



SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH SUNNYSIDE

SABBATH WORSHIP

26TH APRIL 2025






SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
SUNNYSIDE



PUBLISHING REVIVAL WEEK

ON MISSION TILL THE END

GUEST SPEAKERS



MRS MALINGA
Assistant Publishing
Director SWMC

FROM: 5:30PM
27 APRIL 2025
TO
03 MAY 2025

SERMON

ON MISSION THE CALL FOR PRAYER
A SEVERE STARVATION ON THE HORIZON
MISSION NO TIME TO LOSE
THE NIGHT IS COMING

MISSION GO TELL YOUR STORY
THE REQUIREMENT ALL MUST MEET
BE THERE AT THE FINISHING LINE

 Sunnyside SDA Church Blantyre Malawi



Elder Chilunga – Preacher 26th April 2025
Sermon Title : - "Abiding in the Vine"

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WORSHIP SERVICE THIS SABBATH

SABBATH -26th April 2025

ENGLISH SERVICE	
Bible reading	Pia Chirombo
Children Sermonette	Dr Lucy Kazembe
Preacher	Elder Chilunga
Singing Group	Seraphs
Chorister	Mr S Matandika
Pianist	Mr L Mahatchi
First Prayer & Call to worship	A. Kasambara
Second Prayer & offertory	Mrs. P. Katundu

SABBATH SCHOOL 09:00 - 10:30	
Song Service & Sabbath School	Seraphs
Sabath School Lesson	All SS Teachers (Chichewa & English)

CHICHEWA SERVICE	
Wowelenga Baibulo	Azariya Zeka
Ulaliki wa Ana	Mrs R Jeremiah
Mlaliki	Elder Chilunga
Gulu Loimba	Seraphs
Woimbitsa Nyimbo	Mr S Matandika
Woimba Limba	Mr L Mahatchi
Pemphero Loyamba	Rodney Gomani
Pemphero Lotsiliza	Mrs Hanah Golozera

- AFTERNOON PROGRAM :
- Business Meeting

◦ Bible Study by Elder Chilunga

ELDER ON DUTY

Elder Alex Chipungu & M Kampani

DEACONS / DEACONESSES ON DUTY

<u>English Service</u>	<u>Chichewa Service</u>
Mrs. F. Bunyani (Team Leader)	Mrs. M. Mbewe (Team Leader)
Bester Ndazipere	Mr. O. Sinumbe
Mr. A. Chumachao	Mr. S. Mahowa
Happy Philip	Austine Mlombwa
Mrs. R. Jeremiah	Mrs. B. Matandika
Jean Mwandama	Precious Zimbiri
Mrs L. Zimbiri	Mrs. B. Pendame
Leyla Makuluni	Mrs. Pauline Katundu

WORSHIP SERVICE NEXT SABBATH

SABBATH -3rd May 2025

ENGLISH SERVICE	
Bible reading	Mr Ray Chiuzeni
Children Sermonette	Mrs F Bunyani
Preacher	Elder Mawala
Singing Group	AMO
Chorister	Mr S Matandika
Pianist	Mr L Mahachi
First Prayer & Call to worship	
Second Prayer & offertory	
SABBATH SCHOOL 09:00 - 10:30	
Song Service & Sabbath School	AMO
Sabath School Lesson	All SS Teachers (Chichewa & English)
CHICHEWA SERVICE	
Wowelenga Baibulo	Mr Mzime Kankhuni
Ulaliki wa Ana	Mrs Chilunga
Mlaliki	Mrs Malinga
Gulu Loimba	AMO
Woimbitsa Nyimbo	Mr S Matandika
Woimba Limba	Mr L Mahachi
Pemphero Loyamba	
Pemphero Lotsiliza	

AFTERNOON PROGRAM : Publishing Revival Week

ELDER ON DUTY

Elder M Kampani & C Kaluwa

DEACONS / DEACONESSES ON DUTY

<u>English Service</u>	<u>Chichewa Service</u>
Mrs Kavinya (Team Leader)	Mr. C. Kachiswe (Team leader)
Mrs. Chakuamba	Mr. Meke
Miss C. Malimuse	Mrs. Ndazipere
Mr. S. Matiti	Vitumbiko Jere
Mr. B. Supuni	Richard Kachulu
Mrs. Chumachao	Mr. C. Mtike
Mrs. Chamba	Mrs. Mwipi Chibwana
Mr. Chonzi	Mrs. Makwakwa

April 19-25

LESSON 4

The Nations: Part 1



SABBATH AFTERNOON

Read for This Week's Study: [Gen. 10:1-12; Gen. 12:1-9; 1 Sam. 8:4-18; Matt. 20:25-28; Rev. 18:1-4](#)

Memory Text: “ ‘Then to Him was given dominion and glory and a kingdom, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve Him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away, and His kingdom the one which shall not be destroyed’ ” ([Daniel 7:14](#), NKJV).

The book of Revelation shows us God's solutions for our fallen world. In the final chapters, access to the tree of life is restored, the curse is lifted, and we are readmitted into the presence of God. Revelation, in some ways, is the book of Genesis in reverse, which is why Genesis remains an important key to understanding how the world's problems developed in the first place.

One of the key issues in both Daniel and Revelation is worldly government, a succession of human attempts to control a planet that rightfully belongs to God and Who will—once this horrible episode of sin and rebellion is forever ended—ultimately rule in righteousness.

It is a very long process that leads to this moment, covering thousands of years of human experiments in self-government. They have never worked; even those expressing the highest ideals have always fallen short, often terribly short, of those ideals. So much of the sad history of humanity through the millennia is nothing but accounts of the tragedy that these failed systems have brought upon us. And it only will get worse until God's “everlasting kingdom” ([Dan. 7:27](#)) finally will be established.

Study this week's lesson to prepare for Sabbath, April 26.

Upcoming Events – May 2025

- ☐ May 3-31: Drug Awareness Month
- ☐ May 3: *Reach the World: Using Communication Channels.*
- ☐ May 4: ALBUM LAUNCH – Blessed Tidings from Neno
- ☐ May 17: Global Adventurer’s Day
- ☐ May 24: World Day of Prayer for Children at Risk –

Details of Events.

Publishing revival week

- Date :27th April to 3rd May 2025.
- Time : 5:30pm daily
- Theme : On Mission: Till the end
- Presenters : Mrs Malinga, Assistant Publishing Director, SWMC.

Women Evangelists Seminar

- Date : 27th April 2025
- Time : 09:00AM TO 4:00PM
- Venue : Sunnyside SDA Church
- Invited : All Sheperdesses, Women Evangelists All Interested to be Evangelists.
- Please bring, Bible, Notebook,pen and Packed Lunch.

Announcements

- We warmly welcome our visitors and regular Church members. Let us all observe reverence in Church.
- All Departmental leaders are being reminded about informing the Board of Elders through their Sponsor/Elder of any activities planned to take place within and outside the Church for consideration and approval.
- All Baptized members are being invited to a Business Meeting today 26th April 2025 from 2:00 pm at Sunnyside Church , The Agenda to be read by the Church Clerk.
- The SWMC Women Ministries has organized **Womens Big Sabbath** on 10th May 2025 at Chikwawa Secondary School Hall. All Women are invited, Dress code Maroon Uniform.
- All members are invited to Publishing Revival week from 27th April to 3rd May 2025, from 5:30PM everyday. The Presenters shall be Mrs Malinga, the Associate Publishing Director for SWMC.
- SWMC Womens Ministries is inviting all Women Evangelists, Sheperdesses, and those Interested to become Women Evangelists to a one day seminar tomorrow, 27th April 2025, from 9:00AM to 4:00PM at Sunnyside SDA Church. Please bring a Bible, Notebook, a pen, and Packed Lunch. Special call for All Sunnyside women to attend this important function.
- All AMO Chair and Vice, Secretary for Mpemba, Chiwandira, Sunnyside, Kabula, Chirimba, Nyambadwe, Michiru, Lumbira and Chileka districts are being invited to a Meeting at SWM Conference on 27th April 2025 from 08:00AM.
- Blantyre/Mdeka Zone AMO is inviting all Adventist Men to a Night of Prayer at Chirimba SDA Church, on 10th May 2025, from 08:00pm to 4:30AM, 11th May.
- All departmental Leaders are requested to submit their quarterly performance reports to their respective Sponsor by 3rd May 2025.
- All members are invited to SID ASI Conference to take place at Bingu International Conference Centre(BICC), Lilongwe. Malawi. The fees is K500,000.00 Only. The fees can be deposited into FDH Bank, Umoyo Branch, Festive of the Laity, Account Number: 1850000050501.
- 2025 Camp Meeting shall take place from 2nd to 6th September 2025, from 08:00am to 07:00PM.
- AY Classes started on 15th February 2025. All parents are requested to encourage their wards to take part.
- Blessed Tidings from Neno will have their Album Launch at Sunnyside Church on Sunday 4th May 2025

WEDDDING ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Andrew Lisuntha Banda of Limbulira Village, T/A Mwase, Kasungu District, a Member of Area 47 SDA Church Intends to be wedded to Miss Sharon Rose Kikoko a bride from Naungu Village, T/A Sitola, Machinga District, a member of Sunnyside SDA Church. The wedding shall be officiated on 4th May 2025 at Area 47 SDA by Pastor F. Kuyama, from 7:00am.
This is the third announcement.
- Mphatso Neuha of Nthache Village T/A Chigalu, Blantyre District, a Member of Naperi SDA Church, Intends to be wedded to Miss Kwacha Kanjewe, a bride from Kang'oma Village, T/A Khwethemule, Thyolo District, a member of Ntcheu SDA Church. The wedding shall be officiated on 11th May 2025 at Sunnyside SDA by Pastor Felix Namakhuwa, from 8:00am.
This is Second announcement.
Anyone with reservation, please talk to the Pastor or First Elder.

Announcements

- Members are being encouraged to notify Head Deacon, Mr. T Kazembe of any sickness or bereavement, for members to pray and be available for the concerned families.
- The Church would like to appeal to members who have been worshipping with us for more than six months, or will be worshipping with us for long, to contact the Church Clerk, to have their names transferred to Sunnyside Church.
- Sunnyside Jesus Way meets every Wednesday and Fridays from 5:30- 6:15pm. All members that would like to attend are most welcome.
- 2025 SWM conference AYM Membership Fee Registration will be as follows;

ADVENTURERS	PATHFINDERS	SENIOR YOUTH ABOVE 16YEARS
K1,400.00	K2,100.00	K2,800.00

- Announcements from Adventist Youth
Monthly Contributions are as follows;
Adventures -K500.00
Pathfinders -K500.00
Senior Youth(16 years above) -K1,000.00
AY classes shall be held on Sundays.
- Both men and women, boys and girls are reminded to dress responsibly bearing in mind that as Children of the Most high come to God’s house to worship in truth and in spirit. Therefore, need to dress appropriately as befitting Christians waiting for the second coming of Jesus Christ.
- Members are being encouraged to come on time for the Church services and encouraged to attend afternoon programs. English service starts at 07:30am.
- **HEALTH DEPARTMENT**
Health department invites all members to Sports activities every Sunday, from 05:00am, here at Church. This Sunday, everyone coming to the Sports should bring a Note pad and pen. Health department would like to monitor progress of all participants.
- **MUSIC DEPARTMENT**
Sabbath Music Session : From 1:30pm to 2:00pm

Special appeal to Parents to ensure that their wards attend afternoon programs and not be outside during afternoon worship.

REMEMBER TITHE AND OFFERING
PLEASE REMEMBER TO RETURN TITHE AND GIVE OFFERINGS
USE THE ENVELOPES FOR YOUR PLANNED TITHE & OFFERINGS

JOURNEY THROUGH THE BIBLE

Reading from 13th April - 19th April, 2025

27/04/2025	-	(Genesis 11)
28/04/2025	-	(Genesis 12)
29/04/2025	-	(Genesis 13)
30/04/2025	-	(Genesis 14)
01/05/2025	-	(Genesis 15)
02/05/2025	-	(Genesis 16)
03/05/2025	-	(Genesis 17)

Weekly Spirit of Prophecy Reading; Patriarchs and Prophets
Chap. 1 : Why was Sin Permitted.

SABBATH PROGRAMS

ACTIVITY	TIME	
Teachers Lesson	6:45:am	7:20:am
Prayer Band	7:20:am	7:30:am
English Service	7:30:am	9:00:am
Sabbath School	9:00:am	9:35:am
Quarterly Lessons	9:35:am	10:20:am
Chichewa Devine Service	10:20:am	12:00:am
Music Session	1:30:pm	2:00:pm
Afternoon Program	2:00:pm	4:00:pm
Visitations, AY Classed & Departmental Meetings	4:00:pm	5:00:pm

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Sabbath Health Reading-April, 26

INSOMNIA



•Insomnia includes difficulty in getting to sleep or waking during the night and being unable to fall asleep again. The result is that, during the day, the person feels tired, sleepy and in a bad mood. He finds it difficult to concentrate or complete difficult or even simple tasks. This problem is all-encompassing because:

•It does not only affect the night hours but also the day and influences physical and mental health.

•It affects longevity, with statistics showing that older people who sleep when they are in bed tend to live longer than those who only partially sleep.

•***Fighting Insomnia in a natural way***

•It is therefore important to achieve enough deep, restorative sleep according to individual needs. Try the following advice in order to sleep without the need for medicines:

•***Discover your ideal number of hours of sleep.*** Seven or eight hours of sleep a day is a generalized need, but there are those who need only five hours. Do not expect immediate results but wait two or three weeks. In many cases limiting one's sleep a bit is the remedy to insomnia.

•***Sleep at regular times.*** Following a schedule for your daily routines causes the body to be ready for set when night comes. To take advantage of the natural day-night cycle that induces sleepiness, avoid staying up late at night.

•***Use the bed for sleeping.*** Do not eat, watch television, work, or study in bed. The bed is for sleeping. Accustom your body to associate bed with sweet and reparative sleep, not with activities that require a high level of attention.

•***Maintain an appropriate level of activity.*** During the day, move about, walk, or do the amount of exercise that your physical ability allows. Avoid spending too much time seated. A sedentary lifestyle is one of the main enemies of ideal sleep. Avoid strenuous physical exercise immediately preceding sleep (*From Enjoy Life. P.136*)

MANAGING IN TOUGH TIMES

‘Offer to God thanksgiving and pay your vows to the Most High. Call upon Me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you, and you shall glorify Me’ ” (Psalm 50:14, 15, NKJV).

Sometimes our world seems to be spinning out of control: wars, bloodshed, crime, immorality, natural disasters, pandemics, economic uncertainty, political corruption, and more. There is a strong urge for individuals and families to think first of their own survival. Accordingly, much thought is given to seeking security in these uncertain times, which, of course, is understandable. The toils of life do take a lot of our daily focus. With debts to pay, children to raise, property to maintain, it does take time and thought. And, of course, we do need clothes, food, and shelter. In the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus addressed these very basic needs and then stated, “ ‘Your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you’ ” (Matt. 6:32, 33, NKJV). Amid trying times, when we need to lean on the Lord more than ever, there are some concrete steps, based on biblical principles, that we should follow.

1.Putting God First (Read 2 Chronicles 20:1–22.)

The God who delivered them is the same God whom we love and worship, and His power is just as great today as back then. The challenge, for us, is to trust in Him and His leading.

2.Trust God, Not Your Own Resources (1 Chronicles 21:1–14.)

In our immediate context, it is very tempting to trust in the power of the government or in our bank accounts, but in every crisis mentioned in the Bible, when the people trusted in God, He honored their trust and provided for them. We should be using the present time to get square with God, get out of debt, and be generous with what we have been given. In the words of the well-known, Thomas Dorsey gospel song, “If we ever needed the Lord before, we sure do need Him now.”

3.Time to Simplify?

As Seventh-day Adventist Christians we must always live in the light of eternity. Yes, of course, we need to work hard to provide for ourselves and our families; and if we have been blessed with wealth, nothing is wrong with enjoying it now, provided we don't become greedy and are generous with it in regard to the needy. Yet, we must always remember that whatever we accumulate here is transitory; fleeting; and, if we are not careful, has the potential to be spiritually corrupting.

4.Priorities

Paul wrote, “Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth” (Col. 3:2). Of course,

that's easier said than done, because the things of the world are right here before us every day. The lure of “all that is in the world” is strong; the pull for immediate gratification is always there, whispering in our ears or pulling on our shirt sleeves—or both. Hasn't even the most faithful Christian felt some love for “the things of the world”? Even with our knowledge that one day it will all end, we still feel the pull, don't we? The good news, however, is that we don't need to let it pull us away from the Lord.

5.When No One Can Buy or Sell Revelation 13:11–17.

The Bible paints a painful picture of the world before the second coming of Jesus. Daniel writes about “ ‘a time of trouble, such as never was since there was a nation, even to that time’ ” (Dan. 12:1, NKJV). Considering some of the troublous times in the past, what he is referring to here must be pretty bad. The book of Revelation also points to troubling times before the return of Christ.

You can't buy or sell? How much of our lives today revolves around buying and selling? Our work is, in a sense, our selling of our time and skills and goods to those who want to buy them. Not being able to buy or sell all but means not being able to function in society. The pressure on those who remain faithful will then be enormous. Plus, the more money that you have, the more stake you will have in this world, at least in terms of material possessions, and so, surely, the pressure to conform will be even stronger. How then do we prepare? We prepare now, by making sure through God's grace that we are not slaves to our money, to the things of the world. If we are not bound to them now, we won't be when we will, in order to be faithful, have to give them up.

God explained through Moses that one of the reasons He established the tithing system was “ ‘that you may learn to fear the Lord your God always’ ” (Deut. 14:23, NKJV). In the poetic parallelism of Psalm 31:19, we see that fear is synonymous with trust. “Oh, how great is Your goodness, which You have laid up for those who fear You, which You have prepared for those who trust in You” (NKJV). These parallel lines show us that to fear the Lord is to trust Him. Therefore, we understand that God established the tithing system to protect us from selfishness and to encourage us to trust Him to provide for us. While being faithful in tithe is certainly not a guarantee that people will stay faithful in the end, those who are not faithful in tithe are surely setting themselves up for trouble

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