

# WHIPPLE CREEK SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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Nurture FAMILY



Serve OTHERS

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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 joined us. “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 in membership, fellowship and the ministry of this church. If you are passing through, we hope you will return anytime you are in the Vancouver area.

# WHIPPLE CREEK

Seventh-day Adventist Church

September 14, 2019



“Ascribe to the Lord, all you families of nations, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.” -1 Chronicles 16:28



## TO HELP YOU PLAN

Today	7:23 p.m.	Sabbath Ends
2nd & 4th Sunday	7:30 a.m.	Band of Brothers
2nd Sunday	5 p.m.	Vegan Supper Club
2nd & 4th Monday	4:30 p.m.	Adventurers
2nd & 4th Wednesday	11 a.m.	Ladies Bible study
Thursdays	9:30-10:30 a.m.	Unity in Prayer
Wednesdays	6:30 p.m.	Prayer Meeting
Thursday	10:30 a.m.	Prayer Shawl ministry
Friday	7:12 p.m.	Sabbath begins
Sept 21		Communion
Sept 22	8:30 a.m.	Church Work Bee

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

**Children's quiet activity bags** are available in a basket outside the double doors of the sanctuary. Feel free to borrow 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 an audio assisting device.

**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 invite friends and family to do so. Just another way to stay informed and to share our church with others in the community.

## CHURCH AT WORSHIP SECOND SERVICE

11:20 A.M.

Time for Singing		Arna Merrell
Announcements & Call to Worship		Don Lunt
Ministry Moments		Joe Carbajal & David Rodriguez
Lamb's Offering/Regular Offering		Local Combined Budget
Children's Story		Bob Sundin
Praise Time		Pastor Nelson
Introit (words below)		Please kneel if possible
Prayer		Don Lunt
Music Ministry		Lonnie Camarillo
Scripture Reading	1 Chronicles 16:23-29	Don Lunt
Spoken Word		Ted Alekel & Mindy Thygeson
		"Declare His Glory"
Benediction		Mindy Thygeson

### Introit

Hear our prayer, O Lord,  
Hear our prayer, O Lord;  
Incline Thine ear to us,  
And grant us Thy peace.

### Serving you today:

Presiding Elder	Don Lunt
Lead Deacon	Joe Carbajal / Paul Makoko
Piano	Annette Ward / Lonnie Camarillo
Organ	Janis Boyd

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Transfers - second reading**

Alan Ramsey from the Washington Conference SDA Church

### **First reading**

Nominating Committee Report

**Please welcome** Ted Alekel and Mindy Thygeson from Impact Hope. Impact Hope has been “declaring the glory of God among the nations” by helping refugees in Rwanda gain a safe Christian education. To learn more about Impact Hope, please stop by their booth in the foyer.

**Elford Radke Memorial Service** will be Sept 21 at 2:30pm in the Yacold Seventh-day Adventist Church.

**Info Planning Meeting:** September 28, at 2 o'clock, (right after Fellowship meal), will be a short meeting about the Prayer Convocation with Melody Mason. Please come to share ideas to make this event a community outreach and a witness for our church.

**LAST NOTICE:** Please check the kitchen counter and take home any dishes that belong to you. After today, items unclaimed will be donated or discarded.

**Church Work Bee Day** on the 22nd of September. The whole church family is invited to share in this event. Breakfast will be served from 8:30 am to 10:00 am with sandwiches and snacks for lunch around 1:00 pm. Current list of items to be worked on include parking lot, windows, and clearing shrubs and tree branches.

**Prayer Meeting** is held Wednesday evenings at 6:30 p.m., focusing on the life of Joseph. Join us for a special blessing as we meet together.

**Annual Chili Cook Off** coming Sept 29, 5-8 p.m. here at the church. **To enter a dish into the cook off, add your name to the sign up sheet on the bulletin board.**

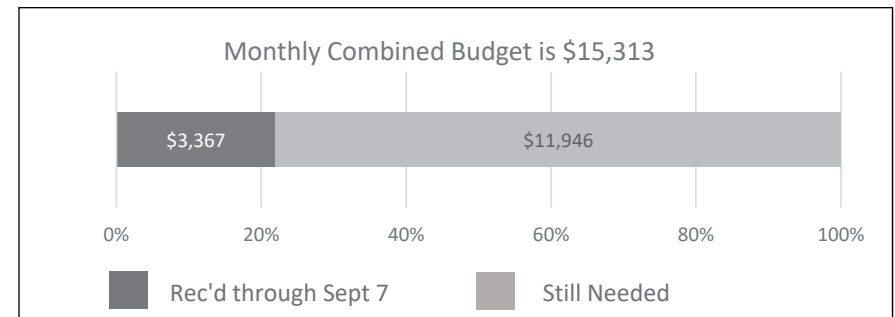
**Volunteers needed:** The social committee is looking for people to help with the chili cook off at 3 pm. We need help with facilitating games, decorating tables and in the kitchen. If you are interested in any of these areas please call or text Natalie 360-609-6006.

## 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:**

Sept 7 Local Combined Budget

Sept 14 Local Combined Budget

Sept 24 Local Combined Budget

Sept 28 Oregon Conference Youth Support \*

\* 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.

**Sept 14: Fellowship lunch—Picnic Food \***

**Sept 28: Fellowship lunch—Haystacks \***

\* Please bring food ready to serve/heat in your own dishes—enough for your family members and extra for our guests.