# **CHURCH INFORMATION**



Today's Sabbath Rest Ends 4:27 pm Next Sabbath's Welcome 4:28 pm

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday – Thursday from 10:30am – 4:00pm 5575 Fruitland Road NE, Salem, Oregon 97317 - 503-363-0390

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Livingstone Adventist Academy <u>info@laaonline.org</u> 503-363-9408 Office Hours: Mon – Thru 8:30am – 3:00pm & Fri 8:30am – 2:00pm

Salem Adventist Community Service Center 503-363-8893 Monday & Tuesday 10:00am - Noon

### **IMPORTANT LINKS**

Church Website: <u>eastsalemchurch.org</u>

Online Bulletin: <u>eastsalemchurch.org/bulletin</u>
Online Giving: <u>eastsalemchurch.org/give</u>

Online Services: <u>youtube.com/user/eastsalemchurch</u>
Church Facebook: <u>facebook.com/eastsalemchurch/</u>



**QR Code**: If you would like to give online, scan this QR code with your phone or tablet's camera! This will automatically redirect you to the Adventist Giving page for East Salem.

# **NEXT WEEK'S OFFERING** ~ Local Church Budget

LOCAL CHURCH BUDGET SUPPORT AT A GLANCE			
		MTD	YTD
FISCAL YEAR 1/1/20 - 12/31/20		11/30/2020	11/30/2020
Offerings Needed		19,795	217,745
Offerings Received		13,219	165,307
Period Over / (Short)	Totals	(6,576)	(52,438)
Tithe money does not fund the \$19,795 needed each month to operate our local church and its ministries.			

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# East Salem Adventist Church



December 12, 2020 Worship Service ~ 11:00 am

Welcome/Offering Julie McKinney

Adventist Community Services (NAD)

Praise Songs Young Adult Worship Team

Message The Gift - Part 2 Pastor Chad Reisig

### IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD:

We hope you are encouraged in your spiritual journey today.

## **TODAY'S SCRIPTURE:**

That night there were shepherds staying in the fields nearby, guarding their flocks of sheep. Suddenly, an angel of the Lord appeared among them, and the radiance of the Lord's glory surrounded them. Luke 2:8-9 NLT

# Our Purpose:

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



This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to His will. He hears us. 1 John 5:14 NIV

**PRAYER MINISTRY:** Livingstone Adventist Academy, Robertson family, Cheryl Young, Marie Cook, Mary Christensen, Bill Fisher Jr, Pastor Lee Larson, LuDell and Dave Parrett, Dave Chrowl, and Kathleen Walter.

Prayers have been requested for Lucas Jensen, who left on Sunday to join the Army. Pray for his safety and comfort for his family.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### TRANSFER OF MEMBERSHIP

*First Reading* from East Salem Church: Justin Walker to Jamestown Adventist Church, Jamestown, ND

**First Reading** from East Salem Church: Stephen Bramblett to Kalispell Adventist Church, Kalispell, MT

**IN-PERSON SERVICES WILL BEGIN DECEMBER 26** Watch your email in the coming weeks for details.

"ISAIAH" The Adult Sabbath School Bible Study Guide for the first quarter of January - March 2021 is available now. You can get yours from the literature rack outside the front doors of East. Or contact Debbie to have yours delivered to you, <a href="mailto:secretary@eastsalemchurch.org">secretary@eastsalemchurch.org</a> or 503-363-0390.

**YEAR END DONATIONS** Remember in order to receive a tax deduction for the year 2020, your donations must be turned in to the church or postmarked by December 31, 2020.

**CHURCH BUDGET** Please note we are \$52,438 short this year for our local church budget. Whatever you can give to support our local church is a blessing! Give, and you will receive. Your gift will return to you in full — pressed down, shaken together to make room for more, running over, and poured into your lap. The amount you give will determine the amount you get back. Luke 6:38 NLT

**HOMELESS MINISTRY** We feed about 100 people each week and rely on direct offerings for our monthly expenses – about \$800. If you can help, just mark your Tithe Envelope "Homeless Ministry". Thank you!

**STAY CONNECTED** The holiday season can be a depressing time for many and with the added Covid restrictions this is a time we need to reach out to our church family. Just a simple phone call or email can help during this time.

LIVING LEGACY FUND As this year 2020, a momentous year indeed, comes to a close we reflect back on a year of tremendous challenges. But with God's help we have met them in ways we did not know we could because of His strength within us. This season is a time of gift giving. We invite you, as you feel directed by the Holy Spirit, to consider placing Livingstone Adventist Academy on your list of those to whom you are giving gifts. The Academy has many families who need financial assistance and a gift to the Living Legacy Fund would help to ensure funds are available for the worthy students' needs. You are a family of sacrificial givers as evidenced by your meeting your own family commitments to the school for which we praise God each day.

Livingstone Adventist Academy is grateful for your ongoing financial support. With only a couple of weeks left in this calendar year, please prayerfully consider making a contribution to Livingstone Adventist Academy. No gift is too large or too small. All donations need to be mailed to the school with a postmark by December 31, 2020 in order to receive a tax deduction for 2020.

**LIVINGSTONE SEE'S CANDY SHOP** The Livingstone Adventist Academy See's Candy Shoppe is **temporarily closed**. The Livingstone See's Candy Shop will reopen after the 1st of the year just in time for Valentine's Day.

**ATTENTION WWU STUDENTS** East is currently accepting applications for students who wish to be considered for the Walla Walla University Scholarship. Our new committee leader is Cindy Williams, so please send your application to her at <a href="mailto:cswptcht@gmail.com">cswptcht@gmail.com</a> by January 31. (Applications are available from WWU Financial Aid)

**COVID-19 SUPPORT TEAM** If you or anyone in your household have Covid, let us know. We have a Covid Support Team in place, who are here to confidentially support you. Whether you need something or just want someone to talk with. We respect your need for total confidentiality. Contact Pastor Chad at <a href="mailto:chad@eastsalemchurch.org">chad@eastsalemchurch.org</a> or Debbie at <a href="mailto:secretary@eastsalemchurch.org">secretary@eastsalemchurch.org</a>.

#### **Church Calendar** December Message - Elder Julie McKinney 19 25 CHRISTMAS 26 Message - Pastor Chad Reisig 1st In-person service since March Weekly Schedule Feeding the Homeless - "Arches" 615 Commercial St NE 5:00 pm Sunday Wednesday 6:30 pm Pathfinders - back parking lot (3rd & 4th Wednesday's)