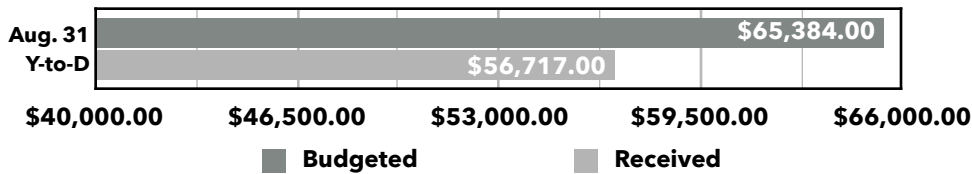
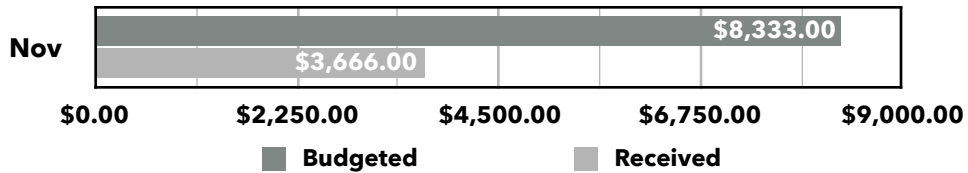


## Growing Through Giving (Local Church)

### Local Church Budget Contributions Budgets/Received



Today	Serving You	Next Week
Chad Spanos	<b>Elder</b>	Mark Blackburn
Josh Pratt	<b>Deacons</b>	Ben White
Lang & Jodi Bretzman	<b>Greeters</b>	Roger Krog & Mary Mayer
Brady Bretzman		Bernice Flemmer
Dakota Challenge	<b>Offerings Contributions</b>	Local Church Budget
4:55 pm	<b>Sabbath Rest</b>	4:52 pm

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## Are We Truly Thankful?

Luke 17:11-19



**Helping people in their life's journey  
to grow closer to God**

**November 24, 2018**

## Reaching Up Through Worship

### **Asking for His Presence**

*Pastor Dragos*

### **Church Family Matters**

*Chad Spanos*

### **Praising His Name**

*Praise Team*

### **Giving Thanks**

*Chad Spanos*

*Tithes & Offerings (Dakota Challenge)*

### **Seeking His Presence**

*Chad Spanos*

### **Celebrating His Children**

*Pastor Dragos*

### **Opening His Word**

*Chad Spanos/Luke 17:11-19*

### **Rejoicing in Song**

*Caleb Pendergast*

### **Hearing His Word**

*Pastor Dragos/"Intentional Thanksgiving"*

### **Asking For His Blessing**

*Pastor Dragos*

## Reaching Out Through Service

### **THANK YOU EVERYONE**

"I wish to express my sincere thanks to all the volunteers to who came and helped get the church cleaned up last week before the Regional Worship Service, the volunteers who provided ingredients for the lunch, the volunteers who help prepare the lunch, serve the lunch, and clean up after the lunch. I've received numerous compliments about how warm and welcoming and well-executed the Regional Worship Service was, and how amazingly beautiful our church looks. I am extremely proud of our church volunteers and our church facilities. I can't wait to experience God's continued blessings upon our church." - From Pastor Dragos

### **WELCOME TO THE FAMILY**

We are very glad to welcome into our church family Matthew Miller who is joining us from the Pierre Adventist Church in Pierre, SD. We praise God for bringing Matthew to our church, and look forward to being blessed by his presence and ministry.

### **JAMIE JORGE IN CONCERT**

It's not too late to mark your calendars for the upcoming Christmas Concert presented by world renown violinist, Jamie Jorge, this Wednesday, Nov. 28 @ 7:00 pm. Feel free to grab a few extra postcard invitation and pass them along to your friends, family and neighbors, as together we will rediscover the real meaning of Christmas during this unique Christmas Worship Experience!

### **THE BIG STORY FROM GENESIS TO REVELATION**

Join us every Sabbath at 9:30 am in the Sanctuary, as we continue discovering how each book of the Bible fits in the Big Story of God. Our focus next Saturday, Dec. 1 will be the Book of Micah.

### **LIFE OF JESUS SABBATH SCHOOL GROUP**

The group studying the classic, Desire of Ages, is continuing its in-depth study, next Sabbath, Dec. 1 in the Board Room starting at 9:30 am. The topic discussed will be Ch. 10 (The Voice in the Wilderness) based on Luke 1:5-23, 57-80; Luke 3:1-18; Matthew 3:1-12; Mark 1:1-8.

### **FELLOWSHIP LUNCH**

Plan on joining us for food and fellowship, next Sabbath, Dec. 1 following the Worship Service. It will be a regular General Fellowship Lunch to which everyone is invited to bring one, two, or more of their favorite dishes. Thank you to all the volunteers who are dedicating their time to the Ministry of Hospitality and Fellowship.

### **CHILDREN'S CHURCH**

All children, 7-12 year old, are welcome to attend our monthly Children's Church next Sabbath, Dec. 1 from 10:45-12:00 pm, downstairs in the Primary Classroom. Not sure where to go? Please ask one of our friendly greeters and they will help you find your way around the building.

# Reaching Out Through Service

## **KIDS CLUBS**

The amazing activities and adventures will continue next Sabbath afternoon, Dec. 1 from 2-4 pm (Little Lambs & Eager Beavers) and 2-5 pm (Adventurers & Pathfinders).

For more information about the upcoming activities, or if you would like your child to join a club, please contact the leaders of each club:

Leesa Rang @ 605-201-8064 (Little Lambs & Eager Beavers) / Shauna Struckman @ 712-348-0196 (Adventurers) / A J Pendley @ 307-247-6255 (Pathfinders)

## **DREAMERS SMALL GROUP**

The journey continues, next Sunday, Dec. 2 @ 6:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall as we strive to grow and progress in our personal development and life stewardship, by following through the dreams, goals, and actions. If you haven't attended one of our small groups yet, feel free to come and check out what it's all about.

**COOKIE DECORATING** - The Youth Sabbath School Class invites

Ladies of all ages to come enjoy a cookie decorating social on Sabbath December 8 @ 1 pm in the Fellowship Hall. No supplies or special skills necessary, just a desire to have some fun and fellowship.

## **ELDERS MEETING**

The Elders Leadership team will meet on Sunday, Dec. 9 @ 8:30 am in the Board Room for some very important moments for prayer, praise and planning.

## **CHURCH BUSINESS MEETING**

All church members are invited to attend a Church Business Meeting planned for Sunday, Dec 9 @ 9:30 am in the Sanctuary. We will be reviewing the recent Church Building Renovations, and lay out a more effective plan and process for launching members into meaningful ministry, and provide a consistent system of support and encouragement.

## **CHRISTMAS PROGRAM**

Mark your calendars and save the date for this year's Christmas Program on Saturday, Dec. 15 as we celebrate and reflect upon our Savior's birth through music, song and the spoken word.

## **CHRISTMAS BRUNCH**

You do not want to miss the delicious Christmas Brunch planned for Saturday, Dec. 15 @ 9:30 am. Come out and enjoy great fellowship and food as we remember and celebrate the birth of our Savior. There will be no Adult Sabbath School classes planned during the Christmas Program Sabbath.

## **SHARING GOD'S BLESSINGS**

During the month of December, the Food Ministry will be collecting Macaroni & Cheese. Please bring your contributions and place them in the shopping cart in the Church Foyer.