

Generations in Ministry

Today, members young and old will be going to the Center for People in Need's Giving Thanksgiving food and goods distribution. Hundreds of people and many families in Lincoln have only enough money to meet their standard bills and many are short of their money bills. Many of these people would be labeled "the working poor"...they have jobs but do not make enough to pay their bills and certainly not enough to supply a holiday meal. Today we will help give them a "Better Day" on Thanksgiving.

Our Adventurer Club made banners out of pipe cleaners and beads for our Veterans Day recognition last Sabbath that encouraged our Veterans by reminding them that God loves them, that we appreciate their service, and that we have joy and hope in God for true peace.

Eager Beavers learned about the promise God made to us in the rainbow, that He will not destroy the world by water again and discussed who & what they are thankful for.

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

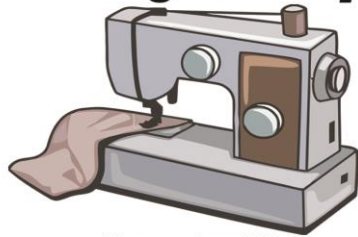
Every penny you have given has been used to grow our facility! And now we can't wait to see how God uses those gifts to grow our congregation!



*Questions?
Send an e-mail to Steve Duden at
steveduden@rocketmail.com*

www.faith4thefuture.com

Sewing Sundays



**November 22
1-3:30pm**

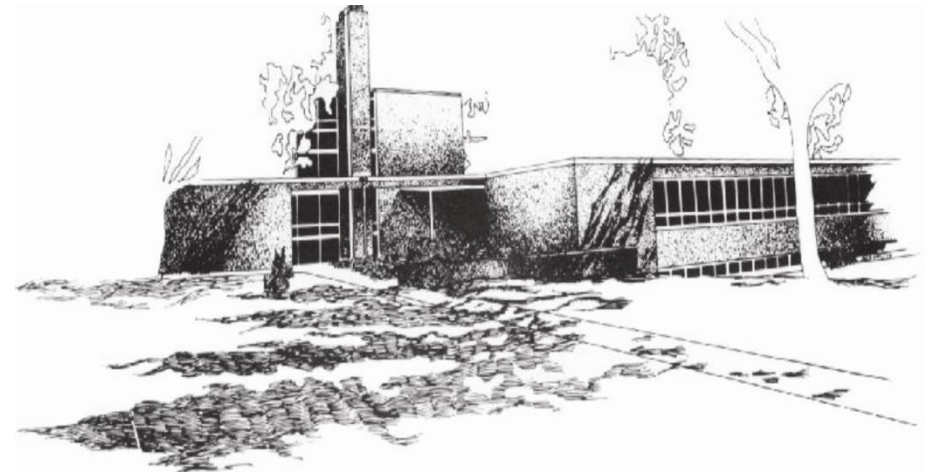
We invite you-youth, men and women, to join us in the Fellowship Hall.. We need sewing machines, sewing kits, ironing boards and sewers, but also folks to cut and pin and fold.

Leader: Cheryl Wallin
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piedmontparkSDA@gmail.com

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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(Please call, text or email the Administrative Staff for an appointment)

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Website: www.piedmontparksda.org

Facebook: www.facebook.com/piedmontparksda

YouTube: www.youtube.com/piedmontparkchurch

November 21, 2015

Adult Bible Study Classes

Pre-Program Leader: Leon Hill

Musician: Betty Hill

Song Leader: Beth Baker-Schwimmer & Adam Schwimmer

Sabbaths: 1,2,4 & 5

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

Every 3rd Sabbath:

Singing/Prayer 9:15-9:25am, Class Study 9:25-10:25am & Mission: 10:25-10:40am.

As the Spirit Leads: Office E. 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

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

Malcolm/Schwab: Conference Room. Quarterly, Malcom Gaskin & Sandra Schwab

Matthew 11:28-30 - Multipurpose Room # 2. Currently following the Quarterly, Peter Adams, Kim Hazelton, Kirk Brown, Kalvin 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: 9:30-10:30am, Fellowship Hall. Light Breakfast. Welcomes Members, New Members & Visitors! Church Quarterly. Discussion Leaders: Donald Williams/Laura Neergaard, Scot Coppock, Jennifer Somers, Renee Schaecher, Manuela Coppock

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

Prayer & Praise

Please intercede in prayer before God for:

Friend and Member, Janice Nightengale, (Mrs. Don Nightengale) passed away, Sunday, November 15 in the evening. Services were held Friday, November 20, at 10:30am at Piedmont Park SDA Church with interment at the College View Church Cemetery. Cards may be mailed to Don Nightengale & Family, 1648 N 56th Street, Apt 1, Lincoln, 68504 Thank you remembering the Nightengale family in your prayers.

I've had some complications from the lupus and breathing problems from the pulmonary hypertension. Thank you for your prayers. Maria Nehls. Cards of encouragement and prayer may be mailed to: Maria Nehls, 1259 S. 21 St, Apt 2, Lincoln, NE 68502

Linda Becker (Mrs. Don) came through surgery for a hernia fine. It was a high risk surgery because of potential complications from other health conditions. Thank you your prayers during her recovery. Cards of prayer and encouragement may be mailed to Mrs. Don Becker, 6721 L St, Apt 104, Lincoln, NE 68510

Please pray for our Pathfinders as they learn facts about scripture and memorize large portions of the Bible in preparation to take part in the 2016 Bible Experience.

Darlene Reile is now at home having 24/7 hospice care. She is okay to have visitors. Please call before visiting. 7540 S 70th St, Lincoln, NE 68516, 402-423-0996

We give praise to the Great Physician for:

Anna Evens is home from the hospital after testing for a health condition of her lungs.

Viola Schroeder is home from the hospital after a heart valve replacement.

Eula Key is progressed to physical therapy & rehabilitation at Madonna Rehabilitation Hospital after her car accident.

Acrofest 2016 came off with no injuries or accidents during the event!

<http://lancaster.unl.edu/community/articles/lincolnrefugeesdoc.shtml>

“Community development agencies are in a key position to connect newcomers not only to long-term housing, but also to education, business development, jobs and leadership opportunities.”

According to the Asian Community Center, Lancaster County is the nation's 18th largest resettlement area for Asian refugees and immigrants. Nebraska has become fifth in refugee resettlement per capita when compared with states of similar population and half of the state's refugees for the last 18 years resided in Lincoln. Of the ten traditional countries of resettlement, the U.S. accepts more refugees for resettlement than all the other countries combined.

Lincoln Agencies facilitate Refugee Resettlement Assistance: They help provide community resources, instruction on how to use medical services, help applying for housing assistance, green card, or renewal or replacement of green cards, citizenship documents, travel documents (for permanent residents to visit homeland for one time travel), U.S. passports, replacement of Naturalization Certificates, employment Authorization Card, interpretation services available, and Citizenship and Immigration Assistance.

Lincoln Agencies Assisting Refugees & Immigrants

Lincoln Action Program (Ph: 402-471-4515),

Lincoln Literacy Council (Ph: 402-476-7323), F.I.R.S.T. Project, Inc. (Ph: 402-488-6760),

Northbridge Community Center (Ph: 402-437-8999), Hispanic Center (Ph: 402-474-3950),

Southeast Community College (Ph: 402-437-2722), Faces of the Middle East (Ph: 402-474-6223),

Lincoln Interfaith Council (Ph: 402-474-3017), Good Neighbor Community Center (Ph: 402-477-

4173), <http://www.gncclincoln.org/>, Catholic Social Services (Ph: 402-474-1600), sian

Community & Cultural Center (Ph: 402-477-3446), African Multicultural Community Center (Ph:

402-477-6926), Center for People in Need [http://centerforpeopleinneed.org/programs-](http://centerforpeopleinneed.org/programs-services/immigrant-and-refugee-services/)

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Peru Mission Trip

December 28 - January 12

OR

December 31 - January 12

PERU PROJECTS
Taking the gospel to the jungle

Help with construction on the Peru Project base of the Life Style Center and two dormitories. Accommodations provided. Approximate cost is \$1600 (includes airfare). For more information contact Virgil Carner 402-310-1512 or Alan Peters 402-499-7263

Start your Christmas Season off right
with a beautiful concert by the
**HEARTLAND COMMUNITY
FLUTE CHOIR**

Come and enjoy beautiful Christmas Music
played by the Heartland Community Flute Choir.

Then stay and chat with the performers and your friends
while you enjoy yummy Christmas treats!

DECEMBER 5 @ 6:00PM
4801 A STREET
Free-will Offering

ppvespers@gmail.com or 402-486-0629



November 21, 2015

Prelude	“This Is My Father’s World” “For the Beauty of the Earth”	Darcy Pearcy
Call to Worship	“In Christ Alone”	John Morrison & Friends
Prayer of Invitation		Pastor Andy Moseley
Welcome		Pastor Andy Moseley
Gift from the Heart	“Be” (My Heart, My Hands, My Voice)	Video by Selah
Tithe and Offering	“Piedmont Park’s Financial Needs”	Lily Young
Song of Praise	“Give Thanks”	Piedmont Bells
Announcements		Pastor Michael Halfhill
Children’s Story	Offering: Pathfinders	Beth Snyder
<i>Please stand & join our song leaders in singing the song of worship</i>		
Song of Worship	“Cornerstone”	John Morrison & Friends
<i>Please kneel, as you are able, & join our song leaders in singing the prayer chorus</i>		
Prayer Chorus	“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus	John Morrison & Friends
Church in Prayer		Pastor Andy Moseley
Musical Interlude		Darcy Pearcy
Scripture Reading	“Philippians 2:5-8” NKJ	Katelyn Snyder
Hearing God’s Word	“See God With New Eyes”	Pastor Grant Agadjanian
Song of Celebration	“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross” Melody from Hymn #154 with Words from Hymn #155	John Morrison & Friends
Prayer of Blessing		Pastor Grant Agadjanian
Postlude	“Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty”	Darcy Pearcy

Piedmont Park Seventh Day Adventist Blood Drive
December 15 ~ 4:00-7:00pm

URGENT NEED

If you’ve ever wanted to
be a hero and save a life,
the time is now. **The need
for blood is urgent.**



Grandparents’ Christmas Room

Help the Good Neighbor Center
stock the shelves of their
Grandparents’ Christmas Room!

Bring new UNWRAPPED toys and
gifts (for children ages 10 and
under) to the Welcome Desk on
Sabbath (November 14, 21, 28)
and we will deliver them
to the Good Neighbor Center!

(If you would rather donate
funds, we can shop for you.
Suggested donation
would be between
\$15.00 and \$35.00)

GOOD NEIGHBOR
COMMUNITY CENTER

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Soup Supper & Guitar Vespers



December 12 at 8:30pm

After the Live Christmas Nativity, stay for
warm soup and warm fellowship! Bring
your instruments too!

Bring:

- *Your favorite soup, breads, toppings,
fresh fruits & veggies, etc.
- *Guitars and any other musical instruments
- *Your voice

Sponsored by Piedmont’s Social Committee
Hosts: Darrell & Tammi Daniel

Church Calendar

Friday, November 20, 5:02pm – Sundown – We welcome the Sabbath day Sabbath, November 21, 5:02pm-Sundown-We look forward to a blessed week

9:15am-Adult Sabbath School Pre-Program (Details see in Class Schedules Box)

9:30am-Adult, Youth and Children’s Sabbath Schools

10:50am-Hearing God’s Word: Pastor Grant Agadjanian from Sure Harvest

12:30pm-**There is no Fellowship Meal today**

(Bring & Share lunch for Giving Thanksgiving Volunteers ONLY)

1:45pm-5:00pm-Child Care in Multipurpose Room for the children of Giving

Thanksgiving Volunteers only (ages 8 and under) p. 5

2:15-4:30pm-Piedmont Park Volunteers at Center for People in Need for Giving Thanksgiving p. 5

Sunday, November 22

1:00pm-3:30pm-Sewing Sunday-Fellowship Hall p.5

Wednesday, November 24

Pathfinder, Eager Beaver & Little Lambs clubs resume-December 2

6:30pm-Prayer Meeting in the Conference Room

Friday, November 27, 5:06pm – Sundown – We welcome the Sabbath day

Sabbath, November 28, 5:05pm-Sundown-We look forward to a blessed week

9:15am-Adult Sabbath School Pre-Program (Details see in Class Schedules Box)

9:30am-Adult, Youth and Children’s Sabbath Schools

10:50am-Hearing God’s Word: Pastor Michael Halfhill

12:30pm- Bring and Share Fellowship Meal after Worship Service-Downstairs

Tithes and Offering Report

11-21 Piedmont Park Church Budget

11-28 Kansas-Nebraska Advance

Lambs Offering – Pathfinders \$99.42

Piedmont Park’s Church Budget is **(\$13,167.78) in the Red**. The offering given on November 14 was \$2,361.58. We are 3.4 weeks behind in our giving. Our Church Budget requires \$3,921.80 per week..

Tithe & offerings may be donated online by going to www.piedmontparksda.org, then click Online Giving. Treasurer-Evelyn Cornforth, 402-304-4219 or evcornf@gmail.com

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

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

The Elder for the day is **Dr. Tom Toews**. The deacon for the day is **Adam Schwimmer**.

Membership Transfers Out-1st Reading:

Winslow Ellis to Kansas City New Haven (Overland Park, KS)

Chelsea Zumwalt to Crosswalk (Redlands, CA)

Thank you for your patience as we finish up the new locks and key system. Questions?

Pastor Michael or Renee Schaecher - 402-489-1344 or piedmontparkSDA@gmail.com

God has a special purpose in bringing people from all over the world to live near us. He wants us to share His love with these refugees, international students, immigrants, and visitors. Many come from countries closed to evangelism and belong to unreached people groups. They, in turn, can reach their family and even their nations with the Three Angels’ Messages. Explore this excellent training site to find ways you can care for refugees and international students: **ReachTheWorldNextDoor.com**. Provided by Richard Clark, Jr.

Come and enjoy Capital View SDA Church’s annual fall concert today at 4:00pm at 16th and A Street. Great musicians from Union College, College View Academy and College View Church including worship Pastor Deneil Clark and praise singing by Chronicles.

College View Academy-Barnes & Noble (Southpointe) Book Fair Fundraiser on Tuesday, December 1, from 4:00-7:00 pm. Storytelling and cookie decorating from 4:15 to 5:45 pm. Kindergarten thru 4th grade children will sing at 6:30pm. We receive 15% of the proceeds. If you order on-line, go to BN.com/bookfairs and use code: 11715695. Thank you for your support.

Join us for a dessert fundraiser for the Eula Key Families on December 3 at Yogurtini anytime between 5-9pm at 233 N. 48 St (NW Corner of 48 and O Streets). Tell the cashier you are here for Piedmont Park in order for us to earn 15% of all sales! Register to win prizes for attending. Hosted by: Better Day Ministry and Themes of Hope Bible Study Class

Begin your Christmas season with a unique and beautiful sacred Christmas concert by UNO’s Heartland Community Flute Choir at Piedmont Park on December 5 at 6:00pm. The Flute Choir boasts over 30 adult and student members who play on C flutes, piccolos, and alto and bass flutes. An offering will be taken. Christmas treats in the lobby after the concert! Information: Vanessa Schaecher at 402-486-0629 or ppvespers@gmail.com

You are invited to Journey to Bethlehem as you experience our Live Christmas Nativity on December 12 from 6:30-8:00pm. As you take the drive-through tour (A street entrance), tune your radio to 1580AM and listen to the Christmas story while looking at actors displaying scenes from the first Christmas. More information: 402-489-1344 or piedmontparksda@gmail.com

Piedmont Park Health Ministry is hosting a Blood Drive through the Red Cross on Tuesday, December 15, from 4:00-7:00pm. Sign up: <https://donor.ncbb.org/web/> Enter your zip code and the Sponsor Code - PSD and choose a time. Misty Wehling at bmwehling@gmail.com

"In partnership with Graceworks Ministries, College View Academy has developed a 15 minute survey for current and past parents, church members, and alumni. We ask you to please take the time to help our school ministry by responding to this thorough and comprehensive survey. To take the survey, please email survey@cvak12.org for instructions and a unique code." Brian Carlson, Principal, College View Academy (PreK-12), 402-601-7694

Position opening for an Executive Administrative Assistant at Union College. For position description go to www.ucollege.edu/staff-openings and submit resume to Dr. Malcolm Russell at marussel@ucollege.edu by next week.

You are invited to a Christmas Social on December 19 at 5:00pm in Piedmont’s Multipurpose Room. Stories, Christmas songs and learning Scandinavian Jingle Bells. Bring a Gag Gift for a fun game (please don’t spend money or if you do, please stay under \$5)! Hosted by Vern Thompson – Piedmont Park Social Committee