

The word of  
the LORD  
came to me...

Whipple Creek  
Seventh-day Adventist Church  
August 24, 2019

# W E L C O M E

*We're glad you're here and wish you a special blessing  
as you worship with us.*

## CHURCH AT WORSHIP FIRST SERVICE

9:00 A.M.

Time for Singing	Paul Makoko
Announcements	David Rodriguez
Praise Time	David Rodriguez
Introit (words on opposite page)	Please kneel if possible
Prayer	David Rodriguez
Music Ministry	Chantelle Passmore, Tina Teal
Scripture Reading	Judges 2:2-3
Spoken Word	Lincoln Steed
	“The Time of the Judges”
Benediction	Lincoln Steed
Dismiss to Classes	
Offering collected at the door	OR Conf Youth Support

## CHURCH AT STUDY SABBATH SCHOOL 10:20-11:10 A.M.

Children's Classes can be found down the hall leading away from the Fellowship Room.

### **Adult Study Classes**

Sanctuary Class (Quarterly)	David Rodriguez
Fellowship Room Class (Quarterly)	Rod Pierson
Adult Class #1 (Quarterly)	David Thornsbury
Chapel Class (Growing in Jesus)	Larry Davis
Library Class (2 Peter Study)	Don Lunt

Time for Singing	Paul Makoko
Announcements & Call to Worship	David Rodriguez
Lamb's Offering/Regular Offering	OR Conf Youth Support
Children's Story	Chris LaMunyon
Praise Time	David Rodriguez
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**Introit**

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

**Serving You Today**

Presiding Elder	David Rodriguez
Lead Deacon	Craig Gorton
	Larry Passmore
Piano	Vickie Rodriguez
Organ	Don Lunt

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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### **Transfer - second reading**

Andrey Ogden to Journey SDA, Kelso WA

**We welcome Lincoln Steed**, to our pulpit today. He is editor of Liberty Magazine and Vice President for Public Affairs and Religious Liberty for the North American Division of Seventh-day Adventists.

**Today is our time to minister** to residents at Avamere in Cascade Park. We leave the church about 2 p.m. and invite you to join us as we sing and share spiritual thoughts with these folks.

**Ladies, it's a Baby Shower** for Pia Wells, tomorrow (Aug 25) at 2 p.m. here at the church. They are expecting a boy and registered at [www.babylist.com](http://www.babylist.com). To help us plan, please use the sign-up sheet located at the Reception Desk.

**Registration** for Adventurers and Pathfinders is Wednesday, August 28, from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

**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 pray and study together.

**Annual Chili Cook Off** coming September 29, 5-8 p.m. here at the church. The evening will include worship, church family activities, homemade vegetarian/ vegan chili, soup and bread. Plan now to attend.

**October 25, 26** and our Prayer Convocation with Melody Mason will arrive quickly. If you would like to be a part of this weekend and to make this a special outreach for our church, please talk with Marvin or Janis Boyd at church or call 360-690-5177 (Janis) or 503-318-0072 (Marvin).

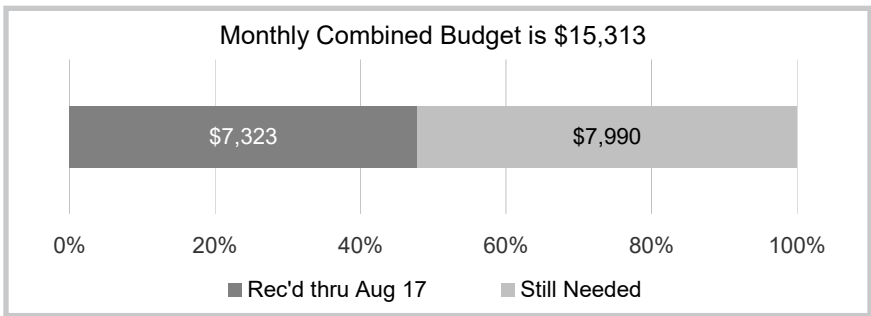
Fourth Sabbath Singing Ministry is 2:30 p.m. at Avamere  
in Cascade Park (just a few blocks south of Mill Plain).  
The address is: 801 SE Park Crest Avenue, Vancouver WA 98683

## 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:**

Aug 24 Oregon Conference Youth Support \*

Aug 31 Local Combined Budget

Sept 7 Local Combined Budget

\* 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.

2nd week Fellowship lunch—Sandwiches, Salad, & Fruit for dessert \*

4th week Fellowship lunch—Haystacks \*

\* Please bring food ready to serve in your own dishes—enough for your family members plus 10 more.

## TO HELP YOU PLAN

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Today	8:03 p.m.	Sabbath ends
Sunday	2 p.m.	Pia Wells baby shower
1st Sabbath		Unity in Prayer
2nd Sabbath		Visitation
Every other Sunday	7 a.m.	Band of Brothers
2nd & 4th Wednesday	11 a.m.	Ladies Bible study
Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	Prayer Meeting
Thursday	9:30-10:30 a.m.	Unity in Prayer
Thursday	10:30 a.m.	Prayer Shawl ministry
Friday	7:50 p.m.	Sabbath begins
Sept 8	5 p.m.	Vegan Supper Club

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

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**Children's quiet activity bags** are available in a basket outside the double doors of the sanctuary. Feel free to borrow a bag per child 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 one of our audio assisting devices.

**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 extend the same invitation to friends. Just another way to stay informed and to share our church with the community.



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*Love GOD*



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