

## **Mission Statement of the Roanoke Adventist Christian School**

Our mission is to foster Academic Excellence,  
Passionate Spirituality and Outstanding Character  
In each student.

### **Today's Worship Leaders**

#### **Service Coordinators:**

Marc Buch, '77 and School Board Chair  
Jackie Powell-Long, Teaching Principal, 2021 to Present

#### **Deaconesses/Greeters:**

Doris Amo-Mensah; Mela Cadio and  
Faith Cadio, Current RACS Student

#### **Offering Collection:**

Gregory Gooden, Head Elder and School Board Member  
Monique McFarlane, School Board Member;  
Chad McLennan '06;  
Howard Timmons, School Volunteer

#### **Pianist:**

Samuel Clarke, Current CONNECT Student

#### **Music:**

Choir and Chime Choir  
Oraleatha Clarke, Director

#### **Today's Elder:**

Marc Buch

### **Contact Us**

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# **Roanoke Adventist Christian School**



May 4, 2024

A Ministry of the  
**Roanoke  
Seventh-day Adventist  
Church**

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## Fellowship and Bible Study

9:00 am – 10:50 am

Adult Sabbath School - Fellowship Room	9:30 am
Sing-a-Long - Children of all Ages - Room #4	9:30 am
Children/Youth Sabbath School	10:00 am
Beginners/Kindergarten – Birth to Age 5 – Room #5	
Primary - Ages 6 to 8 – Room #4	
Juniors - Ages 9 to 11 - Room #9	
Youth - Ages 12 and up – Room #10	

## News and Notes

**WE WELCOME OUR GUESTS, FRIENDS AND MEMBERS!** We are delighted you have chosen to be here today as we gather to worship and to celebrate Christian education! Our service participants represent a span of many academic years at our school!

**TODAY WE CELEBRATE** the 85th Anniversary of our school, Roanoke Adventist Christian School. We honor our current leaders, staff and students as well as those who have paved the way. We are glad you are here to celebrate with us!

**FELLOWSHIP LUNCH** will be served immediately following today's worship service. After lunch we will be touring a Wax Museum as presented by our school students. The theme is "Missionaries/ Reformers." We hope you will join us!

**PATHFINDER FAIR** is scheduled for Sunday, May 5, in Haymarket, VA. If you still need info for you and your family, please see Jackie Powell-Long.

**FRIDAY NIGHT VESPERS** will meet on Friday evening, May 10, at 7:00. Please plan to join us as we welcome the Sabbath together.

**OUTREACH NEXT SABBATH!** Please make plans now to go to the North Roanoke Assisted Living next Sabbath, May 11 at 1:45. Everyone is invited to come visit with the residents and sing and pray and have a wonderful time sharing the love of Jesus. All ages are welcome!

**KICKBALL TOURNAMENT and PICNIC!** Sunday, May 26, 9:00 to 2:00. Sign up today to play in the Tournament! Sign up sheets are in the foyer.

**THE SABBATH** ends this evening at 8:11 and begins again next Friday at 8:17.

## Praise and Worship

11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Prelude	Chester Caswell, Teacher '82-'88 and Ryan McLennan '00
Musical Selection	Praise Team RACS and CONNECT Students
Welcome and Invocation	Marc Buch '77, School Board Chair
Video Presentation	Jackie Powell-Long, Current Teaching Principal
Praise through Music	Praise Team
Garden of Prayer	Susan Timmons, School Treasurer
Children's Story	Carla Simmons, Teacher '98-'00
Lambs' Offering*	Carla Simmons and All Children <i>Lambs' Offering is for Library Materials</i>
Video Presentation	"Looking Back; Seeing the Future"
Worship through Giving**	Sherry Otto '72 <i>Loose Offerings are for the Local Church Budget</i>
Offertory	RACS and CONNECT Chime Choir
Special Music	RACS and CONNECT Student Choir <i>"We Shall Behold Him"</i>
Sharing the Word	<i>Deuteronomy 11:18-21</i> Betty Harlow '55
Special Music	RACS & CONNECT Students, Alumni & Board Members <i>"Find Us Faithful"</i>
Introduction of Speaker	Marc Buch
Morning Message	Shelly Caswell-Parrish '85-'88 <i>"Home, Road, Bed, Door, Gate"</i>
Hymn of Dedication	RACS and CONNECT Students
Prayer and Benediction	Shelly Caswell-Parrish
Postlude	Chester Caswell and Ryan McLennan