

## 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



*On a Journey with Jesus*

**Sabbath**  
**January 11, 2020**

# 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.

<b>Children’s Divisions</b>	<b>Church Hallway</b>
▪ Beginners (0-3 Years).....	Southwest
▪ Kindergarten (4 Years –1 <sup>st</sup> grade).....	Southwest
▪ Primary (2 <sup>nd</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> grade).....	Southwest
▪ Juniors - Earliteen.....	Northwest
▪ Senior High.....	Northwest

<b>Adult Bible Study Classes</b>	<b>Study Topic</b>
<i>Side Hall North of Sanctuary</i>	
▪ Room #1: Nancy Stolz.....	Lesson Study
▪ Room #3: Loren Fenton/Bob Stuart.....	Lesson Study
▪ Room #6: Vaun Miller/Wolfgang Radelfinger.....	Lesson Study

- Other Locations**
- Sanctuary – *right-back*: Ed Taylor ..... Lesson Study
  - Fellowship Hall: LeRoy Waggoner/Lorin Wentland..... Lesson Study
  - Fellowship Hall Classroom: Jeremiah Burt ..... Gen-X/Millennial



## From the Pastor’s Heart

Last night I read the familiar text, “*Your Word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path*” (Psalm 119:105). Although it was written thousands of years ago, the Bible is still today what it has always been: the word of God Himself! Words that teach us the right way to live: words that show us what Jesus is like; words that assure us that we’re forgiven and accepted by God; words that comfort us when we’re hurting; and words that give us hope for the future.

We all have Bibles in our homes, but how often do we open and read them? It would be unfortunate to leave a book full of such wisdom and promises and hope lying around collecting dust. As a church family, let’s make 2020 a year to really dig into the Bible and let it change us! We don’t know what the New Year might bring, but we do know that God’s words in the Bible will see us through.

**Pastor Nancy**

# Worship Service

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

**10:45am – 12:15pm**

<b>Prelude</b>		Ron Coleman, Clarinet
<b>Gathering Songs</b>		Congregational
<b>Pastoral Welcome &amp; Prayer</b>		Pastor Lloyd
<b>Church Alive!</b>		Sharlene Devereaux
<b>Children’s Story</b>		Wolfgang Radelfinger
<b>Worship in Giving</b>	UCC Advance	Sharlene Devereaux
<b>Offertory</b>		Instrumental Trio
<b>Songs of Praise</b>		Congregational
<b>Prayer Song</b>	“ <i>Break Thou the Bread of Life</i> ”	Congregational
<b>Worship in Prayer</b>		Bob Sepolen
<b>Special Music</b>	“ <i>Peaceful Isle</i> ”	Instrumental Trio
<b>Message</b>	“ <b>How to Be Strong for God</b> ”	<b>Pastor Lloyd</b>
<b>Closing Song</b>	“ <i>Ancient Words</i> ”	Congregational
<b>Benediction</b>		Pastor Lloyd
<b>Postlude</b>		Brandon Rittenaur, Cello

**Special Music:** Roylan Messinger, Ron Coleman, Brandon Rittenaur  
**Praise Team:** Carmelle Boyd & Kristin Fry; **Keyboard:** Jan Roberts  
**Lead Elder:** Sharlene Devereaux; **Lead Deacon:** Jeff Johnson  
**Audio-Visual Technician:** Dwayne Evans

# News Notes

## MILTON-STATELINE ADVENTIST SCHOOL



MSAS's mission statement is "Mission oriented, Scripture guided, Achievement focused, Service defined". In keeping with this, a few of our students decided to help the **Star Project** which is a local program to help people who have been released from incarceration to re-integrate into the community as productive citizens. These students have already collected needed items. In addition, the students are hosting a movie night on Sabbath, **February 22, 5:30pm** in our gym. We will be showing "Homeward Bound"! There will be a concession stand. The admission is free. *We are asking of donations of: coats-all sizes-men, women and children, blankets, cookware, kid's toys, shoes, socks, hygiene products, canned foods, baby stuff for 1 girl and 1 boy, kids stuff for a 3rd grade boy, a 4th grade girl, and a junior high girl.*

## WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY



Starting on Tuesday, **January 7, at 1:00pm**, there will be a weekly Bible Study at ABC Christian Family Bookstore. Myla Brueske will lead out by using the book: Compelling Love of Jesus by Clinton Meharry as the basis for the study. Come join us. *If you missed last week, plan to come this coming week!*

## ADVENTIST RETIRED WORKERS

There will be a special AWR dinner and program "Adventures on Pitcairn" on **Sunday, January 12, 1:00pm** at Wheatland Village. A vegan/vegetarian meal will be served, compliments of the Management. However, pre-registration is required! Please call Bona Engen at 509-522-4848 for reservation.

## SONBRIDGE COMMUNITY SERVICES



SonBridge Constituency meeting will be held on Sunday, **February 9, 2020, 10:00am**. 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.

## CHRISTIAN AID CENTER

We have two open positions for females to be part of our team at the Christian Aid Center. It's our overnight/weekend Resident Assistant in the new women & children's shelter. It's a position that fits well for young women who are still single and have a heart for ministry, and want to gain some experience. It is not an hourly paid position, but the compensation is free housing and utilities. No experience is necessary. For more information, a complete job description is available by contacting Crystal Wright, Women & Children Services Manager at [cwright@christianaidcenter.or](mailto:cwright@christianaidcenter.or) or (509) 525-7153.

# Milton Church Life Calendar

## **Today, Sabbath, January 11**

- 9:30-10:30am Sabbath School Classes
- 10:45am Pastor Lloyd: How to Be Strong for God
- 12:30pm Fellowship Meal (Fellowship Hall)
- 4:28pm Sunset— Lev. 23:32
- 5:30-6:30pm Church Game night (Fellowship Hall)

## **Monday, January 13**

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

## **Tuesday, January 14**

- 9am-12pm **Church Office Open**
- 10:00am Pastoral Staff Meeting (Pastor's Office)
- 6:00-6:45pm Youth Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- 7:00pm Milton Church Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- 7:00pm BLAST Youth Group (Youth Chapel)

## **Wednesday, January 15**

- 9am-12pm **Church Office Open**
- 12 noon Church Bulletin Information Due
- 6:15pm Pathfinders
- 6:30pm Mid-Week Bible Discovery (Junior Room)

## **Thursday, January 16**

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

## **Friday, January 17**

- 4:36pm Sunset— Lev. 23:32
- 7:00pm JAM Vespers (Youth Chapel)

## **Sabbath, January 18**

- 8:45am Prayer time with the church Elders (Junior Room)
- 9:30-10:30am Sabbath School Classes
- 10:45am Pastor Lloyd: Big Rocks First
- 12:30pm Fellowship Meal (Fellowship Hall)
- 4:37pm Sunset— Lev. 23:32

**The Pastors will be away for their annual Pastoral Workers Meeting in Spokane January 12-15, 2020.**



# Announcements

## JAM: CHILDREN'S CHURCH – FEBRUARY 1



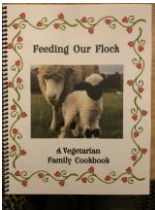
JAM (Jesus and Me) is a special church service for kids grades 1-6. Bring your children to our Youth Chapel the **first Sabbath of each month** at 10:45am. There they will experience unique ways to learn about Jesus through singing, skits, puppets, object lessons, and breakout sessions.

## OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD



During **January** 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.

## FEEDING OUR FLOCK COOKBOOKS ARE HERE!



The Fundraiser Cookbooks are ready to be picked up NOW!! Extras are being ordered should anyone want to purchase one at that time. This vegetarian cookbook has 405 recipes and are \$20 each. You may get yours from Sharlene Taylor: 3 SE Birch Ave, College Place (Corner of Birch/Whitman Drive by Davis School), or for more information call: 509-714-4056. *Also available at ABC Christian Family Bookstore.*

## 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.

## BIBLE STUDY



You are invited to join us on **Wednesdays, 6:30pm** for the mid-week Bible Discovery group led out by Pastor Lloyd. You will read God's Word and be refreshed, vitalized, and energized by the messages given to us in the Scripture.

## COMMUNITY THRIFT STORE



If you are interested in donating clothing and miscellaneous household items, you may drop them off at 713 S. Main Street in Milton, Phone: 541-938-9188. The Thrift Store hours are: **Mondays and Thursdays between 10:00am-4:00pm.** *The funds received support our worthy students, church and community outreach.*

# 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)

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| 1. Needed in 2019 -----                    | \$ 178,824 |
| 2. Received for January-December -----     | 174,628    |
| 3. Needed in 2020 (14,718 per month) ----- | 176,616    |
| 4. January 4, 2020-----                    | 2,705      |

### Church Board Approved Projects

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| 5. Highway 11 Electronic Sign ----- | \$ 3,520 |
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### **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-December 2019 Total ..... \$ 7,175
- ❖ January 4, 2020 ..... 278

