

## Church at Study (Sabbath School)

**9:30 AM**

### **Young People:**

There are special classes held for our young people. These classes are under the direction of specially trained instructors for the following age group. For directions to these classes please see one of the Greeters.

Beginners (Ages 0-2)	Shelly Larry
Kindergarten (Pre-School ages)	Saundra Brewer
Primary (Grade School ages)	Wendy Rollocks
Youth (High School ages)	Drechelle Larry

### **Adult Service:**

Praise Service	Congregation
Opening Prayer	Larry Popplewell
Spotlight on Missions	Larry Popplewell
Study Classes	
Christian Development	
Chapel	Pastor Harrison
General Lesson Study	
Main Sanctuary	Elder John Olive
Mothers Room	Bro. Carl Waters

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### **The Mission of the Sabbath School:**

The Primary Mission of Sabbath School is to be a system of local church religious education that builds faith. This is accomplished by the Study of God's Word, Fellowship, Community Outreach, and Emphasis on World Mission.

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## **Sharon Church Mission Statement**

To Welcome with Love and Minister to  
our Families, our Church, and our Community.

## Church at Worship (Divine Worship)

**11:00 AM**

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|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Prelude                     |                                             | Musicians                  |
| Introit                     | <i>"I Worship You"</i>                      | Platform Participants      |
| Call to Worship             |                                             | Congregation Stand         |
| Invocation                  |                                             | Elder John Olive           |
| Sharing with the Children   |                                             | Committee Member           |
| Praise & Worship            |                                             | Congregation / Praise Team |
| Prayer of Intercession      |                                             | Pastor Royal Harrison      |
|                             | Prayer song: <i>"Our Father"</i>            |                            |
|                             | After Prayer song: <i>"The Jesus in Me"</i> |                            |
| Returning Tithes & Offering |                                             | Elder Carl Waters          |
| Musical Selection           |                                             | Inspirational Choir        |
| Message                     |                                             | Pastor Royal Harrison      |
|                             | <b>"Imitating The Mind Of Christ"</b>       |                            |
|                             | Scripture Text: Philippians 2:1-11          |                            |
| Benediction                 |                                             | Elder John Olive           |
| Postlude                    |                                             | Musicians                  |

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## Week At A Glance

### **Sabbath, September 5th**

- Church At Study: 9:30 AM
- Children's Choir Practice: Following Sabbath School
- Church At Worship: 11:00 AM
- Youth Choir Rehearsal: After Church Service
- AY Program: 6:00 PM
- Sunset: 7:42 PM

### **Monday, September 7th**

- Labor Day Holiday

### **Tuesday, September 8th**

- Finance Committee Meeting: 4:30 PM

### **Wednesday, September 9th**

- Prayer Meeting: 7:00 PM

### **Friday, September 11th**

- YAMS Sunset Talks: 7:30 PM
- Sunset: 7:31PM

### **Sabbath, September 12th**

- Church At Study: 9:30 AM
- Children's Choir Practice: Following Sabbath School
- Church At Worship: 11:00 AM
- Youth Choir Rehearsal: After Church Service
- Sharon Church Family Meeting (hosted by Personal Ministries): 4:00 PM
- "Reflecting Inner Beauty" Program for young ladies ages 12-19: 6:00 PM (lower level)
- "The ToolBox" Program for young men ages 12-19: 6:00 PM (lower level)
- Sunset: 7:29 PM

## Stewardship and Finance Report

**Thought:** I am convinced that the devil has caused the subject of giving to stir up resistance and resentment among God's people because he knows there are few ways of spiritual enrichment like the exercise of faithful stewardship." — *Stephen Olford, preacher and author*

Today's Loose Offering: Local Church Budget

The Budget has been met for the month of August.

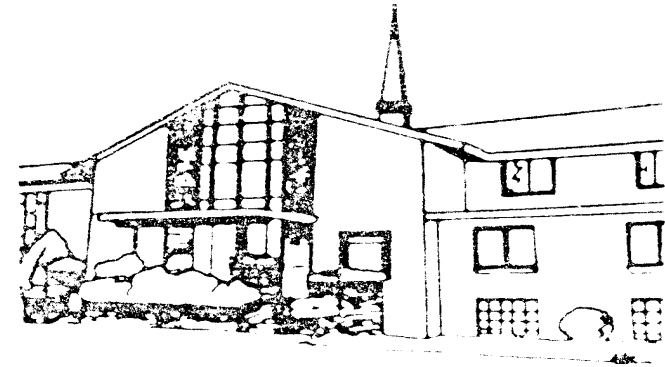
## Our People

Pastor.....Royal Harrison.....503-760-4205  
Head Elder.....Troy Price.....1-360-885-2320  
Head Deacon.....Elwood Reid, Jr.....503-674-5040  
Head Deaconess.....Chantay Reid.....503-674-5040  
Head Clerk.....Kimberley Hale-Beatty.....503-804-5209

Note: *Bulletin information subject to change without prior notice*

# *WELCOME TO* **Sharon** **Seventh-day Adventist Church**

*"Where the arms of Christ are Always open!"*



*If you are in search of a church home, we invite you to make our church your place of worship and become a part of our church family.*

*"I rejoice with those who said to me, let us go to the house of the Lord" (Psalms 122:1, NIV).*

## **September 5, 2009**

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Church Office.....503-287-7649  
Church Fax.....503-287-8688  
Church Email.....sharonsda@qwest.net  
Church Website.....www.sharonsda.net

## Remember In Prayer

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|-------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Nathaniel & Sallie Carter <sup>1</sup>                | Beauty Brown <sup>1</sup>       |
| Marie Crane <sup>3</sup>                              | Floydean Satterlee <sup>1</sup> |
| Arthur Payne <sup>3</sup>                             | Clarence Streeter <sup>1</sup>  |
| Margaret Curtis & family <sup>1,4</sup>               | Dovie & Gus Taylor <sup>1</sup> |
| Ruby Franklin <sup>1</sup> (Debra Lyday's Aunt)       | James Gantt <sup>3</sup>        |
| Demoris Pennington <sup>1</sup> (Sandra Graham's son) | Norma Gabner <sup>1</sup>       |
| Mildred Baker <sup>3</sup>                            | Donald Ingram <sup>2</sup>      |
| Bronson Brown III                                     | Corine Proctor <sup>1</sup>     |

*Health Concern 1 Hospital 2 Care Facility 3 Spiritual 4*

Church Family: Let us not forget to express our concerns with tokens of love: such as a call, card, visit, plant/flowers, etc.

*If you are aware of anyone who should be added to the list or is in need of visitation by the Elders, please contact the office.*

*If any senior or disabled person (church or community member) needs transportation to visit the sick on the 5<sup>th</sup> Mon, 5<sup>th</sup> Wed or 5<sup>th</sup> Fri, please call 503-226-0700 for a ride.*

## Message Notes

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Scripture(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Message Main Points: \_\_\_\_\_

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What did God say to me during the Message?

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## Praise and Worship – Page One

Theme: Our Faithful Father

### **Introit:**

*Verse:*

**I worship You mighty God** I worship You, with all of my heart. I'll hold back no part, surrendering all that I've got, to worship You.

*Chorus:*

In the morning I'll rise, to worship You, when the noon day passes by, I worship You, in the middle of the night, what ever comes in my life. (Repeat in parts)

### **Selection 1:**

**Create in me a clean heart**, and purify me (echo 3xs)  
Create in me a clean heart so that I may worship Thee. (repeat)

*Vamp:*

Cast me not away from Thy presence.  
Please don't take your spirit from me.  
And restore the joy of salvation so that I may worship Thee.

### **Selection 2:**

**Draw me close to you**, never let me go. I lay it all down again.  
To hear You say that I'm your friend. You are my desire.  
No one else will do. Cause no one else could take your place.  
To feel the warmth of Your embrace. Help me find the way,  
bring me back to You.

*Chorus:*

You're all I want. You're all I've ever needed. You're all I want  
Help me know You are near.

### **Selection 3:**

**Holiness, holiness is what I long for.** Holiness is what I need.  
Holiness, holiness is what You want from me.

*Chorus:*

So take my heart and form it. Take my mind, transform it.  
Take my will, conform it. To Yours, to Yours, oh Lord.

Faithfulness, faithfulness is what I long for. Faithfulness is what I need.  
Faithfulness, faithfulness is what You want from me. (to chorus)

Brokenness, brokenness is what I long for. Brokenness is what I need.  
Brokenness, brokenness is what You want from me. (end with chorus)

(over)

# Praise and Worship – Page Two

## **Prayer Song:**

*Chorus:*

**Our father** we love to call You  
By Your grace You have adopted Now we're Your children  
You now receive us Joint heirs with Jesus  
Our father, our father

[Channel]

Your awesome love You've shown to us Goes beyond our wildest dreams  
You saturate our lives with grace and mercy  
And because You love You chasten us, If we should go astray  
Like a father, Our father  
Our father, our father (repeat til fade)

## **After Prayer Song:**

**The Jesus in me**, loves the Jesus in you  
The Jesus in me, loves the Jesus in you  
So easy, so easy, so easy, so easy to love.

When the praises go up, you know the blessings come down  
When the praises go up, you know the blessings come down  
So easy, so easy, so easy, so easy to love.

## **Selection 4**

**Faithful, faithful**, faithful is our God (repeat 4x)

I'm reaping the harvest God promised me  
Take back what the devil stole from me  
And I rejoice today, for I shall recover it all  
Yes, I rejoice today, for I shall recover it all

Holy, holy, holy is our God (repeat 4x)  
I'm reaping the harvest God promised me  
Take back what the devil stole from me  
And I rejoice today, for I shall recover it all  
Yes, I rejoice today, for I shall recover it all

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus is our God (repeat 4x)  
I'm reaping the harvest God promised me  
Take back what the devil stole from me(12x)  
And I rejoice today(8x)For I shall recover it all

## ❖ **WOMEN'S MINISTRIES**

### **Oregon Christian Women's Retreat** **October 16-18, 2009**

The Oregon Christian Women's Retreat is in Florence, OR the home of beautiful sand dunes. This retreat is a wonderful spiritual experience that typically has 500 or more women in attendance. The rate for this retreat is \$95 if you register by **September 15**. Lodging is an additional cost. I reserved two three bedroom suites/condos at the Driftwood Shores [www.driftwoodshores.com](http://www.driftwoodshores.com). The nightly rate of the room is \$169 per night, plus tax. This rate will be divided by the number of people sharing the room. The three bedroom condo can sleep up to six people. They have a variety of room types so you are not required to share a room.

For more information on this retreat, go to [www.oregonconference.org](http://www.oregonconference.org), click on departments, click on women's ministries. Please note, the \$95 early bird registration must be paid by **September 15**. The registration costs increase after **September 15**. You may register at [www.plusline.org](http://www.plusline.org) or call 1-800-732-7587.

I will hold a brief meeting after church on **October 10th** to finalize plans for lodging and transportation. This retreat is a wonderful spiritual experience and I hope you are able to attend.

Please see Chantay Reid, Joyce Southall, Regina Pierre, or Kimberley Hale-Beatty if you have any questions.

*We look forward to you joining us for the retreat!*

## Announcements - Page Four

- ❖ **YBSC** (Your Bible Speaks Community) Adventist Church Choir will be in concert on Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM. All are invited to attend. A freewill offering will be taken.
- ❖ **CHIP** Returns to Mt. Tabor Adventist Church! **CHIP** is the **C**oronary **H**ealth **I**mprovement **P**roject. Take charge of your life now and revolutionize the way you feel from day to day. **CHIP** can add years to your life through some simple lifestyle adjustments. **Attend one of our 3 Free Introductory Sessions (all sessions begin at 7:00pm):**  
Wednesday, Sept. 16<sup>th</sup> • Thursday, Sept. 17<sup>th</sup>  
Wednesday, Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup> • Thursday, Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>  
Mt. Tabor Adventist Church - Community Life Center, 1001 SE 60th Ave., Portland, OR. For More Information: call **(971) 275-3163** or email [mttaborchip@yahoo.com](mailto:mttaborchip@yahoo.com).
- ❖ Pastor Tim Roosenberg, from Eagle Idaho and Religious Liberty associate will speak at the Stone Tower Adventist Church, 3010 NE Holladay, Portland on **September 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>**. Sept. 18 at 7:00 “Prophetic Trends You Should Know.” Sept. 19 at 9:30 am “Forgiven and Renewed”; 10:45 am Readiness for Crisis; 12:30 Pot Luck Luncheon; 2:30 pm Islam vs. the Papacy as viewed from Daniel 11. There will be a good-will offering taken.
- ❖ **NPUC** (North Pacific Union Conference) **Bible Conference** on October 22 - 25, 2009 at Camp Berachah, Auburn, WA. This Bible Conference is for all Academy/High School ages included home school students.. For more details see flyer on the bulletin board or contact Kenneth/Tina Cooper.
- ❖ **KINGDOM MEN Men’s Conference** is coming November 6-7 at the Holden Convention Center in Gladstone. Register through plusline [www.plusline.org](http://www.plusline.org) or call Cheri Corder in Men’s Ministries at 503-850-3558. Don’t miss the early deadline of October 6<sup>th</sup>.

## Announcements - Page One

- ❖ **Adventurer Volunteers Needed:** Parents, adults, young adults, youth your talent and help would be appreciated every other Sunday or when you are able starting in September. If interested contact Dominique Harrison.
- ❖ **AYS** (Adventist Youth Society):
  - The **next AY Program** is scheduled for Sabbath September 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM. Please plan to attend.
  - Sabbath October 31<sup>st</sup> - **Youth Day** to include a dinner, a play, and Bible Bowl. *Mark your calendar!*
- ❖ **Bulletin Information:** Both written and/or verbal announcements need to be submitted by Wednesday evening at 5:00 PM. Please submit your information via the church’s e-mail or voicemail. Announcements may be modified due to limited space.
- ❖ **Church Courtesies:**
  - Please turn off or silence alarms, pagers, phones, etc.
  - Please be sensitive to others by not talking during services.
  - No food or drinks are to be consumed in the sanctuary.
  - No writing on Tithes & Offering envelopes.
  - Please insure that the Children’s Quiet Bags are left behind after use.
  - Please be sure to check around you and take all your belongings and any debris.
- ❖ **Communications:**
  - **Website Highlight Tip** - Check out **THE NEW** [www.sharonsda.net](http://www.sharonsda.net) with the return of the media library with services from July and August, 2009. Please log onto the website to get updated church information via email and to log into secure parts of the site. Thanks for your patience.
  - The Sharon church is now on **Facebook**, become our friend to view pictures and keep up with what goes on at our church.
- ❖ **Education Department:** Our church school Tuition assistance applications are now available from the church office. Application deadline is September 15<sup>th</sup>. Questions, contact Sis. Shelly Larry.

## Announcements - Page Two

- ❖ **Finance Committee Members:** Our next finance committee meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, September 8th @ 4:30pm @ the Church.
- ❖ **Music Department - Inspirational Choir:** No choir this Monday, September 7th because of the holiday. Please listen to your CD's #1, 2, 4, 6 and 9. Also choir rehearsal the following week will move from Monday to Friday, September 18, 2009 at 7:15PM and then resume to Monday's the following week on Monday, September 21, 2009. Upcoming engagements for the Inspirational Choir: Sabbath, September 19, 2009 6PM YBS church, Sunday, November 8, 2009 Festival of Faith (more details to follow). Saturday, November 21, 2009 6PM New Hope Community church with community mass choir for Wintley Phipps concert. Friday, December 4, 2009 "A Candlelight Christmas...Jesus, the light of the world" presented by the Sharon Church Choirs 7PM.
- ❖ **Personal Ministry:** On September 12<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 PM there will be a Sharon Church Family Meeting. Everyone is invited to attend.
- ❖ **Please Save the date of Sabbath, November 21, at 7:00 PM** for "A Celebration of Thanksgiving" featuring Pastor Wintley Phipps in concert. Admission is FREE with canned food donations; however ticket needed to attend event. Tickets will be available shortly in the church office. Sponsored by Adventist Health Medical Center.
- ❖ **Take Notice:**
  - ✚ Tuesday, Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> @7:00 PM: Church Board Meeting
  - ✚ Thursday, Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> -Saturday, Sept.19<sup>th</sup>: UCAA Vervent Music & Workshop Conference – Berean Adventist Church, Atlanta, GA.
  - ✚ Sunday, Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>: Oregon Conference Constituency Session.
  - ✚ Thursday, Sept. 24<sup>th</sup> - Sunday, Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>: Oregon Conference Fall Bible Camp.
  - ✚ Friday, Sept. 25<sup>th</sup> – Sunday, Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>: NAD Women's Ministries Convention "Free Indeed" - Dallas, TX.

## Announcements - Page Three

- ❖ For those who would be willing to supply **Flowers for the Altar** during the upcoming months, please contact Larry Popplewell.
- ❖ **Tape / CD Ministry:** Our entire church services are available on CD, please stop by the Tape Ministry booth or contact the church secretary. Donations are appreciated.
- ❖ **Transportation Ministry:** VOLUNTEER DRIVERS ARE NEEDED IMMEDIATELY. Please pray about this opportunity for serving the Lord and community. If interested contact Harvey Rice at 503-287-3135. NOTICE TO RIDERS - The Bus will not be available for pickup until we have a rotation of volunteer drivers.
- ❖ **"Open House Sale:** The ABC's (Adventist Book Center) Open House Sale is September 6-20. *We will be closed for Labor Day on September 7<sup>th</sup>.* For all the details, download our sale flyer at [www.abcflyer.com](http://www.abcflyer.com)."
- ❖ **PAES** (Portland Adventist Elementary School) is in need of soccer coaches for Grades 6-8 fall soccer season. No experience is needed. Please contact Jon MacLachlan at PAES 503-665-4102.
- ❖ **Adventist Medical Center** has a job opportunity for an Executive/Administrative Assistant. Prefer two (2) years minimum experience in Healthcare. Team-oriented, highly motivated and organized. Excellent multi-tasking and written/verbal communication skills. Attention to detail with customer service emphasis. Proficient with Microsoft Office Suite. College graduate preferred. Typing test (60+ wpm) required. Interested applicants apply online at [www.adventisthealthnw.com](http://www.adventisthealthnw.com)
- ❖ Please take note! Children's Ministries Resource Fair – **Date Changed to November 15, 2009.** Location - Oregon Conference Holden Center, 19800 Oatfield Road Gladstone, OR 97027