

The Church at Study

9:30 a.m.

Adult Sabbath School Classes:

Sanctuary	Jeff
Kellogg	Jerry Finneman
Annex-Seminar Room	Pastor Holland
New Believers	
Annex-Fellowship Room	Steve Walker
Annex 2nd Floor	Rick Barrett
Reflectors	

Youth Sabbath School Classes:

Church Lower Level:
Cradle Roll (Ages 0-3)
Kindergarten (Ages 4-6)
Primary (Ages 7-9)
Junior (Ages 10-14)

Annex 2nd Floor	
Youth (Ages 15-18)	Youth Chapel

The Church at Worship

10:45 a.m.

Welcome & Announcements	Pastor Lovinel J. Vertus
Call to Worship	Pastor Lovinel J. Vertus
Praise Sing	Buddy Houghtaling
Invocation*	Pastor Chris Holland
Opening Hymn*	92
This is My Father’s World	
Children’s Story	Justina Thomas
Giving of Gifts	Brian Buell
Local Church Budget	
Doxology*	
Congregational Prayer	Pastor Junior Vertus
Scripture Reading	Brilsary Essex
1 John 2:15-17	
Special Music	Derek Ruimveld
Sermon	Pastor Chris Holland
The Battle For You: The Resistance	
Closing Hymn*	530
It Is Well With My Soul	
Benediction*	Pastor Chris Holland
Postlude	Aileen Hyde

*Please Stand

Please maintain a spirit of reverence in the Sanctuary

Church Giving

Systematic giving is part of being a faithful steward. When we return tithe, we are recognizing that God owns everything. Giving offerings expresses our gratitude for what God has done for us. God loves a cheerful giver.

Ways to give:

- During church service
- Mail to church office:
264 W. Michigan Ave
Battle Creek, MI 49037
- Online: [AdventistGiving.org](https://adventistgiving.org)
or use the QR Code below



Stewardship

Report

	June	YTD
Offerings Received	\$24,630.63	\$302,599.02
Actual Expenses	\$34,541.51	\$376,159.61
Gain (Loss)	\$(9,910.88)	\$(73,560.59)

Tithe and Conference		
Offerings Received	\$78,677.86	\$467,647.99

Offering next Sabbath will be for Christian Record Services for the Blind.

Church Contact Information:
Phone: 269-968-8101 **Email:** taboffice@bctab.com
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Battle Creek, MI 49037
Office Hours: M - F 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Tabernacle Media
Radio – WPGG-LP, FM 92.9
www.accessvision.tv/live-16
You Tube - [@bctabernacle](https://www.youtube.com/@bctabernacle) for livestream and all past sermons.

Announcements

Happy Sabbath and welcome to the Battle Creek Tabernacle. We are very happy that you have chosen to worship with us and we pray that you will be blessed. Please join our fellowship dinner immediately following the service. It is located in the Annex building next to the church.

Second Reading for the following positions: **Finance Committee Chair***: Chris VanderWaal, **Health Ministries***: Debbie Holland, **Communications***: Charlotte Erickson, **Head Greeter**: Angela Makoski, **Music Ministry***: Debbie Holland. * indicates that these positions serve on the Church board.

First Reading for Pat Engle for Media/IT Director and Pat and Amanda Engle for Adventurers Directors.

Bible Study Orientation will be held this afternoon in the Seminar room at 2:30 p.m. If you are interested in sharing Bible studies with someone, join us for training on how to use the One Accord software for recording the follow-up on our Bible study interests.

Please continue to pray for Pastor Moore as he recuperates from surgery following his recent fall.

If you are interested in helping the homeless at the Share Center in Battle Creek please meet with Moe after the church service in the foyer. He will have a sign-up sheet and answer your questions.

Volunteers are needed on Monday, August 3, between 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. You are invited to drop in to help complete decorating and organizing grades K-2 at BCA (Mrs. Kellogg’s rooms) for the opening of school on August 13.

Battle Creek Academy News: The new school year is fast approaching and will begin on Thursday, August 13. A work bee is scheduled for August 9, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. to help get the school in tip top shape for the faculty and students.

Sunday, August 30 a work bee for the church is planned from 9-12. There will be many jobs both big and small to complete. Please prayerfully consider volunteering a few hours of your time either on August 30th or any time throughout the weeks ahead. We not only want to prepare our church for the upcoming centennial celebration, but we want to honor God by maintaining the beauty of His House.

Calendar of Events

Today, August 1
10:45 a.m. - Worship Service - Pastor Chris Holland
Intercessory Prayer in Junior Room
Fellowship Dinner
2:30 p.m. - Bible Study Orientation Meeting
3:15 p.m. - Visitation Ministry
5:00 p.m. - Vesper
9:00 p.m. - Sunset

Sunday, August 2
11:30 a.m. - AccessVision Broadcast of the Tabernacle Service

Monday, August 3
9:00 a.m. - Church Office open (9-12)

Wednesday, August 5
9:00 a.m. - Church Office open (9-12)
7:00 p.m. - Midweek Bible Study meets in the Seminar Room (2 Corinthians)

Thursday, August 6
9:00 a.m. - Church Office open (9-12)
7:00 p.m. - Home Bible Study Group. Call Steve Walker for details at 269-275-4675.

Friday, August 7
6:00 p.m. - AccessVision broadcast of the Tabernacle Service
8:52 p.m. - Sunset

Sabbath, August 8
9:30 a.m. - Mission Sabbath School
10:45 a.m. - Worship Service - Pastor Lovinel J. Vertus
5:00 p.m. - Vespers
8:51 p.m. - Sunset

Upcoming Events
August 9 - BCA Work Bee (10:00-3:00)
August 13 - BCA begins
August 15 - Fellowship Dinner

Battle Creek Tabernacle

Seventh-day Adventist Church
August 1, 2026

