

Welcome! Happy Sabbath & Merry Christmas!

December 8, 2018

Sabbath School - Bible Study, 9:30 – 10:30
Intermission – 10:30 – 10:40

This Week's Events

Today

- ◆ Sunset 4:44 p.m.

Sunday

Monday

- ◆ Pathfinders 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. (Ages 10 - 18)
- ◆ Adventurers 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. (Ages 6 - 10)

Tuesday

- ◆ THIS Tuesday, Elder's Meeting, 5:30 p.m.
- ◆ Canceled Tuesday, Board Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- ◆ THIS Tuesday, Church Business Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday

- ◆ Lakeside Small Group, Pastor Casey, 2:00 p.m., at Lakeside Stageline Pizza.

Thursday

- ◆ Pastor Casey Group, at Perkins Restaurant, 2:00pm.
- ◆ THIS Thursday - VACS Board Meeting, 5:45 p.m.
- ◆ Dea Hustwaite's home group, on the book of Hebrews, 6:00 p.m.

Friday

- ◆ Sunset 4:43 p.m.

Next Sabbath/Saturday Night

- ◆ Feed the Flathead

Announcements

Debt Reduction Campaign In addition to faithfully supporting our monthly loan payments of \$6,500/month, our end-of-year Debt Reduction Campaigns during the past three years have enabled us to reduce our loan principal balance by \$374,085! As a result, our current loan balance is now down to \$378,065. Loan payoff will take us 5 years 7 months of monthly payments— unless we are able once again this year to reduce the loan principle balance which not only reduces the time to loan payoff, but also saves us the interest included in our monthly payments. Last year, our Debt Reduction effort raised \$57,739. A Debt Reduction Goal of \$60,000 this year would reduce our time to loan payoff by a whole year! Shall we go for it?

In early 2016, we planned to borrow \$942,000 and take 20 years to pay it off. We ended up borrowing \$615,000, and here we are less than 3 years later within range of paying off our loan within the next 3-4 years. How's this for powerful evidence of God's abundant blessing for our building project!

FYI - The church's bank has requested that ALL checks be made out to Kalispell SDA Church and *not individuals*. Please use the tithe envelope to designate where funds are to be applied. This includes fund raisers, etc., even if the funds are not for a tax-deductible item. Thank you from the Church Treasurer's Office.

Church Business Meeting is THIS Tuesday, December 11, 6:30 p.m.

On December 2, another 17 members joined the ranks of certified Disaster Response volunteers. Members from the Kalispell, Billings, Great Falls, Mount Ellis churches as well as the Townsend Company were represented. Thank you to all of you who are willing to serve in this capacity.

December for Feed the Flathead. on December 15th. If you have any questions, please contact Gail 387-4777 or Leala 471-7343.

Please consider giving to our yearly Christmas community outreach gift for the Evergreen Middle School. The ongoing needs of these kids is all year long. Your financial gift will provide personal hygiene items, socks, gloves and many other things. Just mark the tithe envelope 'Evergreen School' by December 28. Items will be purchased and delivered after the first of the year. Thank you. --*Marcy Culver*



Plan now to attend our Christmas Celebration on Friday evening, December 21st, at 6:30PM. Having company then? Wonderful! Bring them along! There will be a thoughtful presentation by our young people on the birth of Christ along with plenty of wonderful music (congregational singing included) and a story or two presented in just the right mix of soft lighting and candlelight. It will be the perfect start for your Christmas weekend!

Community Outreach

Today, December 8, is the day for the annual offering for Adventist Community Services. A percentage of the ACS offering goes to each ministry under the Adventist Community Services. Community Development receives the highest percentage which funds projects from received proposals. The offering also goes for scholarships, leadership development initiatives, and expansion of our resources. Grants projects can include after-school programs, food pantries, community gardens, educational programs, refugee assistance, and many more.

Serving You Today

Deacon Sam Clark
Greeters Elyse Kreitner and Brent Blaney

Stewardship

Give generously to Him and do so without a grudging heart; then because of this the Lord your God will bless you in all your work and in everything you put your hand to. - Deuteronomy 15:10

Church Budget – Submitted by Margie McCubbins

Received YTD	\$67,972.46
Budgeted YTD	73,114.14
Balance	221.82

Building Fund – Submitted by Clint Kreitner

Thank you to everyone for supporting our loan payments!
\$4,041 Received in November
\$73,220 Received in 2018
\$6,656 Monthly average in 2018
\$6,500 Planned monthly loan payment

Worship Service
10:40

Prelude		Jan Cusick
Mission Spotlight		
Welcome & Announcements		Matthew Hohnberger
Worship in Song		Mark Bowman & Company
Invocation		Matthew Hohnberger
Opening Hymn		
	<i>Seeking the Lost</i>	
Lamb's Offering		Matthew Hohnberger
	Building Fund	
Worship in Giving		
	NAD Adventist Community Services	
Children's Story		Bair Patel
Special Music		Mark Bowman & Company
	<i>How Many Kings</i>	
Prayer		
Message		Bair Patel
	<i>The Key</i>	
	II Corinthians 5:20	
Closing Hymn		
	<i>Rescue the Pershing</i>	
Benediction		Bair Patel
Postlude		Jan Cusick

Mission

To glorify God by the living testimony of our lives. To proclaim the Everlasting Gospel through biblical preaching, transformational teaching, inspiring worship, encouraging fellowship and heartfelt service.

Next Sabbath, December 15, 2018

Speaker	Pastor Casey Higgins
Elder	Dea Hustwaite
Deacon	Jack Culver
Music	Darlene Schott & Friends
Offering	KSDA Budget
Greeters	Laurie McElvain, Rick Framness

Administrator	Charé Largent	406-752-8912
Our Pastor	Casey Higgins	406-260-3981
Head Elder	Matthew Hohnberger	406-212-3600
Head Deacon	Sam Clark	406-407-8253
Head Deaconess	Marcy Culver	503-930-7017
Church Clerk	Louise Atkinson	406-270-1692
Treasurer	Margie McCubbins	406-858-0863
Plant Manager	Jay McCubbins	406-858-0864
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Audio TBD		
Monitor Graphics	Donald McElvain	406-883-5994
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Valley Adventist Christian School		406-752-0830
Disaster Response Coordinator	Gabriele Laub	720-560-4763
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Please email bulletin submissions to mcelvaindl@centurytel.net, our private email, or call Laurie McElvain at 406-883-5994. Deadline for submission consideration is 6:00 p.m., on Wednesdays, unless posted otherwise.

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Casey & Carmen Higgins
Our Kalispell Pastoral Team

