

Welcome to Eastgate SDA Church! *A message from Pastor Eric Saylor*

When my parents were dating and planning to marry they took a class in college on genetics. As they did so they analyzed their own inherited characteristics and tried to predict what their kids would look like when they started a family.

One significant thing that they wondered was "would they produce a redhead?"

My mom has red hair and my dad has brown hair. As they considered the possibilities they realized that the likelihood of a redhead was very low because it is a recessive trait. Surely the dominant brown hair would win out pretty consistently.

Well, they ended up having three boys. The first and last had hair very similar to my dad's, but I ended up with red hair, which was much more vibrant when I was a kid.

Genetics and heredity are fascinating. I know just enough about it to know I don't know anything but I still love learning as much as I can grasp.

This Sabbath we're talking about something we all inherited from our first parents. It impacts everyone, everywhere in the world, regardless of ethnicity, culture, and parentage.

I hope you can join in person as we continue our Creation Series!

For those who are unable to worship in person you're welcome to join online at our [YouTube Channel](#).

~Pastor Eric

This Weekend: *April 30, 2022: Pastor Eric Saylor ~ "A Tale of Two Goats"*
Next Weekend: *May 7, 2022: Women's Ministry Weekend*

Week At A Glance

Sabbath, April 30, 2022

9:00am – 10:00 Every Man A Warrior; Men's Class

10:00 – 11:00am Sabbath School Study Time

11:15am – 12:30pm Worship Service; Pastor Eric Saylor

12:45pm All Church Potluck in the Fellowship Room

Monday, May 2 6:30pm Facilities Committee Meeting - Library

Wednesday, May 4 6:30pm Our Weekly Prayer Meeting – Youth Room

Thursday, May 5 7:00pm Youth Gathering – Fellowship Room

Friday, May 6 6:30pm Prayeradigm Gathering in the Fellowship Room

Sabbath, May 7 11:15 – 12:15pm Mother's Day Weekend – Women's Ministry Team

Sunday, May 8 MOTHER'S DAY

Monday, May 9 6:30pm Weight Loss Sauce

Tuesday, May 10 6:30pm Walla Walla Valley Constituency Meeting

Eastgate SDA Church Service this Week

Worship Service 11:15am 04-30-2022 [Link to: ~ Eastgate Church: YouTube](#)

Gathering Song	Praise Team
Community Life	Dennis Reed
Kids Korner	
Children’s Song	Praise Team
Children’s Story	Dennis Reed
Songs of Praise & Worship	Praise Team
Prayer	Dennis Reed
God’s Word	<i>Pastor Eric Saylor</i>
Sermon Title:	<i>“A Tale of Two Goats”</i>
Scripture:	<i>Genesis 3:22</i>
Song of Response	Praise Team
Benediction	Dennis Reed

Worship Team today

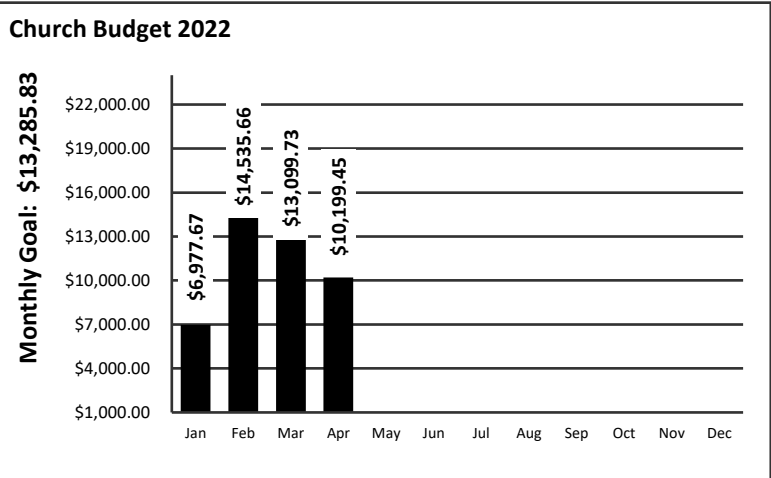
Lead Elder:	Dennis Reed
Praise Team Leader:	Seth Gillham & Friends
Pianist:	Kristy Bartlett
Greeter:	Wendy Rick, Gay & Buz Flegel
Lead Deacon:	Whitney Johnson
Lead Deaconess:	Jillian Saylor & Lauren Craig
AV Team:	Kevin Renshaw & Dennis Anderson
Live Streaming:	David Meyer

<u>Financial Report</u>	<u>RECEIVED</u>	<u>GOAL</u>	<u>NEED</u>
Student Aid goal for 2021-22	\$ 21,007.78	\$16,900.00	\$(4,107.78)
HVAC Up-grades	\$ 26,918.13	\$55,000.00	<i>Phase 1, 2 &3</i>

April 30, 2022 — Local Church Budget

Appeal: Jeremiah 31:35 “This is what the Lord says, he who appoints the sun to shine by day, who decrees the moon and star to shine by night...the Lord Almighty is his name.”

Emulate an Orderly God. We worship with our resources in a disciplined way because we emulate an orderly God. One striking feature of God’s creation is its well-ordered design. The daily, weekly, and monthly patterns speak loud about the Designer, Creator, and Sustainer of the universe. As believers, we define ourselves as being His image and God being our model. Therefore, those who aspire to be His clear and sharp image are indeed paying attention to these words: “But everything should be done in a fitting and orderly way” (1 Cor. 14:40). Spontaneity should not be an excuse for an absence of order in worship and giving. A man was always complaining of people stealing his money; he even suspected his wife and children. One day, his good friend gave him some advice: “If you vow to



make a special gift to God, no one will touch your money.” He agreed to make this vow. On payday, he cashed his check and hid his money. After some few days, he remembered his vow but there was only one small bill left to his great disbelief. He burst in a rage, shouting, and cursing his wife and children: “This time, you have stolen God’s money, and He will deal with you.” His wife remained silent, wrote on a sheet of paper from top to bottom, and added some numbers on the right. Then, she gently pushed the paper toward her furious husband. His eyes moved up and down through the list of items and numbers. He dared not add one single word. No one had stolen his money; he was spending carelessly without any plan. When our finances are in a mess, we can hardly enjoy a happy life, and it is difficult to honor God with a faithful tithe and adequate offerings. Would you like to enjoy the quality of life that your Divine Father has meticulously purposed for you? Exercise more discipline and order in the management of our God-given resources. This week, may we reflect the image of the orderly God that we serve through our tithe and regular offerings.

Prayer: Lord, we thank You for the example of the order that You have set. Please give us the wisdom and discipline to reflect this attribute in the management of our personal affairs.

Special Mission Appeal

Hello! We are Dennis & Sharon Reed. We have a friend who collects eye glasses to give out to people in different countries who are in need. She has many miraculous and wonderful stories of people who have received eye glasses on these trips. She takes prescription glasses, reading glasses, and sun glasses. We will be meeting up with her May 1 as we are going on a Maranatha trip together to Camp MiVoden. If you have any extra eye glasses you can spare please bring them to church and give to us or call me at 503-812-6640 if you need me to pick them up. Thank you so much! There will be a basket to receive donations in the lobby/foyer.

Eastgate Church News & Events

JOIN THE LIVE-STREAMING TEAM !! Interested People Needed

Brian Hartman who leads the Live-Streaming Team is looking for one or two more individuals who would be willing to learn and assist in the ministry of our On-line Worship Service. There are those who use our YouTube as an option for viewing for a variety of reasons. We need to expand the team and he would be happy to speak to anyone who might be interested. Contact Brian at hartmaninbox@gmail.com or 509-240-6607 text or voice call.

Women’s Ministry Sabbath: Coming Sabbath May 7 our Women’s Ministry Team will present a special Mother’s Day Worship Service. Bring your mothers and grandmothers!

Donna (Ritchie) Casebolt will be 90 years old on May 8th, Mother’s Day! To celebrate without placing her at risk, please send cards & well-wishes to Dixie Cramer at 30 Talon Loop, Walla Walla, WA 99362 or email to: dcramer55@gmail.com.

Mother’s Room ~ Small Child Space for Fathers

Our Mother’s Room is a space for new mothers where they can care for the needs of their infants and toddlers and still be able to engage with and follow along with the worship process in the main sanctuary. *Please do not leave children there unsupervised.*

Fathers who may need to take their turn at caring for their young ones should be aware of a multi-use space in what we call our library. There are a couple of rocking chairs for calming little ones who may need to be snuggled. This room is also a transition room where training of little ones can take place as needed. This room will continue to be a multi-function room where committees and small groups can meet during the week and during Sabbath school time.

Please bring your own quiet toys for your child.

Two Services to return to Eastgate SDA Church ~ June

At the April church board a discussion focused on our increased church attendance and the possible need for implementing a second church service. Suggested model would be Early Service – Sabbath School – Second Service. This will require more staff on the part of Deacons and Deaconesses in the lobby area. It was also suggested that they act to help those entering late to find seating. Target date to start this is June 4, 2022. Details remain to yet be worked out.

If you would be interested in joining a team to help support this transition please speak with the team leaders for Greeters, Deacons, Deaconesses, A/V, an Elder or the Pastor.

Face to Face Weekly Prayer Meeting in the Church Youth Room!

This group meets every Wednesday Evening at 6:30. Please join us as we experience the power of the Holy Spirit being poured out on our church. “There is great need of secret prayer, but there is also need that several Christians meet together and unite with earnestness their petitions to God.” – *In Heavenly Places, p. 91*. Questions? Please call Carol at 509-200-0587 or Dixie at 509-301-2827.

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EASTGATE SDA CHURCH ON YOUTUBE

YouTube: Eastgate Church ~ Our Church Service is now being broadcast on YouTube at the following Link: [Eastgate Church](#) or type out the address shown below. Thank you for subscribing!

<https://www.Youtube.com/c/EastgateAdventistChurch/featured>

Small Groups also known as Grow Groups Ministries

Please check out the table in the Foyer where information and sign-up sheets will be available this Sabbath! The new group offerings are as follows with their first start dates.

May 1: **Run for God**; leader, Rachele Hartman.

May 1: **Virtual Plant-based Cooking**, Melissa Roberts.

May 1: **Dinner Club Group**, Sue Laabs, Carolyn Vickroy ~ Laabs' Residence

May 3: **Praising with Strings**, Cal Blackham ~ Junior Classroom – *See page 7*

May 5: **Prayer Walking Group**, April McCorkle

May 7: **Family Friendly Campfire Group**, Michelle Einig ~ Full

May 12: **Knitting/Crocheting Group**, Sara Peterson

These groups will be based on the *Semester system* ~ approximately 12 weeks in length. They will form around a group of people with *Shared Interest*. They will have a *Social* element. If you are interested in leading a group or want more information regarding this please contact him at 503-312-4355 or email to luke.self@gmail.com .

Prayer Shawl Ministry

We have wrapped up our Prayer Shawl Ministry at the end of this quarter with our last group meeting on March 26. If you are working on a shawl or lap blanket at home and would like to donate it to a hospice patient, or have any questions, please email Keri at: keri.self@gmail.com.

School News & Children's Ministry Items

Upcoming Events at Milton-Stateline Adventist School

May 12 Spring Program, 6:30 p.m.

May 20 Walkathon

May 22 Constituency Meeting, 6:00, School gym

May 26 Kindergarten Graduation, 6:30 p.m., school gym

June 2 Eighth-grade Graduation, 6:30 p.m., Milton Church

Please join Rogers Adventist School for “Refugees fundraiser!” ~ May 1 from 4-6 pm

Who: Anyone! RAS parents, students, friends, supporters, etc. but community members are welcome too!

Where: Rogers Adventist School parking lot, gym, and commons, 200 SW Academy Way in College Place

Why: To benefit Ukrainian refugees

What to expect: Bring cash/coins or a credit card to purchase tickets at the door. All other booths will take cash/coins or tickets. All proceeds go to refugees.

Car Wash: Sponsored by Family Groups Captains; Car Wash is donation-based - cash please.

Teddy Bear Sale: Sponsored by K-2 Classrooms

Bake Sale: Sponsored by 3rd/4th grades

Pizza and Root beer Floats: Sponsored by 7th/8th grades

Gym games: Sponsored by Athletics

Arts and Crafts by all

Music by all (see schedule below)

Pennies for Peace sponsored by 5th/6th grades (see flyer)

Music Performance Schedule:

4:00 p.m. Piano students with Mrs. Cox

4:20 p.m. Mr. Lang's Class

4:30 p.m. Mrs. Solis's Class

4:40 p.m. Violin/Viola/Cello students with Mrs. Carpenter

4:50 p.m. Mrs. Wessman's Class

5:00 p.m. Fiddlesticks group

5:20 p.m. Mrs. Libby's Class

Invite your friends and neighbors!

Collegiate & Young Adults

Sabbath Morning Bible Study

This group is a vibrant collection of 20 – 40 ish believers who are currently studying II Samuel as they study the life of David. To join this group and be in the know of how to meet, visit classroom 115 or call Josh Boram (541) 870-4661 or Mary Castrejon at (360) 349-7126.

Men’s Ministry

Each Sabbath Morning: Every Man A Warrior; Helping Men Succeed in Life

Every Sabbath in Room 145 at **9:00AM** a group of Eastgate Men continue a special Sabbath Morning study group – yes, for men only. The *Every Man a Warrior* guide book. It is designed specifically to deal with the issues that men face and need to succeed in. It has been used with men of all ages from



PENNIES FOR PEACE

Rogers is proud to announce our "Pennies for Peace" Class Competition!

WHERE? Tables will be set up in the lobby of Rogers. A labeled container for each classroom pod will be on top waiting to be filled.

WHEN? The containers will be available to fill from Monday, April 25 - Sunday, May 1. Results will be tallied and winners announced the following week.

WHY? The pod with the highest points at the end of the week gets a free dress day and a popsicle party at recess!

HOW TO PLAY

It's simple. Search your couch cushions, look around the front seat of the car, pull teeth for the tooth fairy! Do whatever it takes to find and fill your class pods' jar with pennies. Remember you can also place your silver coins in the jars of other classes in order to sabotage their penny score.

POINT SYSTEM

- +1 point
- 5 points
- 10 points
- 25 points

Dollar bills and all other paper money are +100 points

teens to men in their 70s. Toby Slater will lead in studying and share the role with others as they progress.

Thursday Night Men's Group ~ 7:30pm

Leader: Rob Becker, ~ Pastor's Office

Eastgate Vacation Bible School – 2022

Carolynn Vickroy is again heading the team for our Summer Vacation Bible School here at the Eastgate SDA Church. Set up with decorations from July 31 to August 7. VBS days are Monday to Friday August 8 – 12 from 9:00am to 12 Noon.

Help is still needed in all of the following teams:

Prayer Station

Craft Station

Game Station

Skits/Drama

Registration Team

Bible Story Station

Snack Station

Preschool Station

Set up & Decorations

A/V operators

You can reach out to Carolynn at cmfvickroy@yahoo.com or text/call at 509-301-7268.

Your prayers of support for the evangelistic success with our community children are also coveted.

Walla Walla Valley SDA News

Celebration of Life, Maurice Kivett, May 7

Gloria Ensminger Kivett would like to invite all who knew Maurice Kivett to a Celebration of Life Service to be held at the Walla Walla University Church at 4:00pm. Maurice was an Anesthetist here in the valley who passed away June 1 of 2020 due to cancer.

Remember Adventist Retired Workers! (ARW)

You won't want to miss our next event on Wednesday, May 4, 2022. Please join us for a coach trip to Pomeroy, WA, where we will visit and have dinner at Pataha Flour Mills - Historic Museum and Christian Retreat. Those with reservations should meet in the Village Church parking lot between 9 and 9:15am to board the bus.

SonBridge Personal Shopper Positions

We are in need of one or more volunteers who enjoy helping others by being Personal Shoppers at SonBridge. This position assists people coming into our front office with "necessity of life" items such as clothing, household items, rent, utilities and food. The most important traits of the Personal Shopper are of being kind, non-judgmental, empathetic, encouraging and knowing how to ask questions to find out just what the person needs. We request a commitment of at least 3 hours per week. Days and hours are flexible between Monday – Thursday, 9am to 5pm.

Please contact SonBridge Center for Better Living at 509-529-3100 or visit sonbridge.org.

Christian Aid Center Seeking Volunteer Assistance!

Here are the latest volunteer opportunities at the Christian Aid Center:

--Breakfast Cooks are needed in our community kitchen. We currently have two shifts available: Mondays from 6:00 to 7:45 am, and every other Wednesday from 6:00 to 7:45 am. Professional cooking skills not required.

--Registered Nurses to help in our Health & Wellness Center.

--Receptionist in our Women & Children's Shelter on Tuesday afternoons.

For more information, contact Jeannette Regalado, Community Engagement Director at (509) 525-7153 ext. 114. You can also fill out an application at christianaidcenter.org.

PRAISE WITH STRINGS More About this Grow Group!

When? Starting May 3, 2022, Tuesday, from 7:30-8:30pm

How frequently? Every Tuesday, 10 weeks in a row – for the ‘quarter’.

Where? Eastgate Seventh-day Adventist Church. Youth room

Who can attend? Anyone who enjoys playing ‘stringed’ instrument. This includes, Violin, Guitar, Bass, Uke, Banjo, Mandolin, etc.

Who is going to lead this group? Cal Blackham is going to attempt to lead/teach the group but he is very much interested in co-leading, or co-teaching, with others who want to ‘pitch in’. His skills are limited to guitar, bass, uke, banjo. Those with expertise outside of this range are also welcome to co-facilitate, or fumble around with the rest of us.

How good do I have to be to participate? Any level of musician ship – new learners, to advanced. Assistance, tutoring, coaching, will be available (Mostly for guitar, bass, uke, etc.). Ideally, if we get enough people, perhaps we can separate into varying levels of skills, or instruments.

What do I need to bring? Have your own stringed instrument, and a willingness to play amongst fellow peers. I will try to provide additional instruments, or if you have some you want to share that’s great! Will be focusing on acoustic instruments but will see how it goes for electric instruments and ‘volume’ control.

What if I am nervous about playing in front of others? All the more reason to come check it out! We are targeting a non-judgmental, peer supportive, atmosphere to encourage learning. If you’re good at audio/video/computers, your help would be appreciated if you want to operate in the ‘back ground’.

What if I need help on my instrument, or am just starting out? Every week we will be focusing on learning a little bit of something new, so there will be a brief educational component - and help for those that are struggling. Peer teaching, or helping others, is encouraged.

What type of music will be playing? Will focus on playing, and learning, or reviewing, Christian based music. May even attempt some modern songs too.

How does it work? Will try to tune up, and then fumble our way through songs of suggestion in a loud chaotic manner Mostly we are going to figure things out as we go.

Do I have to attend all of 10 groups? There will not be any mandatory attendance required, as we can always find something to work on.

What if I can’t read music, or I can’t play by ear, or I don’t know what notes, or chords, are what? The plan is to ‘project’ what we are playing onto a screen and then talk, or teach, what notes/chords are what or where. This will, hopefully, free us from bringing books and such. But, if you have some stuff to suggest, let’s look it over and see what happens. Mistakes indicate a desire to improve 😊

Do I have to sing? That is optional....but the more noise we have, the easier we can all hide whether we are singing, or strumming an instrument.

Got more questions, comments, ideas, or concerns? Let Cal know 😊

Upper Columbia Conference of SDA News

2022 Spring Women's and Young Women's Retreat — Register Now!

You will not want to miss this One Day 2022 Spring Virtual Retreat where the featured speaker is Lindsey Haffner, youth pastor from Redlands, California. Roxane Nkomo, a member of the London Adventist Chorale, will be blessing us with several beautiful vocals from York, England. Special features include Makena Horton, UCC communications coordinator; Heidi Jones, hospice chaplain; Sheryl Janke, UCC women's event coordinator; and Cathie Hartman, an educator working in Mongolia. **Registration will remain open leading up to the event and during the event, so you can still add it to next week's announcement.** Registration is currently open for this Virtual event scheduled for Sabbath, April 30, 2022, 10:00 AM- 3:00 PM. Register at uccsda.org/womensretreat.

Camp MiVoden Registration Now Open

Would you like to be in the great outdoors of the Inland Northwest and get to know Jesus and build a relationship with Him or strengthen your relationship with Him? We have an amazing program planned for next summer at Camp MiVoden. Our week schedule is going back to a 7 day week for our summer camps. Several of our camps are filling up, but we still have some space in our youth camps. Spaces will not last long in our Ultimate Camps. Please visit www.mivoden.com and register today for our 2022 summer camps. If you have any questions please email registration@mivoden.com.

March/April Issue of the Gleaner Available Online

The women you'll meet in this issue come from several states and varied backgrounds. Despite their differences, they share one thing in common. Their stories shed light on this common thread and bring encouragement for our personal efforts for Christ. Read online at news.uccsda.org/NWAdventists322.

Keeping the financial health of our church in mind ~ Giving Plan

How your local church budget fits into "My Personal Giving Plan"

Like every family, the local church family has financial obligations to meet. Some are easy to see like power and heat, but many are not so obvious: children's magazines, Sabbath School Bible study guides, teaching supplies, staff salaries, cleaning services, church school operating expenses, property insurance, worthy student fund, and community outreach. These are but a few of the costs that must be met month after month as the local church seeks to be a light in the community. Because these expenses are constant, My Personal Giving Plan recommends that 3-5% of one's income be set aside for the local church budget. This systematic giving ensures that all share both in the blessings and the responsibilities of the local congregation.

The North American Division encourages the use of the "My Personal Giving Plan." This plan was developed as a guideline to assist members in systematic giving. The plan suggests that, in addition to returning 10% of a member's personal income as tithe, certain percentages may be dedicated as offerings to three main categories:

- Local Church Budget: 3-5%
- Conference Advance: 1-2%
(Education, evangelism, VBS, summer camps, and union magazines)
- World Budget: 1-3%

*Visit www.personalgivingplan.com to see a more extensive breakdown for each category.

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Pacific Northwest Camp Meetings

Cowboy Camp Meeting Final Round-Up — May 22

After 36 years of trail dust, gospel music and great fun a Fourth of July tradition in the Northwest is coming to an end. Cowboy Camp Meeting started out along the Tucannon River near Dayton, Washington, in the summer of 1984, however forced cancellations from COVID in 2020 and excessive heat in 2021 spelled the end of an era. All are invited to the final Round-up on May 22 at the Hermiston Oregon Seventh-day Adventist Church fellowship hall. Registration will open at 10:30 a.m. For more information about Cowboy Camp Meeting or the final round-up, please visit news.uccsda.org/cowboy422.

UCC Camp Meeting June 16 – 18, 2022

Upper Columbia Conference camp meeting 2022, "His Soon Return: Getting Serious About the Second Coming," will be held at Spokane Valley Church from June 16-18. John Bradshaw, president and speaker of It Is Written, and David Jamieson, UCC president, are the main speakers. The King's Heralds will present a Sabbath evening concert also. All programs will be in-person, but will also be livestreamed for those unable to attend. As plans are finalized, information will be posted at uccsda.org/campmeeting

Idaho Conference Camp Meeting, June 14 – 18, 2022

Join the folks of Idaho at Gem State Adventist Academy for their regional camp meeting. Featured speakers include: Dr. Darold Bigger and Shawn Boonstra. For additional information visit: <https://www.idahoadventist.org/departments/administration/camp-meeting-2022>

Oregon Conference Gladstone Camp Meeting July 19 -23, 2022

The Oregon Conference is excited to be planning to welcome back all guests for Gladstone Camp Meeting this summer. Speakers include Kevin Wilfley, Randy Maxwell, Richie Halversen, Roscoe Shields Jnr, and David Meinz. Reservations can be made at: <https://www.oregonadventist.org/campsite-reservations>

Sheridan Meadows Camp Meeting 2022 — July 26-30

Northeast Washington Camp Meeting will be held on July 26-30, 2022 at the Sheridan Meadows SDA Retreat Center. The keynote speaker is Anil Kanda. Other speakers include Jay Gallimore, Vicki Griffin, Greg Griffiths (sic), Howard Tello, Anthony Burrell, and UCC president David Jamieson. For more information, please visit newacampmeeting.com.

Washington Conference ~ Camp Meeting Alternatives

Why Camp Meeting? Traditional camp meeting at Auburn Adventist Academy is a much loved tradition. This is a sacred time when families from western Washington and beyond gather to learn, grow, nurture friendships, eat summertime foods, and enhance their relationship with Jesus Christ through workshops, keynote presentations, and age-based programs.

The pandemic changed how we normally meet for camp meeting. The first year, Washington Conference offered a virtual week of prayer for our camp meeting experience. The second year, Washington Conference offered a hybrid model of camp meeting with a broadcast to watch party locations at local churches. For this third year, Washington Conference is venturing back into larger gatherings by offering area convocations. Our team is praying and anticipating offering traditional camp meeting again in the future.

The pastoral team around each convocation area along with the conference team will be planning programs for kids, teens and adults.

Area Convocation Schedule

- June 4 - Hispanic Convocation | Green River Community College + Hybrid
- August 26-28 - Young Adult Convocation | Sunset Lake Camp

- September 2-3 - South Sound Convocation | Sunset Lake Camp
- September 9-10 - Peninsula Convocation | Bremerton
Keynote speaker: Dr. David Smith
- September 16-17 - North Peninsula Convocation | Sequim
Keynote speaker: Dr. David Smith
- October 7-9 - Southwest Convocation | Olympia
Keynote speaker: Pavel Goia
- October 22 - Northwest Convocation | Burlington

For more on the Washington Conference see: <https://www.washingtonconference.org/inspiration/convocations-2022>

North American Division

Ukrainian Union Moved to the General Conference Offices

In a unanimous 161-person vote by the General Conference Executive Committee, the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Ukraine was immediately removed from the Euro-Asia Division, headquartered in Moscow, Russia, and attached to the General Conference offices in Silver Spring, Maryland. To read more, please visit news.uccsda.org/Ukraine422

Register Now for NPUC Pathfinder Camporee

Registration is now open for the NPUC Pathfinder Camporee in Kalispell, Montana, on September 21-25, 2022. "Our camporee theme is 'Let's Go,'" said Rob Lang, NPUC Pathfinder director. "It's time to start again, it's time to go and explore God's creation, it's time to go and serve and to make a difference in our communities, and it's time to go and share God's love." For more information, and to register, please visit news.uccsda.org/NPUCCamporee.

Flourish: Wellness Weekend for Women - May 13-15

Flourish is a weekend event sponsored by Summit Northwest Ministries for women who are looking to do more than just survive. Join in for a weekend focused on complete health and wellness for your mind, body and soul. The focus of the weekend will be creating time and space for God to speak to your heart, heal your soul, renew your spirit, restore your strength, and remind you that you are loved. For more information and to register, visit news.uccsda.org/flourish322.

Donations in Support of Ukraine

The General Conference is currently collecting funds to address the needs of our brothers and sisters in Ukraine. An offering code specific for ADRA assistance to Ukraine is being set up, but is not yet available. Members can directly donate to ADRA through the website at www.adra.org.

Adventist Development and Relief Agency (ADRA) Assists Ukrainian Families

The Adventist Development and Relief Agency (ADRA) is scaling-up operations to deploy humanitarian assistance for children and families displaced by the war in Ukraine. The relief agency has launched a fundraising campaign to strengthen programs for refugees from Ukraine and other global communities. Read more at news.uccsda.org/ADRA322

Adventist Health Facilitates Donations for Ukrainian Hospitals

Medical supplies and medications were airlifted to Ukraine the first week of April through a collaboration between Adventist Health and the Adventist Development and Relief Agency. Supplies were donated by Adventist Health medical supply partners and made possible in part by private donors. The Adventist Health Supply Chain and Global Mission departments managed the logistics of the donations in California. Supplies will be distributed to eight hospitals in Ukraine through channels maintained by ADRA. To read more, please visit: news.uccsda.org/donations422.

Prayer Time ~ Cherishing People ~ "Pray for one another."

We are inviting you to pray for members and friends of our church family each day. Please keep this in a place that will make it easy for you to remember to pray for one another.

"... we do not make requests of *You* because we are righteous, but because of *Your* great mercy. *O Lord listen! O Lord forgive! O Lord hear and act!"*

(Daniel 9:18 & 19. NIV)

Anonymous:

Do you have an anonymous prayer request? Please state it via email to the church office. We will share it here anonymously for the body to provide prayer support!

Requests: - What are your prayer requests?

Prayers for all of our Health Care providers in our fellowship that they may be protected from viral and bacterial infections which are contagious.

Seth A., Evon A., Kristy B., Jen B., Rachel B., Cal B., Jamie C., Stephanie C., Jen D., Guy E., Heidi E., Rod F., Debbie H., Daniel H., Dr. Gilly I., Tammy J., Susan M., Julie S., Toby S., Nancy R., Carolynn V., Sherry W.,

Jay M. – Prayers for health challenges

Connie R. – Please continue to keep her and Randy in your prayers.

Prayers for our members who serve our community on either Fire or Police Departments

Please remember to check on our older members that you know who are no longer able to come to church. Please call them or visit. Thank you!

Rachelle H. – Prayers as she is fighting a severe virus.

Brian St C. – prayers requested as he rehabs from a recent knee surgery.

Dan M. – appreciates your prayers for him.

Holly J. - Prayers as she continues the fight against cancer.

MaryJane S. – pain relief as she waits for a knee replacement surgery

Debbie S – continued health & strength

"D" U. – recent diagnosis of terminal Liver Cancer – prayers please. Cards & calls appreciated.

"D" Underwood – continues to be thankful for your continued prayers for her daughter & son

Megan E.'s - continued prayers for her parents

Stan's friend Bruce K. - Prostate Cancer, prayers for strength and healing

Tami J. – Continues to ask for your prayers as she struggles and praises for successes in Christ

In Military Service - Continual Prayer for those serving

Diane U. – Grandson in the Marines

Paul D. – Army Reserves

Evon A.'s daughter; Anna Harris ~ Navy

Seth A. – Air Force Reserves

Praises:

What do you have on your heart that you would like to share as Praise to the Lord!?!?

We encourage you to use the Yellow Communication Card in the pew pockets to express your Praises as well as your prayer requests. Then we can all celebrate your blessings and needs!