



Seventh-day
Adventist Church
Newlife
5th Ngong' Avenue, Nairobi

Sabbath Bulletin

Theme: *"I am With You Always"*

Key Text: *Matthew 28:19-20*



26th April 2025

VISITORS' CORNER

We are glad you joined us today. God bless you for taking time to come worship with us today. We would be happy for you to make this your place of worship. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to ask our welcome team on +254 706 222 326. Check our website, church noticeboard and various social media platforms for updates. Welcome and God bless you.

OUR MISSION

The Mission of the Seventh-day Adventist Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ who live as His loving witnesses and proclaim to all people the everlasting gospel of the Three Angels' Messages in preparation for His soon return (Matt 28:18-20, Acts 1:8, Rev 14:6-12).



TITHE AND OFFERINGS

"But this I say: He who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. So let each one give as he purposes in his heart, not grudgingly or of necessity; for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to make all grace abound toward you, that you, always having all sufficiency in all *things*, may have an abundance for every good work."

2nd Corinthians 9:6-8 – NKJV

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Happy Sabbath! Shabbat Shalom!

A warm welcome to the Strategic Plan Sabbath. We are blessed to have you worship with us. Our speaker is Elder Tom Omurwa. We welcome and pray for him as he prepares to speak on the subject **"I am with you Always"**. The message is inspired by **Matt 28:19-20**.

Please lift in prayer Elder Tom and all those ministering today. May God guide, bless, and inspire them as they lead us in worship.

PASTORAL MESSAGE: "STRATEGIC PLAN LAUNCH"



Today, we are launching a bold five-year Strategic Plan (2025–2029) to strengthen the Newlife Adventist Church's ministry and outreach in South Nairobi Kajiado Field (SNKF) and beyond.

Rooted in Scripture and inspired by the Holy Spirit, this plan calls members to deepen discipleship, grow in fellowship, and serve purposefully — empowered by the Word of God and a Spirit-led vision.

Plan to join us as we dedicate the Strategic Plan to the Lord and have an in-depth discussion in the afternoon where various presenters will dive into the contents of the plan and explain how each church member can get involved.

"Commit your works to the LORD, And your thoughts will be established" {Proverbs 16:3, NKJV}

God bless you!

All visitors are humbly requested to meet the **Interest Coordination** team immediately after the Divine Service on the right-hand side of the pulpit next to where the pulpit team sits.

1. Servants on Duty

Elder-in-charge of:

- Order and Visitation (Week: 27th April – 3rd May 2025): **Erick Ayieko**: +254 722 687 323
- Pulpit: **Tom Akungu**
- Stewardship: **Reuben Orwaru**

Today's Lead Deaconate Team:

- **Bro. Michael David Ayieko**: +254 721 660 756
- **Sis. Martha Ombui**: +254 713 736 110

For any assistance or inquiries in these areas, feel free to reach out.

2. 🏕️ Camp Meeting 2025

- You are encouraged to plan ahead, **take leave**, and join us this spiritually enriching annual convocation. The dates are as tabled below:

Camp Meeting	Date
Saikeri Sabbath School	10 th – 16 th Aug 2025
Main & Childrens Camp	16 th – 23 rd Aug 2025
Prison Camp	To be confirmed

- This year's Camp Meeting Offering goal is **KES 2.5M**. You are encouraged to plan and give generously. Last year, we realized **KES 984,749** against a target of **KES 2.5M**. It is from this financial pool that the SNKF supports mission activities, including cash appropriations to churches and schools.

3. One Church, One Budget, One Programme

Next Sabbath, **3rd May 2025**, being the first Sabbath of the month, you are kindly reminded to give an offering towards the Local Church Budget (LCB). Among others, this fund meets expenses towards evangelistic campaigns/missions, Camp Meetings, Administration, Welfare, Newlife Adventist School – Saikeri (NASS), Chaplaincy and other departmental programs. Please prayerfully plan your giving through any of the following methods:

- ✓ Using the offering envelope – **Local Church Budget (LCB)** section.
- ✓ M-PESA Paybill **861200**; Account: **LCB**, or
- ✓ Standard Chartered Bank, Kenyatta Avenue Branch; Account Number: **0102022990600**. Reference: **LCB**

God bless you.

4. Church Board Meeting

There will be a virtual Church Board tomorrow, **Sunday, 27th April 2025** at 9:00 AM. All Church Board members are requested to attend.

5. Church Business Meeting

There will be a physical Church Business Meeting next Sabbath, **3rd May 2025** from 2:00 PM here in church. All church members are encouraged to attend.

6. Diaconate

- i. To uphold order and reverence in the house of God, **please do not remove chairs from the Main Sanctuary without diaconate's approval.**
- ii. Kindly note that conducting business within the church precincts is not permitted, except for Newlife Garden Cafeteria Limited. We appreciate your cooperation in maintaining an **orderly and reverent worship environment.**

7. Baby Dedication

There will be a Baby Dedication Ceremony next Sabbath, **3rd May 2025**. Parent(s) who wish to avail his/her(their) child(ren) for this service is(are) encouraged to register via this [link](#) or send the below information to church clerk, Sis. Janet Jematia, on +254 722 560 934.

- Full name of the child,
- Date of birth of the child,
- Full name(s) of the parent(s),
- Phone number of parent(s).

8. Baptismal Classes

Those who desire to be baptised are invited to join the Baptismal Class. The class meets every Sabbath from 8:30 AM for Bible study.

9. Welfare Ministry

The Welfare leadership is appealing to church members to support those in need through in-kind donations. Many among us are facing hunger or could greatly benefit from clothing donations. If you have items to give, such as food or clothes that are no longer in use, please consider contributing to this noble cause. For more information on how to offer your support, contact the Welfare leader, Sis. Eucabeth Onuog'a, on +254 722 741 282.

10. Adventurer Club

The club is requesting parents of children who have outgrown their uniform to donate them to the club. For more information, reach out to the Director, Tr. Elizabeth Ochieng (+254 724 523 975). God bless you.

11. Pathfinder Club

There will be a Social Sunday tomorrow, **27th April 2025** at All Saints School-Madaraka. For more information, please contact the Pathfinder Director, Elder Emmanuel Otieno, on +254 722 447 373.

12. Young Adults Ministry

- i. Every youth who wishes to be part of this ministry this year is invited to register with a membership fee of **KES 150** payable to the Treasurer: Sis. Ruth Koskei (+254 713 847 336).
- ii. Young Adults are reminded of their Sabbath School class every Sabbath at 8:55 AM. The class meets next to where the Church Choir sits.

13. Ambassadors Ministry

Youth aged 16–21 are urged to register and join the Ambassador Ministry. The fee is **KES 500** payable to the Treasurer, Sis. Sharon Ochuka (+254 114 562 080).

14. Public Campus Ministries (PCM)

- i. The PCM invites all Ambassadors, Young Adults, students and staff in various institution of higher learning to the inaugural **East Kenya Union Conference (EKUC) PCM Convention** to be held at Kenyatta University from **30th April to 3rd May 2025**. The guest speaker will be the General Conference (GC) Associate Youth Director Dr. Pako Mokgwane. Registration fee is KES 2500 (Without accommodation) and KES 4500 (with accommodation). Registration [link](#).
- ii. The entire church is warmly invited to **PCM Week 2025**, running from **22nd June 2025** and culminating in the celebration of **World PCM Day on Sabbath of 28th June 2025** at the sanctuary here in Newlife. Welcome to this special week of worship and fellowship!
- iii. We invite members interested in serving as mentors or guest speakers at public campuses to enroll and contribute to this initiative. For more

information, kindly contact the Secretary, Bro. Korimbias Morphine, on +254 796 64812.

15. Adventist Men's Ministries (AMM)

- i. There will be a joint social Sunday activity for AMM and AWM members on, **25th May 2025** involving a hike up the Ol Donyo Sabuk Hills. The cost is **KES 500** per person payable to the AMM Treasurer, Bro. Justus Gekone (+254 727 242 477). Kindly pray for this event and remember to register for it.
- ii. All men not in the AMM WhatsApp Group are encouraged to reach out to the AMM Secretary, Bro. Maxuel Omondi (+254 712 060 431) to be added.

16. Adventist Women's Ministries (AWM)

- i. All women who are not in the AWM WhatsApp group are urged to reach out to the Secretary, Sis. Rebecca, on +254 742 379 009 to be added. All women are encouraged to attend.
- ii. The second AWM Prayer Night (KESHA) will be held next Saturday, **3rd May 2025**. For more information, please contact the Secretary, Sis. Rebecca Moyo. All women are encouraged to attend.
- iii. 2025 AWM registration is still open at **KES 500** payable to the church M-PESA paybill number: **861200**; Account: **AWM Reg.** The registration form has been shared in the AWM WhatsApp group.
- iv. The **AWM Retreat** will take place at Lake Naivasha Resort from **20th to 22nd June 2025**. The total cost, including full board, transport, and team building facilities and activities, is **KES 24,000** "per person sharing" and payable through the church's M-PESA paybill number: **861200**; Account, "**AWM Retreat**". Partial payment can be made as follows: KES 12,000 by 30th April, KES 6,000 by 31st May and KES 6,000 by 15th June 2025. Additional information will be shared on the AWM WhatsApp Group.

17. Education

The Newlife Adventist School-Saikeri (NASS) Board of Management (BOM) invites church members to donate laptops, desktops, or a printer to support the implementation of the Competency-Based Curriculum (CBC). Your

contribution will have a lasting positive impact on the education of NASS learners.

18. Adventist Possibility Ministries (APM)

The APM has organized a **Sign Language Training** here at Newlife church every **Sunday 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM** from **6th April to 29th June 2025**. Interested souls are encouraged to register with APM leader, Sis. Dorothy Obura (+254 721 607 106) or Pastor's Office. Departments are also encouraged to sponsor candidates. Charges are **KES 3,000** per person payable via M-PESA Paybill **861200**. Account: **APM YourName**. For more information, kindly contact Sis. Dorothy.

19. Chaplaincy Ministry – Hospital

- i. The ministry visits and supports the sick at home and in hospitals. Should you need these services, reach out to the Chaplaincy Ministry – Hospital leader, **Sis. Nelly Koskei**, on **+254 721 864 793** or the Diaconate leadership.
- ii. The ministry is appealing for donations in kind to support their outreach programs. You may give baby clothes, baby shawls, pampers, prophecy books, slippers, soaps, tissue paper, sanitary pads, or long-life milk. God bless you.

20. Counselling Ministry

The Counselling Department reminds you that it is here to support your mental, emotional, and spiritual well-being. Why Counselling Matters?

- i. **Therapy is Normal:** It's okay to seek help—mental health is just as important as physical health.
- ii. **Safe & Confidential:** A private space to heal, grow, and be heard.
- iii. **Faith & Healing:** Christian therapy supports your walk with God while addressing life's challenges.
- iv. **Stronger Relationships:** Learn healthy communication and strengthen your connections
- v. **Build Resilience:** Gain tools for coping, self-care, and emotional strength.

Let's break the stigma & grow together in Christ.

21. Church Clerks' Desk

a. Wedding Banns

Youth intending to get married and married couples intending to formalise their union should notify the church **AT LEAST 3 MONTHS** before the date of the wedding. Wedding notification forms are available from Monday to Friday at the Pastor's office (church secretary). You may also contact any of the Church Clerks or reach us through our church website.

b. Collection of Baptismal and Baby Dedication Certificates

Members are requested to collect their baptismal and baby dedication certificates. Some certificates, dating back to 2024, remain uncollected.

c. Church Membership Review

The church is in the process of reviewing and updating its Register of Members. Church Members are requested to visit our website through the [link](#) to submit their records or visit the Church Clerks' Desk to confirm their membership details.

d. Church Clerks' Services

Church members and visitors are reminded of the services offered at the Church Clerks' Desk (**next to EXIT 3**). They include; Membership Review, registration for Baby Dedication, collection of Baby Dedication certificates, Baptismal Certificates, Wedding Notification Forms, and Membership Transfer Request forms. You are most welcome.

INFO CORNER

- 1. The official website of the Seventh-day Adventist Church is www.adventist.org/. It serves as the primary source of information about the Church's beliefs, mission, and global initiatives.
- 2. **New Strategic Plan for 2025-2030**

"The Annual Council meeting on October 10, 2024, the Executive Committee of the General Conference (GC) of Seventh-day Adventists voted to adopt the official World Church Strategic Plan for 2025-2030. This plan reflects the Church's ongoing commitment to spreading the gospel and fostering spiritual growth within its global membership. Developed by the Future Plans Working Group, the new plan was [first presented](#) at the 2023 Annual Council and has since undergone refinements based on feedback from worldwide divisions.

Key Components of the New Strategic Plan

The newly voted "I Will Go" [strategic plan](#) simplifies the Church's past approach while maintaining comprehensive goals. The strategic plan approved in 2013 had 81 Key Performance Indicators (KPIs), while the last plan contained 59 KPIs. The new plan features just 22 measurable goals."

Source: [👉 link](#).

- 3. **Adventist News Network (ANN)**

Founded in 1994, the Adventist News Network ([ANN](#)) is the official news service of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. It is produced by the **Communication Department** at the Church's world headquarters in **Silver Spring, Maryland**. ANN Shares content across:

- ✓ Official websites
- ✓ Publications
- ✓ Broadcasters
- ✓ Social media platforms.

- 4. **62nd General Conference (GC) Session**

The [62nd General Conference \(GC\) Session](#) will take place in St. Louis, Missouri, U.S.A., from **3rd to 12th July 2025**.

✳️ **Theme:** "Jesus is Coming, I Will Go!"

🙏 **Request:** Kindly pray for God's guidance and blessings on this important gathering.





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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Strategic Plan Sabbath

26th April 2025

SABBATH SCHOOL (08:00 – 8:55 AM)

Song Service:	Choristers
Opening Prayer:	Sis. Lillian Mageto
Welcome & Introduction:	Sis. Lillian Mageto
Opening Song (SDAH #12):	Choristers
Special Thought:	Bro. Isaac Nyangolo
Special Song:	Choristers
Mission Story:	Bro. Jerry Lumumba (Title: "Setting Prisoners Free" ; Renato)
Closing Song (SDAH #388):	Bro. Jerry Lumumba / Choristers
Closing Prayer:	Bro. Henry Mogere

CHURCH AT STUDY (8:55 – 10:00 AM)

Lesson Study:	Lesson Classes in Church and the Online Church Panel
Closing Prayer & Song Service:	Sabbath School Superintendent & Choristers

HEALTH NUGGET & ANNOUNCEMENT HIGHLIGHTS (10:00 – 10:30 AM)

Health Nugget (Topic: "Autism Spectrum Disorders in Childhood"):	Dr. Martha Gatumbu
Announcements Highlights:	Eld. Erick Ayieko
Worship in Music:	Choristers
SNKF	Pr. Kennedy Onchana

DIVINE SERVICE (10:30 AM – 12:35 PM)

Doxology:	Choristers
Invocation:	Eld. Tom Omurwa
Welcome & Introduction:	Eld. Mark Rotich
Welcome Song:	<i>"What A Fellowship."</i>
Dedication of 2025-2029 Strategic Plan:	Sis. Lilian Mageto
Scripture Reading (Matt 28: 18-20):	Sis. Jeda Jemima
Hymn of Praise (SDAH #359):	Sis. Jeda Jemima
Pastoral Prayer:	Eld. Mark Rotich
Offertory / Stewardship:	Sis. Ruth Owalla
Special Song:	Sis. Melanie Osuri
Offertory Response:	Choristers
Children's Sermon:	Hadassah Bii
Special Song:	Church Choir
Sermon (Topic: "I Am with You Always"):	Eld. Tom Omurwa
Closing Hymn (SDAH #573):	Choristers
Benediction:	Eld. Tom Omurwa
Recessional Hymn:	Choristers

AFTERNOON SERVICE (2:00 – 4:30 PM)

Song Service:	Choristers
Special Song:	Church Choir
Strategic Plan Launch: "Committed to the Mission" (Key Text: Matt 28: 19-20):	Strategic Planning & Implementation Committee (SPIC) Council
Music:	Church Choir
Vote of Thanks & Closing Prayer:	Eld. Tom Omurwa

Sign Language Interpreters: Hope Mandela and Stephen Koina

Choristers: Betty Achieng, Amalda Rutto, Brolyn Ochieng, Aol Onyango

Pianist: Marcia Orina

SPIC Council: Lilian Mageto (Leader), Jeremy Riro (Deputy), Henry Mogere (Secretary), Eld. Evans Isaboke, Mercy Gekonde, Eld. Tom Omurwa (Elder-in-Charge)

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