

## Glory be to Our Good God of Heaven and Earth

Today we are celebrating the grand opening of our building expansion. It is the culmination of much prayer, planning, effort, dedication, back-aching & fingernail-breaking work and much generous giving.

Many people have commented on how lovely the new addition is and how it feels just like Piedmont Park always has! And would you believe our huge new storage space!!!!

So, welcome to our old, but new church home which is just more spacious, updated, and with more ability to serve Christ in our growing ministry on 4801 "A" Street.

## *Praise for the Past* **Faith for the Future**

*Your giving  
is helping  
us grow!*



*Thank you for  
supporting the  
expansion campaign!*

Questions?  
Send an e-mail to Steve Duden  
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[www.faith4thefuture.com](http://www.faith4thefuture.com)

### Prayer and Praise

Tellie Lewis says "Thank you for all of the ladies that helped me pack and the men who helped me move the boxes!". Tellie is getting settled in to her new home at Chatelaine Residences.

Please join us in praying for Ann Schenk who had major surgery to repair a rod in her back. Please pray for good pain control, good healing and the comfort of God for her each day.

The Center for People in Need thanks Piedmont Park Church and the Vacation Bible School Participants for the wonderful supply of school materials that were collected for the Center for People in Need. The Center for People in need was able to provide over 2,500 children with new backpacks and school supplies to start the new school year!

Jacob Wright, son of Cris Wright, and younger brother of Jason Wright passed away unexpectedly on August 17. Jacob was 33 years. Jacob attended New Creation SDA Church and was a member of the singing group The Mighty Magic Pants. Please pray for Jacob's wife, mother, brother, friends and family during this difficult time.

# Piedmont Park Community Seventh-day Adventist Church

## Welcome to Worship!

We pray that your encounter with God and His Family will renew your experience of joy and peace in your journey.



### Vision Statement

We will, with God's guidance, introduce individuals to Jesus Christ and support their growing relationship with Him in preparation for the Second Coming.

### Mission Statement

With God's leading, we will create an atmosphere of Christian love and friendship, nurture spiritual growth and equip members for active involvement in ministry to our community and world.

### Church Office Information

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YouTube: [www.youtube.com/piedmontparkchurch](http://www.youtube.com/piedmontparkchurch)

## Adult Bible Study Classes

Adult Sabbath School Classes start at 9:30am and end at 10:30pm

**Themes of Hope:** Conference Room. Welcomes Members, New Members & Visitors! Quarterly. Light Breakfast. Discussion Leaders: Eula Key/Jennifer Somers, Scot/Manuela Coppock, Ryan Watson/Renee Schaecher

**Balcony Explorers:** Balcony. Practical problem-solving through sharing Scripture and the Church Quarterly. Bill Fitts and Assistants

**Eclectic Journeys:** Office A (First Office north of the Welcome Desk). Various Topics. Peter Adams, Kirk Brown or Kim Hazelton

**As the Spirit Leads:** Office B (Administrative Assistant's Office). Quarterly and Spirit of Prophecy. Virgil Carner & Leon Hill

**Searchers of the Word:** Back left side of the Sanctuary. The Bible, Quarterly and the Spirit of Prophecy. John Rhodes and Assistants

**Hearers of the Word:** Right front of Sanctuary. Ask a Greeter for a hearing assistance device. Quarterly. Richard Cotter, Alice Mihulka, Thomas Toews

**Young Adult Discussion Class:** Multipurpose Room #1. Collegiate Quarterly. David Deemer, Alexa Hazelton

**Malcolm/Schwab Sabbath School Class:** Multipurpose Room #2. Quarterly. Malcom Gaskin and Sandra Schwab

**Karen SDA Sabbath School Class:** Room behind the Organ.

## "Jesus Loves Me"

by Chris Tomlin

I was lost, I was in chains, The world had a hold of me.  
My heart was a stone, I was covered with shame, When He came for me.

I couldn't run, couldn't run from His presence. I couldn't run, couldn't run from His arms.  
Jesus, He loves me, He love me, He is for me;  
Jesus, how can it be, He loves me, He is for me.

It was a fire, Deep in my soul, I'll never be the same.  
I stepped out of the dark, And into the light. When He called my name.

I couldn't run, couldn't run from His presence. I couldn't run, couldn't run from His arms.  
Jesus, He loves me, He love me, He is for me;  
Jesus, how can it be, He loves me, He is for me.

He holds the stars, and He holds my heart. With healing hands that bear the scars.  
The rugged cross where He died for me, My only hope, my everything.

I couldn't run, couldn't run from His presence. I couldn't run, couldn't run from His arms.  
Jesus, He loves me, He love me, He is for me;  
Jesus, how can it be, He loves me, He is for me.



The Largest Evangelistic Family Ministry  
and Women's Ministry Event of the Year!

**A Ministry by Women  
for Women and their Families**

Sponsored by KS-NE Women's Ministries  
and People from all Kansas-Nebraska Churches

**September 13-20, 2015**

Lincoln, NE

YOUR help is needed!

We need staff, item donations, monetary donations and prayers!

**EVENTS you can help staff will include:**

Family Fun Day  
Free Suppers & Seminars  
Ladies Only Free Spa Day

For more information or to sign up to help, contact:  
Sue Carlson at [suecarlson54@gmail.com](mailto:suecarlson54@gmail.com)

# Important Dates for your Calendar

There are some special events coming up in the next couple months right here at Piedmont Park. We invite you to add them to your calendar today!

*September 5 (Sabbath) at 6:00pm*  
Soup Supper, Vespers & Games

*September 13-20*  
God in Shoes (see insert)

*September 22 (Sabbath) at 6:30pm*  
Brian Free & Assurance in Concert  
(Lou Ann Fredregill - Midwest Gospel Music - 402-792-2450)

*October 2-4*  
Church Campout

*October 17 (Sabbath) at 7:00pm*  
High Road III in Concert  
(Vanessa Schaecher - 402-486-0629)

*November 7 (Sabbath) at 6:00pm*  
Soup Supper, Vespers & Games



For more information about these and other events, visit the Piedmont Park website at [www.piedmontparksda.org](http://www.piedmontparksda.org) and click on Calendar. Or e-mail the church office at [piedmontparkSDA@gmail.com](mailto:piedmontparkSDA@gmail.com)



Join us as we celebrate the completion of the new expansion!

Special Guests, Special Music,  
Special Occasion, Special Day!

Please join us for worship at 10:50am  
for a high Sabbath celebrating God's  
faithfulness through His people!

ALL Church "Bring and Share"  
Potluck Meal to Follow

**GRAND OPENING** **GRAND OPENING**

**August 22**  
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**FORGIVEN QUARTET**  
at Piedmont Park Church

**Saturday, August 22, 7:00 pm**

*August 22, 2015*

Prelude	"Majesty"	
Call to Worship	"For the Beauty of the Earth"	Hymn #565
	"Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart!"	Hymn #27
		Song Leader: Darcy Pearcy
Prayer of Invitation		Pastor Andy Moseley
Music for Meditation	"Down by the Riverside"	Piedmont Bells
Tithes and Offerings	"Piedmont Park Local Church Budget"	Steve Duden
Offertory Song:	"Mighty to Save"	
Gift from the Heart	"Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring"	Piedmont Choir
Welcome & Announcements		Pastor Michael Halfhill
Faith for the Future Recap Video		prepared by Vanessa Schaecher
Certificates of Appreciation		Pastor Michael Halfhill
President's Remarks		Elder Ron Carlson
Children's Story	(Lambs Offering – Pathfinders)	Pastor Michael Paradise
Song of Praise	"Cornerstone"	Words on Screen
Prayer Chorus	"There Is a Redeemer"	Words on Screen
	Guitarists & Song Leaders: Ryan Watson & Mitch Hornung	
	Pianist: Elliott Moseley	
	Cellist: Adam Schwimmer	
	Violinist: Katelyn Snyder	
Church in Family Prayer		Pastor Allen Myers
Scripture Reading	"Philippians 4:10-13" (NKJ)	Eula Key
Hearing God's Word	"Never Content"	Pastor Michael Halfhill
Celebration in Song	"To God be the Glory"	Hymn #341
		Song Leader: Darcy Pearcy
Prayer of Blessing		Pastor Michael Halfhill
Postlude	"Great is Thy Faithfulness"	
Pianist: Ashley Unterseher		Organist: Brent Shaw
Ribbon Cutting:	New Lobby Area	Pastor Michael Halfhill

### Church Calendar

**Friday, August 21 8:15pm – Sundown – We welcome the Sabbath day**  
**Sabbath, August 22, 8:15pm – Sundown – We look forward to a blessed week**

9:30am-Adult, Youth and Children's Sabbath Schools  
10:50am-Grand Opening - Hearing God's Word: Pastor Michael Halfhill  
Ribbon Cutting in the New Lobby after the Worship Service  
12:30pm-Please join us for a Fellowship Meal after Services in the Fellowship Hall  
4:00pm-Piedmont Park Pedalers & Walkers  
7:00pm-Forgiven Quartet Concert p. 5

**Sunday, August 23**

4:00-6:00pm-Registration for Pathfinder, Adventurer Club, Eager Beavers, & Little Lambs Clubs p. 5

Women's Ministries- Serve a supper meal and visit "Fresh Start" p. 5

**Wednesday, August 26**

7:00pm-Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting

**Friday, August 28 8:04pm – Sundown – We welcome the Sabbath day**  
**Sabbath, August 29, 8:04pm – Sundown – We look forward to a blessed week**

9:30am-Adult, Youth and Children's Sabbath Schools  
10:50am-Hearing God's Word: Student Pastor Josh Hester  
12:30pm-There is no Fellowship Meal at Piedmont Park Today.  
4:00pm-Piedmont Park Pedalers & Walkers

Tithes and Offering Report  
Local Church Budget  
Kansas- Nebraska Advance

8-22  
8-29

Lambs Offering – Peru 159.82

Our Church Budget requires \$3921.80 per week.  
Our church budget is currently (\$5,481.54) in the red.

Tithe & offerings may be donated online by going to [www.piedmontparksda.org](http://www.piedmontparksda.org), then click Online Giving. Treasurer-Evelyn Cornforth 402-304-4219 or [evcornf@gmail.com](mailto:evcornf@gmail.com)

**God in Shoes is a Mission Trip to people right here our city** that need our attention and care! Families are under attack today by the enemy of our loving God in Heaven. God made marriage in heaven even before He created the Sabbath Day for them to enjoy as they admired His creation and spent time with each other and especially with their Creator God. God in Shoes wants to strengthen Families! This week long event for Families, Kids and Women starts on Sunday, September 13, with a Family Fun Day in the Park. Good old fashioned games like sack races, bobbing for apples, piñatas, face painting will be offered. Yes, kids and adults alike enjoy these games and the laughter they bring! There will also be plenty of good, free food! Monday-Thursday, September 14-17, the Women are invited to "Soup and Seminars." Four evenings of good meals, devotions and informational seminars on topics to help a family thrive. There is time to talk and pray and to support one another in their journey. The week culminates with a Women's Only Spa Day on September 20! This is a time of refreshing and relaxation for otherwise often tired and weary souls. The ladies receive a finger food buffet, free gift bags, and Free New Shoes! Today during church the Deacons will pass out a flyer showing how you can help! [piedmontparkSDA@gmail.com](mailto:piedmontparkSDA@gmail.com) 4

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today's Bulletin & the Family Communiqué (extended announcements) are posted on the Piedmont Park website at [www.piedmontparksda.org](http://www.piedmontparksda.org) and click on Bulletin. And be sure to visit [www.facebook.com/piedmontparksda](https://www.facebook.com/piedmontparksda) for more!

**The deacon for the day is Mark Snyder. The elder for the day is Bill Fitts**

**All Piedmont Park Adult Sabbath School Leaders, Teachers, and Assistants are asked to meet** after the Fellowship Meal today (about 1:30pm) in the Youth Room. Contact: Virgil Carner 402-310-1512

**Piedmont Pedalers** will keep the celebration rolling today with a ride starting at the Valparaiso trailhead – north of Lincoln. This is a beautiful tree covered ride featuring great views. We will meet in Valparaiso at **4pm**. If you would like to bike out (most will drive out) to Valparaiso please call Kent at 402-310-7700. Beautiful walking path also – nice tree covers and a couple of open prairie areas. Questions, please call Kent 402-421-7705 or Dwain 402-310-7493

**Forgiven Quartet in Concert will be in Concert here at Piedmont Park tonight at 7:00pm.** Forgiven Quartet has been singing the Good News across America with traditional Southern Gospel music since July 1981. Doors open at 6:00pm for this free concert. A love offering will be taken. Information: Lou Ann Fredregill, Midwest Gospel Music at 402-792-2450

**We will be having Pathfinder/ Adventurer/ and Eager Beaver registration this Sunday, August 23 from 4-6:00pm in the Fellowship Hall.** This is a come and go event. We will be serving ice cream. We would like all who are interested to come and meet the teachers and ask questions. Club meetings will start in September – date to be announced.

Ryan Lindbeck – Pathfinders, [ryan.lindbeck@gmail.com](mailto:ryan.lindbeck@gmail.com)

Jeanette Halfhill – Adventurers, [jehalfhill@gmail.com](mailto:jehalfhill@gmail.com)

Kevin and Melissa Young – Eagers Beavers and Little Lambs, 402-646-2036

**Opportunity for women to prepare and serve supper to women living at Fresh Start Home in Havelock tomorrow evening, August 23.** If you would like to be involved in this community outreach project sponsored by Women's Ministries, contact Carol Leonhardt, [caleonha@gmail.com](mailto:caleonha@gmail.com) or 402-310-7493

**It's "Cornstock" time again at Capitol View Church, tomorrow August 23, at 5:00pm at the corner of South 16<sup>th</sup> and A Street!** All the hot buttered corn and cold slices of watermelon you can eat, while watching the kids in the bounce house and listening to live music.

**God in Shoes needs 16 3x3 foot size crocheted or knitted baby blankets** by the end of August. If you have some or can help, please contact Cris Wright 402-419-3576. We are also collecting **New Women's Shoes** for the Women's Spa day and need about **\$900.00 in monetary donations** to purchase food items for Wednesday night's Supper and the Women's Spa Day. **Volunteer Help** is needed. Contact Renee Schaecher, 402-489-1344, 402-580-1608 [piedmontparksda@gmail.com](mailto:piedmontparksda@gmail.com)

**Piedmont Park Youth Group: Trip to Kansas City-August 29-30:** We will be at Kansas City New Haven church on Sabbath, August 29, & at Kansas Worlds of Fun/Oceans of Fun on Sunday, August 30. Cost will depend on how many wish to come as there are discounts for groups. We need to know **final** numbers by Sabbath, August 22. Pastor Andy 402-450-4390.

**You are invited to attend the Children's Leadership Conference on October 9-11 at the Mid-America Union office in Lincoln.** This great set of meetings will show you how to make your children's event fun, informational, and hopefully life changing for the kids in your care. You can register at [plusline.org](http://plusline.org) or call 800-732-7587. There is a fee.

**Two of Piedmont Park's members will be sharing the Gospel through music at this year's Nebraska State Fair in Grand Island.** Ryan Watson will be singing on August 28 and September 3 and Crystal Schaecher will be singing on September 3. Find their schedules at this link: <http://www.statefair.org/events/music/stage-performers> Let's remember them in prayer as they share Jesus' love in song in this public arena.