



BEAVERTON ADVENTIST CHURCH

December 3, 2022

Welcome

Happy Sabbath Church Family! Once again we remind ourselves of the high value of faith-based community. We are blessed to enjoy the relationships that we have with another through the bonds of salvation in Christ. One way we preserve these important relationships is through honesty of word and deed. Our church community is kept more safe when we share integrity and we are at greater risk when honesty fails. Solomon wrote in Proverbs 28:18, "The one whose walk is blameless is kept safe, but the one whose ways are perverse will fall into the pit." May God's blessings continue to strengthen and protect our church family.

Worship 9:30am

Welcome

Josh Withers

Opening Hymn

Angels We Have Heard On High: Hymn 142

United Prayer

Eric Ames

Stewardship Call

Sara Withers

Children's Story

Tiana Bowers

Praise

Spoken Word

Rodney Payne II

WHAT TO EXPECT THIS WEEK

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TODAY

9:30 am Worship Service
11:00 am Sabbath Small Groups
2:00 pm Choir Practice
4:28 pm Sabbath Ends

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9:00 am Community Services

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6:00 pm Pathfinders
7:00 pm Choir Dress Rehearsal

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DEC 9

6:00 pm CM Christmas Program Rehearsal
4:27 pm Sabbath Begins

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DEC 10

9:30 am Christmas Choir Worship Service
11:00 am Sabbath Small Groups
12:15 pm Fellowship Meal
4:27 pm Sabbath Ends



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **Membership Transfers: 2nd Reading**

Leaving:

Ester Dyati, Darlan Zacharia, and Kevin Nathaneal to Indonesian Church of the Inland Empire in San Bernardino, CA
David Ross to Chandler SDA Church in Chandler, AZ

2. **December Fellowship Meal** Our monthly Fellowship Meal will take place next Sabbath, Dec 10. Please join in Fellowship Hall after Sabbath Small Groups for fun, food, and fellowship to celebrate this holiday season! Bring your favorite dish to share.
3. **Christmas Choir Worship Service: Next Sabbath** Join us next Sabbath, Dec 10 at our 9:30am worship service for a special Christmas blessing from our church choir and amazing organist, Dan Miller. This is a service full of beautiful seasonal music not to be missed.
4. **Children's Christmas Program: Dec 17 @ 5pm** Children's Ministries will be presenting a Christmas Program titled "Census in Bethlehem" on Saturday, Dec 17 @5pm in the Sanctuary. Come watch this light-hearted take on the classic Christmas Story through the beautiful story telling and singing by our children! Light refreshments to follow in the Fellowship Hall.
5. **Now is the time to Order your 2023 Devotionals** A sample book of each Devotional Available will be set up out in the Foyer each Sabbath. Come check them out between Church Service and Sabbath School, after Sabbath School is over, or anytime in between. There's one for everyone in the family and they are great for gifts too. You can pick up an Order Slip either at the Table or on the Church App. We will be taking orders through Sunday Dec 11th and all orders need to be given to Chris McKay. Also, to make paying for them easier, a special line item for Devotionals has been setup in the Adventist Giving program online. If you have any questions please see Chris or Bret McKay or Call Chris McKay at 503-577-5259.
6. **Pathfinders and Community Service: Collecting Non-Perishable Food** This holiday season Community Services is working with Pathfinders to collect food for 10 families, including 54 people, that have students at Chehalem Elementary school just down Davis road from the church. Any non-perishable food is appreciated. If you are willing to help please bring items to the Pathfinder Room and place them in the Blue Collection Box by Dec 12. We also need volunteers Monday night December 12 from 7-9 to help sort food into boxes for these 10 families. Please text Stephanie with any questions: 503-502-2446. Suggested items to include: Canned vegetables, canned fruit, canned soup, dried beans, pasta and pasta sauce, stuffing mix, cake mixes and cookie mixes.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONT.)

- 7. Women's Ministries: Ornament Exchange** Women's Ministries is hosting an Ornament Exchange! Come together on Sunday, Dec 11 at 4:00pm at Jen Houghton's House: 23524 SW Denali Ln Sherwood, OR. Bring a wrapped ornament and enjoy some holiday fellowship. Carpooling greatly encouraged as parking is limited.
- 8. Romanian Outreach Giving Opportunity** The Adventist Church in Romania continues to do their best to serve Ukrainian Refugees. One project that could use extra support is an effort to provide housing for young children who have been left without any or much family support. A summer camp team has set out to build a 4-story dormitory. They have the main structure's walls built and are presently striving to get the roof finished before winter weather sets in. If you would like to financially support this initiative, we have the ability to send funds directly to the 'boots on the ground' team. Please mark your offering (Adventist Giving App or giving envelope) as 'Romanian Outreach' to ensure your gift is properly delivered.
- 9. Do you view Pastor Rodney's 'One Takes'?** Once every two weeks Pastor Rodney sends out on the app a short video devotional with the hopes of encouraging your faith in God. If you haven't been in the rhythm of watching them we invite you to consider doing so. The idea of 'One Takes' is that he tries to hit record and share his thought in only one attempt to keep things simple and authentic. They typically arrive in the church app bi-weekly on Wednesdays at 6:45p and then again on Fridays at 12:45p. If you are not getting the notification be sure to turn on notifications in the app. Just tap on the three horizontal lines in the upper left hand corner, tap 'Notifications' and then make sure the toggle is selected to show green for 'General'. Otherwise, you can also tap the 'Media' button on the center/bottom of the home screen and the entire 'One Take' archive is available.
- 10. Transfer your Membership to Beaverton** Has Beaverton SDA Church become your new church home? Let us help you get your church membership transferred into our congregation! Email the office at office@beavertonsda.com to notify us that you would like to start the membership transfer process. Our clerk will reach out to get things started.
- 11. Beaverton Adventist Church App** - If you would like to be in the communication loop of our local church community then you will need to get set up with the app. 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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONT.)

- 12. 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.
- 13. Church Library is temporarily closed** Our church library will be closed temporarily for inventory and reorganization. If you currently have a library item checked out, you may return the item on the due date. Should you have any questions, please contact Liz Saufley at: 503-830-1377.
- 14. Updating the 2022 Church Directory** We are planning to update our church directory! We need any new family details along with a fresh new photo of you and your family. Having a current directory helps build our church community. Professional photos are not required, just pictures of smiling faces is all we need. Please send photos to directory@beavertons-da.com.
- 15. Happy December Birthdays!** A list of November birthdays is available at the Welcome Desk.
- 16. Sponsor a Floral Arrangement** There are many spots available to sponsor floral arrangements! Check out the floral calendar in the hall between the Office and the Pastor’s Office and sign up to sponsor for birthdays, anniversaries, births, or any special event. It’s always a blessing to have a beautiful arrangement up front to share your celebration with the church family.
- 17. Pew Mess? No Stress** Messes happen and we can all relate. Don’t stress—we can help! If a mess or stain happens on one of our new pews, please notify the volunteer at the Welcome Desk and they can take care of it.

PRAISES & REQUESTS

- Connie Teo has requested prayer for our friend, Anelda Derhalli, who is having a very difficult time with pain in her right hip, which has progressed to causing nerve pain down her leg. She urgently needs to have a hip replacement and has met with a surgeon. The pain has left her unable to function for weeks. Let's lift her up in prayer, seeking God's healing hand, wisdom for her physicians and a quick placement on the schedule for surgery. 11/26
- Please pray for Althea Harris and her family. In a tragic accident in Florida, she lost her older brother. Please pray for this family during their grief. May God bring provide comfort and blessings as they look forward to being reunited in the Heavenly Kingdom. 11/26
- Prayer requested for Pastor Julius and his daughter, Leah. Both are very ill with Leah being taken to the hospital where she is improving some. May God bless them with rapid recovery. 11/26
- Cesar sent an update on Aria; in his words: "...things have changed. Erica asked the doctors to do a genetic test, and in doing so they found it was a lower grade tumor and not a high-grade tumor. They have stopped the chemo treatments and she only needs a few more radiation treatments. She is gaining strength every day. An MRI is scheduled December 20th to see how she has responded to treatments. Thank you, Lord for hearing our prayers. He has blessed us all. This was definitely a good Thanksgiving. God Bless." 11/25
- Update and request from Heather Martin: "Continued sobriety and freedom from smoking ." Praises to God for the victory over drinking! Pray for God's blessings in her resolve to never drink again and her battle with smoking cessation. 11/12
- Shaun Fitch was recently diagnosed with stage 2 oropharyngeal cancer. Radiation and chemotherapy treatments will begin soon, and the anticipated prognosis is relatively positive. Shaun and his family are prepared to get through this challenge, and very much appreciate your prayers. 11/5
- Jackie Wilcox has requested prayer as she is fighting pneumonia. May her recovery be rapid as she places her faith in Jesus.(11/7)
- Jackie Wilcox has sent an update on her friend Jenna: "Continuing prayer for Jenna Silva: I just got off a zoom prayer call for Jenna. She and Mike her dad are in Renton at the clinic where she takes her treatments. Her numbers yesterday on her liver, we're not good; it's really being used hard. However the great news is her cancer load is down to 21. Other great news her dad reported how much she is loved by staff and fellow patients. She is always a light in the darkness, no matter where she goes or what the circumstance. Thank you for your continuing prayers for her." (11/12)

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- Keziah Ouko has sent in a request: "I've recently been diagnosed with Right Breast Cancer & started treatment today. Please pray for healing, my medical team for wisdom & guidance as we navigate this journey. Thank you. Keziah Ouko" (10/27)
- Pray for all of those who have been affected by the war in Ukraine. Lives lost on both sides, families torn part, cities destroyed, overwhelming destruction, such evil on display. God, please bring a quick end to this conflict, heal those nations, we pray.
- *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 horizontal 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@beavertonsda.com and follow the instructions in the confirmation e-mail.

FINANCES

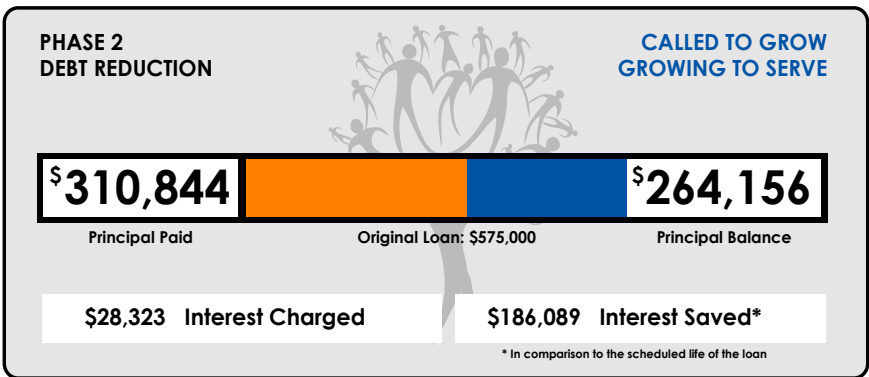
	NOV 2022	OCT 2022	YTD(OCT)
Budgeted	\$27,155	\$27,155	\$271,550
Received	\$29,247	\$39,452	\$239,904
Needed/Surplus	\$2,092	\$12,297	\$31,646

NOTE: Tithe money does not fund the \$27,155 needed each month to operate the local church and its ministries.

Offering Focus This Week: Local Church Budget

Offering Focus Next Week: Adventist Community Services (NAD)

Called to Grow: \$1,164,397 donated.



AdventistGiving.org (Beaverton Adventist Church)

Deacon On Duty: Reuben Ness

Pastoral Assistants On Duty: Eric Ames

Bruce Holm

Milt Villegas