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

Sabbath
December 10, 2016

JOURNEY TO BETHLEHEM
Story Of Jesus Birth Dramatized
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

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Adult Bible Study Classes

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Other Locations

| Class 4: Ed Taylor                | Sanctuary-Right Back Corner |
| Class 5: Jeremiah Burt (Gen-X)    | Room #5                      |
| 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

Prelude

WWVA Orchestra

Song of Welcome (Please stand for opening song)

- “Joy to the World”  
- “Angels We Have Heard on High”  

Welcome to Worship

Pastor Lloyd

Church Alive!

- “Getting to Know You” Card  
- Journey to Bethlehem  
- Today’s Giving Focus: ACS  
  Sharlene Devereaux

Celebrating Children

- Children’s Song & Story  
  Praise Team

From the Pastor’s Heart

Welcome to worship on this Sabbath day. A special greeting to our WWVA musicians and families who are here today. Please fill out the “Getting to Know You” card in the pew racks to let us know how we can serve you.

If Jesus commanded you only once not to do something would that be enough... for you to obey Him? What if He explicitly told you five times? Would you then not do it, or would you choose your own way? This morning we will unpack this important command from Jesus in a way that will help us not only be in obedience to Christ, but will led us to the Miracle Baby of the Christmas Season who became our Savior.

Pastor Lloyd

Walla Walla Valley Academy

Orchestra and Choir

Directors: Ben Gish & Patti Short

Christmas Devotional: “Miracle Baby... No Worries”

“His Eye Is On the Sparrow” – “God Will Take Care of You”  
“O Come Let Us Adore Him”

Blessing-Sending  
Pastor Lloyd

Postlude

WWVA Orchestra

Praise Team: Kristin Fry & Friends; Pianist: Jan Roberts  
Lead Elder: Sharlene Devereaux
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. Please bring donated food to the school office designating the classroom which it is for. Thank you for helping us feed these adoptable pets.
- MSAS is accepting applications for a bus driver. You may contact the school at 541-938-7131 or email lepiba@miltonstateline.org.

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.

CHRISTMAS PARTY AT VILLAGE CHURCH
Singles, families, and friends are invited to a Christmas Party tomorrow, Sunday, December 11, 12:30-4:30 pm in the College Place Village Church Fellowship Room. There will be a semi-potluck — A-M bring breads, N-Z bring salad/vegetable; all may bring desserts, lasagna and drink provided. Bring $7-10 gift for exchange. Come and join us for great food, fellowship, and games. Questions?? Call Virginia at 509-525-2892. Hosted by Solo Soaring Singles.

50-PLUS CLUB POTLUCK
You are invited to the 50-Plus Potluck, Sunday, December 18, 5:00pm in the Youth Center. Please bring a favorite vegetarian dish and enjoy a program presented by Roman and Linda Hintz.

JOURNEY TO BETHLEHEM
You are invited to walk through the live nativity set on December 9, 10, 11
6:00-8:00pm
Refreshments are served at the end of the journey in the Fellowship Hall
Bring Your Friends!
It is all about Jesus!!
Announcements

JOURNEY TO BETHLEHEM December 9, 10, 11; 6:00-8:00pm.
For More Information, please contact Marja McChesney, Church Office: (509) 386-6071, churchoffice@miltonadventist.org.

COOKIES, SOUP, CIDER FOR JTB
Sign-up sheets are at the Church Office weekdays
And in the church foyer on Sabbath
Please contact Denise Carr at 541-938-7702

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION
A special come-and-go birthday celebration for Irene Engelhart will be held in honor of 97 years. It will be held at Caring Hands Adult Home on December 17, 3:00-5:00pm. Cards appreciated and memories shared. Address: 618 SW Evans Ave, College Place. If you have any questions, please contact Dianne Cook, daughter, 509-240-2203.

PLEASE JOIN US for “Candles and Carols” a Christmas Eve worship experience filled with scripture, candle lighting, choir music and a chance to sing beloved Christmas songs with your friends and family. Saturday December 24, 4:00pm in the Milton Adventist Church sanctuary.

ADVENTIST COMMUNITY SERVICES & THRIFT STORE
ACS is in need of an individual to fold plastic bags to use at the check stand. This task may be done at home. Please contact Joyce Chinn for more details: 541-938-0333 or 509-520-2897. Thank you.

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)

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: Adventist Community Services. ACS serves communities to providing assistance to people affected by flooding, fire, and other disasters to touch one heart and transform our communities.

❖ 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

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Received for December

$4,305

Various Milton Church Giving Projects

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<td>2. South Parking Lot</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, November 26  58.21
❖ Sabbath, December 3  114.00