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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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 - Earliten ............................... ................. Northwest
- Senior High ....................................................... Northwest

Adult Bible Study Classes

- Room #1: Nancy Stolz ........................................ Lesson Study
- Room #2: Loren Fenton/Gordon Woerner .......... Lesson Study
- Room #5: Jeremiah Burt ......................... Gen-X/Millennial Emphasis
- Room #6: Vaun Miller/Wolfgang Radelfinger .... Lesson Study

Other Locations

- Sanctuary – right-back: Ed Taylor ........ Lesson Study
- Fellowship Hall: Lorin Wentland ................ Lesson Study

Worship Service

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

10:45am – 12:15pm

Scriptural Focus

“I press toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.”
Philippians 3:14 NKJV

Song of Welcome: “Refiner’s Fire” Praise Team
Pastoral Welcome & Prayer Pastor Lloyd
Church Alive! Lorin Wentland
Celebrating Children by Song and Story Joel Morgan
Worship in Giving: Milton Church Budget Lorin Wentland
Songs of Praise Praise Team
Worship in Prayer Gary Vietz
Special Music: “I Will Go On” Lisa McMackin
Message: “A Vision for 2018” Part 2 Pastor Lloyd
Song of Commitment
Benediction Pastor Lloyd

Praise Team: Lisa McMackin, Audrey & Dan Eslinger
Keyboard: Gladys Wentland
Lead Elder: Lorin Wentland

From the Pastor’s Heart

What is your vision for 2018? The word “vision” throws us sometimes. We sometimes pair up vision with some God-given supernatural insight that happens in a Mount Sinai moment—lightening, thunder and earth shaking. Praise God, I just got a vision! That’s just not accurate. Most enduring visions happen quietly and persistently as we faithfully “press toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.”

I want to first tell you how glad I am that you are here today. It is not by accident that we are here. But secondly, I want to remind you that God is at work to “finish the good work He has begun in you.” In today’s sermon we will look at concrete ways we can, with vision, be more effective in performing the work God would have us do… individually and as “the body of Christ.”

Pastor Lloyd
MILTON-STATELINE ADVENTIST SCHOOL
Milton-Stateline Adventist School invites you a Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, February 4th, 8:00 am to 10:00 am, at the Stateline Adventist Church Fellowship Hall. There will be many delicious breakfast items to choose from. The cost is by donation. All the proceeds go to the 8th grade trip fund. See you there!

SONBRIDGE CONSTITUENCY MEETING will be held on Sunday, February 11, 10:00 am. The agenda will include inspiring financial and development reports of God’s blessings and an update of future plans. This constituency session is for designated delegates, but interested parties are welcome to attend! Thank each of you for your amazing support.

JAMIE JORGE – HEALING MUSIC CONCERT TOUR
Jaime Jorge, a world-class violinist, will be performing a free concert on Saturday, February 24th, 2018 at 6:00 pm at the College Place SDA Church. Jamie was born in Cuba and raised in a communist country. Jaime has a passion for proclaiming the gospel through his music. His gift of musical interpretation brings new life and excitement to every song. You will be inspired by his music and blessed as he shares his testimony. The Julianna Sayler Foundation is pleased to partner with Jaime Jorge in presenting this concert and in support of families fighting pediatric cancer.

ROSARIO SINGLES RETREAT April 5-8, 2018 in Anacortes WA. Marvin Wray, pastor of the Napa California SDA Church is our weekend speaker. His passion in ministry is to share the absolute assurance of God’s gift of salvation. Arrive Thursday and spend Friday on an Island Adventure in the San Juan Islands. Registration is $235 for the full retreat. Other registration options are listed on the registration form. For more details and a registration form, send an email to RosarioRetreat@Gmail.com. For those without access to email, you may call our registration line at 360 588-8383. Contact Wendy at Wendyu@uccsda.org or call (509) 360-588-8383.

RETIRED DENOMINATIONAL WORKERS' Annual Brunch, Sunday, February 11, 10:00 am, Alaska Room, WWU Cafeteria. There will be a fee at the door for this Gala Event. Come with your spouse or a friend and enjoy a delightful program. HOWEVER, Reservation is required. Please call Bona Engen 509-522-4848.

UCC CHILDREN’S LEADERSHIP EXPO
Registration is now available for the UCC Children’s Leadership Expo . . . a one-day training event to inspire, train, network, equip, and resource those working with children. It is scheduled for Sunday, March 4, 10am to 4pm at UCC. Register online [www.uccsda.org/expo]; lunch is included. Save $10 by registering by February 16. For more information, contact Wendy Urbina at wendyu@uccsda.org or call (509) 838-2761.

Milton Church Life Calendar

Today, Sabbath, February 3
10:45am JAM: Children’s Church (Youth Chapel)
10:45am Pastor Lloyd: A Vision for 2018 pt. 2 – A Life that Matters
1:00pm General Potluck. Everyone Welcome! (Fellowship Hall)
5:01pm Sunset— Lev. 23:32

Sunday, February 4
8-10am Pancake Breakfast (MSAS) (See News Notes)

Monday, February 5
9am-12pm Church Office Hours
10am-4pm Thrift Store Open (713 S Main St. Milton-Freewater)

Tuesday, February 6
9am-12pm Church Office Hours (Staff meeting & worship 9:30-11:00)
7:00pm BLAST Youth Group (Youth Chapel)

Wednesday, February 7
9am-12pm Church Office Hours
12 noon Church Bulletin Information Due
6:15pm Pathfinders, Adventurers, Eager Beavers (Fellowship Hall)
7:00pm Prayer Meeting – Romans 12 (Junior Room)

Thursday, February 8
9am-12pm Church Office Hours
10am-4pm Thrift Store Open (713 S Main St. Milton-Freewater)

Friday, February 9
5:10pm Sunset— Lev. 23:32

Sabbath, February 10
8:45am Prayer time with the church Elders (Youth Chapel)
10:45am Pastor Lloyd: A Vision for 2018 pt. 3 – A “First Fruits” Life
1:00pm Fellowship Meal (Fellowship Hall)
5:11pm Sunset— Lev. 23:32

Sunday, February 11
10:00am SonBridge Constituency Meeting (SonBridge Community Center, College Place)

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS IN – 2nd Reading
- Joyce Anliker from Blue Mountain Valley - Mission, Athena OR
- Maurena Gutierrez from Touchet, WA
- Albert Marion from Desert Hot Springs, CA

JAM Children’s Church
February 3 at 10:45am in the Youth Chapel
“The Circle of Love”
Bring your kids and grandkids to this Special Valentine’s JAM where they will learn about God’s love for them & how to love others.
Announcements

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 or Juanita Radelfinger: 509-540-8035.

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 & Thursdays between 10:00am-4:00pm. The funds received support our worthy students, and outreach ministries. Volunteers are welcome to apply!

JAM: CHILDREN’S CHURCH
JAM (Jesus and Me) is a special church service for kids grades 1-6. Bring your children to our Youth Chapel the first Sabbath of each month at 10:45am. There they will experience unique ways to learn about Jesus through singing, skits, puppets, object lessons, and breakout sessions.

NEW SERMON SERIES: PASTOR LLOYD
Minor Players in Major Drama
Feb. 17 Caiphas: High Priest with Low Understanding
Feb. 24 Pilate’s Wife: I Tried to Warn Him!
Mar. 3 Judas: All They Had to Do Was Listen to Me
Mar. 10 Speaker/Singer: Pam Tucker / Afternoon Concert (4:30pm)
Mar. 14 Simon of Cyrene: I Carried His Cross (Wed. at 7pm)
Mar. 17 Peter: Man of Big Mistakes
Mar. 21 The Centurion: The Toughest, Meanest Man in Town (Wed.)
Mar. 30 LAST SUPPER DRAMA: Is It I? - Part 1 (Fri. at 7pm)
Mar. 31 DRAMA: Is It I? (Saturday at 11am)
Mar. 31 Joseph of Arimathea: He Slept in My Tomb (Sat. at 5pm)

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION
Thank you, dear church family, for your prayers, visits, and many expressions of concern and encouragement during Mineard’s bout with pneumonia! His re-scheduled “come-and-go” 90th birthday celebration will be Sunday, February 18, 2-4pm in the Village Church Fellowship Hall, 12th & Larch, College Place. PLEASE confirm your plans to attend by February 10, 2018: Nancy, (509) 520-5442. We look forward to celebrating with all his friends!! (Remember, your presence is the only present desired.)

Giving at Milton
As part of our commitment to praise God, we receive a love offering during the morning worship service. When we return our “Tithes” to God we proclaim our dependence and trust in Him. God invites us in Malachi 3:6-12 to return “all the tithes to the storehouse.”

❖ Today’s focus and loose offering: 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 that ministry on the appropriate line.
Thank You.

#1 – Milton Church Budget (MCB)
1. Needed in 2017-------------------------------------------- $ 172,296
2. Received in 2017------------------------------------------ 150,398
3. Short for 2017 --------------------------------------------- 21,898
4. Monthly Average Needed in 2017------------------------- $ 14,358
5. Received for January 2018 ------------------------------- 6,417

#2 – Giving Commitments Not in MCB
Outreach Coordinator $3,000 needed monthly

Children’s Offering Report

The Children’s Offering is used to help fund our Worthy Student Assistance Fund. These funds make a big difference. Here is a report on how much has come in the last four Sabbaths. You can also give directly to Milton Student Aid.

❖ January 6........................................................................ $ 87
❖ January 13......................................................................... 137
❖ January 20.......................................................................... 89
❖ January 27......................................................................... 76