



# 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

December 5, 2020

Bible Study Classes 4th Quarter, Lesson 10 "Education in Arts and Sciences"

# Sabbath School Classes 9:30 - 10:30 AM

## **Children's Divisions:**

Beginners Foyer East Hall, birth to 4 years
Kindergarten Foyer West Hall, ages 4 - 6 years
Primary East Hall Downstairs, grades 2 - 4
Jr/Earliteen West Hall Downstairs, grades 5 - 8
Youth Youth Chapel, grades 9 - 12

## **Adult Classes:**

Les Derfler West Hall Downstairs
Archbold/Ermshar/Pierson Class MP Room Downstairs
Concepts Class Elders' Room Upstairs West

We also provide an Adult Sabbath School Class via Zoom which can be joined by computer, smart phone, tablet, or landline phone.

Teacher: Donna Griffith

Time: 9:15 AM

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

Meeting ID: 936 727 636

Join the meeting by phone at: 253-215-8782 or

669-900-6833

# **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 Sylvia Crary

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Chuck Austin

WORSHIP IN SONG Men's Quartet

Hymns #483 & 606

INVOCATION Chuck Austin

CHILDREN'S STORY Tim Crary

WORSHIP IN GIVING Chuck Austin

Local Church Budget

SCRIPTURE & PRAYER Alta Austin & Rosie Tresenriter

Revelation 13:11

WORSHIP IN MUSIC Lanett Merrills

Mary, Did You Know?

THE SPOKEN WORD Pastor Steve Wohlberg
"The United States in Bible Prophecy"

SONG OF RESPONSE Hymn #604

We Know Not the Hour

# **BENEDICTION\***

Pastor Steve Wohlberg

# **His Mission - Our Passion**

To know and share His prophetic word and avoid the foolishness of the world.

Luke 23:25 1 Thessalonians 5:20, 21

<sup>\*</sup> Please be seated - Deacons will dismiss by row beginning at the back Please remain seated if you wish to partake in the prayer session after the main church service.



# THIS WEEK IN MINISTRY

#### **TODAY** December 5

9:15 AM SS Bible Study Class / Donna Griffith / Zoom

9:30 AM Sabbath School Classes for all divisions

10:50 AM Today we welcome Pastor Steve Wohlberg from White Horse Media as he shares insights of these last days

12:30 PM Prayer for Our Children / Zoom

4:00 PM Pastor Steve Wohlberg will speak on the approaching Armageddon. A love offering will be taken, and there will be items for sale after sundown.

4:41 PM Sunset

#### SUNDAY December 6

7:00 AM First Light Devotional / Zoom with Pastor Byrd

### **MONDAY December 7**

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

### **TUESDAY December 8**

7:00 AM First Light Devotional / Zoom with Pastor Byrd

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

2:00 PM Women's Study / Multipurpose Room

4:00 PM Romans Bible Study / Multipurpose Room

6:30 PM Elders' Board Meeting

#### **WEDNESDAY December 9**

12:00 PM Bulletin Information & Announcements Deadline 7:00 PM Prayer Meeting / Zoom

#### **THURSDAY December 10**

7:00 AM First Light Devotional / Zoom with Pastor Byrd

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

2:00 - 5:00 PM Veggie Food Store hours

7:00 PM Final Events Bible Study / Zoom

#### **FRIDAY December 11**

4:40 PM Sunset

#### **NEXT SABBATH December 12**

9:15 AM SS Bible Study Class / Donna Griffith / Zoom

9:30 AM Sabbath School Classes for all divisions

10.50 AM Steve Tanner will be our speaker

12:30 PM Prayer for Our Children / Zoom

4:40 PM Sunset



# YOUR CHURCH IN ACTION

# **Serving You Today**

Platform Elder — Chuck Austin Head Deacon — Gerald Martz Livestream — Neal Archbold Audio/Visual — Alex Baydala & Terry Trautwein

# **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 called Noel Triumphant! The concerts will be available online Dec 11 at 5:00 PM and Dec 12 at 11:00 AM! Register free at: noeltriumphant.com

## **Papua New Guinea God Pods**

Praise the Lord for the wonderful gift of giving! We thank everyone who contributed to our church's mission project for the God Pods for Papua New Guinea. A total of \$10,553.90 was received. We will be sending a check to Adventist World Radio this month, and we know the good news of Jesus' return will be shared to more people.

# **Faith House Wreath Program**

Once again, our church is partnering with Faith House, which is a Christian-based transitional home that helps women find new beginnings. Please choose an "ornament" off the wreath in the foyer, purchase the gift written on the ornament, and return to the church office before December 15th. The items can be wrapped or not, and are mainly "staples", which are so easy to pick up a few extra when you do your own household shopping each week.

## **Journey of the Ages**

It's here — a completely different Christmas production called Journey of the Ages! Produced by Gladstone-Park Church and the Oregon Conference, Journey of the Ages is a short, family-friendly production about some children who are hearing the Christmas story for the first time from their energetic grandpa! This production will go live on Friday, December 4th at 7:00 PM on the Oregon Conference's website, and can be viewed through the month of December. Click on this **link** to view the program!

## The Next Goal for I Met God

Some have asked, "What's next in the *I Met God* project?" Our next goal is to secure the \$25,000 for the Ultimatte 12 green screen equipment needed to start the "on location" filming. A \$10,000 matching challenge grant has been offered by a friend of the QLP ministry for this. If you like the idea of your gift being doubled, you can donate online at <u>QLP.tv</u> or by using one of the QuestLine envelopes provided on the temple boxes at the back of the sanctuary.



# YOUR CHURCH IN ACTION

# 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.

## **Christmas Food Boxes**

If you are in need, or know of someone who would be blessed by receiving a Christmas food box, please call Dorcas as soon as possible at 541-476-2052 to request a box.

# 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!

# **Family Assistance Fund**

It is our tradition as a church to collect funds for our Family Assistance Fund during Christmas, which helps our church members during the year in cases of minor emergencies. Please prayerfully consider helping our brothers and sisters and place your donations in the special envelopes that will be in the bulletin on Dec 12 and 19. Thank you!

# **Upcoming Events:**

Dec 19 ~ Christmas Program during main church service Dec 24-Jan 3 ~ Church office closed for Christmas & New Years



# **CHEERFUL GIVER'S REPORT**

# As of November 30, 2020

|               | Monthly Goal | Still Needed |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| Church Budget | \$21,330.00  | \$2,629.32   |
| Student Aid   | \$1,900.00   | \$897.14     |

Next Week's Offering: Adventist Community Services (NAD)

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

|              | Total Goal | Raised to Date |                  |
|--------------|------------|----------------|------------------|
| PNG God Pods | \$6,250.00 | \$10,553.90    | Praise the Lord! |

# **SERMON NOTES**

# Saved to Serve

"The Great Commission is too big for anyone to accomplish alone and too important not to try to do together."



# **PRAY WITHOUT CEASING**

## **December Prayer Focus:**

Please pray for rain in our area and for God's will to be done in the current presidential controversy 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:**

Young Adults Ministries, Adult Sabbath School, Ask An Adventist Friend.com, as well as Dorcas and Better Life Television.



# **CONTACT US**

## **Grants Pass Seventh-day Adventist Church**

1360 NE 9th Street Grants Pass, OR 97526

#### Church Office 541-476-6313

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

Church Website: <u>GrantsPassChurch.com</u> Church Email: <u>office@GrantsPassChurch.com</u> Pastor Byrd: <u>PastorByrd@GrantsPassChurch.com</u> Pastor Tanner: <u>PastorTanner@GrantsPassChurch.com</u>

| 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 Networl | <                    | 541-474-3089 |
| Oregon Conference Office         |                      | 503-850-3500 |