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August 2025

*Toronto Japanese Seventh-day Adventist Church*

WELCOME TO OUR  
**Weekly  
Announcements**

HAPPY SABBATH EVERYONE!!!

## ANNOUNCEMENT HIGHLIGHTS & SPECIAL ATTENTION

### CHURCH IS OPEN!

Please continue to do a self-assessment (see attached) and if you are not feeling well, we ask if you can just join us online.

#### 1. Valleyview Visitation!!

Thank you everyone who were able to come and support, Dorcas and JM to fill in to play the guitars, Sharane, Shanice to help with the games and computer and everyone else who came to sing and help the senior play Bible Bingo!

The support lady obviously is SDA and she was thrilled saying this reminded her of when she was part of Vacation Bible School and thanks all of you!

#### 2. Shelter Run Saturday!!

We will be going out again to bring both physical and spiritual food to those less fortunate.

If you have any old track pants or t-shirts, women's undergarments, etc., that you can give away, please bring them.

We'll start prepping after lunch & learn / Potluck!

#### 3. Chorus Practice!!

We will be continuing our weekly online practice for a month to see if we can nail down Hallelujah Chorus so please join the online practice and we will meet in person August 9<sup>th</sup> and try to practice all together page by page.

'Six days shall work be done, but the seventh day is a Sabbath of solemn rest, a **holy convocation**. You shall do no work on it; it is the Sabbath of the LORD in all your dwellings.'

**Convocation:** Oxford Dictionary:  
"the action of calling people together for a large formal assembly."  
God said "Come to My House" every Sabbath - Come worship with us!



## ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPCOMING EVENTS



### 1. JULY 26th

- **9:30 Sabbath School**
  - We're into the Book of Exodus! So many lessons!
  - Invite your family and friends in person or online to see how this relates to you and so you can share confidently!
- **11:00 AM Worship Service**
  - Pastor will be sharing God's message - please pray for him.
- **12:45 PM Short Prayer Meeting**
  - English Mothers' Room and Japanese in Sanctuary
- **1:00 PM Potluck & Lunch & Learn** (In-Person & Online)
  - Please grab some food and join us and you can just listen or join in to share! We'll continue our Sabbath School lesson that we weren't able to finish with highlights and discussions!
- **2:30 PM Shelter Run Prep and Visitation**

### 2. AUGUST 2nd

- **2:30 PM** Forestview Visitation

### 3. AUGUST 9th

- **2:30 PM** In-Person Chorus Practice!

### 4. AUGUST 16th

- **3:00 PM** Valleyview Visitation
- **6:00 PM** AY at Peter & Patricia's



**POWER OF PRAYER**  
*Jeremiah 29:12 – “Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you.”*

## PRAYERS OF THANKS

- **Valleyview Visitation:** Thanking God for a wonderful visit last week with traveling mercies!
- For all our **visitors!** Praying they feel God’s presence and build their relationship with Christ
- **God's daily provisions and protection** – Physically, Mentally and Spiritually
- **God's daily lessons and mercy**

## NEW & TIMELY REQUESTS

- **Tim** – Please pray for Tim as his cancer is spreading again quickly...
- **Eriko and her family:** For peace and faith through her changing condition
- **Tomoko** and her mom’s situation to finish everything needed

## CHURCH INITIATIVES

- **Pentecost 2025:** Planning & participation!! Aiming to reach our families!
- **Senior Visitation:** Prayers for our monthly planning on future visitations and pray we can reach others in that residence and uplift and share hope in Jesus.
- **For Family & Friends:** Prayers for those who have not accepted Christ yet – please pray to reach them and for them to join the Bible studies.
- **Revival:** Please pray for revival for this church to come together to serve Him.
- To become a **lighthouse**
- **More Participation:** Bible studies, evangelism, event planning, mission trip
- **All members:**
  - To be able to share and participate
  - Put God first in their lives
  - Conviction of the Holy Spirit in everyone’s lives

## FOR LOSS

- Those who lost loved ones and continue to feel the loneliness and loss

*Isaiah 65:24 – “Before they call I will answer; while they are still speaking I will hear.”*

## FOR OUR SENIORS

- Japanese-Speaking Senior Outreach programs
- Our seniors who are having degrading memory issues, protection from falls and illness

## PRAYERS FOR HEALTH

- **Sister Zeny:** From her fears and protection from falls and feeling the presence of the Holy Spirit so she doesn't feel alone
- **John** – Dealing with his lymphoma – please pray for healing and overall health
- **Jana's son Anthony:** as he goes through struggles – please pray that he would be open to hear how much God loves him and there's hope and be with Jana and John through this process
- **Mary's niece:** Struggling with depression – please pray that she's willing to get help and work in her.
- **Roland** – To continue to maintain his health and get him healthy!
- **Daryl** – To continue healing and getting strong and healthy so he can one day get off his medication.
- **Jeff's friend Kevin:** In Rhode Island who's health is declining
- **George and Rosa:** For healing and strength. And **Alan and Nao** as they take care of their parents.
- There are a couple of members suffering from depression and anxiety
- **Our neighbour Penny:** Not doing well and her husband Lester who doesn't know what to do – please pray they're receptive to hearing the gospel

## OTHER PRAYER REQUESTS

- **Feno:** His work and settling in, in Vancouver
- **Khody:** Finish his studies and find a good job in Toronto!
- **Daniel:** Finding good work
- **Sister Deiysi:** Her studies and her health
- **Derek:** Safety at work and his return with family to Toronto
- **David H:** My friend for the Holy Spirit to convict him and impact his circle and be saved
- **Marcia (Miller):** for protection & glorify God in her home and healing for her brother.
- **Spencer (Marcia)** – For God's strength and His strong hold on her
- **Lesa and her son Nathan:** For his mental health
- **Masoud:** For him and his family back home
- People looking for work, financial issues, job-related stresses
- Akiko, Masami, Mie, Minori and Ryo back in Japan and their continued spiritual journey

# REGULARLY SCHEDULED PROGRAMS OPEN FOR ANYONE

## SATURDAY PROGRAMS

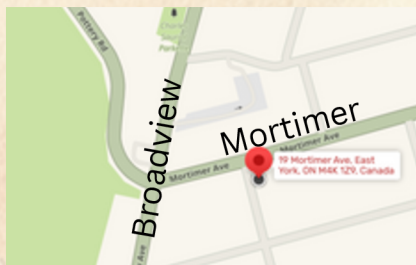
TIME	FREQUENCY	PROGRAM	LINK	ONLINE OR IN-PERSON
9:30 AM	Weekly	Sabbath School	<a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7985312071">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7985312071</a>	BOTH
11:00 AM	Weekly	Worship Service		BOTH
12:45 PM	Weekly	Short Prayer Meeting Mothers' Room; Japanese in Sanctuary		IN-PERSON
1:00 PM	Weekly	Potluck Lunch & Lunch & Learn	<a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7985312071">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7985312071</a>	BOTH
2:30 PM	1st Sabbath Monthly	Forestview Visitation		IN-PERSON
2:30 PM	2nd Sabbath Monthly	Choir Practice		IN-PERSON
3:00 PM	3rd Sabbath Monthly	Valleyview Visitation		IN-PERSON
2:30 PM	4th Sabbath Monthly	Shelter Run		IN-PERSON
	Upon Request	Baptism Preparation Bible Study	<a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7985312071">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7985312071</a>	ONLINE

## WEDNESDAY PROGRAMS

TIME	FREQUENCY	PROGRAM	LINK	ZOOM ID
7:00 PM	Weekly	Prayer Meeting	<a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7985312071">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7985312071</a>	ONLINE

## FRIDAY PROGRAMS

TIME	FREQUENCY	PROGRAM	LINK	ZOOM ID
7:00 PM	Weekly	Youth Bible Study	<a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2339744442">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2339744442</a>	ONLINE



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