

Welcome to Milton Adventist!

- ❖ If you are new with us today we would love to know who you are. Please fill out a **GETTING TO KNOW YOU** communication card which you will find in the pew rack in front of you.
- ❖ Please share your **prayer requests or suggestions** on the communication card and place it in the offering plate or hand it to one of the church staff. We want to serve you in any way possible.
- ❖ If you wish a **CD of the morning sermon** please write your request on the CD Ministry Order Envelope available at the information desk or church office. You may drop the envelope in the offering or at the church office with a suggested donation of \$3 per CD.
- ❖ We have **assisted listening devices** and **lap blankets** available at the Information Desk in the foyer.
- ❖ The **“loose offering”** always goes for the Milton Church Budget. If you want to give specifically to any other ministry you must place it in the Giving Envelope and write the name of the ministry.

Why We Live

At the Milton Seventh-day Adventist Church we live to glorify God. He is our Creator, Savior and Friend. There is no greater joy in life than *really* knowing God personally. We live for Him and... we live to introduce others to our Best Friend too!

Milton Seventh-day Adventist Church

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The Milton Seventh-day Adventist Church



Sabbath
November 21, 2015

Bible Study Groups

“Study to show yourself approved unto God...” 2 Timothy 2:15

9:30am – 10:35am

Deep and lasting friendships grow out the study of God’s Word; that’s what is so compelling about our 9:30am Bible study groups. We have classes for all age groups. Pick the one below that most fits your needs. There are several adult classes to choose from. May God bless you abundantly as you build your life on His eternal Word.

Children’s Divisions	Hall/Room
▪ Beginners (0-3 Years)	Southwest / #4
▪ Kindergarten (4 Years –1 st grade)	Southwest / #5
▪ Primary (2 nd – 4 th grade).....	Southwest / #6
▪ Juniors - Earliteen	Northwest / #3
▪ Senior High.....	Northwest / #2

Adult Bible Study Classes	Hall/Room
<i>Side Hall North of Sanctuary</i>	
▪ Guest Teacher	Room #4
▪ Vernon Putz/Nancy Stolz.....	Room #1/2
▪ Doug Versteeg	Room #5/6

In the Sanctuary

- Ed Taylor Left Back Corner

Other Locations

- Lorin Wentland/LeRoy Waggoner.....Fellowship Hall
- Gen-X..... Youth Chapel

Welcome to Worship

Nearly 400 years ago in the early fall of 1621 the first Thanksgiving Day was observed in America. Governor Bradford, the governor of Massachusetts, issues a proclamation setting aside a day “For thanksgiving unto God for the plenteous harvest.” On the appointed day, after attending church and listening to a three-hour sermon, the colonists and friendly Indians came together for the Thanksgiving dinner. What a time they had! Wild Turkey, Pumpkin Pie, and scores of other tempting foods. But with all their feasting and their merry-makings they did not forget to thank God for His blessings. Today we have chosen to enter into the spirit of that first Thanksgiving.

Pastor Lloyd

Worship Service

“Come, let us worship and bow down, let us kneel before the LORD...” Psalm 95:6

10:45am – 12:15pm

Song of Welcome Praise Team
 ▪ “Forever”

Welcome & Prayer Pastor Lloyd

Church Alive!

- “Let’s Get Acquainted Card” – Guest Reception
- Membership Transfers – 1st Reading
- Ministry Placement Team - 2nd Reading Yvonne Miller
- Community Thanksgiving Worship & Pie Social Pastor Lloyd

Celebrating Children Praise Team

- Children’s Song: “Jesus and Me”
- Children’s Story Bob Sepolen

Worship in Giving

- Today’s Giving Focus: **Milton Church Budget** Richard Jenkins
- Offertory Breezy Winkle & Campbell Bowes, Jan Roberts

Songs of Praise Praise Team

- “Ain’t No Rock”
- “Blessed Be Your Name”

Worship in Prayer

- Prayer Song: “Here I Am to Worship” Praise Team
- Morning Prayer

Responsive Reading: “Praise is Rightfully Yours” **Hymnal # 803**

Worship in Music Breezy Winkle & Jan Roberts

Sermon: “Concentric Circles of Infinite Power” **Pastor Lloyd**

Closing Song: “O Sing, My Soul, Your Maker’s Praise” Hymn #37

Benediction Pastor Lloyd

Postlude Breezy Winkle & Jan Roberts

*Praise Team: Connie & Joel Morgan & JAM Kids; Pianist: Gladys Wentland
 Lead Elder: Richard Jenkins*

News Notes

SACRED CONCERT

You are invited to a Jaime Jorge Concert on Wednesday, **December 2, 7:00pm** at the City Church.

MILTON-STATELINE ADVENTIST SCHOOL

- MSAS invites you to our Christmas Concert on **Thursday, December 17, 7:00pm** in our gym.
- MSAS would like to thank all of you who donated pet food for our pet food drive. We have reached our goal of 1000 lbs! The dog and cat food has been delivered to the Blue Mountain Humane Society this week.
- MSAS **Winter Sports Program** will begin on **February 4, 2016** and run each Thursday during February. MSAS would like to invite homeschool students in grades 3-8 to join us. Activities will include bowling, swimming and roller skating and take place in the afternoons. There is also an option for going to Bluewood Ski Resort. Please call MSAS at 541-938-7131 for more information and costs.

BIBLE TRIVIA: Test Your Bible Knowledge

- Who plotted the execution of John the Baptist?
- Which Jewish girl became queen of Persia?
- What man is the most mentioned man in the Bible?
- Who became David's wife after her husband, Nabel, died?
- During the reigns of David and Solomon, Tahpenes was the queen of what country?

Answers are found somewhere in this bulletin insert.



Milton Church Life Calendar

Sunset Today – 4:17pm

Sunset Next Friday – 4:13pm

“From evening unto evening you shall celebrate the Sabbath” Lev. 23:32

Today, November 21

12:45pm Hospitality Reception (Fellowship Hall)

12:30-1pm Milton Church Library Open (Thelma Fleshman, Librarian)

Sunday, November 22

2-6pm Operation Christmas Child Drop-Off (Fellowship Hall)

6-8pm Community Thanksgiving Worship Service & Pie Social

Monday, November 23

10-4pm Adventist Community Services Open (541-938-9188)

9-12pm **Church Office Hours**

9-12pm Operation Christmas Child Drop-Off (Fellowship Hall)

Tuesday, November 24

9-12pm **Church Office Hours** (*Staff Worship & Meeting 9:30-11am*)

1:00-3:00pm Milton Church Library Open (Thelma Fleshman, Librarian)

7:00pm BLAST Youth Group (Chapel)

Wednesday, November 25

9-12pm **Church Office Hours**

12 noon *Church Bulletin Information Due*

6:15-7:45pm Pathfinder & Adventurer Club (Fellowship Hall)

next meeting will be Wednesday, December 2

6:15-6:50pm Reconnecting Discipleship Training #5 (Youth Chapel)

moved to Wednesday, December 2

7:00pm Prayer Meeting: Mark 8 (Junior Room)

Thursday, November 26 THANKSGIVING DAY

9-12pm **Church Office Closed**

10-4pm Adventist Community Services **Closed** (541-938-9188)

Sabbath, November 28

12:45pm Hospitality Luncheon hosted by Vernon Putz class

6:30pm MSAS Worship, Volleyball, Basketball

Answers to Bible Trivia: 1) Herodias, wife of Herold (Matthew 14:3-8), 2) Esther (Esther 2:17), 3) Jesus, 4) Abigail (1 Samuel 25:39), 5) Egypt (1 Kings 11:19).

Membership Transfers - 1st Reading

- Transfer in: **Trisha Bush LeFore**, from Walla Walla City Adventist Church
- Transfer out: **Stephanie Roberts Lewis**, to Meadow Vista SDA Church

Announcements

WELCOME to Milton Adventist Church. *Happy Sabbath!*

.COOKIES! COOKIES! COOKIES! AND DRINK

It is less than a month away until **Journey to Bethlehem, December 11 & 12, 6:00-8:30pm**. We would be so happy to have our church family start making cookies. Please contact Denise Carr (541) 938-7702 to let her know how many you will be able to bake as well as drink needed: Milk (60gals) and Cider (20gals). Thank you for your support!!

WOMEN'S PRAYER GROUP

A new Women's Prayer Group will be meeting on **Wednesdays from 9:00-10:00am** in the home of Marci Evans: 116 SE 15th Ave, Milton-Freewater. "I want to spend a few minutes each week reading a prayer from the Bible and discussing it and then launching into a time of prayer of thanksgiving and for the needs of our families, community and world." Women of all ages are invited!

COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING WORSHIP & PIE SOCIAL

You are invited to the annual Community event hosted at the Milton Adventist Church on Sunday, **November 22, 6:00pm**. All of the area churches will be coming to our church to celebrate Thanksgiving together. This is a great time to meet and worship with so many area Christians and to meet the pastors of the various churches. Following the service is the Community Pie Social. Bring your best pies and be prepared to enjoy a great time of Christian fellowship in our Fellowship Hall.



RECONNECTING DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING

Join the team that is going to visit and befriend our non-attending members! Come learn why people leave the church and what to say (and what not to say!) when visiting them. Pastor Nancy and Vernon Putz are leading out in a 5-week training seminar **Wednesdays, 6:15-6:50pm** (just prior to prayer meeting). The last training will be **December 2** in the Youth Chapel. Renewing lost friendships is a part of the good news of Jesus, and these seminars will help you learn where to begin. Come learn step-by-step instructions for getting started.

Generosity Quotes

"Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." *2 Corinthians 9:7*

"The spirit of liberality is the spirit of Heaven. Christ's self-sacrificing love is revealed upon the cross. That man might be saved, He gave all that He had, and then gave Himself." *CS 14*

Milton SDA Church Giving

	Tithe	Milton Church Budget
2014 Giving Total	\$ 420,514	\$ 143,832
2015 Monthly Giving Goal for MCB		\$12,185
Received for November		\$7,654
Short for November		\$4,531
Short January-October		\$14,463

Various Milton Church Giving Projects

Milton Giving Project	(In Hand)	Still Needed
1. ReNew Milton – Phase I – Foyer – Thank you		\$Paid in Full!
2. Worthy Student Aid.....	(\$9,961).....	\$ 10,039
3. Outreach Coordinator	(\$20,255).....	\$ 17,745
4. ReNew Milton - Phase II – S Parking Lot (\$27,545) ...		\$ 40,455

Prayer Requests

If you have prayer requests, Milton Adventist Church has prayer warriors who will take your concerns and bring them to the Lord. Please contact Nancy Stolz: (541) 938-6681 or (509) 520-5442.

"In every difficulty we are to see a call to prayer." DA 667