

## Week At A Glance

# Sharon Seventh-day Adventist Church

*“Where the Arms of Christ Are Always Open!”*

### **Sabbath, March 8th**

- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:45 AM
- Divine Worship (Agape Feast Communion): 11:00 AM
- Sunset: 6:07 PM

### **Sunday, March 9th**

- Daylight Time Begins-turn clocks ahead 1hr: 2:00 AM

### **Monday, March 10th**

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

### **Wednesday, March 12th**

- Prayer and Power Hour: 7:00 PM

### **Friday, March 14th**

- Sunset: 7:15 PM
- Choir Rehearsal: 7:00 PM

### **Sabbath, March 15th**

- Community Bible Study (1&3 Sabbaths - lower level): 8:45 AM
- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:45 AM
- Divine Worship: 11:00 AM
- Sunset: 7:17 PM

## Church Ministries and Leaders

Pastor Kevin Rhamie ([krhamie@hotmail.com](mailto: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

Visitation Ministry – Trudu Rice.....503-331-6922

Note: ‘Information subject to change if necessary’

**March 8, 2014**

## Sabbath School (Church at Study)

9:45 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).....Jann Stowe

Earliteen & Junior/ Youth (Middle & High School ages)....Violet Larry

### In the Sanctuary:

Praise Time Congregation / Musician

Season of Prayer Congregation

Lesson Study Members

**Topic:** Discipling the Nations

**Memory Text:** For My house shall be called a house of prayer for all nations. ([Isaiah 56:7, NKJV](#))

**Key Thought:** Christ's message, from its inception, was destined for everyone everywhere. Early on the gospel went worldwide, because it is universally applicable. Jesus, The Desire of Nations, was not to be limited to a single group. Salvation might be of the Jews, but it was for everybody. Christ's followers would transcend national boundaries, international conflicts, language differences, and other difficulties, because He Himself had established the pattern of cross-cultural evangelism.

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### Purpose:

To Make Disciples

### Core Values:

Prayer, Preparing People, and Praise

### Mission Statement:

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

## Agape Feast Communion Service

11:00 AM

Introit "We Have Come Into This House" Musicians

Invocation Elder Joyce Southall

Welcome Elder Troy Price

Intercessory Prayer Elder John Olive

Returning of Tithes & Offering Elder Donald Cobbs  
Loose Offering: Adventist World Radio

Sermon Pastor Kevin Rhamie, Sr.

### "The Other Mary"

Text: Matthew 27:61

Ordinance of Humility (Feet Washing) Congregation

Proceed to the Fellowship Hall (Lower Level) for  
The Lord's Supper and Agape Meal

Opening Prayer Elder

Congregational Songs "Power in the Blood"  
"Down at the Cross"

Scripture and Prayer for Communion Bread and Juice

Special Music "On My Cross" Elder Donald Cobbs

Testimonies Congregation

Prayer to Close Communion and Bless Agape Meal

Eat Agape meal and Commune Together



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

## Remember In Prayer

Mildred Baker <sup>3</sup>	Ernest Bryant <sup>3</sup>
Beauty Brown <sup>3</sup> (Powelhurst Care Cntr)	Ruth Collier <sup>1</sup>
Juanita Wood-Barnes <sup>3</sup>	Marie Crane <sup>3</sup>
Ellie Benson <sup>1</sup> (Rozalind's Mom)	Nena Enyinwa <sup>4</sup>
Margaret Curtis & family <sup>4</sup>	Malachi Enyinwa <sup>1</sup>
James Foster <sup>1</sup>	Donald Ingram <sup>3</sup>
Norma Gabner <sup>3</sup> (out of state)	Lucien Loiseau <sup>1</sup>
Cheryl Mayes <sup>1</sup>	Girtha Norman <sup>1</sup>
Arthur Payne <sup>3</sup>	Lola Mathews <sup>1</sup>
Kumice Jackson <sup>1</sup>	Mazell Rudder <sup>1</sup>
Vergie Sloan <sup>1</sup>	Clarence Streeter <sup>1</sup>
Dovie Taylor <sup>3</sup> (out of state)	CeCe Thongs <sup>1</sup>
Oris Wesby <sup>1</sup>	Clara Young <sup>3</sup>
Nita Ingram <sup>3</sup> (Avamere Crestview)	Lori Hason <sup>4</sup>

Health Concern(s)<sup>1</sup>      Hospital<sup>2</sup>      Care Facility<sup>3</sup>      Other<sup>4</sup>

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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## 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 22<sup>nd</sup> 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


 **Today** we have come together for Fellowship, Faith and Feast celebrating the Loving Sacrifice of Jesus.


 **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.

 **Social Media Update:**  
 \*WATCH SERVICES ONLINE - visit our website [www.sharonsda.net](http://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.

 **Bulletin Information** needs to be submitted by Tuesday evening. Please submit your information via the church's e-mail or voicemail.

## Announcements – Page Two

**Online Giving:** Want a convenient way to give, anytime, 24hrs a day? Try online giving. Go to the church website [www.sharonsda.net](http://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.

### **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:**

- **Elders Meeting....Sunday, 3/16** from 10AM-12noon.
- **Prison Ministry Visitation....Sunday, 3/16.** See Elder Loiseau for more details.
- **Finance Committee Meeting...Tuesday, 3/18** at 6PM.
- **Church Board Meeting...Tuesday, 3/18** at 7PM.
- **Senior Ministry Meeting...Thursday, 3/20** at 7PM.

### **Membership Transfer TO Sharon-- 2nd Reading:**

- **Roy Proudfit and Pam Proudfit** transferring from Pleasant Valley Adventist Church (Happy Valley, OR).

Please join us for **Kevin and Drechelle McCray's Baby Shower Sunday, March 23** from 3-5pm at East Portland Community Center 740 SE 106<sup>th</sup> Ave., Pdx. RSVP: Chantay Reid: 503-674-5040 or [taye19@me.com](mailto:taye19@me.com) Check out the bulletin board for more details.

**NW Prison Ministry Retreat....March 14-16** at Holden Convention Center, Gladstone, OR. To register visit [www.NWPrisonRetreat.evenbrite.com](http://www.NWPrisonRetreat.evenbrite.com).

**2014 Oregon Prayer Conference...March 28-30..** Visit <http://orgcpersonalmin.netadvent.org/2014-prayer-retreat>

Adventist Community Service (ACS) **Disaster Response Training** at, Grants Pass Adventist Church, **March 29 – 30**, Cost: \$30 - includes lunch. Register ahead by call (503) 850-3555. This is a certification program.

## Announcements - Page Three

### **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.

### **Financial Summary for January, 2014:**

	<b>Monthly Amount</b>
Conference /Tithes	\$14,236.30
Combined Budget	\$10,361.39
Church Expenses	\$9,865.17
<b>Overage for the month: \$496.22</b>	

"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!

**Selection #1: Power in the Blood** by Lewis E. Jones

1. *Would you be free from the burden of sin?  
There's pow'r in the blood, pow'r in the blood;  
Would you o'er evil a victory win?  
There's wonderful pow'r in the blood.*

**Chorus:**

*There is pow'r, pow'r, wonder-working pow'r  
In the blood of the Lamb;  
There is pow'r, pow'r, wonder-working pow'r  
In the precious blood of the Lamb.*

2. *Would you be free from your passion and pride?  
There's pow'r in the blood, pow'r in the blood;  
Come for a cleansing to Calvary's tide;  
There's wonderful pow'r in the blood. (To chorus)*
3. *Would you be whiter, much whiter than snow?  
There's pow'r in the blood, pow'r in the blood;  
Sin-stains are lost in its life-giving flow;  
There's wonderful pow'r in the blood. (To chorus)*
4. *Would you do service for Jesus your King?  
There's pow'r in the blood, pow'r in the blood;  
Would you live daily His praises to sing?  
There's wonderful pow'r in the blood. (To chorus)*

**Selection #2: Down at the Cross** by Elisha A. Hoffman

1. *Down at the cross where my Savior died,  
Down where for cleansing from sin I cried,  
There to my sin was the blood applied; Glory to His name!*

**Chorus:**

*Glory to His name, Glory to His name;  
There to my sin was the blood applied; Glory to His name!*

2. *I am so wondrously saved from sin,  
Jesus so sweetly abides within;  
There at the cross where He took me in;  
Glory to His name. (To chorus)*
3. *Oh, precious fountain that saves from sin,  
I am so glad I have entered in;  
There Jesus saves me and keeps me clean;  
Glory to His name. (To chorus)*
4. *Come to this fountain so rich and sweet;  
Cast thy poor soul at the Savior's feet;  
Plunge in today, and be made complete;  
Glory to His name. (To chorus)*

## Congregational Songs

Sabbath, March 8, 2014

Theme: **Communion**

(Underlined Unison)

### **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.*

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