

Sharon Seventh-day Adventist Church

“Where the Arms of Christ Are Always Open!”

Week At A Glance

Sabbath, September 28th

- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:30 AM
- Divine Worship (Baptism): 11:00 AM
- Community Service Food Distribution: 2:00-4:00 PM
- Sunset: 6:56 PM

Monday, September 30th

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

Tuesday, October 1st

- Praying For Our Children Ministry: 6:00 PM
(Information sent via email)

Wednesday, October 2nd

- Prayer and Power Hour: 7:00 PM

Friday, October 4th

- Sunset: 6:44 PM
- Choir Rehearsal: 7:00 PM

Sabbath, October 5th

- Community Bible Study (1&3 Sabbaths - lower level): 8:45 AM
- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:30 AM
- Divine Worship: 11:00 AM
- Visitation Ministry: After Church Service
- Sunset: 6:43 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- Lou Vena 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.....360-891-7822

Ministry Leaders

Communications- Donald Cobbs.....360-891-7822
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

September 28, 2013
Baptism Service

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).....Wendy Rollocks
- Kindergarten (Pre-School ages).....Saundra Brewer
- Primary (Grade School ages).....Joan Afflack
- 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 Topic: “The Promised Revival: God’s Mission Completed”

Memory Text: “Therefore be patient, brethren, until the coming of the Lord. See how the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth, waiting patiently for it until it receives the early and latter rain. You also be patient. Establish your hearts, for the coming of the Lord is at hand” ([James 5:7-8, NKJV](#)).

Key Thought: Is it possible for the gospel to be preached to the entire world in this generation? There is always one thing to keep in mind when we discuss this topic: the mission is God’s, and He will accomplish it. At the same time, however, we must remember that we have been called to a crucial role in that final work, as well.

Mission Statement:

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

Core Values:

Prayer, Preparing People, and Praise

Divine Worship Service

11:00 AM

- Prelude Musicians
- Introit “In This Place” Platform Participants
- Invocation Elder Reuben Polk
- Welcome Elder Troy Price
- Sharing with the Children Sister Dominique Tunai
- Introducing the one being Baptized & Baptismal Vows
- Baptism
- Returning Tithes & Offering Elder Joyce Southall
- Loose Offering: Oregon Conference Youth ED Fund
- Praise & Worship Congregation / Praise Team
- Intercessory Prayer Elder John Olive
- “Alpha and Omega”
- Prayer Response Congregation / Praise Team
- “Faithful”
- Charge Pastor Kevin Rhamie, Sr.
- Presentation of gift and flowers
- Benediction Elder Reuben Polk
- Postlude Musicians



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

Remember In Prayer

Mildred Baker ²	Ernest Bryant ³
Beauty Brown ³ (Powelhurst Care Cntr)	Ruth Collier ¹
Juanita Wood-Barnes ¹	Marie Crane ³
Ellie Benson ¹ (Rozalind's Mom)	Yafette Dande ¹
Nena Enyinwa ⁴	Malachi Enyinwa ¹
James Foster ¹	Donald Ingram ³
Norma Gabner ³ (out of state)	Lucien Loiseau ¹
Cheryl Mayes ¹	Girtha Norman ¹
Arthur Payne ³	Lola Mathews ¹
Harvey Rice ¹	Mazell Rudder ¹
Vergie Sloan ¹	Clarence Streeter ¹
Dovie Taylor ³ (out of state)	CeCe Thongs ¹
Oris Wesby ¹	Clara Young ³
Margaret Curtis & family ⁴	Ann Sloan ¹
Michael Beresford ¹ (George Lake's father-in-law)	

Health Concern(s)¹ 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.

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



We would like to **congratulate Friella McGee who is being re-baptized** today. As we celebrate her union with Christ and the Sharon Church family, let us continue to encourage and pray for her.



Prayer & Fasting Day for Sharon Church, every **Monday 6:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.** We are fasting for God to save our unsaved friends and family and for God's vision for the Sharon Church. 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 more 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.



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).



Communications: Please visit our web site www.sharonsda.net for the latest events and announcements. Also, 'Like' us on Facebook! We hope you enjoy our new page!

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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. 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.

Events of Interest:

- The month of October is **National Breast Cancer Awareness Month (NBCAM)** where it help increase awareness of the disease and raise funds for research into its cause, prevention, diagnosis, treatment and cure. The campaign also offers information and support to those affected by breast cancer.
- Our **Homecoming Celebration** is scheduled for **October 26 & 27.** See flyer on bulletin board or visit our website for more details

Visitation Outreach Ministry visits our sick and shut-in, every first Sabbath. Ministry members meet immediately after service and depart to share God's love. We cordially invite all interested individuals to join us, you do not have to be a ministry member to take part. Also feel free to advise Sister Trudy Rice or any other ministry member of any individual(s) who would benefit from a visit.

The "Adventists 2" will be aired on OPB PLUS, (channel 10-2 in the Portland metro area, check your local listings for your particular area) on October 10th at 8:00 pm. Learn more and watch the trailer at <http://journeyfilms.com/portfolio-item/the-adventists-2-trailer-2/>.

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Financial Trend Report (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.

Financial Trend as of August 31, 2013:

	Year to Date	Monthly Average
Conference /Tithes	\$139,939.14	\$17,492.39
Combined Budget	\$104,943.55	\$13,117.94
Church Expenses	\$119,415.18	\$14,926.90
Expenses Exceed Income by \$14,471.63 ytd / \$1,808.95 mo avg.		

"Your continued giving to combined budget will ensure that the church is able to meet its financial obligations and support our local ministries. 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

Sabbath, September 28, 2013

Theme: **Faithful from beginning to end!**

Prayer Response Continued:

*Holy, holy, holy is our God
Holy, holy, holy is our God
Holy, holy, holy is our God
Holy, holy, holy is our God*

*I'm reaping the harvest God promised me
Take back what the devil stole from me
And I rejoice today, for I shall recover it all
Yes, I rejoice today, for I shall recover it all*

*Jesus, Jesus, Jesus is our God
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus is our God
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus is our God
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus is our God*

*I'm reaping the harvest God promised me
Take back what the devil stole from me (Sop/Alto
/Tenor/All) (12x)
And I rejoice today (8x)
For I shall recover it all*

*For, You are the source of my strength
You are the strength of my life
I lift my hands in total praise to You*

Amen, Amen, Amen, Amen

(Underlined Unison)

Introit: In This Place By Troy Sneed

Verse I

*Oh Lord, we bless Your name.
Holy and righteous, in all Thy ways.
Oh Lord, we need Your spirit.
Lord have Your way, in this place.*

Verse II

*Oh Lord, we praise Your name.
Lifting our voices, blessing Your name.
Oh Lord, You are so worthy.
Lord have Your way, in this place.*

Chorus

*In this place, In this place.
In this place, In this place.
In this place, In this place.
In this place, In this place.
In this place, In this place.
In this place, In this place.
In this place, In this place.
In this place, In this place.*

Ending

*Lord have Your way, in this place.
Lord have Your way, in this place.
Lord have Your way, in this place.*

Selection 1: Great Is Thy Faithfulness By Hymn

Great is Thy faithfulness, oh God my Father;
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not;
As Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be.

Chorus:

Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see.
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided;
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above
Join with all nature in manifold witness
to Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love. (To chorus)

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! (To chorus)

Selection 2: Because Of Who You Are

By Martha Munizzi

Because of who You are, I give You glory
Because of who You are, I give You praise
Because of who You are, I will lift my voice and say
Lord I worship You, because of who You are
Lord I worship You, because of who You are.

Because of who You are, I give You glory
Because of who You are, I give You praise
Because of who You are, I will lift my voice and say
Lord I worship You, because of who You are
Lord I worship You, because of who You are.

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Selection 2 Continued:

Jehovah Jireh, my Provider
Jehovah Nissi, Lord You reign in victory
Jehovah Shalom, my Prince of Peace
And I worship You, because of who You Are

Prayer Song: Alpha and Omega

By Israel & New Breed

You are Alpha and Omega
We worship You our Lord
You are worthy to be praised

You are Alpha and Omega
We worship You our Lord
You are worthy to be praised

We give You all the glory
We worship You our Lord
You are worthy to be praised

We give You all the glory
We worship You our Lord
You are worthy to be praised

Prayer Response: Faithful By Hezekiah Walker

Faithful, faithful, faithful is our God
Faithful, faithful, faithful is our God
Faithful, faithful, faithful is our God
Faithful, faithful, faithful is our God

I'm reaping the harvest God promised me
Take back what the devil stole from me
And I rejoice today, for I shall recover it all
Yes, I rejoice today, for I shall recover it all

(Over)