Church Calendar March 21 Message – Pastor Kari Sheldon 28 Message - Pastor Kari Sheldon April 4 Message -Pastor Kari Sheldon **Weekly Schedule** Sunday 5:00 pm Feeding the Homeless at "Arches" 615 Commercial St NE Monday 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study in the Library Wednesday 6:30 pm Pathfinders in the Fellowship Hall-SUSPENDED 6:30 pm Adventurers in the Fellowship Hall-SUSPENDED House of Prayer in the Chapel 7:00 pm Growing in Grace in the Fellowship Hall 6:30 pm Thursday Choir Rehearsal every Friday Friday 7:00 pm Young Adult Waffle Night Last Friday 7:00 pm

Today's Sabbath Rest Completed 7:15 pm Next Sabbath's Welcome 7:23 pm

Kari Sheldon	Assistant Pastor	269-266-3076		
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Prayer Chain Requests ~ Call or email:				
Gabriel Constantinescu	gabrielc@q.com	503-623-9828		
Livingstone Adventist Acade	emy <u>info@laaonline.org</u>	503-363-9408		
Salem Adventist Community Service Center		503-363-8893		

Website address: eastsalemchurch.org
For Livestream – Church website under Media tab
For archived videos – See Livestream Link under Media Tab
Check out our Facebook page: East Salem Seventh-day Adventist Church

LIVESTREAMING of Sabbath morning service takes place here in the "sanctuary" portion of our facility, excluding the adjacent "chapel" space. Please note that you, family members, and others with you may appear online in a live or archived program. See our website to access this ministry of our church.



QR Code: If you would like to give online, please scan this QR code with your phone or tablet's camera! You will be taken to East Salem's Adventist Giving page automatically!

Church Office Hours:

10:30 am – 3:00 pm, Monday - Thursday 5575 Fruitland Road NE, Salem, Oregon 97317 503-363-0390 Email: eastsalemsda@msn.com

East Salem Adventist Church



March 14, 2020

Worship Service 10:50 am

Message

Gabriel Constantinescu

My Journey to Emotional Freedom

Dear Church Family,

The situation regarding the COVID-19 epidemic is changing rapidly as you all know. The Oregon Conference has been consulting with the Chief Medical Officer at Adventist Health-Portland and considering statements made by our Governor Kate Brown. With all of this in mind it has been recommended that for the sake of public health, the Oregon Conference expects that all Oregon Conference churches hosting events with expected total attendance of 200 or more close for the duration of the prohibition (until April 8) or move events online.

East Salem church average attendance is over this amount and therefore falls into this category. East church Sabbath school & worship service are suspended and the weekly sermons will move to online ONLY for the next few weeks. We will LiveStream or be using recorded sermons from Pastor Kari and friends from this Sabbath March 14th- April 4th Sabbath. Currently the plan is to include in the worship service: necessary church announcements, and the sermon.

To be clear, there is no active or confirmed cases of COVID-19 at East Salem Church. The decision to cancel church services during this time is not just about keeping our members safe, but as a church we have an obligation to do our part in keeping the community safe.

During the next few weeks we encourage you to give online for your tithes and offerings. We will be working toward having simple links on the front of our website to 'Online Giving', 'Bulletin', & 'LiveStream'.

Please check the church website at <u>eastsalemchurch.org</u> for up to date information or our Facebook page. We will notify everyone via email, website, and Facebook as updates come in. If you have any questions, please email Pastor Kari at <u>ksheldon2012@gmail.com</u>. - - PASTOR KARI

ADULT SABBATH SCHOOL CLASSES

Begin about 9:45 am following the 9:15 am program in the Sanctuary

Sanctuary "Quarterly" Bible Study * Livestreamed Udene Allen Chapel "Quarterly" Bible Study* Udene Allen Library Acts of the Apostles Gene Starr Fellowship Hall – Front Section Room 3, North Hall Young Adults Tylor Watts

Pastor Kari's Office 9:15-9:30 Praise and Prayer Time

* The current "Quarterly" topic is "Daniel"

PRAYER MINISTRY: Livingstone Adventist Academy, Robertson family, Wayne & Billie Amende, Kathleen Walter, Bill Fisher Jr, Cheryl Young and her family, Don & Helen Palmer, Pastor Peggy Casebier, Chrowl family, Savard family, Johnson family, Marie Cook, and Don Trout.

WELCOME: May you experience God's presence today.

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE: His divine power has given us everything we need for a godly life through our knowledge of him who called us by his own glory and goodness. 2 Peter 1:3

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PING PONG/GAME NIGHT HAS BEEN CANCELLED.

Watch the bulletin for new date.



NEW FREEDOM TO LOVE series concluded last Sabbath. If you missed any of the seminar you can find the presentations and resources at: newfreedometolove.com.



SAVE THE DATE! "Shine like the stars in the Universel" Join us for Vacation Bible School this summer. Mark your calendars for June 15-19, 2020! We are looking for volunteers. If you are interested, please contact Melinda Bliss at 503-705-9618.

SPECIAL MUSIC SCHEDULING We are looking for people who would be interested in helping with the Special Music scheduling for Sabbath services. If you would be interested or would like more information, please contact Debbie.

ABC SALE The Adventist Book Center's Case Food Sale is March 1 – 15. Deliveries are available. For all the details, download the sale flyer at www.abcflyer.com.

WOMEN IN LEADERSHIP RETREAT is open to ALL women in leadership and is being held March 27-29 in Newport, Oregon. Come and join Keynote Speakers Gary & Shelly Parks as we learn the Bible-based principles of different communication styles, active listening and strong relationships, and open doors to new and deeper levels of connection.

Register at http://bit.ly/womensleadershipretreat2020.

LIVINGSTONE ADVENTIST ACADEMY Enrollment has started for the 2020-2021 school year. If you enroll during the month of March, your enrollment fee will be waved. Contact the school at 503-363-9408.

LAA ALUMNI SABBATH Livingstone Adventist Academy's Alumni Sabbath will be April 11 with a church service starting at 11 am. Honor classes will be 2005, 2010 and 2015. Lunch will follow the church service in the school cafeteria. Main dish and bread will be provided, please bring salads and desserts. In the evening, there will be girls and boys alumni vs varsity basketball games starting at 8 pm in the school gym. For more information, contact the office at 503-363-9408.

We look forward to seeing you!

ALUMNI INFORMATION We are looking to attain contact information for our alumni. If you have ever attended or worked at Livingstone Adventist Academy or Livingstone Jr. Academy, please send your contact information to dstarr@laaonline.org.

NEXT WEEK'S OFFERING ~ Local Church Budget

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LOCAL CHURCH BUDGET SUPPORT AT A GLANCE				
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FISCAL YEAR 1/1/20 - 12/31/20		3/7/2020	3/7/2020	
Offerings Needed		19,795	59,385	
Offerings Received		4,763	30,713	
Period Over / (Short)	Totals	(15,032)	(28,672)	
Tithe money does not fund the \$19,795 needed each month to operate our local church and its ministries.				

Our Purpose:

To bring people to Jesus and into the safety of God's family; nurturing spiritual growth, equipping for ministry, and glorifying God.