



BEAVERTON ADVENTIST CHURCH

December 19, 2020

Welcome

When Jesus was born in the village of Bethlehem in Judea, Herod was king. "During this time some wise men from the east came to Jerusalem and said, 'Where is the child born to be king of the Jews? We saw his star in the east and have come to worship him.'" (Matthew 2:1-2, CEV). Revelation 22 tells us that Jesus is the Morning Star that still shines brightly a beacon of love and hope! Let us be very wise by seeking out the Star and offering our worship. Happy Sabbath and Merry Christmas!

Worship 11:00am

Welcome

Josh Withers

United Prayer

Josh Withers

Children's Story

Nancy McKeone

Praise Sing

Christmas Music Program

Spoken Word

Pastor Rodney

WHAT TO EXPECT THIS WEEK

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TODAY

10:30 am Children's Church Live Stream

10:50 am Live Stream Gathering

11:00 am Live Stream Worship Service

3:00 pm CM Holiday Drive Thru

4:51 pm Sabbath Ends

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Dec 24

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Dec 25

4:44 pm Sabbath Begins

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Dec 26

10:30 am Children's Church Live Stream

10:50 am Live Stream Gathering

11:00 am Live Stream Worship Service

4:42 pm Sabbath Ends



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1. 2020 Donor Reports** The deadline for donations to be included on the 2020 Donor Report will be Thursday, December 31, 2020. If you are dropping off or mailing in donations, they must be received by 12:00pm. If you are giving online at Adventist Giving, please have donations in by 11:59pm.
- 2. Church Re-Opening Updates** Last Sabbath was very meaningful. We had space for up to 100 to attend, well-spaced out. We had a total of 65 individuals gathered last Sabbath and that includes all the A/V team, music leaders, pastors, and attending members. Each person was very helpful in taking safety measures seriously. Perhaps you may choose to join us this Sabbath, if you feel it's the right time to do so! Door opens at 10:20am, Children's Church will screen at 10:30am, followed by the 11:00am worship service. The worship service this week is our 2020 version of a Christmas Choir presentation.

Please be clear that we are expecting a high commitment, from all individuals choosing to participate in person, to respect and adhere to the current safety protocols which include proper mask wearing and distancing. We have this re-opening opportunity but recognize that the state and/or the ICC could change course if deemed necessary.

- 3. Time to Update Our Church Directory** Our church family continues to grow and change, maybe even more so during this season of separation! We would love to update our church directory with new photos and any updates you may have for your family!

Please see the "Church Directory 2020 Update" page in this app for the details. Just click on the "More..." button below (near the bottom-right corner.) There you will find the directions for how to provide us your updated directory information and photo.

- 4. Community Service Volunteers Need!** Community service is in need of a variety of volunteers to fill positions in the ministry. Contact Jerry at 503.726.8832.
 - **Bilingual volunteer** to help with the interview step of their process. Spanish is the most frequently needed language at this time.
 - **Clothing Room Aide:** Assist the Clothing Room lead.
 - **Check-in Desk Aide:** Assist Desk Lead in checking in the community members and be a first contact for Community Service Ministries.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONT.)

- 5. Community Services Support** Our Community Services is actively serving many many families. If you feel compelled to support this ministry with donations, the most pressing need at this time are both personal care items (toothpaste, soap, etc...) and cleaning supplies such as disinfectant wipes. There is also a need for plastic and paper grocery bags. ***PLEASE NOTE* We are only able to accept personal care items at this time.** We are so thankful for the abundant donations that have come in! Our church family has been very generous, however we are now out of storage space.
- 6. Live Stream Services** We offer two live stream services each Sabbath morning. Children's Church begins at 10:30 am to 10:50 am and is specifically designed for our children. Following that is our main church service beginning at 10:50 am with prelude music and scrolling announcements. Our shared worship service starts at 11:00 am. Please join us each Sabbath as we worship our God and Creator!
- 7. Beaverton Adventist Church App-** The app is our main way to communicate with the church community. We have been hearing great feedback from those who are interacting with it and we value the suggestions and affirmations. Please get connected by going to www.beavertonsda.com to discover guidance on the homepage or by going to your smart phone's App Store and search by typing exactly "Beaverton Adventist Church" with the quote marks. **IMPORTANT NOTE:** When prompted to accept notifications select 'Allow Notifications' in order to be in the flow of communication.
- 8. Beaverton Adventist Church App UPDATES-** If it seems that you are no longer receiving notifications from the church app, go to the "hamburger" icon (upper left) and select Settings > Notifications and check that the desired notification categories are enabled. In particular, the General category should be enabled, others are optional.
- 9. Tech Support For Those Who Are Not Connected.** Right now our main way of connecting is by using technology. If you, or someone you know, are not able to connect to our live-streamed services, our church app or website please let us know! When we have learned about individuals who need help connecting we have been able to get them connected. We can only help if we know about it. Please email office@beavertonsde.com and just let us know the name and we will try to find a way to 'connect' them.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONT.)

- 10. CTG, Phase II Progress!** Thank you for being so supportive. This has been an amazing project and we are thankful to those who have had a hand in it's completion. Our sanctuary is fresh and renewed and so many new and updated features can be found throughout the church. We praise the Lord for his blessings on our church family! We have withdrawn funding from our NPUC Revolving Fund loan and are now making payments. These loan payments are funded by direct donations.
- 11. Thank You For Your Faithful Giving To Local Church Budget!** God is providing for our needs. In addition to returning to the Lord a faithful tithe, please consider your contributions to our local ministry church budget. We very much appreciate your faithful generosity in giving. Please consider utilizing "Adventist Giving," available via the church website or the church app. Also know that our church mailbox is locked so mailing in offering and tithe is secure.
- 12. Tithe Envelopes-** If you have been mailing your tithes and offerings into the church and are in need of more Tithe envelopes, please contact John Lawson via e-mail at john.lawson@comcast.net or via phone at 503.539.3966.
- 13. New Check/Donation Policy -** We are no longer able to accept checks written to the Oregon Conference. If you are donating to the church via check, please make it out to the Beaverton SDA Church.

PRAISES & REQUESTS

- Please keep Nicole, the daughter of D'Leah Cruz, in your prayers. Last Sabbath, Dec. 12, at 3pm Nicole was anointed in faith knowing that God will provide His special blessing. After being struck by a car, Nicole's condition is very serious and medically speaking there is not much reason to be optimistic as she had serious brain trauma. 12/19
- Please Pray for Charlotte Miles And Kathleen Troutman. Their sister, Karen, passed early last week. 12/19
- Please pray for Dave and Darlene Payne. Darlene is struggling with memory loss and Dave is experiencing back pain from a suspected bulging disc. He will need an x-ray and possibly an MRI to diagnose and is having a difficult time getting the necessary appointments. Walking is a struggle and Dave must use a cane to ease the pain. 12/19
- Cindy Mohr is requesting prayers for her 14 week old granddaughter, Lucy. She appears to have Nystagmus and the ophthalmologist recommended an MRI. On top of this, Lucy's daddy had hip surgery to remove bone-spurs. Please pray all goes well for Lucy and Miles and good health will be restored. Also for peace and strength for Cindy's daughter, Stephanie and that they may feel God's presence during this time. 12/12
- Lillian Wysong, the mother-in-law of Tricia (Berdan) Wysong, has been diagnosed with follicular lymphoma at 89 years old. She has been given 6-12 months without treatment and maybe up to a year with treatment. Please pray for her and her family as they enter this stressful time. Pray for her physicians as care is provided. May her faith be strong. 12/12
- Praises and continued prayers for Leon Colburn's recovery. He is now 5 weeks in and is making great strides. We are thankful for his returning energy and pray for continued progress. 12/12
- Prayers requested for the family of Rose Frizzell. Both of her cousins and their families have tested positive for Covid. Prayers for their healing and strength. 12/05
- Please pray for the Mugabo family. Clement, Patience and son have all tested positive for Covid. Their son has been relatively well however Clement and Patience have been quite sick. They expect to come through in good shape. 11/28
- Please pray for Troy Snarr, a friend and former coworker of Jeff Holtsclaw. He was involved in a car crash in East Portland. He is in an induced coma at OSHU and his friend died in the crash. 11/28

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- Dan Withers, Josh's father, would like to offer a heartfelt thank you to all those who prayed for this recovery. He is doing well and we pray he remains on a positive trajectory. ^{12/12}
- Please continue to pray for Anne Saul. Anne is continuing chemotherapy for cancer that was not fully removed through her surgery. These treatments have been extremely hard on her and she is quite ill. ^{11/28}
- Please pray for Cheryl Jackson as she was diagnosed with leukemia. This is serious but it is a type of leukemia that is well understood and treatable. Please pray for her healing and strength. ^{11/14}
- Re-Opening Please pray for wisdom and guidance that is very much needed for our church leadership to discern both when to re-open and how best to re-open.
- Pray for all of those who have been affected by this virus. Pray for our world and that the love of God and the Hope of our salvation will remain strong. Praise the Lord that our church family who have already been diagnosed with this virus are now on the road to recovery or have recovered from it.
- *Prayer requests will remain on the list for three weeks unless an update is provided. An update or a request to remain on the list is needed past those 3 weeks. Thank you!*

PRAYER ALERTS

If you would like to receive Prayer Alerts you can join via two methods at this time:

App Option (Best) - Inside the Beaverton Adventist Church app locate the 'Settings' menu by touching the 3 vertical lines on the upper left of your screen, choose 'Notifications' and then toggle to green the 'Prayer Alert' option.

Email Option - Send an e-mail to prayergroup+subscribe@beaverton-sda.com and follow the instructions in the confirmation e-mail.

FINANCES

	DEC	NOV	YTD (DEC)
Budgeted	\$25,910	\$25,910	\$291,580
Received	\$19,019	\$23,748	\$234,916
Needed/ Surplus	\$6,891	\$2,162	\$56,664

NOTE: Tithe money does not fund the \$25,910 needed each month to operate the local church and its ministries.

Offering Focus This Week: Local Church Budget

Offering Focus Next Week: Oregon Conference Youth Support

Called to Grow: \$843,047 collected.

PHASE 2
DEBT REDUCTION

CALLED TO GROW
GROWING TO SERVE



Loan funds withdrawn

\$25,000	Principal Payments		\$3,552	Interest Payments
\$445,000	Principal Balance		TBA	Interest Saved