

Sabbath School (Church at Study)

10:00 AM

Young People:

There are special classes held for our young people. These classes are under the direction of trained instructors for the following age groups. For directions to these classes please see one of the Greeters.

Beginners (Ages 0-4).....Dywanna Brewer

Kindergarten (Pre-School ages).....Saundra Brewer

Primary (Grade School ages).....Thomas Schlatter

Earliten / Junior (Middle School ages).....Violet Larry

Youth (High School ages).....Kevin McCray

Adult Service:

Praise Time Congregation

Season of Prayer Congregation

Study Time from the Adult Sabbath School Bible Study Guides
Class in the Sanctuary Elder John Olive, Teacher

Topic:

"Releasing Into Ministry"

Memory Text:

"And how shall they preach unless they are sent? As it is written: 'How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the gospel of peace, who bring glad tidings of good things!'" ([Romans 10:15, NKJV](#)).

Key Thought:

It is not enough that people be trained for evangelism and witnessing work; they must actively work for souls.

Closing Prayer Brother Vincent Harrison, S.S. Coordinator

Divine Worship Service

11:00 AM

Prelude Musicians

Introit "Oh the Glory of Your Presence" Platform Participants

Invocation Sister Chantay Reid

Welcome Elder Troy Price

Sharing With the Children Elder Joyce Southall

Praise & Worship Congregation / Praise Team

Intercessory Prayer Elder Joyce Southall
"To Him Who Sits on the Throne"

Prayer Response Congregation / Praise Team
"Power in the Blood"

Returning Tithes & Offering Elder John Olive
Loose Offering: Church Budget

Message Pastor Kevin Rhamie, Sr.
"Spies, Lies and Demise"
Bible Text: Numbers 13:30; 14:7-9

Benediction Sister Chantay Reid

Postlude Musicians

Mission Statement:

To welcome with Love and minister to,
our families, our church and our community.



Sharon Seventh-day Adventist Church

"Where the Arms of Christ are Always Open!"

Week At A Glance

Sabbath, June 2nd

- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:30 AM
- Divine Worship: 11:00 AM Prison Ministry Team Meeting: After Church Service
- Sunset: 8:53 PM

Wednesday, June 6th

- Prayer & Bible Study Meeting: 7:00 PM

Friday, June 8th

- Choir Rehearsal: 7:00 PM
- Sunset: 8:58 PM

Sabbath, June 9th

- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:30 AM
- Divine Worship (Baptism Service): 11:00 AM
- Prison Ministry Visitation (Salem, OR)
- Sunset: 8:58 PM

Church Ministries and Leaders

Pastor Kevin Rhamie (krhamie@hotmail.com).....503-427-2556
Head Elder- Troy Price.....360-885-2320
Church Clerk- Denise Williams.....503-558-9057
Church Secretary- LouVena Warner.....503-287-7649
Church Treasurer- Sharon Ewers.....503-245-3236

Department Heads

Administration- Derrick Foxworth.....503-788-4404
Education- Reuben Polk.....503-698-4442
Fellowship- Violet Larry.....503-666-6177
Outreach- Donald Cobbs.....503-723-5229

Ministry Leaders

Communications- Tom Schlatter.....503-415-7611
Community Service- Sharon Ewers.....503-245-3236
Event Planning- Drechelle McCray.....503-256-8015
Music- Linda Foxworth.....503-788-4404
Teaching- Vincent Harrison.....313-347-3290
Training and Mentoring- Kevin McCray.....503-256-8015
Cultivating Ministry- Denise Williams.....503-558-9057

June 2, 2012

Note: Bulletin information subject to change without prior notice

Remember In Prayer

Mildred Baker ³	Beauty Brown ¹
Ernest Bryant ³	Ruth Collier ¹
Marie Crane ³	Olga Doyle ¹
Norma Gabner ¹ (out of state)	James Foster ¹
Donald Ingram ³	Girtha Norman ¹
Arthur Payne ³	Harvey Rice ¹
Vergie Sloan ¹	Clarence Streeter ¹
Dovie Taylor ¹ (out of state)	Clara Young ³
Paula Vickroy ¹ (Stephanie & Shelley's Mom)	Alonzo Watts ¹
Michael Beresford ¹ (George Lake's father-in-law)	
Health Concern ¹	Hospital ²
Care Facility ³	Spiritual ⁴

If you know of anyone who should be added to the list or is in need of visitation, please call the church office.

Church Family: Let us express our caring by tokens of love: such as calling, sending a card, visiting, fixing a dish, etc.

Bereavement Notice: *Please keep the Vanarsdale/Vaughn families in prayer, as they mourn the death of their love one-Derrick Vaughn (he is the nephew of Sister Sarah Vanarsdale).*

Message Notes

Title: _____

Scripture(s): _____

Message Main Point(s) _____

What did God say to me during the Message?

Announcements - Page One

- ❖ **Welcome** to the Sharon Seventh-day Adventist Church... "Where the Arms of Christ are Always Open!"
 - If you are in search of a church home, we invite you to make our church your place of worship and become part of our church family.
 - For those who would like special prayer, our **Prayer Ministry team** is available before, during after service.

- ❖ **Contact Information:**

Church Address.....5209 NE 22nd Ave; Portland, OR 97211
 Church Telephone.....503-287-7649
 Church Fax.....503-287-8688
 Church Email.....sharonsda@qwest.net
 Church Website.....www.sharonsda.net

- ❖ **Church Courtesies:**
 - Please turn off or silence alarms, pagers, phones, etc.
 - Please be sensitive to others by not talking during services.
 - No food or drinks are to be consumed in the sanctuary.
 - Please do not use the Tithes & Offering envelopes to record notes.
 - Please insure that the Children's Quiet Bags are left behind after use.
 - Please do not run in the building.
 - Please be sure to check around you and take all your belongings and any debris.
 - Please check the bulletin board for additional church and community announcements.

- ❖ **Communications:** Please visit www.sharonsda.net and on the left side under menu click watch or listen to church services for Videos of special events and Audio of weekly church services.

- ❖ **Cultivating Ministries Team Leaders:** Please remember to **dial-in for the weekly Prayer call every Sunday at 11:00 AM.** For dial-in details, please contact Renee Williams at 503-558-9057.

- ❖ Please **SAVE the Date of Saturday, June 16, 2012 at 5:00 PM** here at Sharon Church for "**Faith, Fathers and Funds**" a benefit choir concert honoring our Faith, our Fathers and a fundraiser for the choir to attend the West Coast Music and Worship Conference in Los Angeles, CA in September. Contact Linda Foxworth for more information.

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- ❖ **Bulletin Information:** Both written and/or verbal announcements need to be submitted by Tuesdays at 7:00 PM. Please submit your information via the church's e-mail or voicemail. Any announcements received after the above time may be published in the next week's bulletin. Also, announcements may be modified due to limited space.
- ❖ **Events of Interest:**
 - ✚ **Portland Adventist Academy Graduation** on **Sunday, June 2nd** at 2:00 PM.
 - ✚ **Portland Adventist Elementary School Graduation** on **Thursday, June 6th** at 7:00 PM.
 - ✚ **WWU** (Walla Walla University) **Graduation Weekend** is June 9 & 10 in College Place, WA.
 - ✚ Sharon Church **Choir Fundraising Concert** on **Saturday, June 16th** at 5:00 PM.
 - ✚ Sharon Church **Senior Ministry Meet & Greet Session** on **Thursday, June 21st** at 2:00 PM.
 - ✚ **Communion Prayer and Preparation** is scheduled for Friday, **June 22nd** at 7:00 PM.
 - ✚ **Communion Service** is scheduled for **Sabbath, June 23rd.**
 - ✚ **Vacation Bible School** is scheduled for **June 25-30th** from 5:30-8:00 PM. See Drechelle for more info.
 - ✚ Mark your calendar – The **Church Picnic** will be held at **Columbia Park on Sunday, July 29th**
More detail to follow.
- ❖ **Notice to all 2012 graduates:** Kindergarten, 8th Grade, 12th Grade, and College please submit your information (school name, time, date, etc) to the church office by calling 503-287-7649. Thank You.
- ❖ **Prison Ministry:** The prison ministry team visits the prison in Salem on the second Sabbath of each month. **The Prison Ministry Meeting** that was scheduled for today has been changed to Sabbath, June 2nd after church service for team members and those who are interested in prison ministry visitation. Contact Sis. Sandra Graham at 503-809-9068 for more details.
- ❖ **PAES** (Portland Adventist Elementary School) will have **Summer Day Camps from June 11-August 17th** - Daily and weekly rates are available. Call 503-665-4102 or visit us at www.PAES.com.

Announcements - Page Three

- ❖ **Finance Report as of April 30, 2012**
Tithes, Combined Budget & Expenses

Tithes

Tithes primarily support the preaching, pastoral, evangelistic work of ministers and Bible teachers. In addition, because Adventist schools are an ongoing ministry to students, tithe funds are used to subsidize selected administrative salaries and a percentage of salaries for teachers. Tithe provides for the support of local, union, division and General Conference services. Tithe is not used to purchase property, build churches or fund the general operations of churches or schools. Tithes are sent directly to the Oregon Conference to support the aforementioned efforts.

Offerings-Combined Budget

Contributions to Combined Budget remain at Sharon Church to pay our church operating expenses. These expenses include but are not limited to utilities, landscape, janitorial services, subsidies to PAA and PAES, church secretary, maintenance, supporting church ministries, purchasing new equipment, church repairs, building and ground improvements. Our monthly target budget is *\$15,500/186,000 a year.

Summary

As of April 30, 2012 total year to date (YTD) contributions to Tithes/Conference Funds totaled \$69,293.62ytd/17,323.40 mo avg. Combined Budget contributions totaled \$61,209.63ytd/15,302.40mo avg. Church expenses totaled \$76,874.16ytd/19,218.54 mo avg. **Expenses exceeded Combined budget contributions by - \$15,664.53ytd /3916.13 mo avg.** The over expenditures can be attributed to a) the unexpected mandated repairs of the sidewalks in January; b) the recent discovery of a malfunctioning toilet that was constantly running. This resulted in doubling our water usage the past two billing periods and two costly high water bills; and c) church ministries are increasingly becoming more active.

What is Needed?

We need members to contribute to the local church **Combined Budget** to help cover these expenses. There are a number of exciting programs and on going activities planned for our church. Maintenance, repairs and improvements are also expensive.

The church is exploring how to enhance church services and considering acquiring large visual display screens that can be used during Worship Services and other special events. The church plans on purchasing an AED (automatic external defibrillator) in the event of a medical emergency.

We appreciate member's support of a specific or favorite ministry. However once a ministry has received sufficient monies to support its goals, it may become necessary to direct additional donations to other church ministries or combined budget. This will provide balance and ensure all ministries are successful and the church remains financially sound. Please give accordingly. We ask for your continuing prayers and financial support to the Sharon Seventh-day Adventist Church Combined Budget. If you have any questions or know someone that wants to be a special blessing to the church please contact Head Elder Troy Price or Finance Chair Derrick Foxworth (see back page for contact information.) May God continue to richly Bless You!

Praise and Worship Songs

Sabbath, June 2, 2012

Theme – **Worthy is the Lamb**

Prayer Song: To Him Who Sits on the Throne (Azusa Praise)

To Him who sits on the throne, and unto the Lamb

(Repeat)

*Be all blessing and glory And honor and power,
forever (Repeat as directed)*

Prayer Response: Power in the Blood (Hymn #294)

Would you be free from the burden of sin?

There's power in the blood, power in the blood;

Would you o'er evil a victory win?

There's wonderful power in the blood.

Chorus:

*There is power, power, wonder-working power,
in the blood of the Lamb;*

There is power, power, wonder-working power.

In the precious blood of the Lamb.

(To Chorus)

Would you be free from your passion and pride?

There's power in the blood, power in the blood;

Come for a cleansing to Calvary's tide;

There's wonderful power in the blood.

(To Chorus)

Would you do service for Jesus your King?

There's power in the blood, power in the blood;

Would you live daily His praises to sing?

There's wonderful power in the blood.

(To Chorus)

Selection #3: Oh Magnify the Lord

**Oh, magnify the Lord, for He is worthy to be
praised (repeat)**

*Hosanna, blessed be the rock, blessed be the rock of
my salvation (repeat)*

Introit: "Oh The Glory of Your Presence"

Oh the glory, of Your presence,

We Your temple, we give You reverence.

So arise to Your rest and be blessed by our praise.

As we glory in Your embrace.

As Your presence, now fills this place.

Selection #1: Worthy Is the Lamb, Darlene Zschech (Hillsong)

Thank you for the cross, Lord.

Thank you for the price you paid.

Bearing all my sin and shame, in love you came,

and gave Amazing Grace.

Thank you for the scars, Lord.

Thank you for the nail-pierced hands.

Wash me in Your cleansing flow, now all I know...

Your forgiveness and embrace.

Chorus:

Worthy is the Lamb, seated on the throne.

We crown You now with many crowns.

You reign victorious! High and lifted up.

Jesus, Son of God.

The darling of Heaven, crucified... Worthy is the Lamb.

Selection #2: I Will Love (Hillsong)

And Jesus, You alone are holy, You alone are holy,

Name above every name, Lord Jesus, You alone are worthy

You alone are worthy Jesus, the Lamb that was slain.

(repeat as directed)