

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



*"Give thanks in every situation
because this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus."
1 Thessalonians 5:18 (CEBA)*

**Sabbath
November 19, 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 –1st grade)..... Southwest
- Primary (2nd – 4th 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

Thanksgiving is a time of year when we get together with family and share the bounties of God’s blessings: food, fellowship, friendships. How appropriate to give thanksgiving through singing and Scripture. Jesus is our biggest and most important blessing. It is by His coming to this world so we may have eternal life.

Welcome to worshipping with us today!

“This is the day the Lord has made;
We will rejoice and be glad in it.”
Psalm 118:24 NKJV

Pastor Lloyd

Worship Service

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

10:45am – 12:15pm

Welcome and Prayer

❖ **Church Alive**

Pastor Lloyd

Milton Church Choir

Presents:

“Thanksgiving in Song”

Choir Director: Connie Morgan

**“I will praise the name of God with a song,
And will magnify Him with thanksgiving.”
Psalm 69:30 NKJV**

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 December 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.

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.

SYMPOSIUM ON SPIRITUAL CARE AT WWGH

Save the date for the 7th annual Spiritual Care Symposium at Walla Walla General Hospital. Philip Watkins, PhD, will speak on "Gratitude: An Essential Foundation for Spiritual Well-being" Friday, **January 27, 2017, 8:30 - 4:30 p.m.** in the WWGH auditorium.

COATS & WARM CLOTHES

If you have new or gently used winter coats, gloves, mittens, scarves, stocking hats to give to the homeless and low-income folks, please bring them to the Wesley Methodist church. Pastor Tillie MakePeace is getting requests and will be giving them away locally. (Pastor Tillie's cell: 541-701-1925)

COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING SERVICE

You are invited to the Community Thanksgiving Service and Pie Social on **Sunday, November 20, 6:00pm.**

The program will be in the Milton Church Sanctuary
The Pie Social will be in the Milton Church Fellowship Hall



Everyone is invited!

Milton Church Life Calendar

Today, November 19

- 8:30am Prayer time with the church Elders (Youth Chapel)
- 10:45am Worship Service: Milton Church Choir
- 1:00pm Fellowship Meal: Potato Bar provided; bring salads and dessert (Fellowship Hall)
- 4:26pm Sunset—"From evening unto evening you shall celebrate the Sabbath"
Lev. 23:32

Sunday, November 20

- 6:00pm** Community Thanksgiving Service (Sanctuary) & Pie Social (Fellowship Hall)

Monday, November 21

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

Tuesday, November 22

- 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 23

- 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 24 **THANKSGIVING DAY**

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

Friday, November 25

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

Sabbath, November 26

- 8:30am Prayer time with the church Elders (Youth Chapel)
- 10:45am Pastor Lloyd
- 1:00pm Fellowship Meal: Chicken Pot Pie; bring salad & dessert (Fellowship Hall)
- 4:19pm Sunset—"From evening unto evening you shall celebrate the Sabbath"
Lev. 23:32

Church Board meeting: Monday, November 21, 7:00pm (Junior Room)

Finance Committee meeting: Tuesday, November 29, 7:00pm (Fry home)

Announcements

JOURNEY TO BETHLEHEM December 9, 10, 11; 6:00-8:00pm.



- ❖ **Costume fitting** and assignment is on Sunday, December 4, 4:00-6:00pm (Youth Chapel)
- ❖ **Scripts**, if needed, are available at the Church Office.
- ❖ **Cookies, soup, cider** early sign up sheets are at the Church Office during the week.
- ❖ **Shops** are decorated and furnished on Friday, December 9.
- ❖ For more information, please contact Marja McChesney, Office Manager: (509) 386-6071.

A huge thank you to all of you who volunteered last Sunday to help with setting up Bethlehem, Nativity, and the Inn.

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.** Funds received support our worthy students, church and community outreach. Phone: 541-938-9188.



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:** "Milton Church Budget" – This giving opportunity provides funds for the needs of our local church.
- ❖ 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

	Tithe	Milton Church Budget
2015 Giving Total	\$416,378	\$132,532
2016 Monthly Giving Goal for MCB		\$11,719
Received for November		\$2,625

Various Milton Church Giving Projects

<u>Board Approved Projects</u>	<u>(In Hand)</u>	<u>Still Needed</u>
1. Sanctuary Stage Lighting.....	(\$3,863).....	\$ <u>to be determined</u>
2. 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
- ❖ *Sabbath, November 12* 161.00