"The period of Christ's personal ministry among men was the time of greatest activity for the forces of the kingdom of darkness. For ages Satan with his evil angels had been seeking to control the bodies and the souls of men, to bring upon them sin and suffering; then he had charged all this misery upon God. Jesus was revealing to men the character of God. He was breaking Satan's, and setting his captives free. New life and love and power from heaven were moving upon the hearts of men, and the prince of evil was aroused to contend for the supremacy of his kingdom. Satan summoned all his forces, and at every step contested the work of Christ.

So it will be in the great final conflict of the controversy between power righteousness and sin. While new life and light and power are descending from on high upon the disciples of Christ, a new life is springing up from beneath, and energizing the agencies of Satan. Intensity is taking possession of every earthly element. With a subtlety gained through centuries of conflict, the prince of evil works under a disguise. He appears clothed as an angel of light, and multitudes are "giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils." 1 Timothy 4:1."

The Desire of Ages. page 257.

"In marked contrast to all this was the life of Jesus. In that life no noisy disputation, no ostentatious worship, no act to gain applause, was ever witnessed. Christ was hid in God, and God was revealed in the character of His Son. To this revelation Jesus desired the minds of the people to be directed, and their homage to be given.

[DA 261.2]

The Sun of Righteousness did not burst upon the world in splendor, to dazzle the senses with His glory. It is written of Christ, "His going forth is prepared as the morning." Hosea 6:3. Quietly and gently the daylight breaks upon the earth, dispelling the shadow of darkness, and waking the world to life. So did the **Sun of Righteousness arise**, "with healing in His wings." Malachi 4:2. "

The Desire of Ages. Page 261.



<sup>38</sup> "how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, who went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with Him." **Acts 10:38** 

The church is open each Sabbath for those who would like to be present. All may attend Sabbath School and church via zoom or by phone call. Follow the link that you receive by message or e-mail. SS and church is live streamed on Facebook at "RCSDAchurch". Video of church will also be available on You Tube wthin 6 hours. We pray that our manner of worship is a blessing to all who attend and that it will be an effective tool for outreach. Pray that the Holy Spirit will direct those seeking Bible truth will be directed to us and that we will be activated by the Holy Spirit to respond in a timely and exciting manner.

Also: Check out the new website under construction at: <a href="www.RCSDAChurch.org//">www.RCSDAChurch.org//</a>. You can find and view and print the bulleting from there. If you have content ,contact Jon, especially as regards evangelistic outreach.

## **Take Time to Be Holy**

1.Take time to be holy, speak oft with thy Lord; Abide in Him always, and feed on His Word. Make friends of God's children, help those who are weak,

Forgetting in nothing His blessing to seek.

- 2. Take time to be holy, the world rushes on; Spend much time in secret, with Jesus alone. By looking to Jesus, like Him thou shalt be; Thy friends in thy conduct His likeness shall see.
- 3. Take time to be holy, let Him be thy Guide; And run not before Him, whatever betide. In joy or in sorrow, still follow the Lord, And, looking to Jesus, still trust in His Word.
- 4. Take time to be holy, be calm in thy soul, Each thought and each motive beneath His control. Thus led by His Spirit to fountains of love, Thou soon shalt be fitted for service above.

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### **Jesus Casts Out an Unclean Spirit**

<sup>21</sup> Then they went into Capernaum, and immediately on the Sabbath He entered the synagogue and taught. <sup>22</sup> And they were astonished at His teaching, for He taught them as one having **authority**, and not as the scribes. <sup>23</sup> Now there was a man in their synagogue with an unclean spirit. And he cried out, <sup>24</sup> saying, "Let us alone! What have we to do with You, Jesus of Nazareth? Did You come to destroy us? I know who You are—the Holy One of God!" 25 But Jesus rebuked him, saying, "Be quiet, and come out of him!" <sup>26</sup> And when the unclean spirit had convulsed him and cried out with a loud voice, he came out of him. <sup>27</sup> Then they were all amazed, so that they questioned among themselves. saying, "What is this? What new doctrine is this? For with authority He commands even the unclean spirits, and they obey Him." 28 And immediately His fame spread throughout all the region around Galilee. Peter's Mother-in-Law Healed. <sup>29</sup> Now as soon as they had come out of the synagogue, they entered the house of Simon and Andrew, with James and John. 30 But Simon's wife's mother lav sick with a fever, and they told Him about her at once. 31 So He came and **took** her by the hand and lifted her up, and immediately the fever left her. And she served

Many Healed After Sabbath Sunset 32 At evening, when the sun had set, they brought to Him all who were sick and those who were demonpossessed. 33 And the whole city was gathered together at the door. 34 Then He healed many who were sick with various diseases, and cast out many demons; and He did not allow the demons to speak, because they knew Him. Preaching in Galilee. <sup>35</sup> Now in the morning, having risen a long while before daylight, He went out and departed to a solitary place; and there He prayed. <sup>36</sup> And Simon and those who were with Him searched for Him. <sup>37</sup> When they found Him, they said to Him, "Everyone is looking for You." <sup>38</sup> But He said to them, "Let us go into the next towns, that I may preach there also, because for this purpose I have come forth." <sup>39</sup> And <u>He was preaching</u> in their synagogues throughout all Galilee, and casting out demons.

Mark 1: 21-39 (NKJV)

## Sabbath School (10 am)

Church Service. (11 am)

"We don't change the message.

The Message changes us!"

Courtesy of Linda Bishop

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

District Prayer Meetings: Wed. 12 & 7; Fri. & Sab. at 7 pm.

Offerings: God is good and generous to us. God's people are generous and richly blessed. For Jan 23: Total \$1228 of which Local is \$448 and Conf is \$780.

RELIGIOUS LIBERTY time to review subscriptions. Lancaster sponsors 28 subs. They are \$6 each. Great journal and very readable. Consider giving and reading!

Speaker: Dr. Samuel Garbi---weekly.

Jesus Saves (hymn 340)

- 1 We have heard the joyful sound:
  Jesus saves! Jesus saves!
  Spread the tidings all around:
  Jesus saves! Jesus saves!
  Bear the news to every land,
  Climb the steeps and cross the waves;
  Onward!—'tis our Lord's command;
  Jesus saves! Jesus saves!
- Waft it on the rolling tide, Jesus saves, Jesus saves; Tell to sinners far and wide, Jesus saves, Jesus saves; Sing, ye islands of the sea, Echo back, ye ocean caves; Earth shall keep her jubilee, Jesus saves, Jesus saves.
- 3 Sing above the battle's strife,
  Jesus saves, Jesus saves;
  By His death and endless life,
  Jesus saves, Jesus saves;
  Sing it softly thru the gloom,
  When the heart for mercy craves,
  Sing in triumph o'er the tomb,
  Jesus saves, Jesus saves.
- 4 Give the winds a mighty voice, Jesus saves, Jesus saves;
  Let the nations now rejoice.
  Jesus saves, Jesus saves;
  Shout salvation full and free,
  Highest hills and deepest caves,
  This our song of victory,
  Jesus saves, Jesus saves.

#### JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

2 Bob Grimm. 6 Ian Roesler. 11..Rebecca Garbi. 16..LeSuongCina 18..Karen Sinnett, & Chris Shaw. 30..Cindy Knoble