

# The Allen Family in Concert

Saturday, June 18, 7:30 pm  
Piedmont Park Church, 48<sup>th</sup> and A Streets



If you like family harmonies and great gospel music, the Allen family is sure to exceed your expectations. They've become the favorite of many gospel music listeners and awarded by the National Quartet Association. The Allen Family presents a top-notch program with harmony and humor to thrill your heart! Don't miss this outstanding concert!

Doors open at 6 pm. A love offering will be taken. For additional information call 402-792-2450.

## -----Prayer & Praise-----

VBS planning & preparation

John Baker

Russ Huggins' father

Janeece McNew – cancer

(a "GoFundMe" page can be found on Janeece's facebook page)

### Contact Information

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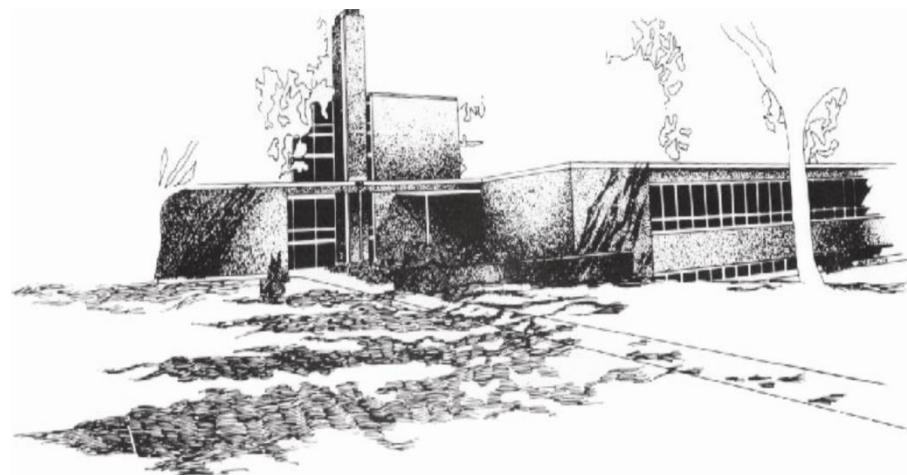
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## Piedmont Park Community Seventh-day Adventist Church

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.

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### Adult Bible Study Classes

Pre-Program: Virgil Carner

Song Leader: Linda Johnson Pianist: Ann Shenk

#### Sabbaths: 1, 2, 4 & 5

Singing/Prayer 9:15-9:25am; Missions 9:25-9:45am; Class Study 9:45-10:40am

#### Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Sabbath:

Singing/Prayer 9:15-9:25am; Class Study 9:25-10:25am; Mission 10:25-10:40am

**Hearers of the Word 2:** Right front of the Sanctuary. Hearing Assistance Available. Richard Cotter, Alice Mihulka, Teresa Thompson, Dr. Tom Toews.

**As the Spirit Leads:** Office E. Quarterly & 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

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

**Malcolm/Schwab:** Conference room. The Quarterly. Malcom Gaskin & Sandra Schwab

**Matthew 11:28-30:** Multipurpose room #2. Bible study. Peter Adams, Kim Hazelton, Kirk Brown, Calvin Follett.

**Young Adult Class:** Multipurpose room #1. Breakfast at 9:30am, Bible Study at 10:00am. Collegiate Quarterly. David Deemer, Alexa Hazelton.

**Themes of Hope:** 9:30-10:40am South end fellowship hall. Church Quarterly. New members & visitors are welcome! Donald Williams, Scot Coppock, Jennifer Somers, Renee Schaecher, Manuela Coppock

**Karen SDA Class:** Room behind the organ. 9:30-10:35am

### Message of Encouragement

Last week I talked about how I get judgey toward anything and everything that comes my way. Sometimes people come my way and the Lord knows they'd turn around and go the other way if they knew what I was thinking. I want to see them like Jesus does, but sometimes I get planks in my eyes that make it impossible.

In order to remove the planks, I answer two questions. "Are you happy with how you're living life?" If I'm upset about how someone does something, it's often because I don't like the method I've chosen or haven't spent any time *thinking* about it so I feel defensive of my MO. Then I know I need to spend the time, pray and follow the path that's right for me. If I love how I'm living, I don't have to pick other people's lives apart.

If I said yes to the first question, I ask, "Are you beating yourself up about not living up to your standard?" So say you've given it thought and you're on a path you believe in, but you mess up sometimes. Maybe you mess up more than you don't. Anyone? If we can't accept Jesus' grace, we'll train our eyes on other people's flaws like our life depends on it. Let Jesus love you, and you'll find the compulsion to judge others dissipates. When we're aware that we all fit under God's love umbrella, we can pocket our measuring sticks and love our neighbors like ourselves.

By: Kendra Carlson

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**The next Friday Night Vespers** will be on July 8 at 7pm and will feature the College View Men's Chorus! We hope you will plan to join us as we welcome the Sabbath hours together with beautiful music. Upcoming Friday Night Vespers dates are August 12 (Pastor Caleb White) and September 9 (Darrell & Tammi Daniel & Friends). For more information, contact Vanessa Schaecher at 402-580-1611 or [ppvespers@gmail.com](mailto:ppvespers@gmail.com).

**Piedmont Pedalers** are meeting at the Lincoln Zoo parking lot at 4pm today! Join us for a fun friendly ride to improve your health.

**Driver needed** – College View Academy is looking for help transporting high school students from Omaha for the 2016-2017 school year. If you're interested in helping out or willing to share your creativity in finding a solution, please contact Brian Carlson at 402-483-1181 ext. 12 or [principal@cvak12.org](mailto:principal@cvak12.org)

**Union College Alumni and Friends:** Join us for a fun, relaxing evening attending a Lincoln Saltdogs minor league baseball game on Thursday, June 23, 2016 at 6:35pm. Call Kenna Lee Carlson in the Alumni Office at (402) 486-2503 to purchase tickets at \$6 per ticket (regularly \$9). Bring your friends!

**Two Positions:** The Mid-America Union Conference Communication Department is seeking a digital media assistant *and* a designer/ad manager. Degree and experience preferred. Send resume to Raylene Jones, Human Resources director, at [Raylene.Jones@maucsd.edu](mailto:Raylene.Jones@maucsd.edu) by Thursday, June 30. Applicants should be active Seventh-day Adventists in good standing.

**Union College is searching for an Office Manager** for Financial Administration. This individual will assist the Vice-President for Financial Administration and the Financial Administration Office as well as manage the transportation reservations and non-dormitory housing rentals. View the job description at [ucollege.edu/staff-openings](http://ucollege.edu/staff-openings) and submit your application or contact Jeff Leeper at 402-486-2502.

CVA Fact answer: A

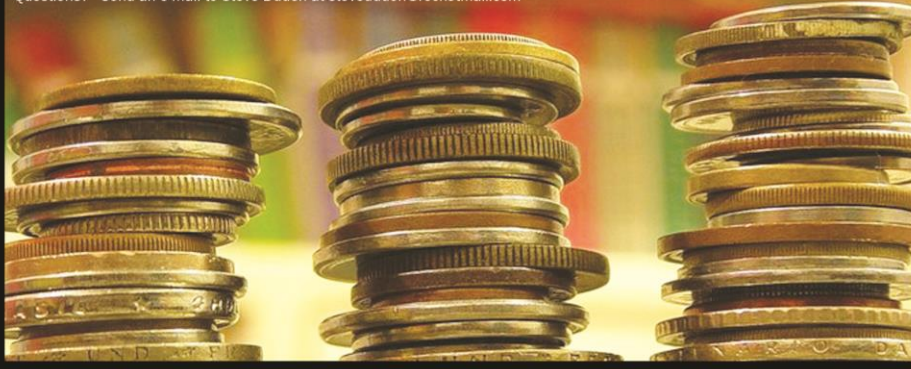
# Leap of Faith

## Retiring the Debt

We thank you for your continued faithfulness in fulfilling your pledged and non-pledged giving! It is only through God's faithfulness and your generosity that Piedmont Park can be debt free after the building expansion.

*Every single penny counts!*

Questions? Send an e-mail to Steve Duden at [steveduden@rocketmail.com](mailto:steveduden@rocketmail.com)



# YOUTH CORNER SUMMER 2016

June 22 - 6:30pm outdoor games at Bart & Brenda's home

June 29 - 6:30pm pool party at Krueger home

July 6 - 6:30pm frozen yogurt at Yogurtini

July 13 - 6pm pizza party in youth room (make your own)

July 30 - 4pm canoe trip at Pawnee lake

August 3 - 6:30pm fair at  
Lincoln Lancaster  
event center



## June 18, 2016

Prelude	'Tis Love that Makes Us Happy	Sharyn Adams
Call to Worship	Faithful	Words on Screen
Welcome & Prayer of Invitation		Pastor Michael Halfhill
Gift from the Heart	I Am Determined	Men's Group
Tithe and Offering	Church Budget	Carol Rees
Song of Gratitude		Duncan Young
Lamb's Offering		Peru
Children's Story		Fatherless to Fatherful
Recognition of Fathers		
Announcements		Pastor Caleb White
Scripture Reading	2 Samuel 18:2-5 NKJV	Trystin Somers
<i>Please stand &amp; join us in singing the songs of worship and prayer chorus</i>		
Songs of Worship	Great is Thy Faithfulness	#100
	Be Thou My Vision	#547
Prayer Chorus	Here I Am to Worship	Words on Screen
<i>Please kneel as you are able as we come to God in prayer</i>		
Church in Prayer		Eula Key
Musical Interlude		
Sermon	David the Father	Michael Halfhill
Song of Dedication	How Deep the Father's Love for Us	Words on Screen
Prayer of Blessing		Pastor Michael Halfhill
Postlude	There is Sunshine Medley	Sharyn Adams
Musicians: David Soto, Brian Wehling		

## CVA Fact:

What acronym does College View Academy use to describe their mission?

- A. Heart
- B. Eagle
- C. Torch
- D. Vessel

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## Calendar

**Friday, June 17, 9:02pm-Sundown-We welcome the Sabbath**  
**Sabbath, June 18, 9:02pm-Sundown-We look forward to a blessed week**  
 9:15am-Adult Sabbath School Pre-Program (Details in Class Schedules Box)  
 9:30am-Adult Youth and Children's Sabbath Schools  
 10:50am-Hearing God's Word: Michael Halfhill  
 12:30pm- All-church potluck  
 3:00pm-Ashlea Johnson's baptism at Capitol View  
 7:30pm-Allen Family in Concert

**Wednesday, June 22**  
 4:00pm-Bulletin deadline for announcements and worship service information  
 6:30pm-Prayer meeting in conference room

**Friday, June 24, 9:03pm-Sundown-We welcome the Sabbath day**  
**Sabbath, June 25, 9:03pm-Sundown-We look forward to a blessed week**  
 9:15am-Adult Sabbath School Pre-Program (Details in Class Schedules Box)  
 9:30am-Adult, Youth and Children's Sabbath Schools  
 10:50am-Hearing God's Word: Pastor Caleb White  
 12:30pm- No all-church potluck

### Tithes and Offering Report

6-18	Church Budget
6-25	KS/NE Evangelism

Our Church Budget requires \$3,174.49 per week. May's online giving was \$5,429.73. The Church Budget is in arrears (\$1,427.84). Thank you for remembering your church's financial needs. To donate online, go to [www.piedmontparksda.org](http://www.piedmontparksda.org), and choose Online Giving.  
 Treasurer: Marsha Hansen, 402-432-0455

### Please remember your Tithe and your Love Offerings First

#### Then please help support our self-funded or partially funded ministries

Deaconesses (Funeral Dinners)	Deaconesses (Baby Showers)
Hospitality Ministry (Fellowship Meals)	Vacation Bible School
Access Ministry (Disabilities & Seniors)	Men's Ministry
Caring Heart Ministry (Shut In Members-DVDs, Cards, Postage)	Light Up The Dark
Elders (Pastor's Gifts)	Music Fund (music, copyrights)
Personal Ministries (Literature and Book Distribution)	Pastor's Fund
Themes of Hope (Signs of the Times Box Ministry)	Audio (Equipment, CDs)
Journey to Bethlehem/Live Nativity (Costumes/Props)	Video (Equipment, DVDs)
Journey to the Cross/Easter (Costumes/Props)	Better Day Ministry (Benevolent Grants)
Church Upkeep, Maintenance and Improvements	Families With Special Needs Ministry
Pathfinders & Adventurers, Eager Beavers, Little Lambs Clubs	Office Equipment
College View Academy Student Aid Scholarship Fund	Kids/Youth Sabbath Schools
Communications (copyrights, software)	Women's Ministry (Camps, Showers etc)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**The Bulletin and overflow announcements** are posted on our website, [piedmontparksda.org](http://piedmontparksda.org) and click on Bulletin. You can also connect with us at [facebook.com/piedmontparksda](https://facebook.com/piedmontparksda)  
 The Elder for the day is Eula Key and the deacon is Mark Snyder.

**Membership Transfers in:** Sterling Cornwell from Hilo, HI

**Membership Transfers OUT:** Dean and Teresa Thompson to Lincoln Capitol View, Carol Harvey to Lincoln College View, Jason and Nichole Hardy to Lincoln College View, Tom and Jennifer Carlson to Atlantic, IA

**Ashlea Johnson's baptism** will be today at 3pm. Because our baptistry is being repaired, her baptism will take place at Capitol View church, which is located at 1640 A Street.

**Help for Temptation** - As we have studied the life of David in our David sermon series, we learn about David's fall into temptation. If you or someone you knows is struggling with sexual sin, there is help available. One website that you can go to is <http://newlife.com/>. It is full of Christian help for someone facing this particular battle.

**The Good Neighbor Community Center** would like to thank Piedmont Park SDA Church and its members for your financial support throughout May marked for Give to Lincoln Day. Your support means a lot to us as we work on our mission of Helping People Help Themselves.

**Wedding Invitation**-With great joy Anna Lisette Deemer and Nicholas Alden Parks request the honor of your presence as they unite their lives in holy matrimony, Sunday, July 3, 1pm at College View SDA Church. Dessert reception to follow in Heartland Hall. Be sure to let us know if you are coming by emailing ([musicdeemer@gmail.com](mailto:musicdeemer@gmail.com)) or calling: 402.416.1402

**Whole In One Golf Fellowship:** The next outing will be Sunday, June 19, 2pm at Crooked Creek Golf Course. Four-person scramble. To register call Pastor Ray Daniel 402-805-4969, text 617-642-9778, or e-mail [redsoxpastor@aol.com](mailto:redsoxpastor@aol.com)

**Seth Gaskin and Mary Erickson** would like to invite you celebrate with them on their wedding day, June 26 at 3pm. The ceremony will be held at 1201 4<sup>th</sup> St. NE, Jamestown, ND 58401 and the reception will be at the Erickson Farm, 2325 68<sup>th</sup> Ave. SE, Buchanan, ND 58420. Please RSVP to 701-320-2685 or [maryandsethrsvp@gmail.com](mailto:maryandsethrsvp@gmail.com) by June 5.

**Janis Harman** is a legally blind Piedmont Park member. She'd like to attend church but needs a ride. If you're interested in helping her get to and from church, please contact the church office.

**Vacation Bible School Work Bees** Would you like to help with this fantastic outreach to children? We're planning two work bees to prepare, on June 26 and July 10. Both will be come-and-go from 10am to 4pm, so you can join when it's convenient for you. All skills needed.

**VBS is July 17-21! Volunteers AND participants need to sign up!** Go to [piedmontparksda.org](http://piedmontparksda.org) and click VBS at the top left. Then click the link posted there. If you have questions, please contact Charlene Hawkins at [charlene.hawkins68@gmail.com](mailto:charlene.hawkins68@gmail.com)

**Thunder in the Holy Land** If you've ordered and paid for your DVDs, you may sign up and pick them up at the Welcome Desk. If you'd like to order your own set, please sign up at the Welcome Desk. Each set is \$35.00, which you can put in a tithe envelope in the mail slot on the church office door or in the offering plate. <http://www.nadministerial.org/article/999/for-nad-pastors/articles/thunder-in-the-holy-land>. Questions? Pastor Michael Halfhill 402-318-1856

**Church Secretary's Hours:** Tuesday through Friday, from noon to 4pm.

**Our new Prayer Room is available** for your use throughout the week during office hours. We hope you'll enjoy having a quiet place to reflect and pray.

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