

Week At A Glance

Sabbath, March 2nd

- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:30 AM
- Divine Worship: 11:00 AM
- Sunset: 5:59 PM
- LEV Workshop Concert: 6:00 PM

Monday, March 4th

- Prayer and Fasting: 6:00 AM-6:00 PM

Tuesday, March 5th

- Praying For Our Children Ministry: 6:00-6:30 PM
(contacted by email with the details)

Wednesday, March 6th

- Prayer and Power Hour: 7:00 PM

Friday, March 8th

- Sunset: 6:08 PM
- Communion Prayer and Preparation: 7:00 PM

Sabbath, March 9th – Communion Service

- Community Bible Study (Lower Level) 8:45-9:30 AM
- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:30 AM
- Divine Worship: 11:00 AM
- Sunset: 6:09 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- Donald Cobbs.....503-723-5229
Community Service- Sharon Ewers.....503-245-3236
Cultivating Ministry- Denise Williams.....503-558-9057
Event Planning- Drechelle McCray.....971-227-1619
Music- Linda Foxworth.....503-788-4404
Teaching- Vincent Harrison.....313-347-3290
Training and Mentoring- Kevin McCray.....904-891-0052
Visitation Ministry – Trudy Rice.....503-331-6922

March 2, 2013

Sabbath School (Church at Study)

9:30 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

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

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

Young Adult (College ages).....Kevin McCray

In the Sanctuary:

Praise Time Congregation

Season of Prayer Congregation

Lesson Study: The Adult Sabbath School Bible Study Guides

Topic: "Marriage: A Gift from Eden"

Memory Text: "And the Lord God said, 'It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a help meet for him.'" ([Genesis 2:18](#)).

Key Thought: God celebrated the first marriage. Thus the institution has for its originator the Creator of the universe. 'Marriage is honorable' ([Hebrews 13:4](#)); it was one of the first gifts of God to man, and it is one of the two institutions that, after the Fall, Adam brought with him beyond the gates of Paradise. What a wonderful ideal. This week's lesson looked at some of the principles behind it.

Mission Statement:

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

Divine Worship Service

11:00 AM

Prelude Musicians

Introit "Your Majesty" Platform Participants

Invocation Elder Harvey Rice

Welcome Elder Troy Price

Sharing With the Children Brother LaRay Cason

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

Praise & Worship Congregation / Praise Team

Intercessory Prayer Elder Donald Cobbs
"Revelation 19"

Prayer Response Congregation / Praise Team
"Revelation 19 Vamp"

Message Pastor Kevin Rhamie, Sr.
"Fight!"
Bible Text: 1 Timothy 6:12.

Benediction Elder Harvey Rice

Postlude Musicians



Members of the Prayer Team are available for prayer after the service

Remember In Prayer

<p>Mildred Baker³ Ernest Bryant³ Marie Crane³ Norma Gabner³ (out of state) Girtha Norman¹ Harvey Rice¹ Clarence Streeter¹ Dovie Taylor³ (out of state) Oris Wesby¹ Nena Enyinwa⁴ Jamison Proctor⁴ (God's protection as he attends school in Spain) Michael Beresford¹ (George Lake's father-in-law) Maggie Wright¹ (Derrick & Brian Foxworth's mom) Ellie Benson¹ (Rozalind's Mom)</p>	<p>Beauty Brown¹ Ruth Collier¹ James Foster¹ Donald Ingram³ Arthur Payne³ Vergie Sloan¹ CeCe Thongs¹ Loretta Flagerthy¹ Clara Young³ Lola Mathews¹ Mazell Rudder¹</p>
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Health Concern¹ Hospital² Care Facility³ Other⁴

Church Family, if you know of anyone who should be added to the list or is in need of visitation, please contact the church office with the information. Also, let's express our caring by tokens of love: such as calling, sending a card, visiting, fixing a dish, etc.

Bereavement Notice: Sis Doris Adams and family have suffered the loss of their love one, her aunt in California. Please keep the families in prayer.

Message Notes

Title(s): _____

Scripture(s): _____

Messages 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

✚ **Prayer & Fasting Day** for Sharon Church, Every **Monday 6:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.** A great day to pray with your Prayer Partner. Fast from one or more meals; Fast from junk food; Fast from the Media. We are encouraging everyone to fast from media for 24 hours (6:00 a.m. - 6:00 a.m.). There is Power in **united prayer**.

✚ **Prayer & Power Hour!** Every **Wednesday** from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Join us for an inspirational hour of Prayer, Praise and Power. Each week we pray for a different ministry. This week we will be praying for the Strategic Planning Committee.

✚ **Prayer Partners** - Our goal is for every member to have a Prayer Partner. **1+1 = ONE**. Please choose a Prayer Partner and pray together once a week in person or on the phone. (If you need a prayer partner, call 503-287-7649).

✚ **Women's Ministry Prayer Line:** Please join us every Sunday morning at 11:00 AM. See Renee Williams or Tracy Price for details.

✚ **Help Sharon Youth** attend West Coast Youth Congress April 2013!!! See flyer on the bulletin board for their February fundraiser or place your monetary donation in a Tithes/Offering envelope and label "youth congress". Thanks for your support.

✚ **Transfer of membership** (1st Reading) from Sharon Church to Your Bible Speaks Adventist Church (Portland, OR) for Kay Turay and Felicia Turay.

Announcements – Page Two

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. Also, announcements may be modified due to limited space.

Church Courtesies:

- Please turn off or silence alarms, pagers, phones, etc.
- Please be sensitive to others – no 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 or you can obtain a CD of our entire service by stopping by Audio Ministry. Donations are appreciated.

Events of Interest:

- **Praying for Our Children** is held the first Tuesday (**March 6**) of each month from 6:00-6:30 PM. If you are interested in this ministry see Chantay Reid for more details.
- **Pacific Daylight Time** begins on Sunday, March 10, 2013 at 2:00 AM. Turn clocks ahead 1 hour.
- **Strategic Planning Meeting** is scheduled for **Monday, March 11th** from 6:00 -7:30 PM in the chapel area.
- **Church Board Meeting** is scheduled for **Tuesday, March 26th** at 7:00 PM. Please note the change in date.
- A **Church Potluck** is scheduled for **March 23rd**. Fun, Food, and Fellowship - More details to come! Questions-See Drechelle McCray
- **Easter** is Sunday, March 31· 2013

Treasurer Department - If you are waiting for your **2012 tax receipts**, please contact Sharon Ewers.

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Financial Summary for 2012 year end

Tithes, Combined Budget & Expenses

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 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 December 31st for the year ending 2012

Total Church Expenses equaled \$200,701.19/ 16,725.09 mo avg.
Total Church Combined Budget equaled 184,924.82/ 15,410.40 mo avg.
Total Tithes/ Conference Funds equaled \$219,143.89 / 18,261.99 mo avg.
Expenses exceeded Combined Budget by \$15,776.37/ \$1,314.69 mo avg.

The church started 2012 with a surplus balance of \$22,583 which helped to cover many of the 2012 unexpected expenses. The 2013 starting balance will be 6,806.

Your continued giving to combined budget will ensure that the church is able to meet its financial obligations and support our local ministries. In 2013 the church will look at possibly remodeling the kitchen, downstairs bathrooms, and upgrading the audio-visual system in the church. This will only be possible with significant continued support to combined budget."

What is Needed?

We appreciate member's support of his/her 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

For

Sabbath, March 2, 2013

Theme: **Hallelujah**

(Underlined Unison)

Selection Four Continued:

People from every nation and tongue, from generation to generation;

Chorus

We worship You, hallelujah, hallelujah

We worship You, for who You are. We worship You, hallelujah, hallelujah.

We worship You, for who You are, and You are good.

Bridge

You are good, all the time, and all the time, You are good. (Repeat)

You are good, all the time, and all the time, You are good. (Repeat as directed)

Lord, You are good and Your mercy endureth forever.
Lord, You are good and Your mercy endureth forever

People from every nation and tongue, from generation to generation;

Chorus

We worship You, hallelujah, hallelujah.

We worship You, for who You are. We worship You, hallelujah, hallelujah.

We worship You, for who You are.

We worship You, hallelujah, hallelujah.

We worship You, for who You are. We worship You, hallelujah, hallelujah.

We worship You, for who You are, for who You are, for who You are.

And You are good!

Introit: "Your Majesty" By Steve Lawrence

Verse 1:

I worship You. In the beauty of holiness.

I lift my hands to You. For You are my righteousness.

You are royalty, so I crown You King of kings.

Your majesty, Your majesty.

(REPEAT in parts)

I worship You. In the beauty of holiness.

I lift my hands to You. For You are my righteousness.

You are royalty, so I crown You King of kings.

*Oh, Oh, Oh,

You are royalty, so I crown You,

King of kings. (Repeat * X5)

Vamp:

Your majesty, Your majesty.

Your majesty, Your majesty.

(Invert)

Your majesty, Your majesty.

Your majesty, Your majesty.

Selection #1: Hallelujah

*Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah
Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, praise the Lord.*

*Christ is coming, Christ is coming, Christ is coming,
Christ is coming.
Christ is coming, Christ is coming, Christ is coming,
praise the Lord.*

*Thank You Jesus, thank You Jesus. Thank You Jesus,
thank You Jesus.*

*Thank You Jesus, thank You Jesus. Thank You Jesus,
praise the Lord.*

*Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah
Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, praise the Lord.*

Selection #2: Oh Lord we praise Your name

*Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Oh Lord we praise Your name.
All the glory, all the praise, oh Lord we praise Your
name.*

**Prayer Song: Revelation 19 (Hallelujah, salvation
and glory) By Jeffery LaValley**

Chorus:

*Hallelujah, salvation and glory, honor and power unto
the Lord our God.*

*For the Lord our God is mighty, yes, the Lord our God
is omnipotent.*

*The Lord our God, He is wonderful. (Repeat as
directed)*

Prayer Response: Revelation 19 Vamp

Altos: *All praises be to the king of kings, and the Lord
of Lords, He is wonderful.*

Sopranos: *Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah,
hallelujah, hallelujah, He is wonderful.*

Tenors: *Hallelujah, salvation and glory, honor and
power, He is wonderful.*

Bass: *Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah,
hallelujah, hallelujah, He is wonderful.*

**Selection #3: Come on and praise the Lord with
me By Carlton Pearson**

Verse 1:

*(Come on and) praise the Lord with me, praise the
Lord with me.*

*(Come on and) praise the Lord with me, praise the
Lord with me.*

Chorus:

Hallelujah, hallelujah. Hallelujah, hallelujah.

Verse 2

*(Come on and) bless the Lord with me, bless the Lord
with me.*

*(Come on and) bless the Lord with me, bless the Lord
with me.*

Chorus:

Hallelujah, hallelujah. Hallelujah, hallelujah.

Verse 3

*(Come on and) clap your hands with me, clap your
hands with me.*

*(Come on and) clap your hands with me, clap your
hands with me.*

Chorus:

Hallelujah, hallelujah. Hallelujah, hallelujah.

Selection #4: Lord You are good

By Israel Houghton

*Lord, You are good and Your mercy endureth forever.
Lord, You are good and Your mercy endureth forever*

*People from every nation and tongue, from generation
to generation;*

Chorus

We worship You, hallelujah, hallelujah.

*We worship You, for who You are. We worship You,
hallelujah, hallelujah.*

We worship You, for who You are, and You are good.

*Lord, You are good and Your mercy endureth forever.
Lord, You are good and Your mercy endureth forever*

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