



BEAVERTON ADVENTIST CHURCH

January 6, 2024

Welcome

Welcome to 2024 and to worship here in Beaverton! We are glad you have chosen to be here today. Sometimes God reveals Himself to us in surprising and spectacular fashion; think of the shepherds in Luke's Gospel. At other times, he may show himself to us in other ways, such as by signs in nature; think of the Magi discovering and following a star in Matthew. When God reveals Himself to us this year how will we respond? Today, Pastor Jack's sermon will address this question.

Worship 9:30am

Welcome	Pastor Jeff Bradburn
Opening Hymn	<i>To God be the Glory #341</i>
United Prayer	Eric Ames
Stewardship Call	Leon Colburn
Children's Story	Pastor Jeff Bradburn
	Praise
Spoken Word	Pastor Jack Brown

WHAT TO EXPECT THIS WEEK

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TODAY

9:30 am Worship Service
11:00 am Sabbath Small Groups
4:43 pm Sabbath Ends

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JAN 7

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JAN 8

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JAN 9

9:00 am Community Services

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JAN 10

7:00 pm 10 Days of Prayer Begins

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JAN 11

7:00 pm Adult Bible Study

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JAN 12

4:42 pm Sabbath Begins

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JAN 13

9:30 am Worship Service
11:00 am Sabbath Small Groups
12:15 pm Fellowship Meal
4:00 pm Josh Withers Ordination
4:43 pm Sabbath Ends




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ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **Membership Transfers: 1st Reading**

Joining:

Rachel Manns from Palm Springs Adventist Church in Palm Springs, CA
Ryan Manns from Rutland Adventist Church in Kelowna, BC

2. **Fellowship Meal: January 13** Join us for our monthly Fellowship Meal next Sabbath, January 13 in the Fellowship Hall following Sabbath School time. Please bring enough food for your family plus a little extra to help feed our guests.
3. **Save the Date: Josh Withers Ordination** On January 13 we will have a special service to celebrate the ordination of Pastor Josh Withers. This wonderful event will take place at 4 pm in the afternoon here at the Beaverton church. All are invited to celebrate this milestone in Pastor Josh's ministry.
4. **Christmas De-Decoration.** Thank you very much to the 22 people who helped to get everything packed up and put away. Many hands made it so fast and easy.
5. **Adult Bible Study** Please join us in our studies on Revelation 14: The Pinnacle of Prophecy by Amazing Facts International. This bible study is meeting on Thursdays from 6:30pm - 8pm in the Columbia room.
6. **10 Days of Prayer** The GC 10 Days of Prayer initiative takes place January 10 through 19 with a theme of "Priorities of Faith". Join Bret & Chris McKay nightly from 7pm to 8pm on the Prayer Line (978) 990-5000 and Enter Code 248587#. To get the Daily Scripture and Reading go to <https://www.tendayssofprayer.org> where you can download the material for all 10 Days or sign up to receive each days reading in your email box each morning. If you are not able to join us on the Prayer Line may we suggest a few other ways you can join in the 10 Days of Prayer. Gather with your Family, Small Group or even just yourself and read the days scriptures and pray. If there was any time that God's People needed to Pray it's Now. If you have questions please call Bret McKay @ 503-577-4686.
7. **RELATE - Children's Sabbath School Training** Are you an adult/parent that would like to gain more confidence to teach in Children's SS? Are you a SS teacher or leader that would like to meet with others to glean knowledge, share ideas, get fired up and inspired? Then this is a conference for YOU! If you would like to attend, and currently teach or desire to teach in the CM division, we would be more than willing to cover your conference registration fee (\$25). Please contact Heidi McGill or Brenda Payne for more information or click on the link to register for the training on 1/28.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONT.)

- 8. PSA: Church Security** We have a dedicated team in the Deacon Ministry. They do a great job serving our community in many ways both seen and unseen. One of their main tasks is to open the building up prior to our gatherings and to secure it closed afterward. This includes both exterior doors and interior doors. It's a big task! However, we appeal to everyone to be a part of the securing process. When you leave the building, please make sure the doors used are secured shut and windows are closed. Together we can share a value of keeping our people and facility safe. Thank you for helping us in this matter.
- 9. 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.
- 10. Sponsor a Floral Arrangement** Arrangements can be sponsored for 1st and 3rd Sabbaths each month. Contact Sandra via the app, email at sandraduke@gmail.com, or phone at 971-269-6940.
- 11. 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.
- 12. Happy January Birthdays!** A list of January birthdays is available at the Welcome Desk. If you notice a birthday missing, please email the church office at office@beavertonsda.com

PRAISES & REQUESTS

- Jackie Wilcox requests urgent prayer for her friend, Jenna. Two days ago, Jenna, had an MRI of the brain which revealed a large mass which is bleeding. She is scheduled to have surgery on Wednesday (12/27) to remove the tumor and stop the bleeding. Please lift her up seeking God to bless her with peace during this Christmas season and as she has surgery on Wednesday. May the operation go well and her recovery be without complication. (12/25)
- Please pray for Nancy Brown and family. Her brother, Michael Cullen, died in his sleep Monday night (12/11). (12/22)
- Nancy Brown also requests prayer again for her friend, Linda Trout, who “is not improving and is in a lot of pain. Her husband, Jim, is up night and day and making doctor appointments trying to get them to do something for her. She has an infection in her eye and the doctors want to remove the eye. She is walking a little bit now and that’s an improvement. I just don’t know what to pray for anymore.” (12/22)
- Harry Dexter requests prayer for, Mark, his sister-in-law’s, brother-in-law, who has now been diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. We have offered prayers for him in the past as he fought lung and brain cancer. “Pray for peace of mind, peace of heart, peace of spirit and a miracle.” (12/22)
- Please pray for Elizabeth Rothenberger, (Connie’s mother). “She is on hospice. Prayers for the family and caregivers would also be appreciated. Thank you.” (12/22)
- Pray for those affected by the wars in Russia and Ukraine and those in Israel and Palestine. Pray for an end to the evil we are seeing in our world. May Jesus come quickly.
- *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

Snapshot of church finances as of January 3, 2024

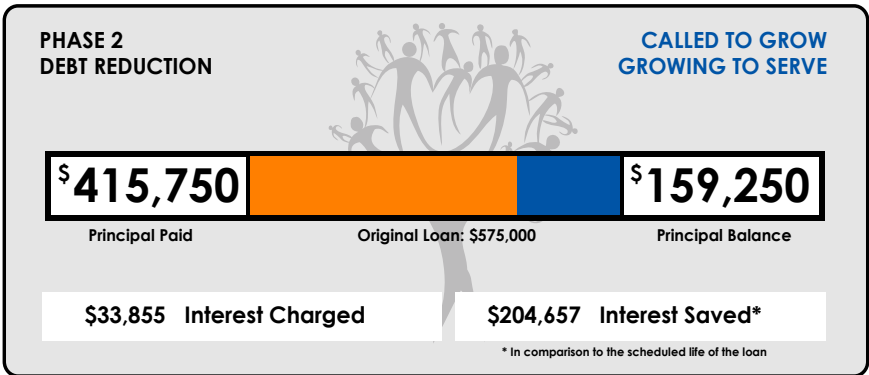
	JAN 2024	DEC 2023	YTD(DEC)
Budgeted		\$28,336	\$328,032
Received	\$937	\$54,747	\$346,228
Needed/Surplus		\$26,411	\$18,196

NOTE: Tithe money does not fund the \$28,336 needed each month to operate the local church and its ministries.

Offering Focus This Week: Local Church Budget

Offering Focus Next Week: Religious Liberty

Called to Grow: \$1,285,664 donated



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Deacon On Duty: Reuben Ness

David Sturges

Pastoral Assistants On Duty: Eric Ames

Kellsie Kriegestein

Milt Villegas