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

Three Weekends to Easter
Testimonies about Jesus

Weekend #1
The Testimony of Pilate & His Wife

Weekend #2
The Testimony of Judas

Weekend #3
The Testimony of “The Twelve”

Sabbath
March 17, 2018
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)………………………… South West
- Kindergarten (4 Years –1st grade)………………… South West
- Primary (2nd – 4th grade)………………………… South West
- Juniors - Earlteen ................................. North West
- Senior High…………………………………… North West

Adult Bible Study Classes
- Side Hall North of Sanctuary
  - 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
John 19:5: “…and Pilate said to them, “Behold the Man!”

Song of Welcome: “I Will Sing of My Redeemer” ........................... Hymn 343
Pastoral Welcome & Prayer ......................................... Pastor Nancy
Church Alive! .......................................................... Worship Leader
Celebrating Children .............................................. Lisa McMackin
Worship in Giving: Milton Church Budget (MCB) ................. Bob Stuart
Songs of Worship ................................. Congregational
Worship in Prayer ........................................... Sharlene Devereaux
Musical Meditation: “God Loves” ........................... Jim Grindley & Bob Stuart

From the Pastor’s Heart
World-wide the Christian community unites in proclaiming the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus at a time called Easter. “Maundy” Thursday, “Good” Friday, Saturday “Sabbath”, and “Easter” Sunday are all days fixed firmly in the minds of Christians—they speak of Jesus’ Lord’s Supper, Jesus’ Death, Jesus’ Rest, and Jesus’ Resurrection. Here at Milton Adventist we passionately lend our voices to proclaiming these huge pivotal truths… not only around Easter time, but all year long.

Please invite your friends, neighbors, fellow students and work associates to come to each weekend. Next weekend THE TESTIMONY OF JUDAS (“If He had only listened to ME!”) will be a powerful time for them--and you--to be reminded of Jesus’ mission to save His children.

Many thanks to Kristin Fry for playing the role of Claudia this morning, and to Dea Perrin for playing the role of Deandria, her daughter.

Praise Team: Lisa McMackin, Audrey & Dan Eslinger
Pianist: Gladys Wentland
Lead Elder: Bob Stuart

Pastor Lloyd
MILTON-STATELINE ADVENTIST SCHOOL

Thank you for coming to the MSAS Fair! It was a big success!

MSAS Board meets on Tuesday, March 20 at 6:30pm at MSAS.

BLUE MT VALLEY WOMEN’S RETREAT
The retreat will be at Camp Touchet on April 6-8. Speakers will be some of our ladies telling their own stories. Please contact Marilyn Nelson for more information: 509-529-5708 or marilynnelson225@gmail.com. Application forms are available at the Information Desk in the Church Lobby.

50+ POTLUCK
The 50+ Potluck will be held on Sunday, March 18, 5:00pm at the Youth Center, 8th & Bade in College Place. Come and enjoy good food, fellowship, and a musical program presented by Jan Roberts. And of course, bring a friend!

WWVA Drama presents the musical Godspell March 17 at 8:00 and March 18 at 7:00 in Village Hall on the Walla Walla University campus. Join us as a group of eccentric followers help Jesus act out the timeless lessons of the gospel in modern America and, one by one, they "get it." $10 for adults, $5 for students. Several of our Milton students will be in this drama.

DISCOVERY PRESCHOOL
Discovery Preschool is now enrolling children ages 3-5. It is the goal of our staff to work closely together with each family to provide a solid foundation for intellectual, physical, social and spiritual growth of the child. Contact information: stacy.maxted@wallawalla.edu or (509) 527-2252. Visit: wallawalla.edu/preschool

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!**

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**Milton Church Life Calendar**

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**News Notes**

"Then came Jesus out, wearing the crown of thorns, and the purple robe. And Pilate said to them, "Behold the man!"”
John 19:5
March Ministry

**THREE WEEKENDS TO EASTER**

*TESTIMONIES ABOUT JESUS*

**Invite your friends to these three special weekends**

#1 Mar. 17  Pilate: “What More Could I Have Done?”
* Pilate’s Wife “I Tried to Tell him” (Kristin Fry)

#2 Mar. 23 (Fri) Judas: “If He’d only listened to me!” – 7pm
Mar. 24 (Sab) Judas: “If He’d only listened to me!” – 11am

#3 Mar. 30 (Fri) ‘The Twelve”: “Is It I?” & Living Lord’s Supper – 7pm
Mar. 31 (Sab) “The Twelve”: “Is It I?” & Living Lord’s Supper – 10:45am

**Exciting Small Group Options Beginning in April**

**WEDDING SHOWERS**

Three Wedding Showers will be hosted by our church in the coming five weeks. Each of these couples will be delighted with your presence at these showers as they prepare their homes together.

#1 - Virginia Patterson & Caleb Hilt wedding shower supper on March 25, 5:30pm at the Milton Church Fellowship Hall. (Wedding Date: June 18)
#2 – Jessica Davis & Michael Schwark shower on April 14 (Wedding Date: April 22)
#3 – Emma Woolford & Levi Evans wedding reception on April 15 (Wedding Date: July 7)

**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.

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

During March we are collecting washcloths for OCC Shoe boxes. Please bring them to the church foyer and put them into the trunk which is sitting on the table in the Ministry Nook.

**JAM: CHILDREN’S CHURCH APRIL 7**

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.

**Giving at Milton**

As part of our commitment to praise God, we receive a love offering during the morning worship service. When we return the Tithe 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.”

- **MCB = Milton Church Budget**: If you want to support the ministries our church, please give to MCB. It takes an average of $14,250 a month to fund all our local ministries.
- **Today’s Giving Focus** is Milton Church Budget. Please place your giving for this ministry in the giving envelope and write the name “Milton Church Budget” on the appropriate line. Thank You.

### #1 – Milton Church Budget (MCB)

1. Needed in 2018 .......................................................... $ 171,000
2. Monthly Average Needed in 2018 ................................. $ 14,250
3. Received for January .................................................. 6,417
4. Received for February ................................................... 14,401
5. Received March 3, 10 .................................................. 4,813

### #2 – Giving Commitments Not in MCB

**Outreach Coordinator** $3,000 needed monthly

Don’t forget, this important pastoral position is funded by specific gifts and commitments to the “Outreach Coordinator” fund. Your regular giving makes this ministry possible.

### Children’s Offering Report

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

- **January-February** ............................................... $810
- **March 3, 10** ......................................................... $224

![Life Stewardship](image)