

Sharon Seventh-day Adventist Church

"Where the Arms of Christ Are Always Open!"

Week At A Glance

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

Monday, January 20th

- Martin Luther King Jr. Day Holiday – office closed
- Prayer and Fasting: 6:00 AM-6:00 PM

Wednesday, January 22nd

- Prayer and Power Hour: 7:00 PM

Friday, January 24th

- Sunset: 5:06 PM
- Choir Rehearsal: 7:00 PM

Sabbath, January 25th

- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:30 AM
- Divine Worship 11:00 AM
- Sunset: 5:07 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

Note: 'Information subject to change if necessary'

January 18, 2014

Remember In Prayer

Mildred Baker ²	Ernest Bryant ³
Beauty Brown ³ (Powelhurst Care Cntr)	Ruth Collier ¹
Juanita Wood-Barnes ³	Marie Crane ³
Ellie Benson ¹ (Rozalind's Mom)	Nena Enyinwa ⁴
Margaret Curtis & family 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
Kumice Jackson 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
Michael Beresford ¹ (George Lake's father-in-law)	Ann Sloan ¹
Lori Hason ⁴	

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.

 **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.

 **Social Media Update:**
 *WATCH SERVICES ONLINE - visit our website www.sharonsda.net and click on the link "WATCH-Church Services" If you missed a service or just want to see or listen to it again, merely click the link and you can see a favorite sermon, concert or special event, you can watch it online. We would like to thank our young people who volunteer to serve in this ministry and do the video taping of the services. See Brother Derrick Foxworth for questions.

*FACEBOOK- Like Us On Facebook as well and receive inspiring messages and stay up to date on what is going on at Sharon. Go to Sharon Seventh-day Adventist Church and like us on Facebook. See Denise Williams for questions.

 **CD Ministry / Library:** Our church services (current/previous) are available on CD, please stop by the Audio Ministry booth in foyer to request copies. Donations are appreciated. Also you can donate, borrow, or receive free books at the audio booth. If you would like to volunteer in this ministry, please contact David Shambry.

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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.

“Although 2013 expenses exceeded contributions to combined budget (CB), the church has sufficient monies in some line item accounts that were funded by CB and not used in 2013. Once these monies are transferred back into the CB line item, the church will end 2013 and start 2014 with a balanced budget”

“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!

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Online Giving: Want a convenient way to give, anytime, 24hrs a day? Try online giving. Go to the church website www.sharonsda.net and click the link on the left "Tithe and Offering." Its safe, secure and an easy way to make your contribution. You can use your checking account, debit or credit card to make your contribution. Join others who have found this to be a convenient way to be faithful stewards in returning to God the financial blessings he has given to each of us.

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:

- **Choir After the Holidays Holiday Party,** Sunday, January 26, 2014 from 1:00-4:00 PM.
- 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.
- Please join us for our **14th annual Lift Every Voice Workshop and Concert:** Sunday, February 23 - March 1, 2014 (OFF on Wednesday evening), more details coming soon.

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.

Praise and Worship Songs

Sabbath, January 18, 2014

Theme: **Lamb of God**

(Underlined Unison)

Prayer Response: High and Lifted Up *By Joe Pace*

High and lifted up in all the earth is who You are.

High and lifted up in all the earth is who You are.

High and lifted up in all the earth is who You are.

Lord we exalt Your na-----ame, Lord we exalt Your name.

High and lifted up in all the earth is who You are.

High and lifted up in all the earth is who You are.

High and lifted up in all the earth is who You are.

Lord we exalt Your na-----ame, Lord we exalt Your name.

(Alto first then Soprano, then T/B)

Oh Lord we praise You.

Oh Lord we praise You.

Oh Lord we praise You.

Oh Lord, High and lifted up. (Repeat as directed)

Lord we exalt Your na-----ame, Lord we exalt Your name.

High and lifted up in all the earth is who You are.

High and lifted up in all the earth is who You are.

High and lifted up in all the earth is who You are.

Lord we exalt Your na-----ame, Lord we exalt Your name.

(Alto first then Soprano, then T/B)

Oh Lord we praise You.

Oh Lord we praise You.

Oh Lord we praise You.

Oh Lord, High and lifted up. (Repeat as directed)

Lord we exalt Your na-----ame,

Lord we exalt Your na----me

Exalt Your name, Exalt Your name!

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: To Him Who Sits On The Throne

By Carlton Pearson

*To Him who sits on the Throne, And unto the Lamb.
To Him who sits on the Throne, And unto the Lamb.*

*Be all **blessing and glory and honor and power
forever.***

*Be all **blessing and glory and honor and power
forever.***

(Repeat As Directed)

Selection #2 Revelation Song *By Jenni Lee Riddell*
*Worthy is the, Lamb who was slain, Holy, Holy, is He.
Sing a new song, to Him who sits on, Heaven's mercy
seat. (Repeat)*

Chorus:

**Holy, Holy, Holy, is the Lord God Almighty,
Who was, and is, and is to come.
With all creation I sing,
praise to the King of Kings.
You are my everything, and I will adore You.**

**Holy, Holy, Holy, is the Lord God Almighty,
Who was, and is, and is to come.
With all creation I sing,
praise to the King of Kings.
You are my everything, and I will adore You.**

Special:

*Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God almighty.
Early in the morning, our songs shall rise to Thee.
Holy, Holy, Holy, **merciful and mighty.**
God in three persons, blessed trinity.*

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Selection 2 Continued:

Chorus:

**Holy, Holy, Holy, is the Lord God Almighty,
Who was, and is, and is to come.
With all creation I sing, praise to the King of Kings.
You are my everything, And I will adore You.**

**Holy, Holy, Holy, is the Lord God Almighty,
Who was, and is, and is to come.
With all creation I sing, praise to the King of Kings.
You are my everything, And I will adore You.**

Prayer Song: Agnus Dei *By Michael W. Smith*

*Hallelujah, Hallelujah,
For the Lord God Almighty Reigns.
Hallelujah, Hallelujah,
For the Lord God Almighty Reigns.
Hallelujah, Holy, Holy, are You Lord God Almighty.
Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb.
You are Holy, Holy, are You Lord God Almighty.
Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb.
Amen.
Hallelujah, Hallelujah,
For the Lord God Almighty Reigns.
Hallelujah, Hallelujah,
For the Lord God Almighty Reigns.
Hallelujah, Holy, Holy, are You Lord God Almighty.
Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb.
You are Holy, Holy, are You Lord God Almighty.
Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb.
You are Holy, Holy, are You Lord God Almighty.
Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb.*

*You are Holy, Holy, are You Lord God Almighty.
Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb, Amen!*

(Over)