

Your Church News

Welcome to the Adventist Community Church of Vancouver

❖ **Join us for Christmas Brunch** next Sabbath, December 23, from 8:30-10:30 a.m. Please bring a breakfast dish to share for a time of fellowship and cheer. Hot and cold drinks will be provided. Worship at 9:00 or 11:15 a.m., Sabbath School at 10:00 a.m.

❖ Did you know there are **Children's Bulletins** available for your children? They contain puzzles and pictures to enjoy, one for ages 3-6 and the other for ages 7-12. Pick them up at the entry doors or at the welcome center by the quiet activity bags.

❖ **Audio & Media Ministries Call for Workers** – We are looking for more participants to help in these ministries. Our King can use your help as we serve the worship services and reach others for the Kingdom of Heaven. If you can help, contact Ron Sanchez, 360-601-9417 or Sid Stafford at 360-921-8944

❖ **Be part of a potluck team** – A team is being formed for March & October of 2018. Whether you are male or female, young or old, gourmet cook or someone who can burn water, you are needed. Please contact Becky Wilson at 719-459-2788.

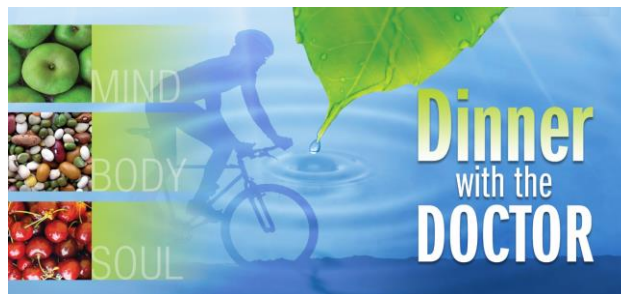
❖ **The first two orders of devotional & sharing books** are ready for pick up in the church office. The final order will be placed, if needed, on January 15, with books available by January 19.

❖ **Clark County Adventist Community Services (CCACS) need for the month of December – evaporated milk.** If you are able, buy a few cans, or more, to put in the basket in the lobby.

Around the Conference

36th annual Family Christmas music program 7:00 p.m. Friday, December 22, at Sunnyside SDA Church. Bring your musical score and participate in the finale – Handel's "Hallelujah Chorus." An offering will be received to support feeding Portland's homeless.

ABC Sale – The Adventist Book Center's Holiday Sale is December 1-30. Download the sale flyer at www.abcflyer.com.



Coming January 19, 2018 – Dinner with the Doctor, a health seminar weekend with Dr. Michael Hollie.

Health topics include: "Why Do We Get Sick & What Can We Do About It?," "Diabetes Epidemic," and "No More Diets Please!" Featuring a healthy cooking demonstration Sunday morning.

For more information or to register please go to our event page at www.dinnerwiththedoctorvancouver.eventbrite.com or call the church, 360-696-2511.

Oregon Conference is asking you to save your labels for Refugee Ministries

Atlantic Natural Foods will give 25¢ per label from canned foods from the following brands:

Loma Linda, Worthington, & Caroline's

All you have to do is save the bar codes from the canned food label and bring it to the church office. We'll report the number each month, and the Oregon Conference will receive funds to help with the refugee ministries in the conference. What an easy way to help!

Praise & Prayer

New prayer needs listed here, for the full list see the bulletin board, ask at the greeter's desk or visit www.VancouverAdventist.com/PrayerList

To keep this list current, please send updates to the church office.

WHO TO CALL

Ministers: Everyone	ask-them
Lead Pastor Roger Walter	360-696-2511
Administrative Pastor John Bryson	360-696-2511
Outreach Pastor Danny Kim	503-572-5594
Discipleship Pastor Ryan Whitehead	423-827-9559
Youth/Young Adult Grayson Abaya	808-232-4983
Bible Worker Carolyn Karlstrom	360-600-3496
Head Elder Craig Frantz	360-921-4246
Head Deacon Dennis Gilliland	360-696-2511
Head Deaconess Becky Wilson	719-459-2788
Pathfinders Lyndene Wright	360-260-4530
Church Office Louise Craig	360-696-2511
Tues-Thurs 10:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Fri 10:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	
Seventh-day Adventist Community Church of Vancouver	
9711 NE St. Johns Rd., Vancouver, WA 98665 360-696-2511 / VancouverAdventist@gmail.com www.VancouverAdventist.com Facebook.com/AdventistCommunityChurch	
Meadow Glade Adventist Elementary School	
18717 NE 109 th Ave. 360-687-5121 Battle Ground, WA 98604	
Columbia Adventist Academy	
11100 NE 189 th St. 360-687-3161 Battle Ground, WA 98604	
Community Services 360-695-8632	
Monday & Tuesday – 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. 3200 NE St Johns Blvd., Vancouver, WA 98661	

NOVEMBER 2017	Families served	844
	Pounds of Food	37,760
	Clothing Items	2,429
	Volunteers Hours	47 1,472

This Week

TODAY

9 & 11:15 – Pastor Roger Walter
 Young Adults 12:30 p.m.
 Sabbath ends 4:28 p.m.

MONDAY

Community Services Open
 Adventurers 6:30 p.m.

TUESDAY

Community Services Open

WEDNESDAY

Early Risers Prayer Time 5:30 a.m.

THURSDAY

Mom's Group 9:30 a.m.

FRIDAY

Sabbath begins 4:31 p.m.

SABBATH

8:30-10:30 Christmas Brunch
 9:00 & 11:15 – Pastor Roger Walter
 Offering – Oregon Conference
 Youth Support
 Young Adults 12:30 p.m.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

December 23 - Christmas Brunch and Christmas Program. Church Services and Sabbath School will meet at regular times.

December 31 - New Year's Eve Party
 January 5 - First Friday Communion and Agape Feast

January 19-21 - Dinner with the Doctor

January 27 - Worship & Game Night

February 13 - Valentine's Dinner

Our Schools

Meadow Glade Adventist Elementary School – MGAES
 Columbia Adventist Academy – CAA

Youth Leaders are invited to bring their 9th-12th graders to join **Metamorphosis High School Worship Conference at Milo Adventist Academy** Friday evening, February 23 and all day Sabbath, February 24. The fee is \$45/person which covers event registration, lodging, and meals, but if you register by January 23, you only pay \$25. If you are interested or have a high school student who is interested, contact your youth leader.

Resources

- ❖ Check the bulletin boards for announcements.
- ❖ Children's bulletins, quiet activity bags, and clipboards/paper & pencils available in the lobby for your children.
- ❖ Having trouble hearing? Ask a greeter or deacon to point out someone who can help you with an assistive hearing device.

Today's Offering:

Church Budget

GIVE NOW

Point your barcode reader-enabled smart phone here.



Church Finances

Fiscal Year 7/1/17 - 6/30/18	Church Budget	Mortgage	Salary Fund	Student Aid
Monthly Goal	\$ 26,000	\$ 13,555	\$ 5,000	\$ 4,900
Rec'd 12/9/2017 + online	\$ 5,398	\$ 3,048	\$ 730	\$ 773
Rec'd This Month to Date	\$ 9,095	\$ 4,386	\$ 785	\$ 1,051
Rec'd YTD (Since 7/1/17)	\$ 131,267	\$ 75,023	\$ 23,553	\$ 24,515
Budget Fiscal YTD	\$ 143,000	\$ 74,553	\$ 27,500	\$ 26,950
Over (Short) YTD	\$ (11,733)	\$ 471	\$ (3,947)	\$ (2,435)

Please plan your tax-year-end giving now. Offerings received in church by Sabbath, December 30, online by the end of Sunday, December 31, or postmarked by the 31st will be included in the 2017 tax receipts.



December 16, 2017

Welcome to the
 Seventh-day Adventist
 Community Church of Vancouver

9:00 a.m.

Morning Reflections		Sid Stafford
Church Life		Pastor Danny Kim
Offering	Church Budget	Dave Cannard
Hymn of Praise	<i>As With Gladness Men of Old</i>	No. 123
Scripture & Prayer	Mark 10:19-21	Carolyn Karlstrom
Morning Message	Questions FAKE Christians Can't Answer	Pastor Roger Walter
Hymn of Response	<i>Angels From the Realms of Glory</i>	No. 119

Praise Leader: Sid Stafford
 Keyboard: Virginia Oliver

Head Deacon: Dennis Gilliland

10:00 a.m.

Sabbath School Bible Study ~ Ask if you need assistance in selecting a class

11:15 a.m.

Church Life		Pastor Danny Kim
Call to Worship		Responsive Reading
Song of Praise	<i>How Great Our Joy!</i>	
Offering	Church Budget	Pat Hart
Children's Story		Becky Wilson
Worship in Song		Praise Team
Prayer		Dan Weston
Morning Message	Questions FAKE Christians Can't Answer	Pastor Roger Walter
Song of Response	<i>Like Jesus</i>	

Praise Leader: Rodger Moran
 Keyboard: Marjorie Moran

Head Deacon: Rick LaFountain