

Week At A Glance

Sharon Seventh-day Adventist Church

"Where the Arms of Christ Are Always Open!"

Sabbath, June 1st

- Community Bible Study (Lower Level) 8:45-9:30 AM
- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:30 AM
- Divine Worship (Communion): 11:00 AM
- Sunset: 8:52 PM

Monday, June 3rd

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

Tuesday, June 4th

- Praying for our Children Ministry: 6:00-6:30 PM

Wednesday, June 5th

- Prayer and Power Hour: 7:00 PM

Friday, June 7th

- Prayer & Preparation Service: 7:00 PM
- Choir Rehearsal: 7:00 PM
- Sunset: 8:57 PM

Sabbath, June 8th

- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:30 AM
- Divine Worship: 11:00 AM
- 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- 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

Note: 'Information subject to change'

June 1, 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: The Day of the Lord (Zephaniah)

Memory Text: “The Lord will be awesome to them, for He will reduce to nothing all the gods of the earth; people shall worship Him, each one from his place, indeed all the shores of the nations”

[\(Zephaniah 2:11, NKJV\)](#).

Key Thought: Judgment is coming; but grace and mercy are still available for those who earnestly seek for it. Zephaniah’s message was twofold: there is a threat of an imminent and universal judgment, which will include even God’s own people; yet there is also a promise that the saved from all nations will join the remnant of Israel in serving God and enjoying His blessings. This week’s study showed that Zephaniah’s message still matters to those who proclaim God’s message of hope to a fallen world.

Mission Statement:

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

Divine Worship – Communion Service

11:00 AM

Introit “Worship Experience” Musicians

Invocation Elder Harvey Rice

Welcome Elder Troy Price

Intercessory Prayer Elder Troy Price

Returning of Tithes & Offering Elder John Olive

Loose Offering: Church Budget

Sermon Pastor Kevin Rhamie, Sr.

“Communion”

Text: Acts 2:42

Ordinance of Humility Congregation

Praise and Worship Praise Team / Congregation

Platform Processional Musicians

Prayer Elder

Scripture for bread and wine Elder

Prayer for bread and wine Elder

The Lord’s Supper Congregation

Benediction Elder Harvey Rice

Postlude Musicians



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

Remember In Prayer

<p>Mildred Baker³ Beauty Brown³(Powelhurst Care Cntr) Marie Crane³ Malachi Enyinwa¹ Norma Gabner³ (out of state) Girtha Norman¹ Harvey Rice¹ Vergie Sloan¹ Dovie Taylor³ (out of state) Oris Wesby¹ Dominique Tunai uncle¹ Ellie Benson¹ (Rozalind's Mom) Cheryl Mayes² (Cascade Terr Rehab Cntr) Yafette Dande¹ Margaret Curtis & family⁴ (especially grand/great granddaughter in Arkansas) Michael Beresford¹ (George Lake's father-in-law)</p>	<p>Ernest Bryant³ Ruth Collier¹ Nena Enyinwa⁴ James Foster¹ Donald Ingram³ Arthur Payne³ Mazell Rudder¹ Clarence Streeter¹ CeCe Thongs¹ Clara Young³ Lola Mathews¹ Lucien Loiseau¹ James Graham⁴</p>
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Health Concern¹ Hospital² Care Facility³ Other⁴

BEREAVEMENT: Ken Martino and family have suffered the loss of his daughter. Please keep the family 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

Today We are blessed to be celebrating **Communion** in honor of the sacrifice Jesus made on our behalf. What a fellowship! What a joy divine! Leaning on the everlasting arms!

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 Music Ministries.

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).

Arresting the Saints Fundraiser: If you would like to have someone arrested, please complete the Arrest Warrant in your bulletin. For more details, please see Drechelle McCray or Renee Williams.

Volunteers are needed during **2013 Oregon Conference Camp Meetings.** Hispanic (July 11-13) and Gladstone (July 14-21). Coverage needed for Hospitality, Safety and Security, and we also need licensed RNs/EMTs for 8-hour shifts. You can work a shift daily or a single shift;

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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:

- **Prayer Ministry Team Meeting** on **Thursday, June 13** at 6:30 PM.
- **Father's Day** is Sunday, **June 16th.**
- **Baptism** is scheduled for **Sabbath, June 22nd.**
- **AED Training** scheduled for **Sunday, June 23** from 9:00-10:15 am.
- **Church Planning Meeting** is scheduled for **Sunday, June 23** at 10:30 AM.
- **Ordination Service:** Chantay Reid will be ordained as an elder on **June 29** at 11am.
- **Come As You Are Musical** on Saturday afternoon, **June 29th** at 6:00 PM.
- The **Church Picnic** will be held at Blue Lake Park on **Sunday, July 28, 2013.** More details will be coming soon.

Women's Ministry: Southern Oregon Women's Retreat at Milo -- Friday, June 7-Sunday, June 9. Main speaker: Sue Patzer. Contact Pat Young (541-601-8694) for additional information.

To all of our 2013 graduates, please submit your information (school, time, date, etc) to the church office phone-503-287-7649 / email – sharonsda@qwest.net.

Our schools: **Portland Adventist Academy** Graduation – June 9th at 2:00 PM. / **Portland Adventist Elementary School** 8th Grade Graduation – June 13th at 7:00 pm.

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Financial Trend Report as of April 30, 2013 **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 update:

	Year to Date	Monthly Average
Tithes/Conference Funds	\$73,993.77	\$18,498.44
Church Combined Budget	\$53,696.03	\$13,424.01
Church Expenses	\$54,577.18	\$13,644.30
Expenses exceed income by	\$881.15	\$220.29

"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, June 1, 2013

Theme:

Here I am to Worship

By Israel Houghton & Chris Tomlin

Light of the World You stepped down into darkness
Opened my eyes let me see
Beauty that made this heart adore You
Hope of a life spent with You

*Here I am to worship, Here I am to bow down
Here I am to say that You're my God
You're altogether lovely, Altogether worthy
Altogether wonderful to me*

*King of all days oh so highly exalted
Glorious in Heaven above
Humbly You came to the earth You created
All for love's sake became poor*

*Here I am to worship, Here I am to bow down
Here I am to say that You're my God
You're altogether lovely, Altogether worthy
Altogether wonderful to me*

*I'll never know how much it cost,
To see my sin upon that cross
I'll never know how much it cost,
To see my sin upon that cross*

*Here I am to worship, Here I am to bow down
Here I am to say that You're my God
You're altogether lovely, Altogether worthy
Altogether wonderful to me
(Repeat)*

(Underlined Unison)

Introit: Worship Experience *By William Murphy III*
When I come into Your presence, I can feel Your anointing,
Like an overflowing fountain, OOO _____
The flow of Your power, saturates my spirit,
And the breakthrough overflows my soul. (Repeat)

Vamp:

*Lord I worship You, for Your righteousness,
Lord I honor You, for Your holiness.
Lord I enter-in, beyond the veil,
To worship You, to commune with You.*

Chorus:

*I need a worship experience, connection with your Spirit,
Empowered by Your presence, yes.* (Repeat)

Vamp:

*Lord I worship You, for Your righteousness,
Lord I honor You, for Your holiness.
Lord I enter-in, beyond the veil,
To worship You, to commune with You.*

Key Change

To commune with You!

Chorus:

*I need a worship experience, connection with your Spirit,
Empowered by Your presence, yes* (Repeat)

Key Change

*I need a worship experience, connection with your Spirit,
Empowered by Your presence, yes* (Repeat)

Bridge:

*Endow me, with Your presence,
Cover me, Lord _____.* (Repeat, may invert and repeat)

Ending:

I need a worship experience!

(Over)

Selection #1: He Lives By Alfred H. Ackley,
Adventist Hymnal # 251

Verse 1:

I serve a risen Savior,
He's in the world today;
I know that He is living, whatever men may say;
I see His hand of mercy, I hear His voice of cheer,
And just the time I need Him He's always near.

Refrain:

He lives, He lives,
Christ Jesus lives today!
He walks with me and talks with me
along life's narrow way.
He lives, He live, salvation to impart!
You ask me how I know He lives?
He lives within my heart.

Verse 2:

In all the world around me I see His loving care,
And tho my heart grows weary I never will despair;
I know that He is leading thru all the stormy blast,
The day of His appearing will come at last.
(To refrain)

Verse 3:

Rejoice, rejoice, O Christian, lift up your voice and sing
Eternal hallelujahs To Jesus Christ the King!
The hope of all who seek Him, the help of all who find,
None other is so loving, so good and kind.
(To refrain)

Selection #2: In Christ Alone By Newsboys

In Christ alone my hope is found
He is my light, my strength, my song
This Cornerstone, this solid ground
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love, what depths of peace
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease
My Comforter, my All in All
Here in the love of Christ I stand

In Christ alone, who took on flesh
Fullness of God in helpless babe
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones He came to save
'Til on that cross as Jesus died
The wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him was laid
Here in the death of Christ I live

There in the ground His body lay
Light of the world by darkness slain
Then bursting forth in glorious Day
Up from the grave He rose again
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His and He is mine
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life, no fear in death
This is the power of Christ in me
From life's first cry to final breath
Jesus commands my destiny
No power of hell, no scheme of man
Can ever pluck me from His hand
'Til He returns and takes me home
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand