

**SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
OF FANNIN COUNTY**

**Pastor Valentin Rusu
706-897-8244**

December 16, 2023

**The Church in Study 9:30 a.m.
Adult Classes taught by Rudy Bata and Bill Wynne**

**Chorister.....Ben Thatcher
Announcements.....Chris Fannon
Praises/Prayer requests.....Chris Fannon
Worship in Giving....."Local Church Budget".....Chris Fannon
Chorister.....Ben Thatcher**

*****DIVINE WORSHIP*****

**Introit....."Holy, Holy, Holy".....No. 661
*Bell Ringing.....Deacon
*Opening Anthem....."Temple Made of Time".....Ben Thatcher
*Invocation.....Pastor Rusu
*Opening Hymn....."O Come, All Ye Faithful".....No. 132
**Morning Prayer.....Chris Fannon
**Prayer Response....."Spirit of the Living God".....No. 672
Children's Story.....Pastor Rusu
Special Music.....Nancy and Ben Thatcher
Scripture Reading....."Matthew 13:34, 35".....Chris Fannon
Sermon....."Lessons From the Parables".....Pastor Rusu
Closing Hymn....."The First Noel".....No. 118
*Benediction.....Chris Fannon
*Instrumental Recessional... "God Be With You".....No. 65
Postlude(Congregation seated & ushered out by deacon)**

**Pianist – Julie Cadavero Organist – Penny Reynolds
Elder – Chris Fannon Deacon in Charge– David Tanner**

*Congregation Stand

**Congregation Kneel

Sabbath Rest ends this evening at 5:27 p.m.
Rest anew next Friday 5:29 p.m.

Welcome to all who are worshipping with us in person and online today.

Announcements.

THIS SABBATH, December 16 – Pastor Rusu will speak.
Christmas Fellowship Meal/Angie Ledford will be coordinating.
NEXT SABBATH, December 23 – Ronnie Hold will speak.

FIRST READING: Dan, Diane, and Danielle Chung from Fannin County SDA Church to Berrien Springs Living Word Fellowship, Berrien Springs, Michigan

SECOND READING: Dennis and Bobbie Millburn from the Loganville GA SDA Church to Fannin County SDA Church.

TUESDAY DECEMBER 19 – Mandatory meeting for all greeters at 2:30 p.m. at the BLC.

FOUNTAINVIEW ACADEMY will be providing an inspiring Christmas musical concert at the following nearby locations – Friday December 15 at McDonald Rd. SDA Church (McDonald, TN) at 7 p.m. Also Sabbath December 16 at 4:30 p.m. at South Bay SDA Church (Chattanooga). Also Sunday December 17 at Calhoun SDA Church (Calhoun, GA) at 7 p.m.

Our General Missions project is to raise \$30,000 to assist the Kono mission project in Sierra Leone. \$20,304.60 raised to date.

For Sabbath School (9:30a.m.) and Church service (10:45 a.m.) on livestream log on to fanninsdachurch.com.

Mark Cadavero sends prayer requests to the text group chat. Contact Mark at 828-557-6757 to be added to the group.

Contact Angie Ledford to reserve the BLC for group gatherings. 706-455-0072.

Weekly Offering Schedule

December 23 – Georgia-Cumberland Ministries
December 30 – Cohutta Springs

Our Week at a Glance

Tuesday:Community Services Hours 10 a.m. – 2 p.m..
Community Meal 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Wednesday:Midweek Bible Study, 6 p.m. BLC or on Zoom
Thursday: Women's Bible Study, None until January 11

Upcoming Public Events

December 16 – Christmas Fellowship Meal following church service

Upcoming Church Events

January 6 – Communion Sabbath. Derek Morris will speak. Deacon ordination

January 9 – Annual Church Business/Board Meeting on ZOOM, 6:30 p.m.

January 10-11 – Days of Prayer led by Mark Cadavero 6 pm church

January 12-13 – Revival with Carl Martin 6:30 p.m. church

January 14 – Deacon/Deaconess Meeting 9 am at the BLC

May 11 – Master Chorale will have the church service

Link to General Conference Daily Reading Plan:

<https://www.revivalandreformation.org/bhp/>

Missed Sermons: <http://vimeo.com/user20778959>

Church Numbers

Church office and lobby 706-686-4788

Better Living Center 706-686-4720

Pastor Valentin Rusu 706-897-8244

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Please submit bulletin info by Wednesday noon

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Wi-Fi code for church and BLC is Welcome!
