

Sharon Seventh-day Adventist Church

"Where the Arms of Christ Are Always Open!"

Week At A Glance

Sabbath, January 11th

- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:30 AM
- Divine Worship 11:00 AM
- Sunset: 4:49 PM

Monday, January 13th

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

Wednesday, January 15th

- Prayer and Power Hour: 7:00 PM

Thursday, January 16th

- Senior Ministry (SSA) Meeting: 1:00 PM (See insert)

Friday, January 17th

- Sunset: 4:56 PM
- Choir Rehearsal: 7:00 PM

Sabbath, January 18th

- Community Bible Study (1&3 Sabbaths - lower level): 8:45 AM
- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:30 AM
- Divine Worship (Dr. P. Maynard Reid, WWU): 11:00 AM
- Community Service Food Distribution: 2:00 - 4:00 PM
- Sunset: 4:58 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.....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

January 11, 2014

Remember In Prayer

<p>Mildred Baker² Beauty Brown³ (Powelhurst Care Cntr) Juanita Wood-Barnes¹ Ellie Benson¹ (Rozalind's Mom) Margaret Curtis & family⁴ James Foster¹ Norma Gabner³ (out of state) Cheryl Mayes¹ Arthur Payne³ Kumice Jackson¹ Vergie Sloan¹ Dovie Taylor³ (out of state) Oris Wesby¹ Michael Beresford¹ (George Lake's father-in-law)</p>	<p>Ernest Bryant³ Ruth Collier¹ Marie Crane³ Nena Enyinwa⁴ Malachi Enyinwa¹ Donald Ingram³ Lucien Loiseau¹ Girtha Norman¹ Lola Mathews¹ Mazell Rudder¹ Clarence Streeter¹ CeCe Thongs¹ Clara Young³ Ann Sloan¹</p>
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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?

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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.



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
 Wi-Fi Access Code: 5032877649



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 Chapel 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.



Bereavement: Sister Mazell Rudder has suffered the loss of her brother here in Portland on January 1, 2014. He will be funeralized on January 15 at 11:00 am at Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church, 4009 N Missouri Ave. Please keep the family in prayer.

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Bulletin Information: Both written and/or verbal announcements need to be submitted by Tuesday. 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:

- **Church Board Meeting** is scheduled for **Tuesday January 14th at 7:00 PM**. Please note this is a week early than it is usually.
- **Martin Luther King, Jr. Day** is **Monday, January 20, 2014**. The church office is closed.
- Walla Walla University (WWU) **Black History Sabbath** is scheduled for **February 1, 2014** in College Place, WA. All are invited to participate in the mass choir for the 2nd Service and also the afternoon Cultural Program. Please contact Dr. Pedrito Maynard-Reid at WWU Pedrito.Maynard-Reid@wallawalla.edu or Patric Parris in the Regional Affairs Office at 360-857-7033 or Patric.parris@nw.npuc.org. See bulletin board for more details.

Big Lake Youth Camp will be opening registration for 2014 summer camps on February 1. Please make a note of this date and apply early as many camps fill quickly. For more information please visit www.Biglake.org.

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Financial 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 December 31, 2013:

	Year to Date	Monthly Average
Conference /Tithes	\$201,055.75	\$16,754.65
Combined Budget	\$158,337.47	\$13,194.79
Church Expenses	\$166,504.00	\$13,875.34
Expenses Exceed Income by \$8,166.57 ytd / 680.55 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, January 11, 2014

Theme: **My Help Comes From You**

(Underlined Unison)

Prayer Response: Oh Lord I Want You to Help Me

*While I'm down here Lord, I want you to help me
while I'm down here Lord, I want you to help me
help me on my journey, help me on my way
Oh Lord I want you to help me*

*While I'm down here Lord, I want you to help me
while I'm down here Lord, I want you to help me
help me on my journey, help me on my way
Oh Lord I want you to help me*

*While I'm down here singing I want you to help me
while I'm down here singing I want you to help me
help me on my journey, help me on my way
Oh Lord I want you to help me*

*While I'm down here trying, I want you to help me
While I'm down here trying, I want you to help me
Help me on my journey, help me on my way
Oh Lord I want you to help me*

*While I'm down here praying, I want you to help me
While I'm down here praying, I want you to help me
Help me on my journey, help me on my way
Oh Lord I want you to help me*

*Help me on my journey, help me on my way
Oh Lord
Oh Lord
Oh Lord I want you to help me!*

Introit: We Have Come Into This House

By Bruce Ballinger

Verse 1:

*We have come into His house
and gathered in His name to worship Him
We have come into His house
and gathered in His name to worship Him
We have come into His house
and gathered in His name to worship Him
Worship Him, Jesus, Christ our Lord*

Verse 2:

*So forget about yourself and concentrate on Him
and worship Him
So forget about yourself and concentrate on Him
and worship Him
So forget about yourself and concentrate on Him
and worship Him
Worship Him, Jesus Christ, our Lord*

Verse 3:

*Let us lift up holy hands and magnify His Name
and worship Him
Let us lift up holy hands and magnify His Name
and worship Him
Let us lift up holy hands and magnify His Name
and worship Him
Worship Him, Jesus Christ, our Lord.*

(Over)

Selection #1: Soon I Will Be Done

Soon I will be done with the troubles of the world,
troubles of the world,
troubles of the world.

Soon I will be done with the troubles of the world
Going' home to live with God
(Repeat)

I want (I want) to meet my Jesus
I want (I want) to meet my Jesus
I want (I want) to meet my Jesus
I'm going' home to live with God
(Repeat)

Soon I will be done with the troubles of the world,
troubles of the world,
troubles of the world.

Soon I will be done with the troubles of the world
Going' home to live with God

I want (I want) to meet my Jesus
I want (I want) to meet my Jesus
I want (I want) to meet my Jesus
I'm going' home to live with God

Selection #2: Down By the Riverside

I'm going to lay down my burdens, down by the riverside
Down by the riverside, down by the riverside
I'm going to lay down, my burdens, down by the riverside
To study war no more.

Chorus

Well I ain't going to study war no more, study war no more
Study, war no more. Ain't going to study war no more,
Study war no more, I ain't going to study, war no more.

Repeat Chorus

I'm going to put down my sword and shield, down by
the riverside,

Down by the riverside, down by the riverside.

I'm going to put down my sword and shield,
down by the riverside

To study war no more.

To Chorus

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Down By the Riverside Continued:

I'm going to put on my golden crown,
down by the riverside,

Down by the riverside, down riverside

I'm going to put on my golden crown,
down by the riverside,

Down by the riverside, down riverside

To study war no more

To Chorus

I'm going to put on my long white robe,
down by the riverside,

Down by the riverside, down by the riverside.

I'm going to put on my long white robe,
down by the riverside,

To study war no more.

To Chorus

Prayer Song: I Give You My Heart

This is my desire

To honor You

Lord, with all my heart

I worship You

All I have within me

I give You praise

All that I adore

Is in You

Chorus:

Lord, I give You my heart

I give You my soul

I live for you alone

Every breath that I take

Every moment I'm awake

Lord, have Your way in me

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