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Christ, Our Soon Coming King

“Lord Transform Me”

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WOMEN’S MINISTRIES : “SISTERS FOR SISTERS”

Words of empowerment and inspiration, coming from women.



The submission this week is from *Mrs. Jacqueline Gibson*, Women’s Ministries Director, South Bahamas Conference of Seventh-day Adventists.

What was “normal” just two months ago is drastically different now.

Going to work has changed. Going to church has changed. Going grocery shopping has changed. Interacting with family and friends has changed. To sum it all up, life has drastically changed.

With any type of change, our natural inclination is to switch into “what if mode”. What if I don’t make the change? What if I don’t like the change? What If I don’t survive the change?

This scenario describes many, if not most of us. Our reaction, our response, our state of mind. We are all human and, in our humanness, there are times, especially in times of crisis, we not only forget who we are, but whose we are. Who are we? God’s Beloved Daughters.

Sisters let us shake off our shoes of worry and slip-on shoes of worship. Replace our hats of fear, for fascinators of faith. Turn our lockdown misery into dynamic ministries that transcend the four walls of a traditional church.

Yes, pangs of uncertainty will trouble us from time to time. However, from one sister to another, let me remind you of this: “Day by day and with each passing moment, ..strength we find to meet our trials here. Trusting in our father’s wise bestowment, we’ve no cause for worry or for fear”.

Covid-19 came and presumably knocked us way off course. But whose course? Ours or God’s? If we truly believe in all things God works for the good of those who love Him, we

will seize the current opportunity to reflect on, reconfigure, and reset our ministry’s compass.

Stay in faith dear sister, this too shall pass. **READY!** God has an amazing work for us to do when this is behind us. **SET!!** Let’s get poised to...**GO!!!**

2020 Theme: God’s Beloved Daughters
‘How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news’ – Romans 10:15.

Pause and Pray Wednesday.

Don’t forget our weekly *Pause and Pray* appointment on Wednesdays at noon.

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTES TODAY’S SPECIAL WORSHIP SERVICE

SABBATH MAY 16, 2020

Everyone is invited to a very special Divine Service to be held by the Inter-American Division of Seventh-day Adventists (for the Unions/Conferences within their territory) from 11:00a.m to noon. You can join in with the service by connecting via the link: webcast.interamerica.org.

The service will also be broadcast on WORD SBC 88.3FM and on our Cable television channel ATV658 at 11:00a.m.

--Administration.

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Mondays - Fridays 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Sundays - Closed.

The social distancing rule will be applied during your visit. - *ABNC Manager*.



BIBLE CLASS

The South Bahamas Conference of Seventh-day Adventists continues its Bible class this Sunday with a journey through the book of Revelation. Subject: The Revelation Seven Churches. Questions that will be discussed are:

- Similarities between the glorified Christ and how he introduces himself to the Church.
- Time period for the Churches.
- Which church did not receive a rebuke or commendation, and to which church was promised to sit next to Jesus on His throne?

These and more on Sunday via Zoom and Youtube @ 6:30p.m.

Next Sunday May 23 Dr. Jon Paulien, Dean of the Religion Department of Loma Linda University will be the guest speaker at our Bible Class. For further information please contact Pastor Lynden Williams via email at lwilliams@sbcadventist.org.bs
-- *Pastor Lynden Williams, Bible Studies & Spirit of Prophecy Coordinator.*



MEN’S MINISTRIES

May 16, 2020 is *World Day of the Boy Child*. Today we would like to encourage our Men’s leaders in our churches and men in general to mentor a young man/boy to help steer him in the right direction.

- Do you know that boys go through physical, psychological and emotional pain?
- Do you know that boys undergo depression and can be consumed by low self-esteem and repressed emotions?
- Do you know that boys have natural and spontaneous reaction to disappointment?
- Do you know that boys are vulnerable too?

Listed are the ten core principles of our *World Day of the Boy Child*, and we will continue as Men to do our part to ensure our boys and young men have good role models.

1. Educating and mentoring.
2. Honouring boys who are talented and achievers.
3. Rescuing boys from poverty and war.
4. Eradicating illiteracy and underachievement.
5. Addressing discrimination against boys.
6. Promoting positive minds and healthy boys.

7. Offering freedom and safety.
8. Championing equality and equity.
9. Maintaining good values and morals.
10. Empowering boys.

--Mr. Curtis Bryan, Men's Ministries Coordinator.

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**WORSHIP WITH ONE OF
 OUR CHURCHES**

Friday May 15th - Saturday May 16th, 2020
 Wednesday May 20th, 2020.

****PLEASE NOTE: ALL DIVINE
 SERVICES ARE ADJUSTED THIS WEEK
 TO ACCOMMODATE
 THE JOINT IAD SERVICE.**

Churches Worshipping Via ZOOM
Please Contact Pastors for Links to Meetings.

- **BETHANY (VIA ZOOM & YOUTUBE)** – Pastor Jamal Franklin – Email: jfranklin@sbcadventist.org.bs

Adventist Youth Service
 Time: Friday at 7:00 p.m.

Sabbath Prayer & Praise Service
 Time: Saturday at 8:00 a.m.

Sabbath School Services

Adult Unit - Classes 1-3
 Time: Saturday at 5:00 p.m.

Children's Class
 Time: Saturday at 3:00 p.m.

Youth Class
 Time: Saturday at 5:00 p.m.

Divine Worship
Via YouTube and Facebook
 @bethany242
 Time: Sabbath at 10:00 a.m.

Wednesday Prayer & Praise Service
 Time: Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

- **GOOD NEWS (VIA ZOOM)** - Pastor T. Basil Sturupp
 Email: sturupp1@gmail.com
Facebook & YouTube pages: Good News SDA Church Bahamas
Adult Sabbath School
 Time: 9:30a.m – 10:50a.m.

C.H.A.M CONNECT
 Children ages 5-14years
 Time: 10:00a.m – 10:50a.m.

Divine Worship Service
 Time: 11:00a.m – 12:00p.m.

Youth Bible Class/ Vesper – Sabbath Afternoon Time: 5:30p.m.

Wednesday Prayer & Praise Service / Bible Study – The Book of Proverbs
 Time: Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

- **GRANT'S TOWN (VIA ZOOM)**
 Pastor Leonardo Rahming

Email: lrahming@sbcadventist.org.bs

- **HILLVIEW (VIA ZOOM /YOUTUBE)**
 Pastor Michael Toote

- **JOHNSON PARK, CROOKED ISLAND, ACKLINS (VIA ZOOM)**
 Pastor Danhugh Gordon

- **BEREA & BREATH OF LIFE (VIA ZOOM)** - Pastor Edward St. Fleur

- **MESSAGE OF HOPE (VIA ZOOM)**
 Pastor Melvin Lewis

- **NEW PROVIDENCE & REAL HARVEST, ELEUTHERA, NORTH & SOUTH ANDROS DISTRICTS (VIA ZOOM)** - Pastors: Alvarico Moss, Manasseh Simms, Lee Burrows, Kareem Black
 Email: amoss@sbcadventist.org.bs

Friday Vesper - 7:00p.m
Sabbath School – 9:30a.m.
Divine Worship – 11:00a.m.
Wednesdays - 7:00p.m.

- **NEW ENGLERSTON** – Pastor Lynden Williams
 Email: lwilliams@sbcadventist.org.bs
VIA ZOOM & NEW ENGLERSTON SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH YOUTUBE CHANNEL
Sabbaths: 9:15a.m.
AY: 6:00p.m.

- **LONG ISLAND (VIA ZOOM)** - Pastor Jon Dorsett
 Email: jondorsett7@gmail.com
Sabbath School – 9:00a.m.
Divine Worship – 11:00a.m.
Sabbath Afternoon Bible Class – 5:00p.m.

- **ADELAIDE / BETHEL (VIA ZOOM/ Whatsapp)**
 Pastor Larry Green
 Email: pastorlg@yahoo.com
Sabbath School – 10:00a.m.
Divine Service – 11:00a.m.

- **LIVING FAITH (VIA ZOOM)** – Pastor Raydell Duffis
 Email: rduffis@sbcadventist.org.bs
Prayer Meeting Wednesday - 7:00p.m.
Night of Encouragement Thursday - 8:00p.m.
Youth Bible Study Friday - 5:30p.m. - 6:30p.m.
Sabbath Reception Friday Evening - 7:00p.m.
Sabbath School - 9:15a.m.
Divine Service - 11:00a.m.

- **LA SENDA DE LA VIDA (VIA ZOOM)** - Pastor Ludwing Garcia

Email: lgarcia@sbcadventist.org.bs
Sabbath School - 10:00a.m.
Divine Service - 11:00a.m.
Wednesday Prayer & Praise Service - 7:30p.m.

- **GAMBIER** - Pastor Craig Williams
 VIA ZOOM Saturday @ 10:00a.m.

FACEBOOK

- **AGAPE, REDEMPTION (VIA ZOOM) & PHILADELPHIA**
 Pastor Carl Johnson, Dr. Peter Joseph
Wednesdays @ 7:30p.m. – 8:30p.m.
Sabbath Services
Sabbath School - 10:00a.m.
Divine Service: @ 11:30a.m.
Adventist Hour Via Zoom 6:00p.m. – 7:15p.m.
****Visit David William' / Philadelphia Church FB Page.**
****Redemption Seventh-day Adventist Church FB page.**

- **CENTREVILLE & NEW HAVEN**
 Dr. Paul Scavella
 Centreville Church's FB Page
Sabbath School at 10:30a.m.
Divine Worship and Sermon at 11:00a.m.
Bible Study/Mid-Week Prayer Service - Wednesdays at 7:00p.m.

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WHATSAPP VIDEOS / MESSAGES

- **PEARDALE & EPHEsus (VIA ZOOM)** - Pastor Nikita Thompson
 Email: nthompson@sbcadventist.org.bs
- **EBENEZER & FRANCOPHONE**
 Pastor Wilson Isnord (Facebook)
- **MARANATHA** - Pastor Valentino Campbell
- **SAN SALVADOR** – Pastor Ludwing Garcia / Elder Michelle Williams

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 ATV658 NEWS, as well as weekly programming.



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 May 23, 2020 at 7:51p.m.

Happy Sabbath!