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

I have a favorite kitchen knife. It's different than all our other knives.

Our other knives are the usual set that we were bless with as a wedding present nearly 20 years ago. They still work, I maintain their edges and they do the job.

But my favorite knife is different.

It's a medium-large Santoku knife that lives in a drawer away from the other knives in it's own private sheath to protect it from all damage and I wash it by hand so it doesn't become dulled by the dishwasher.

This knife is sharp. It glides through vegetables like butter, it releases what it cuts because of the "granton edge," and its handle perfectly fits my hand.

I love using this tool.

But there's something that's even more precious and sharp: The Word of God.

This Sabbath we're continuing our study of the book of Hebrews as we explore a topic entitled: Shaper than a Sword. I hope you can join in for worship!

If you aren't in town or don't feel well feel free to worship online at our <u>YouTube Channel</u>. The livestream will begin at 11:30.

I wish you a restful and happy Sabbath

~Pastor Eric

This Weekend: October 29, 2022: Pastor Eric Sayler; Sharper than a Sword

Next Weekend: November 5, 2022: Matt Richerzhagen & Seth Alford

Week At A Glance

Sabbath, October 29	9:00 – 10:05am 10:15 – 11:15am Baptism Seco	Early Service ~ Pastor Eric Sayler Sabbath School Study ond Service! — Pastor Eric ~ Emma Culp	
	11:30 – 12:50pm	Second Service ~ Pastor Eric Sayler	
	1:00pm	All Church Potluck	
	6:00pm Child	ren's Ministry Bonfire Vespers at Davy's Residence	
Sunday, October 30	4:00pm	WWVA Fall Festival = Food & Fun	
Sunday, October 30	4:30pm	Community Cooking Class > Fellowship Rm	
Tuesday, November 1	5:30pm	Weight Loss Sauce Grow Group (meeting #2)	
Wednesday, November 2	6:30pm	Pathfinder Club Meeting – Postponed	
	6:30pm	Prayer Meeting in Pastor's Office	
Thursday, November 3	7:00pm Youth Fellowship Meeting		
Friday, November 4	7:00pm Prayeradigm – Carol Hargreaves Residence		
Sabbath, November 5	9:00am/11:30am	Church Services ~ Guest Speakers	
	10:15am	Sabbath School Study	
	5:30pm	Women's Ministry - "A Taste of Autumn"	

Eastgate SDA Church Service this Week

Worship Service 11:15am 10-29-2022 Link to: ~ Eastgate Church: YouTube

Gathering Song Praise Team Community Life Liana St Clair

Kids Korner

Praise Team Children's Song Liana St Clair Children's Story

Baptism Pastor Eric presiding Baptism of Emma Culp (Second Service)

Songs of Praise & Worship Praise Team Liana St Clair Prayer

God's Word Pastor Eric Sayler

Sermon Title: Letter to the Hebrews: Sharper than a Sword

Scripture: Hebrews 4:12, 13

Song of Response Praise Team Benediction Liana St Clair

Worship Team today – First Service

Worship Team today – Second Service Lead Elder: Liana St Clair Lead Elder: Liana St Clair Praise Team Leader: Rob Becker & Friends Praise Team Leader: Rob Becker & Friends

Pianist: Kevin Waite Pianist: Kevin Waite Greeter: Wendy Rick Greeter: Buz & Gay Flegel **Daniel Hopkins Dwight Bartlett** Lead Deacon: Lead Deacon:

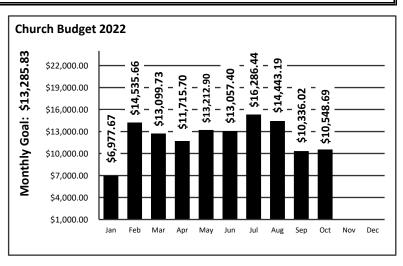
Lead Deaconess: Emma Culp & Abbi Blackham Lead Deaconess: Jillian Sayler & Lauren Craig Dennis Anderson & Curtis Culp AV Team: Kevin Renshaw & Bob Daniel AV Team: No live-stream early service Ryan Daniel & Daniel Craig Live Streaming: Live Streaming:

Financial Report	RECEIVED	GOAL	NEED
Student Aid goal for 2022-23	\$ 11,137.24	\$23,500.00	\$12,362.76
Student Aid goal for 2022-23 HVAC Up-grades	\$ 38,185.59	\$55,000.00	Phase 1, 2 &3

October 29, 2022 **Local Church Budget**

Appeal: 1 Timothy 6:17 "Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment."

Beware of Misplaced Hope. We worship God with our resources because this protects us from misplaced hope. As humans, we tend to trust in something or someone bigger than ourselves. We do



not control all aspects of our existence. In the absence of hope, our lives are overwhelmed by anguish and despair. One natural inclination is to put our confidence in the resources that we have accumulated. They are visible and measurable, leading us to think that they are sure. However,

according to Paul, it is safer to place our hope in the Source of wealth than in wealth. Mark, from South China, was deeply moved by a call for offering, and he brought 30% of his total saving as his offering. Unexpectedly, he experienced a severe financial crisis soon afterward. His new business collapsed, and he fell into debt. Life's uncertainties! During this time, he heard an appeal for a new church building at the cost of 10 million Chinese Yuan. Mark realized that it was a rare opportunity to advance God's mission in his province of over 60 million population. Impressed by the Spirit, he made a commitment of 400,000 Chinese Yuan, with no idea where the money will come from. Then something amazing happened: the shareholder of his former architecture company invited him to resume work with them. He accepted the offer and was promoted to be an executive officer and board director in a short time. Mark ended up contributing 1 million Chinese Yuan to the church building project. Looking backward at his life's experience, he wrote: "The grace of the Lord is like endless running water." Mark demonstrated trust by giving His fleeting resources to worship the God who richly provides for everything. This week, as we worship with our tithe and regular offerings let us make a statement about where our hope resides.

Prayer: Lord, we praise You for being a sure hope for Your children. Protect us daily from the deception of misplaced hope.

Eastgate Church News & Events

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.

<u>Grow Group ~ Weight Loss Sauce Returned on October 25 for four Tuesday evening meetings.</u> The presentations start at 6:30pm and will run for 70 to 90 minutes. Meets in the Fellowship Room. See details in poster on last page of this e-newsletter.

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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: <u>Eastgate Church</u> or type out the address shown below. Thank you for subscribing! YouTube.com/c/EastgateAdventistChurch/

Refurbishing Projects here at Eastgate

Have you noticed the fresh coat of paint in the sanctuary? A subtle difference. We appreciate your patience as we work on additional projects including painting, wall construction, etc. We are trying to reconnect with the glass companies for fresh information and move forward after the personnel changes at company #1 and company #2's bid almost 3x the amount of company #1.

We would appreciate your help in taking care of our church facilities. If you participate in an event where food or drink are part of the process or inside<>outside traffic is involved; will you help by making sure that spills are cleaned up immediately? That children are monitored so as to reduce

excess yard debris being tracked indoors? When spills, mud, dirt, etc. are left for someone else to clean long term damage often occurs. Thank you for your conscientious acts of service.

School News & Children's Ministry Items

<u>Milton-Stateline Adventist School</u> is looking for a certified, part-time teacher for grades five and six science and social studies. If you are interested in this position, please contact Jeanne Goodhew at (541) 938-7131.

Rogers Adventist School is looking for part-time employee(s) for the following: After School Care Supervisors

We are looking for someone who can do three shifts per week: Tuesday & Thursday, 3-5:30pm and Fridays from 12-3:30pm. We would give consideration to hiring a mature and responsible high school or college student, age 17+. Please contact Holley Bryant (holley.bryant@rogersschool.org or (509)529-1850) for more details

Eastgate SDA Church Thank you!

Super Duper Thank You!!!

Thank you to a crew that helped plant new Arborvitae in our front yard East boundary! Many hands made the work a little more endurable!

Also a Very Big SHOUT OUT to Larry Henderson who brought a big piece of equipment and spent about six or eight hours out back leveling ground, removing brush and standing dead trees and removing from the brush a large quantity of steel! We are now ready to burn another massive pile of brush and wood ~ just waiting for a good rain which looks like maybe this weekend!

We still have a goal of removing the scrub trees along the Western fence line. Chain saws and safety equipment will be needed for removing trees and shrubs. We will be looking to schedule another work day in the next few weeks! More information on this from Carol Hargreaves.

Beautiful Windows? ~ **Did you notice??**

The custodian for the church has struggled for the last several weeks to get the glass doors and windows clean (the custodian is the office manager, also the editor of this newsletter ...) This week a special person came in and spent at least four hours working to clean the inside and outside of the lobby windows and it looks *So Much Better!* Thank you so much for your help Mary!

Youth Thursday Evenings have Resumed!

We have resumed our Thursday night youth group. Meetings are on Thursdays, from 7-8:15pm.

Collegiate & Young Adults

Sabbath Morning Bible Study

Collegians and young adults (or young at heart) are invited to come for breakfast at 9:30am every Sabbath morning and stay for an engaging Bible study. We read a chapter of the Bible together and then dig deep to discuss the hard questions and figure out life applications. Come visit us at Classroom 115 and bring a friend! We are currently studying II Kings. For more information text Josh Boram (541) 870-4661 or Mary Castrejon at (360) 349-7126.

Social Committee Event

Coming November 19 at 4:00pm ~ CHILI COOK OFF!

Bring your best Chili & Salsa. Corn Bread is Welcome! Prizes to be awarded A special Vespers will start off the evening presented by "the Puppets!"

Men's Ministry

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.

Men's Ministry Monthly Breakfast and Worship Time Returns: Next UP - November 20 @ 8:00

The gathering for November, due to the Thanksgiving weekend, will be a week early for this month. Join the men at 8:00am for physical and spiritual food to share!

Women's Grow Group

Rhoda Ehrman invites you to join a group of women studying together. They will be starting a new book, "*Your Best Life in Jesus' Easy Yoke*" on September 12. Contact her at 509-200-2826.

Women's Ministry ~ A Taste of Autumn

An evening exclusively for the female gender. A time to visit and enjoy some Autumn Soups with Corn Breads, Salads and a dessert of Spiced Orange Coffee cake with a side of Vanilla Ice-cream, topping it off with a fun movie. 5:30pm, Saturday, November 5 in the Eastgate SDA Church Fellowship Room!

Eastgate Nominating Committee Members – 2022-23

First Reading:

Jim SchultzApril McCorkleCarol HargreavesHarry ArriolaLinda JoiceCarolynn VickroyRob Becker

Walla Walla Valley Academy

Walla Walla Valley Academy Fall Festival ~ Sunday, October 30; 4:00 – 7:00pm

Fun for the Family! Foods, Games, Petting Zoo ~ come support the Freshmen to Senior classes and student organizations! Current booths are:

- Freshmen: Face paint and Asian Food
- Sophomore: Popcorn, cotton candy, fishing game
- Juniors: Quesadilla and Video games, Italian sodas
- Seniors: Corn Dogs, and pool noodle fight on balance beam
- Band: Krispy Kreme doughnuts
- Homesteading: Petting Zoo
- ASB: Jail
- Mission Trip: Drinks

the Walla Walla Valley Academy orchestra is selling Pies for Thanksgiving & Christmas!

Ten-Inch Deep Apple Pies \$18 each Great to freeze – stock up for Thanksgiving & Christmas!

- ~ Pick up on Sunday, November 6, 11:00am to 3:00pm in the WWVA Dining Hall
- *Enter through auditorium doors 300 SW Academy Way, College Place

Questions? artandrondaking@gmail.com or call 509-730-5891

Walla Walla University

Walla Walla University Music Department invites you to the following events:

To view the livestream visit our webpage: WWU Music Department Concerts

Symphony Orchestra Concert: Saturday, 29 October 2022, 5:30 p.m., Walla Walla University Church

Music at 7: Student Recital; Tuesday, 8 November 2022, 7:00 p.m.

Melvin K. West Fine Arts Center Auditorium

Evensong: Saturday, 3 December 2022, 4:00 p.m., Walla Walla University Church

WWU Christmas Concert: Friday, 9 December 2022, 6:00 and 8:00 p.m., Walla Walla University

Church We hope you can join us!

Positive Life Radio Expands to Portland, Oregon

Walla Walla University-based Christian music network Positive Life Radio has significantly expanded its coverage for the first time since 1997 with its purchase of a station to serve the Portland, Oregon, area. To read more about their expansion visit news.uccsda.org/positive1022

WWU Collaborates with LLU on Biomaterial Research

Qin Ma, Walla Walla University professor of engineering, collaborated with Loma Linda University (LLU) this summer by conducting research on biomaterials. Ma worked with intern Mitchel Knapp, senior engineering major, on testing the durability of recycled materials to be used in prosthetics. To read the full story visit news.uccsda.org/WWU-LLU-1022

Walla Walla Valley News

Walla Walla General Hospital Reunion Potluck

Saturday, October 29, 2022 at 1:00 p.m. Lions Club Building at Lions Park, College Place, WA For Information contact Miki 509-520-8140

ARW: All Walla Walla Valley **A**dventist **R**etired denominational **W**orkers and/or spouses are cordially invited to attend a **potluck buffet Sunday, November 6, 1:50 - 4:00p** at **SonBridge** Educational Center. Lynelle Ellis and Lowell Mann of **Blue Mountain Broadcasting Association** will share the mission, their hopes, and the tasks associated in broadcasting BMTV here in the Valley and beyond. **Rejoice Trio** will also be featured. Come and catch the inspiration of proclaiming Christ through this challenging medium. (*Call Barbara Bohlman (509) 540-4771 for membership details.*)

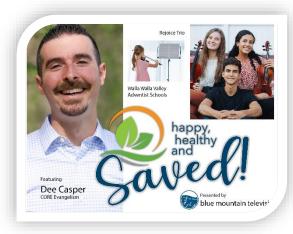
Christian Aid Center News for Job and Volunteers

JOB Opening: We have a job opening for a <u>Programs Director</u> in our department of <u>Men Services</u>. This staff member oversees the delivery of our various recovery programs. The job is full-time with benefits. For a complete job description, please visit our website at <u>christianaidcenter.org</u>. If you or someone you know is interested in this job, please send a cover letter/email and resume to <u>jradzikowski@christianaidcenter.org</u>.

Blue Mountain TV is proud to present:

<u>Happy, Healthy and Saved</u>. Be blessed as we focus on Jesus and His promises, underscored with uplifting and soul-soothing music. This special fall celebration features speaker Dee Casper of CORE Evangelism, *Rejoice Trio* and music from the valley's Adventist School students.

This three part series begins Friday night, November 4, at 6:00 pm and continues Sabbath at 9:30 am and 3:00 pm in the WWVA Auditorium. Children's Sabbath School is



provided and a spaghetti dinner potluck Sabbath at our Wallula Facility at 1 pm offers fellowship as well. Please bring a salad, bread or dessert.

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)

is a Christian ministry that seeks to connect, embrace, support, and equip ALL moms within the local community.

NOW through May 2023: 9 – 11 am or 7 – 9 pm; 1st & 3rd Thursdays monthly. Childcare provided. Hosted by Blue Mountain Community Church, 928 Sturm Ave., Walla Walla

Find us on Facebook @bmccMOPS

Questions? Contact Sara at 720-988-0117 or

saramopscoach@gmail.com



- --Breakfast Cooks in our community kitchen (Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Saturday shifts available)
- --Van Driver to pick-up donated food on Saturday mornings
- --Kitchen Helpers in our community kitchen (various shifts available)
- --Registered Nurses to help in our Health & Wellness Center
- --Prayer Warriors to pray on behalf of our guests. This is a women's prayer group that meets on Thursdays from 10:00 to 11:00 am.

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

Upper Columbia Conference of SDA News

EndItNow Hosts Free Summit — November 13

Abuse affects children, women, and men within the church and community. This free virtual summit on November 13 provides viewers with practical information and tools on all forms of abuse to help create safe churches and communities. Don't miss this opportunity to make a difference! This event will be live-streamed www.facebook.com/enditnowNAD on Facebook. To learn more visit www.enditnownorthamerica.org.

Registration Opens for Camp MiVoden for 2023

Registration is open for summer 2023 at www.mivoden.com. The non-refundable deposit for Family 1, 2 and Medical/Dental is \$300. Family 3 non-refundable deposit is \$200. Youth camps non-refundable deposit is \$75. If you have any questions please email denisek@uccsda.org or call (509) 242-0506.

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North Pacific Union Conference

2022 NAD Year-End Meeting Video and News — October 27

The 2022 NAD Year-End Meeting is set to begin on Thursday, October 27. Find helpful information, including schedules, and more here www.nadadventist.org/yem. See news and video coverage from the NAD YEM once the meeting starts next week at news.uccsda.org/yemVideo1022.

Club Ministries Leadership Retreat — November 4-6

NPUC Pathfinder Camporee was a mountain top experience for our Pathfinder AND Adventurer team. Let's keep the momentum growing as we gather to learn how to serve young people and families more effectively. For more information visit news.uccsda.org/Leadership1022.

General Conference

Online Symposium on Ellen White in Australia — November 5

Ellen White and Contemporary Adventism featuring the story of Ellen White in Australia, is the subject of an online symposium beginning on November 5 at 2:00 p.m. Pacific Time. The event is sponsored by the South Pacific Division, Avondale University Ellen G. White Research Centre, and Adventist Heritage Centre. Topics include Ellen White and Scripture; Nature of Inspiration and how it works; Personal Growth and Development in Ellen White; Emergence and Acceptance of the Prophetic Gift by the Pioneers; How to use Ellen White's Writings Responsibly; and The Godhead in the Writing of Ellen White. For more information visit adventistchurch.com/ellen-white-symposium/.

Prayer 7ime ~ 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, or on a communication card dropped in the offering box.

We will share it here anonymously for the body to provide prayer support!

Prayers from a father for his two special children – that they stay safe in Christ! Prayers for a family working through difficult circumstances.

Praises and Prayers of thanksgiving for members of this church who care for each other, for their children, their grandchildren and their church.

Prayers for older members who are struggling to maintain their independence and dealing with realizing their increasing need to rely on others.

Requests: - What are your prayer requests?

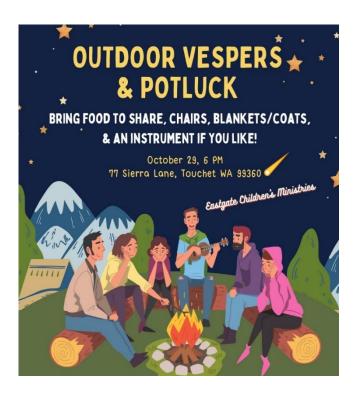
Please remember Connie and Randy Roger's as they journey through treatment and travel to and from the treatment center.

Prayers for Carol R. as she recovers from and adjusts to the loss of one of her eyes.

Prayers for a young man who is living in the homeless camp hoping to secure housing soon. - Shaun

Praises:

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







TUESDAY, OCT 25 DOORS OPEN 6:30PM

Please scan the QR Code Above to Register

Yumm Sauce

- adapted from Café Yumm recipe by Rachelle Hartman

3/4 c water

34 c avocado oil, light olive or canola oil

3 TBSP lemon juice, fresh tastes best

3 TBSP orange juice, or 1TBSP orange juice concentrate

½ c raw almonds

½ c cooked garbanzo beans

2 TBSP nutritional yeast

1 clove garlic

1 TBSP soy sauce or tamari (add ½ tsp salt if using low sodium soy sauce)

Optional: ¼ tsp chipotle powder

Blend on high in Vitamix or similar high-quality blender for 1-2 min until it gets smooth and thick. It thickens some when refrigerated. You can add more oil or water to desired consistency. Stores nicely in fridge for 7-10 days.