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## His Mission - Our Passion

*To be a Spirit-filled healthy body of Christ so  
the world can see the Father's love in each of us.*

*Luke 11:13 • Matthew 5:16 • John 13:35*

November 21, 2020



Grants Pass  
Seventh-day  
Adventist Church

“Education and Redemption”

*You can join our Adult Sabbath School Classes via Zoom either by computer, smart phone, tablet, or landline phone. To join the meeting by phone, dial either 253-215-8782 or 669-900-6833 and follow the prompts.*

**Teacher:** Donna Griffith

Time: 9:15 AM

Join the meeting at: <https://zoom.us/j/936727636>

Meeting ID: 936 727 636

**Teacher:** Les Derfler

Time: 9:30 AM

Join the meeting at: [https://us02web.zoom.us/j/224993681?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/224993681?pwd=VEJPSIVSU3ILSS90MTRSUDdsbFZPd09)

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Meeting ID: 224 993 681

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## Our Mission - Our Passion

*Let's actively engage in the 4 legs of Sabbath School*

*1. Bible study 2. Fellowship 3. Community Outreach 4. World Missions*

*With the COVID-19 virus impacting not only our church but the entire community, this is a fantastic opportunity to think about what Jesus would do if faced with the same potential for service, for uplifting, by example, the character of His Father. What will your Sabbath School class do in service for the Master? Matthew 25:40, 45*

PRELUDE	Sharon Coupland
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS	Bob Kruger
WORSHIP IN SONG	Becky Kruger & Karen Byrd <i>Hymns #8 &amp; 560</i>
BAPTISM of Katharina Mosch	Pastor Charles Byrd
INVOCATION	Pastor Charles Byrd
CHILDREN'S STORY	Anna Ermshar
WORSHIP IN GIVING	Bob Kruger <i>Local Church Budget</i>
SCRIPTURE & PRAYER	Lance & Rebecca Schmidt <i>Col 3:17 and 1 Thes 5:18</i>
WORSHIP IN MUSIC	Ron Olds <i>Prayer is the Key to Heaven</i>
THE SPOKEN WORD	Pastor Charles Byrd <i>"Thankfully...!"</i>
SONG OF RESPONSE	Hymn #559 <i>Now Thank We All Our God</i>
BENEDICTION	Pastor Charles Byrd

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*"Let the peace and glory of Christ's presence within make the face speak His love, the lips utter thankfulness and praise."*

*Testimonies on Sabbath-School Work 96.1*



## THIS WEEK IN MINISTRY

### **TODAY November 21**

- 9:15 AM SS Bible Study Class / Donna Griffith / Zoom
- 9:30 AM SS Bible Study Class / Les Derfler / Zoom
- 10:50 AM In addition to being our speaker today, Pastor Byrd will also have the privilege of baptizing Katharina Mosch into the family of God!
- 12:30 PM Prayer for Our Children / Zoom
- 4:47 PM Sunset

### **SUNDAY November 22**

- 7:00 AM First Light Devotional / Zoom with Pastor Tanner

### **MONDAY November 23**

- 9:30 AM - 1:30 PM Thrift Store hours

### **TUESDAY November 24**

- 7:00 AM First Light Devotional / Zoom with Pastor Tanner
- 9:00 AM - 1:45 PM Dorcas (face coverings & gloves required)
- 9:30 AM - 1:30 PM Thrift Store hours
- 12:00 - 4:00 PM Veggie Food Store hours / School

### **WEDNESDAY November 25**

- 12:00 PM Bulletin Information & Announcements Deadline
- 12:00 PM Church office closed until Monday

### **THURSDAY November 26 ~ HAPPY THANKSGIVING**

### **FRIDAY November 27**

- 4:43 PM Sunset

### **NEXT SABBATH November 28**

- 9:15 AM SS Bible Study Class / Donna Griffith / Zoom
- 9:30 AM SS Bible Study Class / Les Derfler / Zoom
- 10.50 AM Pastor Tanner will be our speaker
- 12:30 PM Prayer for Our Children / Zoom
- 4:43 PM Sunset

**Pastor Byrd and Karen will be on vacation from Nov. 23 - 30.**



## YOUR CHURCH IN ACTION

### **Serving You Today**

Platform Elder — Bob Kruger  
Head Deacon — Dave Hallmark  
Livestream — Allen Foster  
Audio/Visual — Alex Baydala

### **The Church Board Acting as Nominating Committee — 2nd Reading**

Children's Ministry Leader — Kelly Sharp  
Red Cross Volunteers — Ruth & Jenny Hamblin

### **Papua New Guinea God Pods**

At the end of November we will be closing the Papua New Guinea God Pods Project, which is one of our 2020 mission projects. It has been truly inspiring how our church family met and exceeded the goal. We know many people will be blessed as we near the time that Jesus will return to this world. Please make your final donations by the end of November.

### **Newsletter Deadline**

Calling all writers and photographers to send in your projects by November 29 to Melissa Derfler for the December newsletter. Thanks to everyone for sharing their talents in order to keep our members in touch with each other and to uplift Jesus.

### **Greeters Needed for Sabbath School Program**

Sabbath School will be needing greeters downstairs to welcome members and visitors, answer questions, and assist where necessary. If you would be interested in helping as a greeter to make our re-starting of Sabbath School as warm, welcoming and friendly as possible, please contact Carrie Hise.

### **Your School Needs You**

Due to COVID-19 your school needs your financial support! Over the next 8 months \$38,500 is needed. Impossible, you say? No! *It is Mission Possible when we all work together.* If 150 people in the constituency would give \$32 each month we would meet the need. If 75 people would give \$64 each month, or 38 people would provide \$128 each month, the need would be met. Please become a possibility today through your financial support of your school. Please contact the school directly at: [office@gpsdaschool.org](mailto:office@gpsdaschool.org), or call 541-479-2293, or mail to 2250 NW Heidi Lane, GP, OR 97526. Together, we can make it happen!



## YOUR CHURCH IN ACTION

### Thanksgiving Boxes

If you are in need of a Thanksgiving food box, or know of another church member who would be blessed by receiving one, please call the Dorcas office at 541-476-2052. Orders must be placed by Monday Nov 23 by 1:00 PM, and boxes can be picked up on Wednesday November 25 from 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM.

### Steve Wohlberg Coming to GP

Steve Wohlberg is scheduled to share two presentations with us on Sabbath, December 5, pending the lifting of current restrictions. Please join us in prayer that this special Sabbath will be able to proceed as planned!

### Fountainview Academy Concerts

While we will definitely miss hearing the students from Fountainview in person this year, they have decided to hold two virtual concerts that will be available on Dec 11 at 5 PM and Dec 12 at 11 AM! Spread the word to your family and friends, and watch for more information in the coming weeks.

### The Veggie Food Store New Winter Hours

The school's Veggie Food Store new winter hours are Tuesdays from 12:00 - 4:00 PM, and Thursdays from 2:00 - 5:00 PM.

### Library News

Come check out the new items in the library! Weekly appointments are also available by calling Andie Springer at 458-212-4020.

### Face Coverings Required for People Age 5 and Older

Masks, face coverings or face shields are required by the state of Oregon to be worn inside the buildings at all times, including entering the office, any and all meetings, and church service. Thank you!



## CHEERFUL GIVER'S REPORT

As of November 15, 2020

	<u>Monthly Goal</u>	<u>Still Needed</u>
Church Budget	\$21,330.00	\$9,556.56
Student Aid	\$1,900.00	\$1,338.94

Next Week's Offering: Oregon Conference Youth Support

Church Budget as of October 31, 2020 Year to date: + \$2,741.60

	<u>Total Goal</u>	<u>Raised to Date</u>
PNG God pods	\$6,250.00	\$10,033.90 Praise the Lord!

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**Saved to Serve**

*All who have become children of God are to do all  
in their power to seek and save the lost sheep.*

*{RH January 27, 1891 Par. 9}*



## PRAY WITHOUT CEASING

### November Prayer Focus:

Please pray for rain in our area and peace in our country.

### Those Who Need Healing:

Cathy Bell, Artur & Tulia De Carvalho, Connie Frye, David Hamblin, Butch & Pamela Helwig, Fran Holder, Dr. Frank & Rosalie Hurd, Sharon Karen, Steve King, Jerry & Zola Lewis, Marvin McKillip, Henry Martin, Molly Mourning, Shirley Napoletano, Jessica Rae, Israel Rush, Rhonda Scott, and Mel Smith.

### Church Ministries:

Transportation Ministry, Vets Helping Vets, Video Production Team, as well as Dorcas and Better Life Television.



## CONTACT US

### Grants Pass Seventh-day Adventist Church

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Grants Pass, OR 97526

**Church Office 541-476-6313**

**Office Hours: Mon - Thurs from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm**

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*Pastor Tanner: [PastorTanner@GrantsPassChurch.com](mailto:PastorTanner@GrantsPassChurch.com)*

Senior Pastor	Charles Byrd	541-415-6878
Assistant Pastor	Tanner Martin	509-690-6799
Church Secretary	Kii Morse	541-476-6313
Treasurer	Terry Trautwein	541-660-1502
Bible Worker	Chuck Austin	541-659-3185
Bible Worker	Victor De La Vega	541-816-7828
Head Elder	John Mauro	541-474-4577
Head Deacon	Dave Hallmark	541-846-7612
Head Deaconess	Donna Hansen	541-207-8006
Dorcas Office	Tuesdays 9-2	541-476-2052
Library	Andie Springer	458-212-4020
Transportation Ministry	Kerri Dobbins	530-598-7256
Visitation Ministry	Sandy Page	541-218-8740
Grants Pass School	Pre-School - Grade 8	541-479-2293
Better Life Broadcasting Network		541-474-3089
Oregon Conference Office		503-850-3500