

Sharon Seventh-day Adventist Church

"Where the Arms of Christ Are Always Open!"

Week At A Glance

Sabbath, November 29th

- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:45 AM
- Divine Worship: 11:00 AM
- Community Service Food Distribution: 2:00-4:00 PM
- Sunset: 4:30 PM

Monday, December 1st

- Prayer and Fasting: 6:00 AM-6:00 PM
- Gospel Choir & friends Rehearsal: 6:30-8:30 PM

Wednesday, December 2nd

- Prayer and Power Hour: 7:00 PM

Friday, December 5th

- Sunset: 4:27 PM
- Gospel Choir & friends Rehearsal: 7:00-9:00 PM

Sabbath, December 6th

- 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: 4:27 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.....503-880-3065

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.....503-880-3065
Cultivating Ministry- Denise Williams.....503-558-9057
Event Planning- Drechelle McCray.....971-227-1619
Music- Linda Foxworth.....503-788-4404
Visitation Ministry – Trudy Rice.....503-331-6922

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Note: 'Information subject to change if necessary'

Remember In Prayer

Ernest Bryant ³	Marie Crane ³
Ellie Benson ³ (Holgate Friendship Cntr, 3320 SE Holgate St., 97202; 503-231-1411)	
Girtha Norman ¹	Mazell Rudder ¹
James Foster ¹	Nena Enyinwa ⁴
Margaret Curtis & family ⁴	Malachi Enyinwa ¹
Norma Gabner ³ (out of state)	Vergie Sloan ¹
Wanda Kerr ³	Jerry Robinson ¹
Arthur Payne ³	Ann Sloan ¹
Clarence Streeter ¹	Maggie Wright ¹
Dovie Taylor ² (Midwest City Hospital, OK)	Joyce Southall ¹
Michael Beresford ¹ (George Lake's father-in-law)	Marie Dejesus ¹
Jamison Proctor ⁴	Darrell Burns ⁴
Health Concern(s) ¹	Hospital ²
Care Facility ³	Other ⁴

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..... office@sharonchurch.comcastbiz.net
 Church Website..... www.sharonsda.net
 For Wi-Fi Access – see Sharon SDA; 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.

Bulletin Information needs to be submitted by Tuesday evening. Please submit your information via voicemail or e-mail-office@SharonChurch@comcastbiz.net.

Thank You: The Family of Beauty Brown would like to express their gratitude to the Sharon Church family for the many expression of love during this time of sorrow. Please continue to keep us in prayer.

Gospel Choir and Friends: Please make note of our **upcoming rehearsals -**

- Fri 12/12 - 7-9PM
- Sun 12/14 afternoon tentative
- Mon 12/15 - 6:30-8:30PM
- Thurs 12/18 - Tentative
- Fri 12/19 - 7-9PM

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. 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

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Fresh Flowers in the Sanctuary on Sabbaths are quite a treat and add to our spiritual worship. Would you consider donating a flower arrangement once a quarter? Flowers can be from your garden or purchased. Consider donating in honor of a loved one or in celebration of an anniversary and birthday. Sign-up sheet in the foyer, we will list "Flowers this week donated by ?" and include your name in the announcements. Thank you.

Online Giving: Want a convenient way to give, anytime, 24hrs a day? Try online giving. Go to our website www.sharonsda.net and click the link on the left "Tithe/Offering." It's 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:

- **Agape Communion Service....December 13th** with **Prayer and Preparation Service** on Friday, December 12th at 7:00 PM.
- **Musical Ministry** - Sharon Church Gospel choir and Friends Holiday Concert entitled "**Celebrate**" is scheduled for **December 20th** at **6:00 PM.**
- **Baptism Service** is scheduled for **December 27th.**

Portland Adventist Academy Evening Open House on Monday, December 15 from 6-8pm. This is a chance for prospective students and their parents to tour the school, meet teachers, administrators, and get important questions asked. Light refreshment will be served as well as opportunities to win a month of free tuition! An RSVP would be very helpful. Call 503.255.8372.

ABC Holiday Sale: The Adventist Book Center's Holiday Sale is December 1-31 with additional hours (Dec. 6 & 13 from 5pm-8pm) during the Follow The Star Event. Download the sale flyer at www.abcflyer.com. We will be closed December 25-27.

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Finance Information (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.

Finance Update/Summary as of October 31, 2014

	Goal for the Year	Year To Date	Monthly Average
Tithes/Conference Funds Received		\$165,506.71	\$16,550.67
CB (Local) Target Goal	\$168,000	\$140,000.00	\$14,000.00
CB (Local) Actually Received		\$149,286.00	\$14,928.60
Actual Expenses		\$147,156.03	\$14,396.39
Combined Budget exceeds Expenses by \$2129.97 ytd / \$212.99 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). *Mau God continue to richly Bless You!!*

Praise and Worship Songs

Sabbath, November 29, 2014

Theme:

Introit: In the Beauty of Holiness By James Abbington

*Come Let us worship the Lord
in the beauty of holiness.*

*Come let us worship the Lord
in the beauty of holiness.*

*Give Him the honor,
give Him the praise.*

*Come let us worship the Lord,
let's give Him the praise.*

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in the beauty of holiness.*

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in the beauty of holiness.*

*Give Him the honor,
give Him the praise.*

*Come let us worship the Lord,
let's give Him the praise.*

*Worship Him, worship Him,
give my God the glory.*

Give my God the praise.

Worship Him, worship Him.

*Come let us worship the Lord,
let's give Him the praise.*

*Worship Him, worship Him,
give my God the glory.*

Give my God the praise.

Worship Him, worship Him.

*Come let us worship the Lord,
let's give Him the praise.*