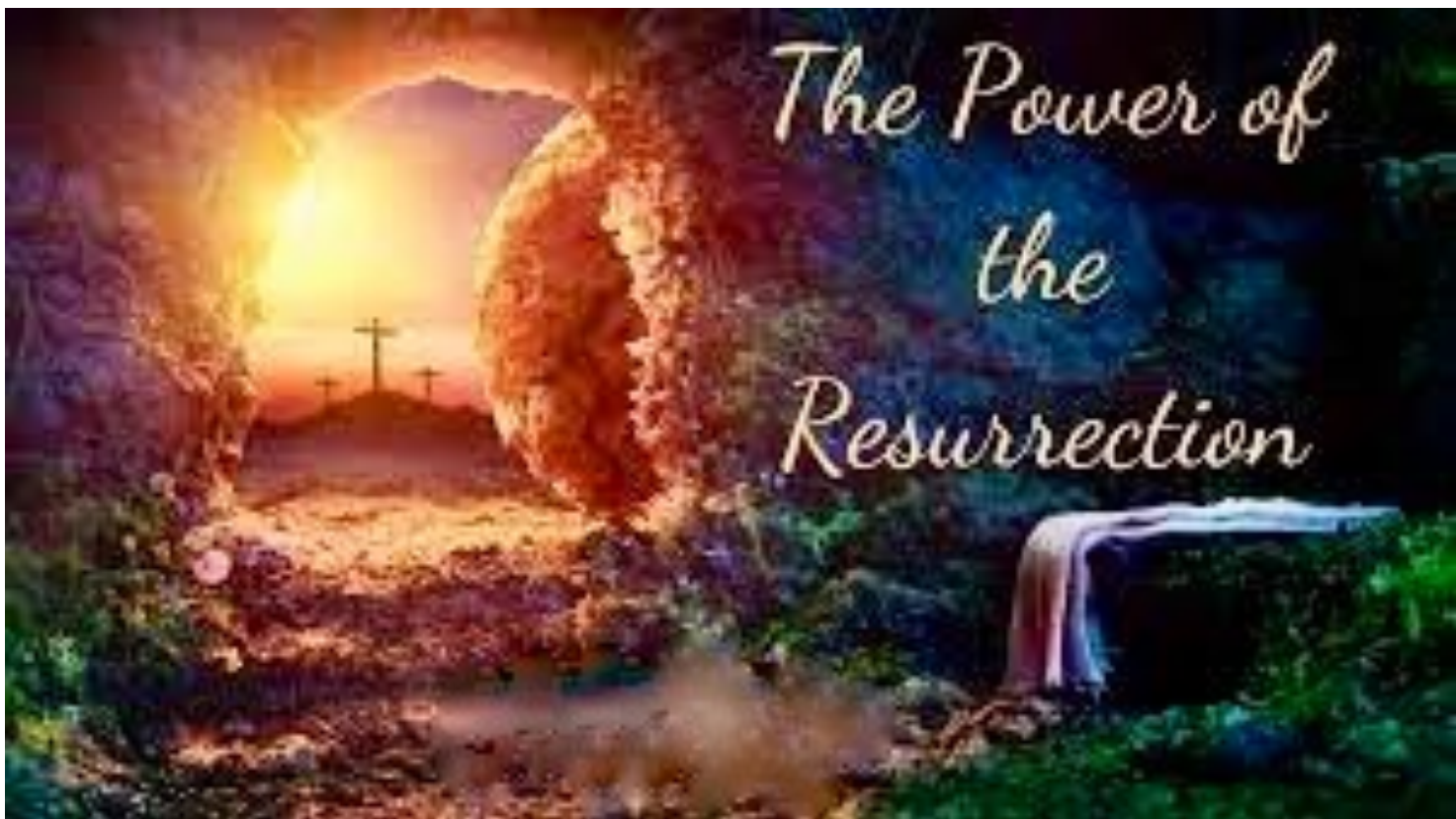


Stoneham Memorial Seventh-day Adventist Church

29 Maple St. Stoneham, MA 02180

Our Motto: To live and share the truth about God and His Kingdom.



Our Mission Statement: We are committed to sharing the truth about God with the world. Believing that everything we do changes the world, we commit to demonstrate God's love and truth to each person He brings into our lives. Through His power and guidance we will choose to act with compassion, creativity and cooperation.

Sunset today 7:18pm

April 8, 2023

Sunset Next Friday 7:25pm

Welcome To Stoneham Memorial Church

Organ Prelude: J. S. Bach (1685-1750): Choral Prelude: 'O Man, Bemoan thy Grievous Sin' BWV 622
Organ Postlude: J. S. Bach (1685-1750): Choral Prelude: 'Christ is Risen' BWV 627

Today we come to the most sublime of all the Little Organ Book chorales, and one of Bach's greatest pieces in any form: 'O Man Bemoan thy Grievous Sin'. The chorale text takes us away from the violence and physicality of the Passion story, instead asking us to look inward, and reflect on our own flaws. Bach chose the most tender of forms, an ornamented chorale, for this moment of grief-stricken introspection, and his writing is so exquisite that this piece has always held a special place among his organ works.

The German Easter hymn, Christ is risen is likely the oldest German liturgical song, with the first verse sung as early as 1100 to venerate the cross. It has inspired music by composers from the sixteenth century through to the present day. Through the three sections of Christ is risen Bach builds excitement gradually, by slowly extending motifs and increasing harmonic and textural intensity. The last verse culminates in the triumph of resurrection, when Christ broke the bonds of death and burst forth out of the tomb. Christ is risen! Alleluia!

Online Giving – www.tinyurl.com/smcgives

Church at Study 9:20AM.

Adult Sabbath School

Sabbath School Leader – Odeli Zarate

Today's Lesson – ***A Moment of Destiny***

You can access the Sabbath School Lesson for FREE at absg.adventist.org

There is also a FREE - SS app for your iPad in the App Store.

Acceptance – Left Front Sanctuary

Encourages open discussion of the lesson

InVerse – Right Rear Sanctuary

Young Adult - Dialogue in Scripture

Deep Roots – Mothers' Room

The lesson anchored with Adventist heritage

Come and Reason – Fellowship Hall

A roundtable Bible discussion

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Church Finances as of Mar. 31, 2023

Budget Donations Mar. \$8,995.25

Budget / mth \$14,000.00

Budget +/- for mth (\$5,0044.75)

YTD Budget Donations \$34,028.50

YTD Budget +/- (\$7,971.50)

GBA Reserve Fund: \$47,886.76

Church Attendance for April 1, was 136.

Church at Worship

11:00AM

Life is worth living because Jesus Lives!

Organ Prelude: J. S. Bach (1685-1750): Choral Prelude: 'O Man, Bemoan thy Grievous Sin' BWV 622

Welcome Pastor Fredy Reinosa

Worship in Singing Solid Rock

Hymn **#166, "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"** Congregation

Children's Story Olga Slocum

Worship in Giving **Hope Channel International** Dennis Stevens
All Loose Offerings go to Church Budget

Scripture **Philippians 3:10** John Valentin

Pastoral Prayer John Valentin

Special Music Solid Rock

Sermon **"The Power of the Resurrection"** Pastor Reinosa

Hymn **"Because He Lives"** Congregation

Benediction Pastor Reinosa

Organ Postlude: J. S. Bach (1685-1750): Choral Prelude: 'Christ is Risen' BWV 627

TODAY

Deacon Team Leader: Deborah Donnelly
Greeters: Edit Székely & Phuong Wilson
Worship Coordinator: Solid Rock Group

NEXT WEEK

Deacon Team Leader: Dan Rich
Greeters: Andrew Christiansen & Cynthia Bradley
Worship Coordinator: Andrews Group

Announcements

April 8, 2023

Something About That Name

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus
There's just something about that name.
Master, Savior, Jesus,
Like the fragrance after the rain.
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus,
Let all Heaven and earth proclaim
Kings and Kingdoms will all pass away,
But there's something about that name.

Turn you eyes upon Jesus
Look full in His wonderful face
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim,
In the light of His Glory and Grace.
(repeat first part)

Because He Lives

God sent His Son, they called Him Jesus;
He came to Love, Heal and Forgive;
He lived and died to buy my pardon,
An Empty grave is there to prove my Savior Lives!

Because He Lives, I can face tomorrow,
Because He lives, all fear is gone;
Because I know He holds the future,
And life is worth the living, Just because He Lives!

And then one day, I'll cross the river,
I'll fight life's final war with pain;
And , as death gives way to vict'ry,
I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He lives!

Because He Lives, I can face tomorrow,
Because He lives, all fear is gone;
Because I know He holds the future,
And life is worth the living, Just because He Lives!
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