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!

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“**If anyone serves me, he must follow me, and where I am, there will my servant be also. If anyone serves me, the Father will honor him.”** John 12:26

**Sabbath**
September 17, 2016
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
- Beginners (0-3 Years) ........................................................................................................... Southwest
- Kindergarten (4 Years –1st grade) ....................................................................................... Southwest
- Primary (2nd – 4th grade) ..................................................................................................... Southwest
- Juniors - Earliteen ................................................................................................................... Northwest
- Senior High............................................................................................................................... Northwest

Adult Bible Study Classes

Side Hall North of Sanctuary
- Class 1: Vernon Putz/Nancy Stolz ......................................................................................... Room #1
- Class 2: Loren Fenton ............................................................................................................. Room #4
- Class 3: Vaun Miller ................................................................................................................ Room #6

Other Locations
- Class 4: Ed Taylor..........................................................Sanctuary-Right Back Corner
- Class 5: Jeremiah Burt (Gen-X)......................................Youth Chapel
- Class 6: Lorin Wentland/LeRoy Waggoner............Fellowship Hall

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: (Please stand for the opening song) Praise Team
- “Jesus, What a Friend for Sinners” Hymn 187

Welcome & Prayer Pastor Lloyd

Church Alive!
- Greeting Card / Fellowship Meal: Mexican food Gladys Wentland
- Membership Transfers Pastor Lloyd

Celebrating Children
- Children’s Song: “Anywhere With Jesus” Praise Team
- Children’s Story Sandy Ehrhardt

Worship in Giving
- Today’s Giving Focus: Milton Church Gladys Wentland
- Offertory

Songs of Praise
- “Give Me Jesus” Praise Team
- “Jesus Loves Me”

Worship in Prayer
- Prayer Song: “Holy Spirit, You are Welcome Here” Praise Team
- Morning Prayer Sam LeFore

Special Music Keepers of the Faith Quartet

Scripture Reading Acts 6:1-7

Sermon “Called to Serve... Like Jesus” Pastor Lloyd

ORDINATION OF NEW DEACONS

Song of Commitment Keepers of the Faith Quartet

Benediction/Sent Forth to Serve Pastor Lloyd

Praise Team: Kristin Fry
Keyboard: Gladys Wentland
Lead Elder: Gladys Wentland

From the Pastor’s Heart

“Servant.” Do you like that word? Is it easier to accept that you are a servant or that you have a servant? Do you like the idea that someone has committed their life to serving you—they are your servant, or would you rather be known as the one who is called to serve? At the core of this question is understanding the role Jesus had for Himself. He told us He came “not to be served, but to serve.” Within the church there is one group of leaders that are recognized as representing boldly Jesus’ mission of servanthood. They are our church Deacons & Deaconesses. Read Acts 6:1-7 and you will get a biblical overview of the development of work of servants within the early church. Today, through the deacons, we will be reminded of our calling to be servants...just like Jesus.

Pastor Lloyd
**News Notes**

**Milton State Line Adventist School**

- **September 26-29**: 7th and 8th graders are going to Big Lake Camp for a leadership camp.
- **October 16, 8:00-10:00am**: 7th & 8th graders are hosting a pancake breakfast at the Stateline Church Fellowship Hall. Price is by donation; proceeds go to the 8th grade trip.
- **October 29**: MSAS Talent Show.

**50 Plus Club** potluck and corn feed will be **September 18, 5:00pm** at the home of: Larry and Jacque Goodhew, 4261 S. Hwy 125, Walla Walla, WA 99362-2387; phone: 509-522-2387. Please bring your own chairs.

**SonBridge Community Center**

Just this week, a community member expressed thanks for assistance she got with getting her driving records from a DMV across the states. We at SonBridge are thankful that prayers are being answered. Join us in ministry: visit SonBridge.org.

**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: 509-520-5442. (Note: September 12 - October 12, please contact Juanita Radelfinger: 509-540-8035).

**Christian Aid Center**

There are volunteer opportunities available in their kitchen: Breakfast Cook every Sunday morning from 6:00-8:00; Weekend Breakfast Host from 6:00-8:30 and Weekend Dinner Host from 3:00-6:30pm. Please contact Jeannette Regalado, Volunteer & Donor Relations, (509) 525-7153.

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**Milton Church Life Calendar**

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<td>8:30am</td>
<td>Prayer time with the church Elders (Youth Chapel)</td>
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<td>Fellowship Meal: Mexican; bring salads &amp; dessert (Fellowship Hall)</td>
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<td>4:00pm</td>
<td>Pastoral Commissioning Service of Pastor Jennifer Ogden at WWU church</td>
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<td>Concert: Keepers of the Faith Quartet (Sanctuary)</td>
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<td>Support Group: “It Too Shall Pass” (Junior Room)</td>
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<td>Pathfinder &amp; Adventurer Clubs (Fellowship Hall)</td>
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<td>Bible Discovery: John 15 (Junior Room)</td>
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<td>Greter’s Meeting: bring your calendars! (Junior Room)</td>
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**North Pacific Union Conference convenes September 23-25.**

Pastor Lloyd is a delegate to the North Pacific Union Conference Constituency Session next weekend. The new NPUC president will be chosen at this meeting. Delegates will hear and respond to current issues facing the church. Your council is welcomed. Pastor Lloyd will also be a delegate to the WWU session that follows the NPUC constituency.

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**Free Concert Tonight**

**Keepers of the Faith Quartet**

We are happy to welcome the Keepers of the Faith quartet in the Milton Adventist Church Sanctuary for a concert this evening at 6pm. Please invite and bring your friends and neighbors to this concert.
Announcements

JOURNEY TO BETHLEHEM December 9-11.
This year we are looking for people to sign up for leadership positions. Each leader will be responsible for their own group (e.g., beggars, market, candle shop): staff, scene props/costumes, training. Sign-up sheets are in the foyer. This is an early start for our Community Outreach!

GREETERS MEETING
There will be a meeting for all Milton Church greeters on Thursday, September 22, 7:00pm in the Junior Room. The purpose of this meeting is to go over the greeter’s schedule for 4th Quarter (October-December).

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD - SEPTEMBER
During the month of September, we will be collecting crayons & colored pencils for Shoe Boxes. Please see the OCC table in the church foyer ministry nook.

IRENE ENGELHART
“Just writing a note to let the Milton church members know that Irene Engelhart has moved to “Caring Hands,” an adult home care in College Place WA, 618 SW Evans Street, College Place WA 99324; phone 509-540-2257. She would love to have short visits from her church family members”. Any questions please call her Daughter Dianne Cook, phone number. 509-240-2203.

WOMEN’S PRAYER GROUP
A Women’s Prayer Group meets on Wednesdays from 9:00-10:00 am 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.”

Generosity Quotes

Proverbs 11:24-25 ESV “One gives freely, yet grows all the richer; another withholds what he should give, and only suffers want. Whoever brings blessing will be enriched, and one who waters will himself be watered.”

Matthew 6:21 “For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.”

Milton SDA Church Giving

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Various Milton Church Giving Projects

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<td>($7,183)</td>
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Children’s Offering Report

Every week children bring forward an offering which is used to help with Student Aid (Worthy Student Fund). The funds given week-by-week make a big difference. Here is a report on how much funds have come in the last three Sabbaths. You can also give directly to Milton Student Aid.

❖ Sabbath, September 3 $77.00
❖ Sabbath, September 10 77.00

Sanctuary Stage Lighting

We are in the process of upgrading our sanctuary stage lighting. The 40-year old fixtures have worked well but are at the end of their life-span. In the replacing of these lights we are looking to move to newer LED lighting which will save us money by greatly reducing our electrical costs. The OIC is working on a plan for this project which will then go to the church board for their approval. You are invited to give to this important board approved project.