

# Your Church News

Welcome to the Adventist Community Church of Vancouver

❖ **All-church potluck luncheon** next Sabbath, September 8. Join your church family for good food and conversation. We will be hosting 30 known guests this month, so, as always, bring plenty of food for your family, and especially this month, more for our guests.

❖ **Membership Transfers 2nd Reading** - Please welcome Eddie Sarmie and Rabin Giles both by Profession of Faith. Fond Farewell to Michael & Kimberly Hudgens and Alex Smith Torres to Camelback SDA, and Cindy & Sharisse Powell to Yacolt SDA.

❖ **Adventurers Club** is looking to fill two teacher positions. If you love working with kids and have two Monday evenings a month to give to a great ministry, contact Leslie Cairns at aclac2@hotmail.com or 360-356-4463.

❖ **Additional sites have opened up for the all church campout September 15.** 3 RV sites, 1 handicap RV site, and 2 double hotel style cabins are now available. There are still plenty of rustic cabins available. Email muffypiper@earthlink.net or catch her at church.

❖ **Diabetes Undone**, an interactive 8-session video workshop featuring diabetes expert Dr. Wes Youngberg and dietitian Brenda Davis, will be presented at our church beginning September 16. Register by calling the church at 360-696-2511 or email VancouverHealthyLiving@gmail.com. See bulletin board for more information.

❖ **Volunteers needed** - On Sunday, October 21, we are hosting a conference-sponsored Child Protection Training Workshop. We need greeters and assistants to help the program run smoothly. A couple of volunteers will also be needed to set out and serve the catered meal and clean up after. Please call the church office if you can help.

❖ **Adventures in Odyssey.** Moms and Dads, Grandpas and Grandmas, Aunts and Uncles: Do you remember listening to Whit and all the characters in the Adventures in Odyssey stories? We have a new generation who would like to listen to them also. Our library's Adventures in Odyssey sets are on 20 to 25-year-old cassette tapes, in cracked or broken boxes and missing cassettes. And who still has a cassette player? A new set on CD will cost around \$1,200. Will you help us buy a new set? Please place your gift in a tithe envelope and mark it Church Library/Odyssey. Thank you so much for your help!!

❖ **Community Services (CCACS)** need for the month of September – **soap.** If you can, buy an extra bar, or more, and place in the basket in the entry.

Keep Our Children Safe

We, as parents, family, teachers, pastors – as a church – are committed to practices that help keep our children safe.



❖ On October 21, a regional **Church/Child Safety Training workshop** will be held at our church. This is an Oregon Conference program for parents, leaders, and members.

❖ There is a charge for this training, but if you are in any leadership or children's ministry position in the church, we will pay your registration fee. Please sign up in the lobby or notify the church office by September 27.

❖ If you don't qualify for church sponsorship, register at <https://orgcriskmanagement.netadvent.org> or pick up a registration form in the church lobby. Early registration at \$15 ends September 28. Register up to October 15, \$20.

❖ **Background checks:** Anyone in a leadership position in the church should submit to a background check. Anyone involved in a children's ministry or a ministry that may include children **must** do a background check. Background check results are valid for three years. Download the form at [www.oregonconference.org/](http://www.oregonconference.org/). Go to Department/Risk Management/Volunteers.

## Around the Conference

❖ **Sabbath Vespers with Bobby McGhee & Friends** at Sunnyside SDA Church on September 1 at 6:00 p.m. Stark Street pizza follows vespers.

❖ **First Friday at Adventist Health, Portland** Friday, September 7, at 7:15 p.m. will feature Adventist Health praise band and an inspirational thought from Pastor Moe Stiles.

❖ **Whipple Creek SDA Church** will host a Prayer Convocation on September 8 at 2:15 p.m. There will be speakers and a unity in prayer time as well as handouts and references on prayer.

❖ Are you a Columbia Academy alumnus who graduated in 1968 or before? Join the **Columbia Classics** on September 8 for a time of reconnecting, food, and spiritual rejuvenation. Breakfast at 8:30 a.m.

❖ **Rockwood SDA Church Pathfinder fundraiser**, featuring Michael Harrison, pianist & composer, will be held September 23 at 6:00 p.m. Reserved seats \$50 each, general admission by donation. More information available from Jane Roe 971-533-4838.

## WHO TO CALL

|                                              |                                                                 |
|----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Ministers:</b> Everyone                   | ask-them                                                        |
| <b>Lead Pastor</b> Roger Walter              | 360-696-2511                                                    |
| <b>Administrative Pastor</b> John Bryson     | 360-624-0539                                                    |
| <b>Outreach Pastor</b> Danny Kim             | 503-572-5594                                                    |
| <b>Discipleship Pastor</b><br>Ryan Whitehead | 423-827-9559                                                    |
| <b>Youth/Young Adult</b><br>Grayson Abaya    | 808-232-4983                                                    |
| <b>Bible Worker</b> Becky Wilson             | 719-459-2788                                                    |
| <b>Head Elder</b> Craig Frantz               | 360-921-4246                                                    |
| <b>Head Deacon</b> Dennis Gilliland          | 360-696-2511                                                    |
| <b>Head Deaconess</b> Becky Wilson           | 719-459-2788                                                    |
| <b>Pathfinders</b>                           | Church Office                                                   |
| <b>Adventurers</b> Leslie Cairns             | 360-356-4463                                                    |
| <b>Church Office</b> Louise Craig            | 360-696-2511                                                    |
|                                              | Tues-Thurs 10:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.<br>Fri 10:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. |

### Seventh-day Adventist Community Church of Vancouver

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[www.VancouverAdventist.com](http://www.VancouverAdventist.com)  
[Facebook.com/AdventistCommunityChurch](https://www.facebook.com/AdventistCommunityChurch)

### Meadow Glade Adventist Elementary School

18717 NE 109th Ave. 360-687-5121  
Battle Ground, WA 98604

### Columbia Adventist Academy

11100 NE 189th St. 360-687-3161  
Battle Ground, WA 98604

### Community Services (CCACS) 360-695-8632

3114 E Fourth Plain Blvd  
Vancouver, WA 98661  
Monday & Tuesday 9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

### Clark County Adventist Community Services August 2018

|                 |        |
|-----------------|--------|
| Families Served | 677    |
| Pounds of Food  | 28,480 |
| Homeless served | 280    |
| Clothing Items  | 1,513  |
| Volunteers      | 52     |
| Hours           | 1,314  |

## THIS WEEK

### TODAY

9 & 11:15 – Pastor Roger Walter  
Young Adults 12:30 p.m.  
Sabbath ends 7:48 p.m.

### MONDAY

Labor Day Holiday

### TUESDAY

Community Services Open

### WEDNESDAY

Early Risers Prayer Meeting 5:30 a.m.

### FRIDAY

Pathfinders at the Wrights 6:30 p.m.  
Sabbath begins 7:36 p.m.

### SABBATH

Offering – World Budget  
Church Potluck after 2nd service  
Young Adults 12:30 p.m.

## PLAN AHEAD

### September:

- 9 Pathfinder Car Wash Fund Raiser
- 9 Corn Feed & Potluck
- 14-16 Church Campout
- 16 Diabetes Undone

### October:

- 7 Church Work Bee

## Praise & Prayer

New prayer needs are listed here. For the full list see the bulletin board, ask at the greeter's desk, or at [www.VancouverAdventist.com/PrayerList](http://www.VancouverAdventist.com/PrayerList).

**Praise:** Ray Akrawi, successful surgery

*To keep this list current, please send updates to the church office.*

## Our Schools

Meadow Glade Adventist Elementary School — MGAES  
Columbia Adventist Academy — CAA

**MGAES School Carnival** to benefit student aid will be held on Sunday, September 23 from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Come for games, food, karaoke, and more.

**MGAES is hiring:** Tutors to help with reading/writing. Must be state certified and meet the criteria for "highly qualified." Part-time, hourly rate, hours vary. Kidzone Assistant - 22 1/2 hours/week, split shift AM/PM. \$12.50/hour.

**MGAES is looking for adult volunteers** to mentor students. One hour/week for the entire school year. Contact the school for more information at 360-687-5121.

## Resources

- ❖ Check the bulletin boards for announcements.
- ❖ Children's bulletins, quiet activity bags, and clipboards/paper & pencils available in the lobby for your children.
- ❖ Having trouble hearing? Ask a greeter or deacon to point out someone who can help you with an assistive hearing device.

Today's Offering:

## Church Budget

**GIVE NOW**

Point your bar code reader-enabled smart phone here.



## Church Finances

| Fiscal Year 7/1/18 - 6/30/19 | Church Budget | Mortgage   | Salary Fund | Student Aid |
|------------------------------|---------------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| Monthly Goal                 | \$ 27,760     | \$ 13,555  | \$ 5,000    | \$ 4,900    |
| Rec'd 8/25/2018 + on-line    | \$ 2,829      | \$ 1,896   | \$ 375      | \$ 308      |
| Rec/d This Month to Date     | \$ 16,537     | \$ 5,062   | \$ 1,259    | \$ 1,499    |
| Recd YTD (since 7/1/18)      | \$ 31,419     | \$ 15,801  | \$ 3,924    | \$ 4,719    |
| Budget Fiscal YTD            | \$ 55,520     | \$ 23,721  | \$ 8,750    | \$ 8,575    |
| Over (Short) YTD             | \$ (24,101)   | \$ (7,920) | \$ (4,826)  | \$ (3,856)  |

Our church ministers to the community in many different ways; through The Center, our members, even our church building. The church budget helps cover the costs associated with our ministries. Please prayerfully consider donating to the church budget, so we can continue to be a beacon for God in our community.



September 1, 2018

Welcome to the  
Seventh-day Adventist  
Community Church of Vancouver

9:00 a.m.

Morning Reflections (8:50 a.m.)

Church Life

Offering

Hymn of Praise

Scripture & Prayer

Morning Message

Hymn of Response

Church Budget

'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

Acts 13:22-23

David: Adulterer to Faithful

We'll Build on the Rock

Sid Stafford

Pastor John Bryson

Bret Stephens

No. 524

Todd Pascoe

Pastor Roger Walter

No. 531

Praise Leader: Sid Stafford

Keyboard: Ben Turner

Head Deacon: Dennis Jorgenson

10:00 a.m.

Sabbath School Bible Study ~ We will gladly assist you in selecting a class.

11:15 a.m.

Church Life

Offering

Children's Story

Songs of Praise

Prayer

Morning Message

Church Budget

David: Adulterer to Faithful

Pastor John Bryson

Ron Oliver

Grayson Abaya

Praise Team

Rhonda Bolton

Pastor Roger Walter

Praise Leader & Keyboard: Summer Walter

Head Deacon: Rick LaFountain