



*The fear of the LORD  
is the beginning  
of wisdom;  
all those  
who  
practice  
it have  
a good  
understanding.*

Psalm 111:10, NRSV

Whipple Creek  
Seventh-day Adventist Church

June 15, 2019

# W E L C O M E

*We're glad you're here and wish you a special blessing  
as you worship with us.*

## CHURCH AT WORSHIP FIRST SERVICE

9:00 A.M.

Time for Singing	David Rodriguez
Announcements	Larry Davis
Requests & Gratitude	Pastor Nelson
Introit (words on opposite page)	Please kneel if possible
Prayer	Larry Davis
Music Ministry	Eileen Cameron
Scripture Reading	Ecclesiastes 8:2-4
Spoken Word	Pastor Edward Nelson
	“The Word of a King”
Benediction	Pastor Nelson
Dismiss to Classes	
Offering collected at the door	Local Combined Budget

## CHURCH AT STUDY SABBATH SCHOOL 10:20-11:10 A.M.

Children's Classes can be found down the hall leading away from the Fellowship Room.

### **Adult Study Classes**

Sanctuary Class (Quarterly)	Jack Cameron
Fellowship Room Class (Quarterly)	Paul Makoko
Adult Class #1 (Quarterly)	Paul Alen
Chapel Class (Growing in Jesus)	Pastor Nelson
Library Class (2 Peter Study)	Don Lunt

Time for Singing	David Rodriguez
Announcements & Call to Worship	Larry Davis
Lamb's Offering/Regular Offering	Local Combined Budget
Children's Story	Carol Singletary
Requests & Gratitude	Pastor Nelson
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**Introit**

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts!  
Heaven and earth are full of Thee;  
Heaven and earth are praising thee  
O Lord most high!

**Serving You Today**

Presiding Elder	Larry Davis
Lead Deacon	William Heiser
	Jack Cameron
Piano	Vickie Rodriguez
Organ	Barbara Jones

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Transfer - first reading**

Paul & Diana Carter from Tabernacle/Portland OR

**Requests & Gratitude.** To allow time for others, please keep requests short (generally 20-30 seconds).

**Music meeting** TODAY after church. This is for choristers instrumentalists, A-V people. We will meet by the piano and discuss some changes to try. Anyone is welcome.

**Members of our Adventurers club** are being invested this evening (June 15), 6 p.m. here at WC. Plan to come and support our children and, if you have one, please wear your Class A Pathfinder or Adventurer uniform.

**No Prayer Meeting next Wednesday, June 19** (VBS week).

**Next Sabbath, June 22,** we are inviting families from our VBS week to visit our church for second service. For potluck that day, please bring extra food to ensure we will have plenty for our guests. And keep those pre-registrations coming for the kiddos who will be attending ([myvbs.org/whipplecreek](http://myvbs.org/whipplecreek)). Thank you so much for all the support! It's going to be a great week!

**Whipple Creek Church** is starting a GLOW tract ministry. In both English & Spanish, they are located across from the mailboxes and are FREE for the taking and sharing! Their little tracts have been effective seeds, gently planted for God's kingdom. Stop by and check them out!

**Thursdays, 9:30-10:30 a.m.** is a Unity in Prayer Hour in our church library to prepare hearts for our Prayer Convocation, October 25-27.

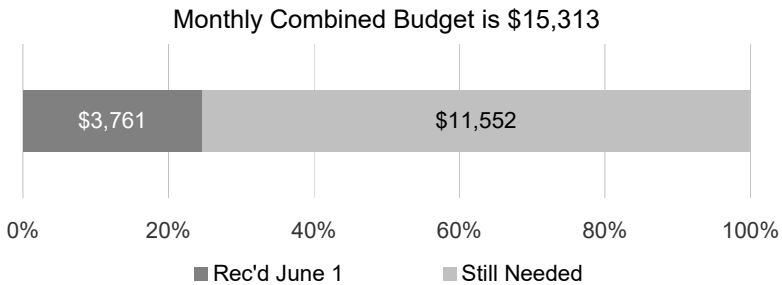
**Attention Veterans:** We want to honor you this year at Gladstone Camp Meeting by holding a special reception July 20 from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the Board Room in the Conference Office. To register for this special event please email us a .jpg file picture of yourself in uniform with your name, branch, dates of service, and your email address.

## CHURCH GIVING

**The meaning of tithe** is simply one tenth. We return a tithe or ‘a tenth’ to God in obedience to His command (Lev 27:30) and to acknowledge that all we possess comes from Him (1 Chron 29:13-14).

Tithe funds do not support the local church. These funds go to support the work of the gospel in our local region (Oregon Conference), in our division (North America) and the world.

**Church Budget:** The combined church budget supports the work of the gospel in the local church. This covers a wide variety of expenses including church maintenance and utilities, Sabbath School departments and children’s programs as well as community outreach and evangelism. See Malachi 3:10-12.



### **Offering Schedule:**

June 15 Local Combined Budget  
June 22 Oregon Conference Youth Support \*  
June 29 Alaska Conference

\* Oregon Conference Youth Support provides funds for Conference Academies, Big Lake Youth Camp and Young Adult Ministries

### **Lunch Schedule**

1st, 3rd & 5th weeks Hospitality Sabbaths — An opportunity to invite others to your home for lunch. You can provide the meal, or have invitees contribute toward a planned menu.

2nd week Fellowship lunch—Sandwiches, Salad, & Fruit for dessert \*

4th week Fellowship lunch—Haystacks \*

\* Please bring food ready to serve in your own dishes—enough for your family members plus 10 more.

## TO HELP YOU PLAN

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Today	9:02 p.m.	Sabbath ends
1st Sabbath		Unity in Prayer
2nd Sabbath		Visitation
2nd & 4th Wednesday	11 a.m.	Ladies Bible study
Wednesday	No Prayer Meeting this week	
Thursday	9:30-10:30 a.m.	Unity in Prayer
Thursday	10:30 a.m.	Prayer Shawl ministry
Friday	9:03 p.m.	Sabbath begins
June 22	2:30 p.m.	Cascade Park ministry

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

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**Children's quiet activity bags** are available in a basket outside the double doors of the sanctuary. Feel free to borrow a bag per child each Sabbath.

**Nursing Room** for mothers to feed and change their babies. To give these babies and mothers quiet privacy, no men are allowed. Changing tables are also available in the men's restroom.

**Training Chapel** is an option for parents with fussy children during church, and is located in the Adult I classroom. Quiet books/toys are available at the front of this area. Parents appreciate having the service live streamed into this room.

**Having trouble hearing the service?** We can help. Ask a greeter or deacon to point out someone who can help you with one of our audio assisting devices.

**Live Streaming.** Our church services are being live streamed and recorded on YouTube. That means the cameras may show the audience from time to time. If you wish to avoid being recorded, we welcome you to sit in the balcony or in the Adult I classroom. Past services are available on YouTube.

**"Like" us on Facebook!** We have a church page ("Whipple Creek Seventh-day Adventist Church") that you can personally connect with, and extend the same invitation to friends. Just another way to stay informed and to share our church with the community.



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## OUR CHURCH

**Why we are here...** It is the purpose of our church to witness that Jesus Christ is both Lord and Savior in our lives, and to find ways to share Him and His love with our community.

**An Invitation...** Whipple Creek is often called a “warm, friendly, family-oriented church” and we are happy that you chose to join us today. “Come to me all you that labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest.” It is our prayer that you will sense the Lord’s presence as we study and worship together.

**As our guest,** we invite you to unite with us through membership, fellowship and ministry of this church. If you are passing through, we hope you will return anytime you are in the Vancouver area.