

### Generations in Ministry

Next Sabbath, August 22, we will celebrate the grand opening of our building expansion. We are looking forward to enjoying a new foyer, new welcome desk, new driveway and main entrance, new multi-purpose room with kitchenette, new very large storage area and more. We have replaced windows, walls, furnaces, air conditioners, siding, electrical, put new lights in the sanctuary and other improvements have been made such as family bathrooms, a new mothers' room, a toddler room in the junior room, TV's throughout, and Internet access for Sabbath School teachers. This was an all church effort with many, many giving what they could. Even children donated their funds through their Sabbath Schools! Thank you for your faithful filling of your pledges and for all free-will giving! Your work and support is great!

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

*Your giving  
is helping  
us grow!*



*Thank you for  
supporting the  
expansion campaign!*

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

[www.faith4thefuture.com](http://www.faith4thefuture.com)

### Blackwood Legacy In Concert



**WED-AUG 19-7 PM**

**Piedmont Park Seventh-  
day Adventist Church  
4801 A St-Lincoln**

Info: 402-489-1344

[www.BlackwoodLegacy.com](http://www.BlackwoodLegacy.com)

Admission is free and so is the blessing!  
Love Offering will be received

## 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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August 15, 2015

## Adult Bible Study Classes

**Adult Sabbath School Classes start at 9:30am and end at 10:30pm**

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

**Eclectic Journeymen:** Various Topics. The Montessori School Building. Peter Adams, Kirk Brown or Kim Hazelton

**Searchers of the Word:** The Bible, Church Quarterly and the Spirit of Prophecy. Back left side of the Sanctuary. John Rhodes and Others

**Hearers of the Word:** Ask a Greeter for a hearing assistance device. Church Quarterly. Right front of Sanctuary. Richard Cotter, Alice Mihulka, Thomas Toews

**Themes of Hope:** You are invited to visit or join! Men, Women & Guests are Welcome! Lite Breakfast. Church Quarterly. 9:30-10:40am. Kitchen end of the Fellowship Hall. Class Discussion Leader-Rotates: Renee, Jennifer, Eula, Cheryl, Scot & Manuela, or Ryan

**As the Spirit Leads:** Front Left of Sanctuary. Church Quarterly. Malcolm Gaskin, Sandra Schwab, Virgil Carner & Leon Hill

**Young Adult Discussion Class:** South end of Fellowship Hall

**Karen SDA Sabbath School Class:** Room behind the Organ

## Message of Encouragement

**Psalm 63: 5-7** "My soul is satisfied as with marrow and fatness, And my mouth offers praises with joyful lips. When I remember You on my bed, I meditate on You in the night watches, For You have been my help, And in the shadow of Your wings I sing for joy."

**Pastor Tim Briste says he finds six major ways that we minimize our sins, but that God can help us overcome.**  
<http://www.biblestudytools.com/blogs/tim-brister/6-destructive-ways-we-minimize-our-own-sin.html>

### Defending

I find it difficult to receive feedback about weaknesses or sin. When confronted, my tendency is to explain things away, talk about my successes, or to justify my decisions. As a result, I rarely have conversations about difficult things in my life.

### Pretending

I strive to keep up appearances, maintain a respectable image. My behavior, to some degree, is driven by what I think others think of me. I also do not like to think reflectively about my life. As a result, not very many people know the real me (I may not even know the real me).

### Hiding

I tend to conceal as much as I can about my life, especially the "bad stuff". This is different than pretending in that pretending is about impressing. Hiding is more about shame. I don't think people will accept the real me.

### Blaming

I am quick to blame others for sin or circumstances. I have a difficult time "owning" my contributions to sin or conflict. There is an element of pride that assumes it's not my fault and/or an element of fear of rejection if it is my fault.

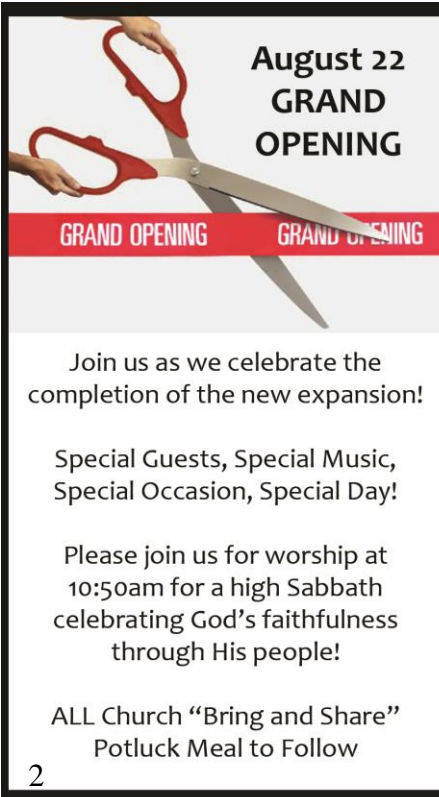
### Minimizing

I tend to downplay sin or circumstances in my life, as if they are "normal" or "not that bad." As a result, things often don't get the attention they deserve, and have a way of mounting up to the point of being overwhelming.

### Exaggerating

I tend to think (and talk) more highly of myself than I ought to. I make things (good and bad) out to be much bigger than they are (usually to get attention). As a result, things often get more attention than they deserve, and have a way of making me stressed or anxious.

God encourages us in our fight to become closer to the image of God in that the Psalmist says, God has been his help. In God's protection and care we find forgiveness, acceptance, instruction, wisdom and courage to try again.



**August 22  
GRAND  
OPENING**

GRAND OPENING GRAND OPENING

Join us as we celebrate the completion of the new expansion!

Special Guests, Special Music, Special Occasion, Special Day!

Please join us for worship at 10:50am for a high Sabbath celebrating God's faithfulness through His people!


ALL Church "Bring and Share" Potluck Meal to Follow

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The Largest Evangelistic Family Ministry and Women's Ministry Event of the Year

**A Ministry by Women  
for Women and their Families**

Sponsored by KS-NE Women's Ministries and People from all Kansas-Nebraska Churches



**September 13-20, 2015  
Lincoln, NE**

YOUR help is needed!

We need staff, item donations, monetary donations and prayers!

**EVENTS you can help staff will include:**  
Family Fun Day  
Free Suppers & Seminars  
Ladies Only Free Spa Day

For more information or to sign up to help, contact:  
Sue Carlson at [suecarlson54@gmail.com](mailto:suecarlson54@gmail.com)



**FORGIVEN QUARTET**  
at Piedmont Park Church



**Saturday, August 22, 7:00 pm**

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August 15, 2015

PIEDMONT PARK SDA CHURCH

2015-2016 BUDGET

FINAL

COMBINED BUDGET FUNDS

ACCT.	ACCOUNT NAME	Final 2015-2016 BUDGET	Final 2015-2016 MONTHLY BUDGET
9001	COMBINED CHURCH BUDGET	195,371.00	16,280.92
9002	CHURCH HOLDING FUND		
9005	AUDIO VIDEO	450.00	37.50
9007	BACKGROUND CHECKS	350.00	29.17
9010	BENEVOLENT FUND BUDGET	2,160.00	180.00
9015	CUSTODIAL SUPPLIES	800.00	66.67
9020	ELECTRICITY	4,500.00	375.00
9025	FLOWERS	-	-
9030	GAS	4,500.00	375.00
9035	GOOD NEIGHBOR CENTER	4,200.00	350.00
9040	INSURANCE	19,000.00	1,583.33
9045	HOSPITALITY MINISTRY	360.00	30.00
9050	LAWN & SNOW REMOVAL	2,000.00	166.67
9052	LIGHT UP THE DARK	1,500.00	125.00
9054	LIVE NATIVITY	-	-
9055	MUSIC FUND	500.00	41.67
9060	OFFICE EXPENSE	4,000.00	333.33
9065	PERSONAL MINISTRIES	500.00	41.67
9070	PEST CONTROL	600.00	50.00
9075	POSTAGE	600.00	50.00
9080	REFUSE REMOVAL	438.00	36.50
9085	REPAIR & MAINTENANCE	3,650.00	304.17
9090	RETIREMENT - SECRETARY	605.00	50.42
9095	SABBATH SCHOOL - BEGINNERS	-	-
9100	SABBATH SCHOOL - CRADLE ROLL 2	-	-
9105	SABBATH SCHOOL - KINDERGARTEN	-	-
9110	SABBATH SCHOOL - PRIMARY	240.00	20.00
9115	SABBATH SCHOOL - JUNIOR	-	-
9120	SABBATH SCHOOL - EARLITEEN	-	-
9125	SABBATH SCHOOL - YOUTH	-	-
9130	SABBATH SCHOOL EXPENSE	4,500.00	375.00
9135	SALARIES - CUSTODIAN	11,000.00	916.67
9140	SALARIES - SECRETARY	22,000.00	1,833.33
9145	SALARIES - STUDENT PASTOR	1,500.00	125.00
9150	SALARIES - TREASURER	3,600.00	300.00
9155	SCHOOL SUBSIDY	72,576.00	6,048.00
9160	SOCIAL COMMITTEE	-	-
9162	SPECIAL OCCASIONS	500.00	41.67
9165	STUDENT AID/SAP	20,000.00	1,666.67
9170	TAXES - SALARIES	2,700.00	225.00
9175	TELEPHONE	3,192.00	266.00
9178	VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL	1,500.00	125.00
9179	VESPERS	250.00	20.83
9180	WATER	1,100.00	91.67
9185	WOMEN'S MINISTRIES	-	-
		195,371.00	16,280.92
		Weekly figure based on 51 weeks:	3,830.80

Prelude

Call to Worship

“Amazing Grace”

“In the Heart of Jesus”

Hymn #108

Hymn #577

Song Leaders: Laura Daw & Britiani Maisu

Pianist: Betty Hill

Prayer of Invitation

Pastor Andy Moseley

Music for Meditation “Jesu, Joy of Man’s Desiring - J.S. Bach”

Grace, Mary and Joshua Dowd and Katelyn Snyder

Tithes and Offerings

“Piedmont Park Church Budget”

Carol Rees

Gift from the Heart

“El Shaddai”

Britiani Maisu

Welcome & Announcements

Pastor Andy Moseley

Children’s Story

(Lambs Offering – Peru)

Ryan Watson

Song of Praise

“Jesus Loves Me”

Words on Screen

Song Leaders: Ryan Watson & Mitch Hornung

Pianist: Ryan Watson

Guitarist: Mitch Hornung

Prayer Chorus

“There Is a Redeemer”

Words on Screen

Song Leaders: Ryan Watson & Mitch Hornung

Pianist: Renee Schaecher

Musical Interlude after Prayer: Renee Schaecher

Church in Family Prayer

Professor Tom Toews

Scripture Reading

“Ruth 3:1-14 (NIV)”

Del Green

Hearing God’s Word

“The Secret Night Encounter”

Pastor Andy Moseley

Celebration in Song

“Redeemed How I Love to Proclaim It”

Hymn #337

Song Leaders: Laura Daw and Britiani Maisu

Organist: Tammy Adams

Prayer of Blessing

Pastor Andy Moseley

Postlude

## Church Calendar

### Friday, August 14, 8:25pm – Sundown – We welcome the Sabbath day Sabbath, August 15, 8:25pm – Sundown – We look forward to a blessed week

9:30am-Adult, Youth and Children's Sabbath Schools  
10:50am-Hearing God's Word: Pastor Andy Moseley  
12:30pm-There is no Fellowship Meal at Piedmont Park Today  
4:00pm-Piedmont Park Pedalers & Walkers

### Wednesday, August 19

7:00pm - Blackwood Legacy in Concert p. 5  
7:00pm-Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting

### Friday, August 21 8:15pm – Sundown – We welcome the Sabbath day Sabbath, August 22, 8:15pm – Sundown – We look forward to a blessed week

9:30am-Adult, Youth and Children's Sabbath Schools  
10:50am-Grand Opening - Hearing God's Word: Pastor Michael Halfhill  
Ribbon Cutting in the New Lobby after the Worship Service  
12:30pm-Please join us for a Fellowship Meal after Services in the Fellowship Hall  
4:00pm-Piedmont Park Pedalers & Walkers  
7:00pm-Forgiven Quartet Concert p. 5

### Sunday, August 23

Women's Ministries- Serve a supper meal and visit "Fresh Start" p. 5

### *Offering Calendar and Church Budget Report*

8-15 Piedmont Park Church Budget Support  
08-22 Kansas-Nebraska Advance

Our Church Budget requires \$3,545.10 each week to fund our church's expenses and ministries.

Updated church budget figures will be available next week.

Tithe & offerings may be donated online by going to [www.piedmontparksda.org](http://www.piedmontparksda.org), then click Online Giving. Treasurer-Evelyn Cornforth 402-304-4219 or [evcornf@gmail.com](mailto:evcornf@gmail.com)

**God in Shoes is a Mission Trip to people right here our city** that need our attention and care! Families are under attack today by the enemy of our loving God in Heaven. God made marriage in heaven even before He created the Sabbath Day for them to enjoy as they admired His creation and spent time with each other and especially with their Creator God. God in Shoes wants to strengthen Families! This week long event for Families, Kids and Women starts on Sunday, September 13, with a Family Fun Day in the Park. Good old fashioned games like sack races, bobbing for apples, piñatas, face painting will be offered. Yes, kids and adults alike enjoy these games and the laughter they bring! There will also be plenty of good, free food! Monday-Thursday, September 14-17, the Women are invited to "Soup and Seminars." Four evenings of good meals, devotions and informational seminars on topics to help a family thrive. There is time to talk and pray and to support one another in their journey. The week culminates Women's Only Spa Day on September 20! This is a time of refreshing and relaxation for otherwise often tired and weary souls. The ladies receive a finger food buffet, free gift bags, and Free New Shoes! Today the Deacons will pass out a flyer showing how you can help during church! [piedmontparkSDA@gmail.com](mailto:piedmontparkSDA@gmail.com)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

The deacon for the day is Steve Duden. The elder for the day is Tom Toews.

Piedmont Pedalers will meet at the Mopac Trailhead at 4:00pm for a great ride or walk. Please join us for Sabbath afternoon delight in God's creation while living our health message. Questions please call Kent 402-421-7705 or Dwain 402-310-7493

There's a 50+ Brunch in the lower level annex at the College View Church this Sunday at 10:30am. Bring salads, breads, or desserts and be prepared to share about your "School Days." Join them on the third Sundays. Call Teresa at 402-325-9232 for more details.

Our next Fellowship Meal will be an ALL Church Potluck, "Bring and Share" Meal on August 22 to celebrate our Grand Opening for the Building Expansion. Please plan to bring food to share. If you are not coming but would still like to support this ministry, please place a monetary donation in a tithe envelope marked "Hospitality". We will take up a thank offering at the fellowship meal. All who can stay by to put tables and chairs away and help clean up the kitchen and fellowship hall are more than appreciated. Contact: Renee Schaecher-Hospitality Ministry Chair - [piedmontparksda@gmail.com](mailto:piedmontparksda@gmail.com), 402-580-1608 (text)

Please mark your calendars for a night of Christian Southern Gospel Music, provided by the Blackwood Legacy Men's Quartet! This free concert will be on Wednesday evening, August 19 at 7:00pm. Free-will offering. Contact: Vanessa Schaecher, [ppvespers@gmail.com](mailto:ppvespers@gmail.com)

Piedmont Park Church is excited to invite you to join us as we celebrate the completion of the new expansion to our facility. On August 22 our Worship Service at 10:50am will include special guests, special music and a recap of the construction process. After the Worship Service we will move into our new Lobby for a ribbon cutting ceremony. And then all in attendance are invited to join us for a "Bring and Share" Potluck Meal in the Fellowship Hall. Questions, please contact Renee at [piedmontparksda@gmail.com](mailto:piedmontparksda@gmail.com) or 402-489-1344 or 402-580-1608.

Forgiven Quartet in Concert will be in Concert on Saturday, August 22, 7:00pm. Presenting only the best in traditional Southern Gospel music, FORGIVEN Quartet has been singing the Good News across America since July 1981. Based out of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, Forgiven routinely performs at Silver Dollar City and at The Mansion Theater in Branson, MO and records as a Song Garden Music Group artist. Doors will open at 6:00 pm for this free concert. A love offering will be taken. For more information contact Lou Ann Fredregill, Midwest Gospel Music at 402-792-2450

Opportunity for women to prepare and serve supper to women living at Fresh Start Home in Havelock on Sunday evening, August 23. If you would like to be involved in this community outreach project sponsored by Women's Ministries, contact Carol Leonhardt, [caleonha@gmail.com](mailto:caleonha@gmail.com) or 402-310-7493

God in Shoes needs 16 3x3 foot size crocheted or knitted baby blankets by the end of August. If you have some or can help, please contact Cris Wright 402-419-3576

Piedmont Park Youth Group: Trip to Kansas City-August 29-30: We will be at Kansas City New Haven church on Sabbath August 29, & at Kansas Worlds of Fun/Oceans of Fun on Sunday August 30. We will leave early (around 7am) on August 29 and be back late on August 30 (around 10pm). Cost will depend on how many wish to come as there are discounts for groups. We will need to know final numbers by Sabbath August 22. Pastor Andy 402-450-4390.

Piedmont Park's Online Directory is a great resource for all church members and regular attenders. You must be IN the Directory to access the directory. Instructions at [www.piedmontparksda.org](http://www.piedmontparksda.org), click on Directory. To be included in the Directory contact Vanessa Schaecher, Communications Chair, [piedmontparkMEDIA@gmail.com](mailto:piedmontparkMEDIA@gmail.com) or 402-486-0629