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 personally knowing God. 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

HOPE: The Anchor for Your Soul
Sabbath
September 21, 2019
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) ........................................ Southwestern
- Kindergarten (4 Years –1st grade) .......................... Southwest
- Primary (2nd – 4th grade) .................................. Southwest
- Juniors - Earlineen .................................................. Northwest
- Senior High ......................................................... Northwest

Adult Bible Study Classes

Room #1: Nancy Stolz ........................................ Lesson Study
Room #3: Loren Fenton ........................................ Lesson Study
Room #6: Vaun Miller/Wolfgang Radelfinger ........ Lesson Study

From the Pastor’s Heart

If you’re boating on a lake or the ocean and a storm comes rolling in, hopefully you have an anchor that you can cast. The purpose of an anchor is to give you stability. It will keep your boat from drifting or being forced to places you don’t want to go. You’ll stay firmly in one place till the storm passes. But what about the storms of life? What about those storms that come on slowly, or in an instant, and you find yourself being tossed around? Is there an anchor for you, too? The good news today is that the Bible says there is—and Hebrews 6:19 says that the anchor is HOPE. “We have this hope, an anchor for the soul.” Today we’ll talk about that hope: where to find it and how to hold on to it till Heaven.

Worship Service

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

10:45am – 12:15pm

Gathering Song “Shout to the Lord” Congregational
Pastoral Welcome & Prayer Pastor Lloyd
Church Alive: One More Constituency Delegates

- WHY WE EXIST: We are Jesus’ hands bringing HOPE to our community (HOPE = Healing, Opportunity, Peace, Encouragement)
- OUR MISSION: Milton Adventist Church exists to equip and empower members to reach our communities with the Christ-centered Seventh-day Adventist message of hope and wholeness

Children's Story Seth Cantu
Worship in Giving Milton Church Budget Bob Stuart
Offertory “‘Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus” Hymn 524
Songs of Praise Congregational
Worship in Prayer Loren Fenton
Special Music “Soar” Lisa McMackin
Scripture Reading Jeremiah 29:11 & Hebrews 6:19 Emma Oltman
Message “HOPE: The Anchor for Your Soul” Pastor Nancy
Closing Song Lisa McMackin, Audrey & Dan Eslinger
Benediction Pastor Nancy

Praise Team Leader: Lisa McMackin
Keyboard: Gretta Johnson
Lead Elder: Bob Stuart
Lead Deacon: Mitch Nye
News Notes

MILTON-STATELINE ADVENTIST SCHOOL

**September 24-26** 7th and 8th graders will be learning about the Oregon Trail during a 3-day field trip to the Blue Mountains. They will be following along a covered wagon, make their own campfire with flint and cook their own food. The students will be learning leadership skills as well as history.

**October 21-25** Red Ribbon Week. This is week that MSAS focuses on drug prevention. It covers the dangers of alcohol, smoking and other drugs.

**October 28-Nov. 1** MSAS welcomes Pastor Tye Davis for a Week of Worship.

BLUE MT VALLEY CHURCH WOMEN’S MINISTRY RETREAT

The Retreat will be on the Oregon Coast the weekend of **November 1-3**. Please contact Marilyn Nelson, marilynnelson225@gmail.com, 529-5708 or 225 SE Valley Dr., College Place, for information. Let us know as soon as possible if you can come as the house fills up fast. Application forms are available at the Information Desk.

**THRIFT STORE MINISTRY**

Volunteers are needed for the following positions (1-3 hours):
- Cashiering & arranging donated items
- Talking with customers, answering questions
- Sorting & pricing donated items, i.e. clothing, books, kitchen supplies, other

Please contact Alexa for more information: 503-810-1447

WALLA WALLA VALLEY ACADEMY

All alumni are invited to return home for Alumni Weekend this year on **October 18 and 19**! For further information, contact Betty L. Farley at 509-525-1050 x234 or email farlbe@wwva.org. We’re looking forward to your return!

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Milton Church Life Calendar

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WWVA Orchestra & Choir

Sabbath, September 28, during church service

Please invite someone to hear the melodious music with us!
Announcements

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION
Hi Everyone, our mom, Colleen Nilsson, is turning 80 this year and we want you to help us celebrate! Colleen is a former Milton church member and church secretary. She also worked 40 or so years at MSAS as the librarian plus various other jobs. She moved away approximately 2 years ago and misses seeing all of you. Since her birthday is in December when the weather is bad, we will be celebrating Sabbath, October 5 at the general Milton Church potluck. Please bring your favorite potluck dish and join us for cake and well wishes. There will be a basket for cards, but no gifts, please. Her gift is being able to see and visit all of you! Please come and help us celebrate this special milestone. It is a surprise at this point, so please help keep it that way. Thanks: Daughter Nancy

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD
During SEPTEMBER we are collecting WOW TOYS 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. Thank you.

THRIFT STORE
Address: 713 S. Main Street, Milton
Phone: 541-938-9188
Store Hours: Monday & Thursday 10am-4pm
Donations: Sunday – Thursday, 10am-2pm
Donations are also accepted by appointment.

Landscape Renewal Project
The new plants for landscaping around the outside of our Church and Fellowship Hall have been ordered and are scheduled for delivery. Our church members are invited to a “Planting Party” on Sunday, September 22, 9:00am. A sandwich bar lunch will be prepared by the Deaconesses. It will take approximately 170 plants to do the job. That may seem like a lot of plants but they will be a smaller plant than we have had in the past and easier to maintain and very attractive from what I’ve seen. We would like to see this as a full church project. The length of time to complete it depends on how many people get involved. Plants and landscaping are donated as a memorial to Sam LeFore.

Ron Haney (Capital Improvement & Maintenance Committee)

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.

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 of our church, please give to MCB. Loose offering goes for Milton Church Budget.

Milton Church Budget (MCB)
1. Monthly Average Needed in 2019 -------------------------- $ 14,902
2. Received for January-March ----------------------------- 33,057
3. Received for April-June ------------------------------- 36,925
4. July -----------------------------------------------7,682
5. August-----------------------------------------------17,892
6. Sept 7, 14 ----------------------------------------5,580

Church Board Approved Projects
7. ADA Doors --------------------------------- Total funds in hand!
8. Highway 11 Electronic Sign ------------------------ $ 3,520
9. Fellowship Hall Lighting --------------------------- Total funds in hand!

Please give to the Student Aid Fund.
2019-2020 Student Aid needed monthly: $3,897 for 10 months

Children’s Offering Report
The Children’s Offering helps fund our Worthy Student Assistance. These funds make a big difference. Here is an update on how much has come in so far this year. You can also give directly to Milton Student Aid.

❖ January-March........................................... $ 1,710
❖ April-June .................................................. 1,651
❖ July ........................................................... 326
❖ August ......................................................... 842
❖ September 7, 14 ......................................... 239

Stewardship
Sharing the gifts we have