

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

One of the earliest presents I remember getting was at Christmastime when I was four or five.

Our family had visited Toys-R-Us and I had fallen in love with a “monster truck” that had powered wheels. The pictures on the box showed it uninhibited by nearly anything in its path: logs, toys, laundry ... it could conquer it all.

I must have made it obvious that this would be the absolute perfect gift, the present to end all presents, because that Christmas it was unwrapped and joyfully played with!

This Sabbath we’re studying about gifts. Gifts that we all have. Gifts that are given for the “building up of the body of Christ.” Gifts that, when we use them together, help us become a “Healthy Church.”

I hope you can join in as we continue our series on the eight characteristics of a Healthy Church.

If you aren’t able to join in person feel free to worship online via our [YouTube Channel](#). YouTube, Eastgate Adventist Church.

Have a restful Sabbath!

~Pastor Eric

This Weekend: July 2, 2022: Pastor Eric Saylor: Healthy Church Series: Gift-based Ministry
Next Weekend: July 9, 2022: Pastor Eric Saylor;

Week At A Glance

Sabbath, July 2, 2022

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

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

11:15am – 12:30pm Sabbath Worship Services, Pastor Eric Saylor

Monday, July 4 ***Independence Day***

Wednesday, July 6 6:30pm Our Weekly Prayer Meeting

Friday, July 8 6:30pm Prayeradigm Gathering in the Fellowship Room

Sabbath, July 9 9:00am – 10:00 Every Man A Warrior; Men’s Class

11:15am – 12:30pm Sabbath Worship Services, Pastor Eric Saylor

Following Church Service VBS Planning Team Potluck

Eastgate SDA Church Service this Week

Worship Service 11:15am 07-02-2022 [Link to: ~ Eastgate Church: YouTube](#)

Gathering Song Praise Team
 Community Life Dennis Reed
 Kids Korner

Children’s Song Praise Team
 Children’s Story Uncle Dennis

Songs of Praise & Worship Praise Team
 Prayer Dennis Reed

Reading of the Scripture Boden Oltman

God’s Word ***Pastor Eric Saylor***

Sermon Title: ***Healthy Church Series: Gift-based Ministry***

Scripture: ***1 Corinthians 12:4-6***

Song of Response Praise Team

Benediction Dennis Reed

Worship Team today

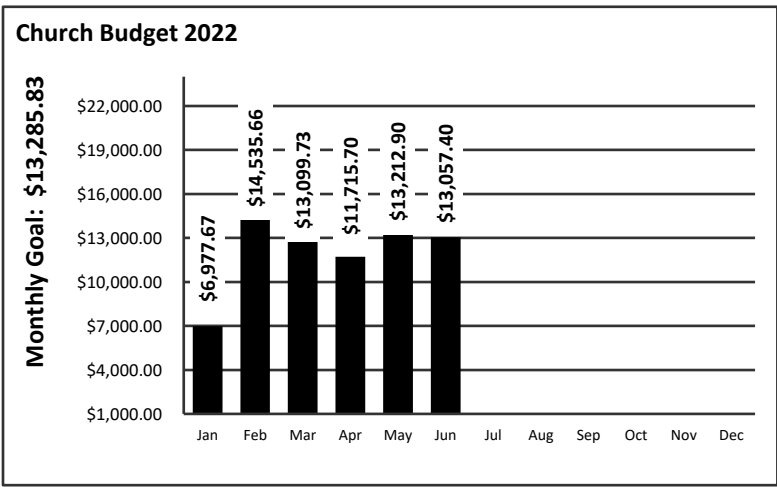
Lead Elder: Lenard Wittlake
 Praise Team Leader: Seth Gillham & Friends
 Pianist:
 Greeter: Carol Reiswig, Buz & Gay Flegel
 Lead Deacon: Dwight Bartlett
 Lead Deaconess: Anita Cunningham
 AV Team: Rayan Daniel and Bob Daniel
 Live Streaming: Jim Schultz

<u>Financial Report</u>	<u>RECEIVED</u>	<u>GOAL</u>	<u>NEED</u>
Student Aid goal for 2021-22	\$ 22,268.45	\$16,900.00	\$(5,368.44)
HVAC Up-grades	\$ 30,599.45	\$55,000.00	<i>Phase 1, 2 &3</i>

July 2, 2022 — Local Church Budget

Appeal: Matthew 24:14 “And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in the whole world as a testimony to all nations, and then the end will come.”

Hasten His Coming. We worship with our tithe and offerings because we wait eagerly to see our God face to face. The Scripture associates the Second Coming with the proclamation of the gospel to the whole world (Matt. 24:14). He desires all to come to repentance (2 Pet. 3:9). Our involvement in doing and supporting



God’s mission makes it possible for others to hear and receive the good news. Peter describes the waiting experience as an active one: “as you look forward to the day of God and speed its coming.” Ellen G. White clarifies Peter’s words: “By giving the gospel to the world it is in our power to hasten our Lord’s return. We are not only to look for but to hasten the coming of the day of God” (The Desire of Ages, 633, 634). It appears that God has given us the possibility to hasten His coming. The

example of a sled helps us to understand the meaning of hastening His return. If you put a sled at the top of a hill and allow it to glide, it will reach the bottom after some time. This is the natural course due to gravity and normal force. However, kids who like playing in the snow know that you can speed up your sled as it goes downhill. Among other tricks, you can spray cooking oil at the bottom of the sled, pack down the snow on the track, stay low on the sled, or balance your weight on the sled. As a result, you go faster, and it is more fun. In the same way, the reality of His Second Coming is unalterable; it will take place, but it can happen earlier if we associate with Him to reach out to others. Are we going to forsake this opportunity to speed up his coming? This week, as we worship with our tithes and regular offerings, we can reveal how hard we wish for Second Coming.

Prayer: Lord, as a friendly God, You don't want to be separated from Your children any longer. Please help us to demonstrate the same desire through our actions and giving.

FINANCIAL AID ~ STUDENT AID APPLICATIONS are now being accepted for tuition assistance for the 2022-2023 school year. Applications Forms can be found on the brick wall in the lobby or on-line at: eastgatesda.org > Resources > Forms > Student Aid Applications. Applications must be submitted to the church office no later than August 9 in order to be considered for the up-coming school year. If you have any questions please contact the church office at 509-529-9933 or office@eastgateadventist.church

Eastgate Church News & Events

Women's Ministry Event ~ Sunday, July 17; 5:30pm

The women's ministry team is preparing a special evening for the women of our fellowship. There will be a special gathering in the backyard of Kristy & Dwight Bartlett. There will be some delightful food to go along with the fellowship. Kristy will present a spiritual message in looking at Lydia of Thyatira and her examples for life.

Please complete an RSVP with Barbara Henderson no later than July 13 by texting her at 701-421-0087 or email at barbsue67@gmail.com Help her know how many to plan for. Thank you.



Expansion of Support Teams for Audio/Video and Live-Streaming ~ Help Needed!

We are trying to gear up for two services starting August 6. This is one area of ministry where more experienced operators would help to lighten the load.

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.

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 ~ Moved to August 6, 2022

At the April church board a discussion focused on our increased church attendance and the possible need for implementing a second church service. A statement was issued that we would start this the first weekend of June. However, after further review and in-put from ministry leaders, a small steering committee for the addition of a second service at Eastgate church has decided to postpone the start date to the first Sabbath in August – August 6. This seems to make sense in several ways:

- It will give us more time to prepare all the details that this change requires.
- It will accommodate the likely dip in summer attendance.
- It will still allow for a few weeks of double services before attendance increases when school resumes at the end of August. This change of date will allow some very specific time of preparation.

Preliminary discussion has suggested a format of Early Service – Sabbath School – Second Service. This will require more staff on the part of Deacons and Deaconesses. Additional Greeters will be needed so individuals are not on their feet throughout the full morning. Details remain to yet be worked out, so 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.

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

School News & Children's Ministry Items

Children's Ministry Pool Day – Planning for July 17

There is a plan to organize a Pool Day for Sunday, July 17. If this interests you check with Jen Davy or Tess Craig ☺

Milton-Stateline Adventist School is looking for a part-time teacher's aide to work in the 1st and 2nd grade classroom for 15-20 hours per week. Experience is preferred. If interested, please call Jeanne Goodhew at (541) 938-7131.

Milton-Stateline Adventist School

The school is in need of an Air Compressor and a ½” Drive Pneumatic Impact Driver. These tools are needed to improve the ability to maintain the mower by school personnel. If anyone has one they would like to sell or donate, contact Jeanne Goodhew at (541) 938-7131.

Collegiate & Young Adults

Sabbath Morning Bible Study

This group is a vibrant collection of 20 – 40 ish believers who are currently studying I Kings 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 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

This is a bible study group for men, lead by men, praying for men studying together. If this interests you please contact the group leader Rob Becker or our Pastor Eric Sayler.

Walla Walla University

Stream Walla Walla University Graduation

Walla Walla University commencement ceremony was held on Sunday, June 12 and is now available to stream online at news.uccsda.org/WWU622. Congratulations to the graduates!

Walla Walla Valley News

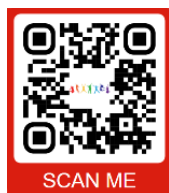
Christian Aid Center Seeking Volunteer Assistance!

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

- Breakfast Cook in our community kitchen on Wednesday mornings
- Receptionist in our Women & Children's Shelter on Tuesday afternoons
- Van Driver to pick-up donated food on Wednesday mornings
- Registered Nurses to help in our Health & Wellness Center

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.

SonBridge Youth Recreation Program



SonBridge Center for Better Living has planned a full summer of activities for your children entering the 6th to 8th grade next school year. Camps are planned for each week starting June 27 through August 18 on Mondays to Thursdays from 1:00pm to 5:00pm. Camps available include Art, Leadership, Cooking, Sports, Drama, Survival, Science and Farming and are limited to 20 children each. Sign up today! For more information and to register, go to sonbridge.org/youth-recreation or scan the QR code to the left.

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.

SonBridge Dental Clinic Needs You

As SonBridge serves the needs of the underserved in our community, our Dental Clinic is in immediate need of Dentists, Dental Hygienists and Dental Assistants to help in the life changing service of dentistry. We are staffed with part-time and volunteer practitioners who have a passion for helping people. Patient appointments are scheduled around your availability from 8 to 32 hours per week. If you are just starting out and need experience, if you have a little time to give or if you are retired and

still want to help others, SonBridge Dental Clinic needs you. Please call 509-529-3100 or go to sonbridge.org/job-opportunities.

Upper Columbia Conference of SDA News

New UCC Newsletter: Focuses on Grief and Loss

Upper Columbia Conference is now offering complementary support as you journey through the shadows of grief and loss. Sent each Friday, the *Peace Be Still* weekly grief support newsletter will help you find practical insights into the grieving experience paired with promises of hope and strength sent straight to your inbox. To register please email Wendy Urbin at wendyu@uccsda.org

Miss Camp Meeting?

Sad that you couldn't make it to Camp Meeting this year at Spokane Valley Church? No problem! We have all of the presentations available on our YouTube channel. John Bradshaw, president and speaker of *It Is Written*, and David Jamieson, UCC president, were the main speakers. Our theme was "His Soon Return: Getting Serious About the Second Coming." To watch the presentations, please visit uccsda.org/campmeeting

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.

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Pacific Northwest Camp Meetings

Montana Conference Camp Meeting – July 6 – 9 at Mount Ellis Academy

All of the details that will interest you including a Thursday afternoon "Madison River Float" {sounded interesting to me!}. Follow this link: <https://www.mtcpsda.org/campmeeting>

FaithCamp: Hayden Lake Adventist Church — July 5-10

FaithCamp July 5-10, 2022 beginning at 7:00 p.m. Presented by Jesus for Asia at the Hayden Lake Adventist Church. A camp meeting for everyone focused on faith and the great commission. Come be challenged and inspired to serve God. Meet real-life missionaries; hear frontline mission stories; learn how to live by faith; see the impact you can make! Free registration and meals. Please register to attend. With questions please call, 423-413-7321. For more information and to register, visit news.uccsda.org/FC622.

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

Area Convocation Schedule

- August 26-28 - Young Adult Convocation | Sunset Lake Camp
- September 2-3 - South Sound Convocation | Sunset Lake Camp

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

North Pacific Union Conference

Camp Meetings Outside the Northwest

If you are looking to attend a meeting beyond the Northwest, [the North American Division has put together a list of all the camp meetings this year.](#)

North American Division

Long-lost Photo of First Licensed Female Pastor Located

Veteran historian and educator, Brian E. Strayer, at Andrews University would regularly offer in his class a reward of \$100 to any student who could find a photograph of Sarah Lindsey (1832-1914), the first woman licensed as a Seventh-day Adventist minister. This challenge remained until a recently discovered photograph in the George I. Butler Collection at Loma Linda University. To read the full story, see news.uccsda.org/photo622.

General Conference

GC Session Concludes: News and Updates

The 61st General Conference Session in St. Louis, Missouri, has come to a close. You can view news and reports from GC Session, including daily recaps and a complete list of the positions voted in, at news.uccsda.org/GCSession622.

General Safety Items to Keep in Mind this Summer

As you are out and about this summer, keep in mind that we have some plants native to the Pacific Northwest that should be avoided! To learn more about what to watch for, follow the link below to learn more about: *Poison Oak, Western Poison Ivy, Stinging Nettles, Queen Anne's Lace (Wild Carrot), Poison Hemlock and Deadly Nightshade.*

<https://www.adventisthealth.org/blog/2016/august/6-pesky-northwest-plants-to-avoid-this-summer/>

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., 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.,

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!

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

Deb K. – prayers as she is her mother's care giver and deals with a recent move and property sale.

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

Dan M. – appreciates your prayers for him.

Debbie S – continued health & strength

Megan E.'s - continued prayers for her parents

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

Prayers for Dr. Jeff Firestone as he battles cancer and faces 30+ radiation treatments.

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

Paul D. – Army Reserves

Evon A.'s daughter; Anna Harris ~ Navy

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. It also includes a space to request a visit from the Pastor and/or elder team. When you share, we can all celebrate your blessings and needs!

Dean M. – has returned from his mission trip to serve Alaskan kids by working on Camp Polaris.

Prayers requested for the success of that camp with children's lives this summer!

Job Network

Looking for a position? Looking to Hire? Please let us know so we can assist in getting the word out!

Job Opportunities in the Oregon Conference

Looking for work in the Oregon Conference? Check the following for job postings:

www.oregonconference.org/employment-home

Job Opportunities in the Upper Columbia Conference

- For more information and to apply, see uccsda.org/jobs.

Walla Walla University may be Hiring

Would you or someone you know like to join the WWU team? WWU are often hiring in a variety of departments, including Academic Records, Facility Services, Information Technology, Nursing, Social Work, and others. You can see all available positions and apply at jobs.wallawalla.edu. Thanks for helping us spread the word!

Walla Walla University's School of Nursing is Hiring

Would you or someone you know like to join the WWU nursing team in Portland, Oregon? They are hiring for several positions including advanced acute clinical instructors, community health clinic instructors, and a full-time faculty in family nursing. You can review these and other openings at jobs.wallawalla.edu.

Classified Ads, Services & Needs

Are you in a service industry? Would you like your church family to be aware of what services you can provide? Please consider placing an ad in this space. At this time, to place an advertisement here will not cost any money. It should only be basic text with no illustrations or photos. To add graphics may or may not be possible based on time and graphic software available. Thank you, Office Manager.

Submit your service ads to the following email address: office@eastgateadventist.church Weekly Deadline: Items must be received prior to 8:00am Wednesday mornings.

Thank you for your positive feedback and comments. Sincerely, Eastgate SDA Office Manager

Need Electrical Work Done? Power Solutions Electric

Casey Werner and Trent Fowler may be your solution to your electric wiring and repair projects. Contact Heidi or Tara at pselectric01@gmail.com or 509-540-2656. It's always good to know your electrician!

Companion ~ Care Giver Needed

Elderly church couple needs daily assistance. If interested please call Lora Lee Paulson at 509-869-7783. Late afternoon – early evening – maybe simply a couple of hours a week, any time will help this family. Dale and Shirley Peterson.

Piano for Sale ~ recently tuned, well maintained: \$300 obo

Davis & Sons Model 42207. It currently lives in our Junior Room. If interested please contact the church office. office@eastgateadventist.church or 509-529-9933.