

Welcome to Eastgate SDA Church!

A message from Pastor Eric Sayler

It's often said we can survive three months without food, three days without water, and three minutes without air.

If you've ever been in a situation where you've been deprived of any of those three, even for less than three months, days, or minutes, you know the deep desire, even desperation that develops as your body craves food, water, or air.

In the Sermon on the Mount Jesus discusses a different type of desperation: a deep desire for God and His goodness in our lives.

This Sabbath we will explore the beatitude "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be filled." Matthew 5:6

I'm looking forward to worshipping with you!

~Pastor Eric

This Weekend: *February 1, Pastor Sayler: continues a presentation on the Beatitudes with:*

Next Weekend: *February 8, Richie & Timi Brower: Relationship Seminar*

Eastgate Church News & Events

Week at a Glance

Sabbath, February 1

9:30am – 10:30am

Sabbath School Study

10:45am – 12:15pm

Pastor Eric Sayler

12:30 – 2:00pm

Special Potluck - Power of Prayer planning and praying

6:00pm – 8:30pm

Youth Movie Night at the Harmons

Sunday, February 2

3:00 – 6:00pm

Super Bowl Party @ Eastgate in the Fellowship Room!

Monday, February 3

6:30pm

Gospel Music Jamboree – All welcome

7:00pm

Women's Study Group

Tuesday, February 4

6:30pm

Facilities Committee Meeting

7:00 – 8:20pm

Youth Fellowship Group

Wednesday, February 5

6:30pm

Prayer and Praise *Carol Hargreaves' Home*

Friday, February 7

6:30pm

Anger & Desire Relationships – the Browsers

Sabbath, February 8

9:30am – 10:30am

Sabbath School Study

10:45am – 12:15pm

Richie and Timi Brower

12:30 – 2:00pm

Special Potluck for seminar

2:00pm

Anger & Desire Relationships Seminar – the Browsers

Eastgate SDA Church Happenings!!

Up-date on Asher & Reagan Peterson

We very much appreciate the prayers, kind words, and excellent support from our friends and family in our season of stress. It means a lot to us knowing that you care. Regular transfusions of blood products have kept Asher fairly healthy. Even so, he is susceptible to viruses and infections, thus he is not able to go out in public or receive visitors. This is hard on a very social child, but we admire how well he is handling these restrictions as well as how well he is dealing with all of the medical tests and pricks he has had to go through. His family is also being very careful not to bring home any illnesses, so we may not get too close when we see you.

As many know we were planning to be in Seattle for Asher to receive a bone marrow transplant and Reagan was to be his donor. Due to new information from test results, Asher's medical team has advised us that a non-related bone marrow donor is better for his situation. Within days of starting the search, we learned that there are many potential donors in the database. It may take a few months longer than we expected to identify the best willing donor, but the doctors are still confident that we can restore Asher's health to the point that he is no longer dependent on weekly transfusions.

If you are interested in helping people with blood diseases similar to Asher's and are between the ages of 18 and 45, we encourage you to check out bethematch.org. It only takes a cheek swab to be added to the database of potential donors. It could change someone's life in the future. They are especially short on donors with genetic types other than those descended from northern European ancestry, but anybody could potentially be honored with the opportunity to donate life giving stem-cells. We also encourage people to donate blood to your local blood bank. We are very grateful for all of the donors who have provided Asher with the blood products he needs.

~Delvin and Sara Peterson

Eastgate SDA Church – Red Cross Blood Drive in Honor of Asher Peterson

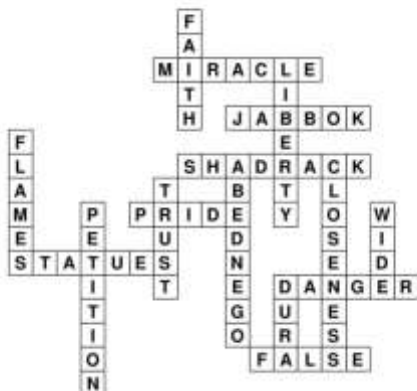
The Eastgate Seventh-day Adventist Church sponsors blood drives just about every other month. February 12 will be our next day that we will host the American Red Cross. Our usual average number of units of blood collected averages about 16 units. Some individuals can contribute a whole unit themselves; some only contribute a half unit. Our schedule is normally only about 60% full in terms of the number of time slots we have for donors to come.

In honor of Asher Peterson, we would like to challenge our members and friends and see if we can fill our schedule with donors and collect 30 units or more for the day!

<https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/donation-time> to sign-up! Thank you!!!

Adult Sabbath School - 1st Quarter (2020)

Lesson 4, January 18 - 24: "From Hot Oven to Palace"



Adult Sabbath School Crossword Puzzle for Lesson 4

For those of you who enjoy working crossword puzzles here is the answer key to the puzzle posted in last weeks' Newsletter on the last page.

Remember, should you have difficulty printing just the last page of the newsletter, there will be one dozen printed puzzles left in the lobby on the table with the visitors bags. We hope you enjoy the process!

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Richie and Timi Brower to conduct a Relationship Seminar at Eastgate SDA Feb. 7 & 8

Anger and Desire shape the relational landscape of our lives like glaciers and water shape the earth. So why don't we talk about them more?

Join Richie and Timi Brower as they discuss anger and desire in the heart of God, why connecting to our own desire is so frightening, how anger and desire collide in the bedroom, and God's design for anger. You'll laugh, cry, and wrestle with your understanding of the character of God.

There will be three sessions as follows:

- Friday night will start at 6:30pm
- They will present for church, the service starts at 10:45am
- There will be a potluck so bring some food and stay for the afternoon presentation!
- Sabbath afternoon presentation will start at 2:00pm

Who are these people?

Richie is a husband, and a daddy as well as an ordained pastor, and the chaplain of a local Christian radio station where he hosts a regular radio show. He loves working outside, especially getting dirty in the garden or cutting firewood. His interests include sustainable living, furniture building, growing and storing food as well as playing in the snow. He enjoys writing and teaching. He loves connecting scripture to life in practical ways.

Timari (Timi) brings together her experiences as a mom, wife and Christian therapist to illustrate how a personal God can heal our hurts and transform the relationships we value most. She holds a BA in Theology and a MA in Counseling. She enjoys quiet moments (because with three man-children, they are quite rare) time with girlfriends, reading, and most things that include a beach. They currently live in NE Washington with their three sons where they enjoy hiking, camping, swimming, gardening, snowshoeing, sledding, and exuberant life with boys.

Children's Ministry Personnel

UCC Children's Leadership EXPO - March 1, 2020 Save the Date

Register for this event by February 17 for a discount. Go to www.uccsda.org/child. Upper Columbia Conference's one-day event to inspire, train, network, equip, and resource parents, lower-grade teachers, children through youth Sabbath School teachers, Vacation Bible School leaders, early childhood educators, and leaders working with children, teens, and youth. Mark your calendar and register to join us! This event is Sunday, March 1 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Conference Office. For questions or more information, email Wendy Urbin at wendyu@uccsda.org or call 509-838-2761.

Women's Study Group

Mondays, 7:00pm. Ladies - it's time for a spiritual growth for women and faith in Christ. This group of ladies invites you to join them as they read and discuss. If you are interested in joining them, please call Rhoda Ehrman at 509-200-2826.

We thank you for supporting your local church budget in addition to the world church?

Financial Report

			<u>GOAL</u>
Combined Budget:	for the month of January	\$ 6,370.31	\$10,814.00
Parking Lot Project:	Balance remaining	\$ 2,205.64	\$14,324.29
Student Aid:	received	\$ 6,770.88	\$11,200.00

Praise the Lord for members who can and do financially support the local mission of this church!

Pacific Power Bill Report

For those that might be curious about our electrical energy use here are a few little details.

January 2020 we have had an average daily temperature of 39 degrees. Our average daily use of electricity has been 378 kwh at a cost of \$41.36 per day. For the month; \$1,378.25.

Offering this Week
Local Church Budget

Offering next Week – February 1
World Budget (TV Ministry)

NEW YEAR FINANCIAL GIVING

There are a couple of major projects that we undertook in 2019 year in maintaining our church facility. One that we still have a balance on is our Parking Lot Reseal.

Any donations that you would like to direct to specific areas of ministry here at the church will appreciate receiving your gift. Thank you for your financial support.

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SPECIAL MUSIC at Eastgate

Would you like to serve the church in song? Maybe you would be willing to provide a special music on any given Sabbath? You can either contact the church office or Kim Boyd. He will once again be leading a team of individuals who will arrange for special music.

Collegiate & Young Adult Class

Tuesday Evening Bible Study

7:00pm Bible study each week at Wade Brook’s apartment. They are on a study journey through the book of Romans. Visit the Sabbath School class, join the Messenger group and be in the know of what to bring and where to meet! Call Wade at (509)-525-2445 or Nicole M. at (541) 282-4803.

Monthly Friday Night Vespers, Next One – ??

This study group communicates through messenger and meets in various locations. They share food and song and great discussions. To connect with them, visit the Young Adult Sabbath school class and get acquainted!

They often plan a potluck supper so check with them for the plan for the evening. For an address contact Wade Brooks at (509)-525-2445, or Josh Boram at (541) 870-4661 or Nicole M. at (541) 282-4803.

School News

Roger's School Carnival Saturday night, February 8 6:00-8:00pm

Come for food and games for all!

Roger's School Gym

- 200 SW Academy Way



Walla Walla Valley Academy Orchestra Annual Valentines Banquet will be held on Monday, Feb. 10 at 6:00 pm at the Walla Walla Country Club. Join them for a fun evening of great food and music! Purchase your tickets from your favorite orchestra student, Mr. Gish, or call WWVA at 509-525-1050. Please RSVP by February 5!! They greatly appreciate your support. Thank you!

Milton-Stateline Adventist School's mission statement is "Mission oriented, Scripture guided, Achievement focused, Service defined". In keeping with this, a few of our students decided to help the Star Project which is a local program to help people who have been released from incarceration to re-integrate into the community as productive citizens. These students have already collected needed items. In addition, the students are hosting a movie night on Sabbath, Feb. 22 at 5:30 pm in our gym. We will be showing "Homeward Bound"! There will be a concession stand. The admission is free. We are asking of donations of: coats (all sizes) for men, women and children, blankets, cookware, kid's toys, shoes, socks, hygiene products, canned foods, baby stuff for 1 girl and 1 boy, kids stuff for a 3rd grade boy, a 4th grade girl, and a jnr. high girl.

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: **Walla Walla University Music Department**

: Please see our music events for this quarter below so you can add them to your calendar. We
: hope you will all be able to join us!

: **Choir and Orchestra Festival Concert**

: Saturday, 8 February 2020, 4 p.m. Walla Walla University Church

: **Music at 7: Student Recital**

: Tuesday, 11 February 2020, 7 p.m. Melvin K. West Fine Arts Center Auditorium

: **Community Music Lessons Recital**

: Wednesday, 19 February 2020, 6:30 p.m. Melvin K. West Fine Arts Center Auditorium

: **Evensong**

: Saturday, 22 February 2020, 5 p.m. Walla Walla University Church

: **Guest Artist Recital: Bruce Neswick, organ**

: Saturday, 29 February 2020, 5 p.m. Walla Walla University Church

: **Voice Student Recital: The Great American Songbook**

: Sunday, 1 March 2020, 7:30 p.m. Melvin K. West Fine Arts Center Auditorium

: **Choir and Orchestra Winter Concert**

: Saturday, 7 March 2020, 4 p.m. Walla Walla University Church

: **Big Band Winter Concert**

: Wednesday, 11 March 2020, 7:30 p.m. Melvin K. West Fine Arts Center Auditorium

: **Young Artist Night Concert**

: Saturday, 14 March 2020, 7:30 p.m. Melvin K. West Fine Arts Center Auditorium

: We look forward to seeing you!

: [Jamie Palmer: Student Writer for Concert Publicity](#)
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SDA Valley Community News & Events:

Local Christian Aid Center Needs Your Help

We have two open positions for females to be part of our team at the Christian Aid Center. It's our overnight/weekend Resident Assistant in the new women & children's shelter. It's a position that fits well for young women who are still single and have a heart for ministry, and want to gain some experience. It is not an hourly paid position, but the compensation is free housing and utilities. No experience is necessary. For more information, a complete job description is available by contacting Crystal Wright, Women & Children Services Manager at cwright@christianaidcenter.or or (509) 525-7153.

Upper Columbia Conference of SDA News

Men's Summit - March 6-8

The annual UCC Men's Summit is coming up on March 6-8 at Camp MiVoden. Discover the true spiritual power of One, with Dr. Minner Labrador as our featured speaker. Register now to reserve your spot. Email Eric Brown at EricB@uccsda.org.

Are You a Teen Pathfinder?

Teen Pathfinders head towards Camp MiVoden for their annual retreat. The speaker this year will be Pastor Caleb Foss from the Summit NW SDA Church in Post Falls, Wash. The worship team will be led by Allen Stafford. Go to <https://1.uccsda.org/TeenRetreat2020>

Youth Camps at MiVoden

Registration is open for all our youth camps. You have several to choose from our basic camps to our Ultimate camps and our 3-week DiscipleTrek camp. More information online at www.mivoden.com. There is a \$20 early payment discount available if the balance is paid by January 21. Any questions or assistance please call 509-242-0506.

Want to Work at Summer at Camp?

Camp MiVoden is currently taking applications for Summer Staff 2020. Please go online to www.mivoden.com to apply.

Registration for Camp Meeting

It is time now to register for the 2020 camp meeting - June 10-13, 2020. Go to: <https://www.uccsda.org/campmeeting> and find the reservation link at the top of the menu. The main speaker will be Lee Venden and he will share his focus on how Jesus wants to find and rescue every person. You will not want to miss this year's camp meeting.

Quilters Retreat at MiVoden Register by March 15, 2020

Attention quilters! All skill level quilters are invited to a four-day quilting retreat at Camp MiVoden located in a serene setting on beautiful Hayden Lake, Idaho, October 19-23, 2020. Qualified quilting instructor, Marlene Baerg Oddie is hosting and available to assist all skill levels. Meals and accommodations are available. A deposit of \$50 is required by March 15, 2020, to confirm your reservation, so don't delay. For details, go to www.kissedquilts.com/events

Egypt Bible Tour 2020

Don't miss the opportunity to visit the earliest pyramid in Dashur and to spend time in the Egyptian Museum in Cairo. This tour, December 28, 2020 - January 6, 2021, also includes time in the Valley of the Kings, including the tomb of King Tut plus many more sites. You will visit Ancient Egyptian sites that make the Bible come alive. You will enjoy spending two nights on a cruise down the Nile. You will stay in four star hotels. The cost of the tour includes all meals, two domestic flights, travel in a deluxe coach, entrance fees for all tours sites and museums,

guide and drive trips. This tour is hosted by Dr. Carl Cosaert, Professor of Biblical Studies at Walla Walla University. For a detailed itinerary and additional information send an email to Sharon Searson at sharons@uccsda.org .

UCC News and Events Can Arrive in your Inbox

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Conference Calendar

For more UCC Calendar Events go to the calendar on our web site

<https://www.uccsda.org/English/Pages/Events-Calendar.aspx>

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Job Network

Looking for a position? Looking to Hire? Please let us know so we can assist in getting the word out!

The Milton Church is accepting applications for a Thrift Store Manager

Due to the resignation of the previous Manager they are looking for a committed Seventh-day Adventist who would be dedicated to serving the Milton-Freewater community through Community Service Outreach and the Thrift Store. Please contact the church office at: churchoffice@miltonadventist.org or 541-938-3066

Job Opportunities in Upper Columbia Conference

To keep up on all job opportunities in UCC go to: Give <https://www.uccsda.org/jobs> .

Job Opportunities in the Oregon Conference

Looking for work in the Oregon Conference? Check the following for job postings:

www.oregonconference.org/employment-home

Job Opportunities at Walla Walla University

Looking for work at the University? Check the following for job postings:

<http://www.wallawalla.edu/resources/human-resources-payroll/>

Classified Ads, Services & Needs

Are you in a service industry? Would you like your church family to be aware of what services you can provide? Please consider placing an ad in this space. At this time, to place an advertisement here will not cost any money. It should only be basic text with no illustrations or photos. To add graphics may or may not be possible based on time and graphic software available. Thank you, Office Manager.

Need Electrical Work Done? Power Solutions Electric

Casey Werner and Trent Fowler may be your solution to your electric wiring and repair projects. Contact Heidi or Tara at pselectric01@gmail.com or 509-540-2656. It's always good to know your electrician!

Cedric Bergherm – Fundraising for Spring Band Tour with WWVA

Cedric is selling some homemade jam/jelly and lavender soap to earn money for his Band trip to Hawaii this spring. They have several flavors available and some different sizes as well.

Contact his mother Carrie for inventory available and pricing. carrierbergherm@yahoo.com or cell phone 509-540-2412

ABC Christian Bookstore

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OPEN - Sunday 10-3: Monday → Thursday 10:00 – 5:00: Friday ♦ Closed

Please Help to Support our local Brick and Mortar Store as they compete against on-line sales. Do some early Christmas shopping in our local store!!

REALTOR: Thinking about buying or selling your home? Want a Christian Realtor to be your advocate and guide? Let me serve you with the best resources and service in the business. Call or text Sarah Bergman at John L. Scott, Walla Walla at 509-240-6826 or reach me by email at sbergman@johnlscott.com for a no-obligation consultation and market analysis. I look forward to hearing from you.

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Do you need a space larger than your home for entertaining a group of friends or family?

Havstad Alumni Center is a great place to gather with family and friends for the holidays. It has a home-like atmosphere, while providing enough space for your family dinners, receptions, company dinners and meetings, and a place to gather with friends. For additional information and availability, call (509) 527-2241 or email wallawallauniversityalumni@wallawalla.edu.

Guests coming and you need an extra bedroom? Havstad Alumni Center has three (3) beautiful guest rooms with private entrance, bathrooms and daily service for rent. For guestroom availability or to make a reservation, go to www.wallawalla.edu/alumni/wwu-alumni-association/havstad-guest-rooms/ or call 509-527-2241. Berna Anderson, Manager, Havstad Alumni Center

Walla Walla University Alumni Association or email wallawallauniversityalumni@gmail.com

Submit your service ads to the following email address: office@eastgateadventist.church Weekly Deadline: Items must be received prior to 8:00am Wednesday mornings.

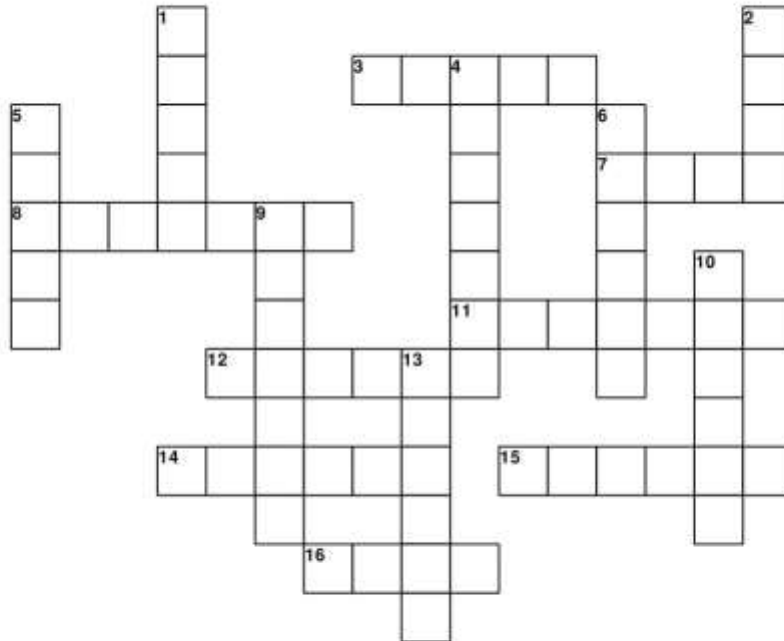
Thank you for your positive feedback and comments. Sincerely, Eastgate SDA Office Manager

Adult Sabbath School Crossword Puzzle

The answer key will be posted next week. ☺

Adult Sabbath School - 1st Quarter (2020)

Lesson 5, January 25 - 31: "Pride to a Heart with no Pride"



ACROSS

- 3 something new that the king received
- 7 what the Lord desires for His people to be
- 8 that which the king's letter was, as a prayer to God
- 11 in the heart of whom pride began
- 12 those which the king built in the city that enhanced its beauty
- 14 those who announced the punishment of the king
- 15 that which will always follow the lives of Christians (last week)
- 16 it was ordered to be chopped down

DOWN

- 1 the number of years the Lord humbled the king
- 2 the group of people about whom the king did not concern himself
- 4 with whom the king went to live as a result of his condition
- 5 that which the king used to control his people
- 6 that which King Nebuchadnezzar became
- 9 the type of sickness that befell the king
- 10 what was really in charge of the kingdom of the king
- 13 journal that comes by hearing (SDA Civics)