is presented in simplicity and clarity. The blessings will be yours.
3. On August 5th 2018 The Administration of the North Caribbean Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will be here in St.Maarten along with brother Milles. They would like to meet with all clerks, treasury personnel and auditors. The venue of the meeting will be given during next week. Brother Milles will assist each church individually on Monday and Tuesday. Please inform all concerned so that all can make necessary adjustments t their schedules to attend these important meetings.
4. The Youth Departments of the Dutch side churches will convene at the St.Peters Seventh-day Adventist Church as they share the "IMPACT STX" Experience with the congregations. All supporters of Youth Min-

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# EDUCATION EMPOWERMENT FORUM

THEME: FUTURE SUCCESS IS BUILT ON YOUR EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

**Date:** Sat, August 4th, 2018

**Venue:** Phillipsburg SdA

**Time:** 4:30 PM

Special presentation to be made by a representative of the Northern Caribbean University (NCU).

A special invitation is extended to Teachers, Parents and Students.



## Reflections

*Pray Clearly and Distinctly—By*

*your own example teach your children to pray with clear, distinct voice.*

*Teach them to lift their heads from the chair and never to cover their faces with their hands. Thus they can offer their simple prayers, repeating the Lord's prayer in concert. {Child Guidance pg. 522.2}*



**The Power of Music**—The history of the songs of the Bible is full of suggestion as to the uses and benefits of music and song. Music is often perverted to serve purposes of evil, and it thus becomes one of the most alluring agencies of temptation. But, rightly employed, it is a precious gift of God, designed to uplift the thoughts to high and noble themes, to inspire and elevate the soul.... {Child Guidance pg. 523.1}

**We need have no fear of someone who loves us perfectly; his perfect love for us eliminates all dread of what he might do to us. If we are afraid, it is for fear of what he might do to us and shows that we are not fully convinced that He really loves us.**

**(1 John 4:18 Living Bible (TLB))**

**The Lord does not require us to do some grievous thing in order to gain forgiveness. We need not make long, wearisome pilgrimages or perform painful penances to expiate our transgression. He that "confesseth and forsaketh" his sin "shall have mercy." Proverbs 28:13.**

**{Trials To Triumphs p. 290.1}**

**Secret Prayer is the breath of the life that counts, for "God fades out of the life of those who do not pray." And with secret prayer goes personal Bible study (Alone with God)**



The Lord's Sabbath, July 28th 2018

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## Make the Worship Period Interesting



**It should be the special object of the heads of the family to make the hour of worship intensely interesting.** By a little thought and careful preparation for this season, when we come into the presence of God, family worship can be made pleasant and will be fraught with results that eternity alone will reveal. Let the father select a portion of Scripture that is interesting and easily understood; a few verses will be sufficient to furnish a lesson which may be studied and practiced through the day. Questions may be asked, a few earnest, interesting remarks made, or incident, short and to the point, may be brought in by way of illustration. At least a few verses of spirited song may be sung, and the prayer offered should be short and pointed. **The one who leads in prayer should not pray about everything, but should express his needs in simple words and praise God with thanksgiving.** In arousing and strengthening a love for Bible study, much depends on the use of the hour of worship. The hours of morning and evening worship should be the sweetest and most helpful of the day. Let it be understood that into these hours no troubled, unkind thoughts are to intrude; that parents and children assemble to meet with Jesus and to invite into the home the presence of holy angels. Let the services be brief and full of life, adapted to the occasion, and varied from time to time. **Let all join in the Bible reading and learn and often repeat God's law.** It will add to the interest of the children if they are sometimes permitted to select the reading. Question them upon it, and let them ask questions. Mention anything that will serve to illustrate its meaning. When the service is not thus made too lengthy, let the little ones take part in prayer, and let them join in song, if it be but a single verse.<sup>16</sup> **{Child Guidance pg. 522.1}**

## PRAYER REQUESTS

Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed. The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much. (James 5:16) . We ask your prayers for the following persons ;

The Church requests your prayers on behalf the family of Sister Linda Richardson during their time of bereavement. Our members and friends still in the recovery process after previous medical procedures. Those who are sick and hospitalized in our membership and in our community.. Please remember them and others who are in need of assistance and prayers. them. God is able.

We pray that God will take us , our friends and those in the region safely through this hurricane season, and wisdom in preparation.

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**Please submit notices and bulletin information between**

## Church Services

Praise and The Word Sunday 7:15pm  
Prayer and Book Review- Wednesday 7pm

Sabbath School Saturday 9am  
Divine Hour Saturday 11am  
Bible Study Saturday 3:30pm  
Adventist Youth Program Saturday 4:30pm

## Divine Worship

Call To Worship

Hymn of Praise and Adoration

Prayer of Intercession

Welcome

Offertory

Special Music

(sung by

Children Story

Scripture Reading .

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Introduction of Platform participants

Hymn of Meditation #

Sermon ...

Hymn of Consecration #

Benediction.

*..Thou, O Lord, art a shield for me; my glory,  
and the lifter up of mine head. (Psalm 3:3)*