

## 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.

### 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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## The Milton Seventh-day Adventist Church



"For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, yet for your sake He became poor, so that you through His poverty might become rich." "For God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that always having all sufficiency in everything, you may have an abundance for every good deed." 2 Corinthians 8:9; 9:8

## Sabbath November 12, 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** **Hall**

- Beginners (0-3 Years)..... Southwest
- Kindergarten (4 Years –1<sup>st</sup> grade)..... Southwest
- Primary (2<sup>nd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> grade) ..... Southwest
- Juniors - Earliteen ..... Northwest
- Senior High..... Northwest

**Adult Bible Study Classes** **Room**

*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

## From the Pastor’s Heart

Say this out-loud if you dare, **“This is the day the Lord has made; we will rejoice and be glad in it!”** Today we will do just that. Not rejoice that we’ve got our act together... we don’t. Not rejoice because we made it through the week without hurting anyone... we didn’t. Not even rejoice because we can tell what will happen tomorrow... we can’t. But rejoice because God is in this day and He is in us—remaking us into the image of His Son Jesus... **He will!**

I am so delighted that my dear friends Dave & Irene Snyder (Pastor Nancy’s parents) are here today celebrating their faith. I am also eager to open God’s word with you and look at one of the most unusual names in the Bible, **Mephibosheth**, to learn an amazing lesson about amazing grace. Get a jump on the message and open your Bibles right now and read 2 Samuel 9:1-13. God’s got a message... just for you!

*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** (*Please stand for opening song*) Praise Team  
 ▪ *“Majesty”*

**Welcome & Prayer** Pastor Nancy

**Praise to God:** *“His Eye Is On the Sparrow”* Crystal Sample

**Church Alive!** Pastor Nancy  
 ▪ Greeting Card/Fellowship Meal: General Potluck Gladys Wentland  
 ▪ *“Do You Want to Pack a Shoebox?”* Hailey Tucker & Gwen Burt  
 ▪ Today’s Giving Focus: **Annual Sacrifice**  
 ▪ Offertory: *“Blessed Assurance”* Eslinger Trio

**Celebrating Children**  
 ▪ Children’s Song: *“Lord I Lift Your Name on High”*  
 ▪ Children’s Story Connie Morgan

**Songs of Praise**  
 ▪ Scripture Reading: 2 Corinthians 8:9; 9:8 Jordan Stephan  
 ▪ *“Corner Stone”*  
 ▪ *“I Love You Lord / All Hail King Jesus”*  
 ▪ *“Amazing Grace”* Hymn 108

**Garden of Prayer** Pastor Lloyd  
 ▪ Prayer Song: *“Spirit Song”*  
 ▪ Pastoral Prayer

**Celebration of Faith with Dave & Irene Snyder**

**Special Music:** *“Grace”* Lisa McMackin

**Sermon** **Pastor Lloyd**  
*“What does a dead dog, a worm, a lost boy, and a funny name have in common?”*  
**Amazing Grace!**

**Song of Commitment:** *“Marvelous Grace”* – chorus only

**Blessing** Dave Snyder

*Praise Team; Lisa McMackin, Audrey & Dan Eslinger; Keyboard: Andrew Perrin  
 Lead Elder: Gladys Wentland*

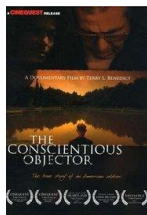
## News Notes



### MILTON-STATELINE ADVENTIST SCHOOL

MSAS's third and fourth graders are running a pet food drive for the Blue Mountain Humane Society. All classrooms compete for the most poundage of cat and dog food. The winning classroom receives an ice cream party! The contest ends Dec. 16. If you would like to help by donating pet food, please bring it in to the school office and let us know which classroom you would like to give it to. Thank you for helping us feed these adoptable pets.

### THE CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTOR



You are invited to a free public showing of a documentary film by Terry L. Benedict that explores the life of Desmond T. Doss, a U.S. Army medic who was the first conscientious objector to be awarded the Medal of Honor. It will be held on Saturday, **November 22, 6:00pm** at Walla Walla Community College, Allied Health & Performing Arts Center, 500 Tausick Way, Walla Walla.

### DENOMINATIONAL RETIRED WORKERS POTLUCK

The Potluck and presentation will be **November 6, 5:00pm** in the Village Church Fellowship Hall. Guest speaker will be Dr. Facemire, accompanied by Shirley Anderson. Their presentation will be "Fulfilling the Mission".

### 50 PLUS CLUB POTLUCK

Come and enjoy musical selections at the 50 Plus Club potluck in the Youth Center on November 20, 5:00pm. The program is prepared for you by the Walla Walla Valley Academy Praise Ringers and Singers, under the direction of Patti Short. Come and enjoy the music of the seasons.

### COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING SERVICE

You are invited to the Community Thanksgiving Service and Pie Social to be held **Sunday, November 20, 6:30pm**. The program will be in the Milton Church Sanctuary and the Pie Social will be in the Milton Church Fellowship Hall.

*Everyone is invited!*



## Milton Church Life Calendar

### Today, November 12

- 8:30am Prayer time with the church Elders (Youth Chapel)
- 10:45am Worship Service: "Amazing Grace" (Sanctuary)
- 1:00pm Fellowship Meal: General Potluck, everyone invited! (Fellowship Hall)
- 4:26pm Sunset—"From evening unto evening you shall celebrate the Sabbath" Lev. 23:32

### Sunday, November 13

- 9:00am Journey to Bethlehem set up; work crew members welcome! (North field); meal served (Fellowship Hall)
- 12 noon Celebration of Life Service: Jebidiah Carr (Sanctuary) followed by fellowship meal (Fellowship Hall)

### Monday, November 14

**November 14-21**

### **Operation Christmas Child Shoe Boxes dropped off in the Youth Chapel**

- 9-12pm **Church Office Open**
- 10-4pm ACS & Thrift Store Open (713 S Main St. Milton-Freewater)
- 7:00pm Finance Committee (Junior Room)

### Tuesday, November 15

- 9-12pm **Church Office Hours** (*Staff Worship & Meeting 9:30-11am*)
- 6-7pm Support Group: "It Too Shall Pass" (Junior Room)
- 7:00pm BLAST Youth Group (Youth Chapel)

### Wednesday, November 16

- 9-12pm **Church Office Hours**
- 12 noon** *Church Bulletin Information Due*
- 6:15pm Pathfinder & Adventurer Clubs (Fellowship Hall)
- 7:00pm Prayer Meeting – We are studying John 20 verse-by-verse

### Thursday, November 17

- 9-12pm **Church Office Hours**
- 10-4pm ACS & Thrift Store Open (713 S Main St. Milton-Freewater)

### Friday, November 18

- 4:19pm Sunset—"From evening unto evening you shall celebrate the Sabbath" Lev. 23:32

### Sabbath, November 19

- 8:30am Prayer time with the church Elders (Youth Chapel)
- 10:45am Milton Church Choir program
- 1:00pm Fellowship Meal: Baked potato bar; bring salad & dessert (Fellowship Hall)
- 4:19pm Sunset—"From evening unto evening you shall celebrate the Sabbath" Lev. 23:32

**Finance Committee: Monday, November 14, 7:00pm in the Junior Room**

# Announcements

## “CELEBRATION OF LIFE” SERVICE

- ❖ This past week Jebidiah Carr, Denise Carr’s son, passed away suddenly and unexpectedly. The Milton Church shares their sorrow with the Denise at the loss of her only child. May God’s peace and love envelope her and all Jeb’s family and friends during this most difficult time.
- ❖ You are invited to the Celebration of Life Service for Jebidiah “Jeb” Carr on Sunday, **November 13, 12:00 noon**. All are welcome to stay for a fellowship meal following in the Fellowship Hall. In lieu of flowers, you are invited to share a donation for the memory of Jeb.

## JOURNEY TO BETHLEHEM December 9-11, 6:00-8:00pm.



Milton Adventist Church is asking for **work crew members to set up Bethlehem on Sunday, November 13 starting at 9:00am**. For more information or to sign up, please contact Marja McChesney, Office Manager: (509) 386-6071.

## OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD - NOVEMBER



During **November 14-21** you can drop off your filled Shoeboxes in the Youth Chapel during office hours: Mon-Thur, 9:00-12:00 or call the office before you come to make sure someone is available to unlock the door.

## ADVENTIST COMMUNITY SERVICES & THRIFT STORE



If you are interested in donating clothing and miscellaneous household items, you may drop them off at 713 S. Main Street. The Thrift Store hours are: Mondays and Thursdays between 10:00am-4:00pm. The funds received support our worthy students, church and community outreach.



### 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.

# Today’s Giving Focus

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



During our morning worship service we include, as part of our commitment to praise God, a time for receiving an offering. An “OFFERING” is just that—we offer to God our gratitude for His gifts to us. Through prayer, singing, and worship we “offer” all of ourselves to Him. We are His! We also provide an opportunity for us to give financial offerings as well. Our Milton Church Budget is an ongoing emphasis which funds the core of our ministries here in this community.

- ❖ **Today’s Giving Focus:** “Annual Sacrifice for Global Missions” – This giving opportunity provides funds to reach population areas that have not had the benefits we so often take for granted.
- ❖ 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.

## Milton SDA Church Giving

	<b>Tithe</b>	<b>Milton Church Budget</b>
2015 Giving Total	\$416,378	\$132,532
<b>2016 Monthly Giving Goal for MCB</b>		<b>\$11,719</b>
<b>Received for November</b>		<b>\$1,799</b>

## Various Milton Church Giving Projects

<b>Milton Giving Project</b>	<b>(In Hand)</b>	<b>Still Needed</b>
1. Worthy Student Aid.....	(\$19,062).....	\$ <u>938</u>
2. Outreach Coordinator – Current Year	Rec’d Nov \$1420 .....	\$ <u>to be determined</u>
<b>Board Approved Projects</b>		
3. Sanctuary Stage Lighting.....	(\$3,863).....	\$ <u>to be determined</u>
4. South Parking Lot.....	(\$65,137).....	\$ <u>2,471</u>

## 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, October 24* 148.00
- ❖ *Sabbath, October 29* 106.00
- ❖ *Sabbath, November 5* 105.00