

Week At A Glance

Sabbath, March 7th

- 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: 6:06 PM

Sunday, March 8th

- Pacific Daylight time begins: 2:00 AM (clocks forward 1 hour)
- Elders Meeting: 10:00 AM

Monday, March 9th

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

Wednesday, March 11th

- Prayer and Power Hour: 7:00 PM

Friday, March 13th

- Sunset: 7:14 PM

Sabbath, March 14th

- Sabbath School (Church at Study): 9:45 AM
- Divine Worship: 11:00 AM
- Sunset: 7:15 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- Derrick Foxworth.....	503-788-4404

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
Senior Ministry-Harvey Rice.....	503-331-6922
Visitation Ministry – Trudy Rice.....	503-331-6922

Note: 'Information subject to change'

Sharon Seventh-day Adventist Church

"Where the Arms of Christ Are Always Open!"

March 7, 2015

Remember In Prayer

Ernest Bryant ³	Marie Crane ³
Nena Enyinwa ⁴	Malachi Enyinwa ¹
James Foster ¹	Ellie Benson ¹
Norma Gabner ³ (out of state)	Lucien Loiseau ¹
Girtha Norman ¹	Arthur Payne ³
Mazell Rudder ¹	Vergie Sloan ¹
Clarence Streeter ¹	Oris Wesby ¹
Margaret Curtis & family ⁴	Dovie Taylor ³ (out of state)
Michael Beresford ¹ (George Lake's father-in-law)	Wanda Kerr ³
Joyce Southall ¹	Alonzo Watts ¹
Etta Grayson ¹	Cindy Cobbs ²

Health Concern¹ 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 notify the church office.

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
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 Church Website.....www.sharonsda.net
 For Wi-Fi Access-see Sharon SDA.....code:5032877646



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.



Social Media Update:

- **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.



The **Audio Visual department** is looking for individuals to be a part of the team. If you are interested in joining this dynamic team, please contact Brother Derrick Foxworth.



The **Transportation Ministry** is in need of drivers. If you are interested in being a part of this powerful ministry, please see Elder Donald Cobbs.



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.

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✚ **Bulletin Information** needs to be submitted by 9:00 AM on **Wednesday morning** for inclusion in the current week's bulletin. Information may be submitted via voicemail or e-mail: office@SharonChurch@comcastbiz.net.

✚ **Events of Interest:**

- Church Board Meeting...Sunday, March 15t at 10:30 AM.
- Prison Ministry Visitation at Hillcrest...Sunday, March 15 and March 29.
- Church Planning Meeting is scheduled for Sunday, March 29 at 11:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall.

✚ **Church Courtesies:**

- Please turn off or silence alarms, pagers, phones, etc.
- Please be sensitive to others – no talking during services.
- Please, 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.

✚ **2015 Oregon Prayer Retreat...**March 27-29 at Rockaway Beach, OR. Keynote Speaker: Jeffrey Rosario, speaker and teacher at Light Bearers Ministry and ARISE. Registration & details visit <http://orgcpersonalmin.netadvent.org/2015-prayer-retreat>

✚ Your Bible Speaks Church is sponsoring a **Health Seminar "From Sickness to Health"...** **April 8-12** at Portland Adventist Medical. Presenter Rico Hill.

✚ Plan to attend our 39th Annual North Pacific Union Conference **Regional Convocation...May 14-17** in Auburn, WA.

✚ The 60th **General Conference Session** for Seventh-day Adventist...**July 2-12** in San Antonio, TX.

✚ **YOU Are Needed!** 2015 Oregon Conference of Adventists is seeking volunteers for both: Hispanic Camp Meeting (July 16-18) and Gladstone Camp Meeting (July 21-25) for the areas of Hospitality, Shuttle Drivers, Safety and Security, as well as licensed RNs and EMTs for 8-hour shifts. Whether you would like to work a shift daily or only have time for a single shift, your services would be greatly appreciated. Visit <http://volunteer.oregonconference.org> to register or contact Lisa Rodriguez via email at lisa.rodriguez@ocnpu.org or by phone at 503-850-3575.

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Financial 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 Summary as of January-February, 2015:

	Year to Date	Monthly Average
Tithes/Conference Funds Received	\$56,225.30	\$28,112.65
CB Local) Target Goal	\$28,000.00	\$14,000.00
CB (Local) Actually Received	\$27,095.67	\$13,547.86
Actual Expenses	\$22,450.73	\$11,225.36
'Contributions exceed expenses by \$4,645 ytd/2,322.05 mo avg. These monies will go towards supporting our church ministries and church expenses in 2015.		

"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."

Online Giving: Want a convenient way to give, anytime, 24hrs a day? Visit our website www.sharonsda.net and click the link on the left "Tithe/Offering". It's safe, secure and a easy way to make your contribution using your checking account and/or debit/credit card. 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.

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, March 7, 2015

Theme: ***Blessings, Praise and Thanksgiving***

Selection #3: Every Praise By Hezekiah Walker

Every praise is to our God. Every word of worship, with one accord.
Every praise, every praise, is to our God. Sing hallelujah to our God,
Glory hallelujah, is due our God, every praise, every praise, is to our God.
(Key change)

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Vamp:

God my Savior, God my Healer,
God my Deliverer, Yes He is, yes He is. (Repeat)
God my Savior, God my Healer,
God my Deliverer, Yes He is, yes He is. Yes He is, Yes He is.

Every praise is to our God. Every word of worship with one accord.
Every praise, every praise,
Every praise, every praise, every praise, every praise is do our God.

Introit: "Welcome Into This Place" lyrics By Gary Oliver

Welcome Into this place,
Welcome, into this broken vessel.
You desire to abide,
In the praises of Your people.
So we lift our hands,
And we lift our hearts,
As we offer up this praise unto God's name.

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Selection #1: Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

By Robert Robinson (Hymn 334)

Verse 1:

Come, thou Fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing thy
 grace;
 Streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues
above.
 Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it, mount of thy redeeming love.

Verse 2:

Oh to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be!
 Let thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to thee.
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;
 Here's my heart, Oh take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts above.
 Here's my heart Lord, take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts above.

Selection #2 Praise Him *By Donnie Harper*

Praise Him, praise Him, praise Him, praise Him
 Jesus, blessed Savior, He's worthy to be praised.

Praise Him, praise Him, praise Him, praise Him
 Jesus, blessed Savior, He's worthy to be praised.

From the rising of the sun, unto the going down of the same.
 He's worthy, Jesus is worthy, He's worthy to be praised.

Love Him, love Him, love Him, I love Him,
 Jesus, blessed Savior, He's worthy to be praised.

God is my rock, rock of salvation, a strong deliverer.
 In Him will I always trust. (back to the top)

Prayer Song: Thank You Lord *By Andréa' Crouch***Verse 1:**

Thank You Lord. Thank You Lord. Thank You Lord.
 I just want to thank You Lord.

Verse 2:

You've been so good. You've been so good.
 You've been so good.
 I just want to thank You Lord.

Solo:

Lord I thank You for the sunshine, I thank You for the rain.
 I thank You for the peace in knowing my trials don't come
 to stay.
 And I thank You, that someday soon, I've got heaven to gain.
 I just want to thank You Lord.

Verse 3:

You saved my soul. You saved my soul. You saved my soul.
 I just want to thank You Lord

Key change

Thank You Lord. Thank You Lord. Thank You Lord.
 I just want to thank, I just want to thank,
 I just want to thank You, Lord.

Prayer Response: Oh Give Thanks *By Judith McAllister*

Oh give thanks, unto the Lord, for He is good, yes He is good.
 Oh give thanks, unto the Lord, for He is good, yes He is good.
 For He is worthy, worthy. For He is good, yes He is good.
 For He is worthy, worthy. For He is good, yes He is good.
 (Modulate and repeat as directed)