Welcome to Eastgate SDA Church! A message from Pastor Lloyd Perrin

There is a powerful chapter of the Bible that will literally transform your lives from the inside out. If you will saturate and mold your mind with God's way of looking at <u>all the circumstances</u> you face, as viewed through the passage, you will have "good success" in everything you do. Seem outrageously improbable (or impossible)? Well, let's discover this together this Sabbath.

~Lloyd

Early service starts at 9:00, Sabbath School is at 10:15, and Second Service begins at 11:30. Feel free to join in via our <u>livestream on our YouTube channel</u> if you're not feeling well or are not in the area!

Have a Happy Sabbath!

This Weekend: February 17, 2024: Pastor Lloyd Perrin Next Weekend: February 24, 2024: Andrew McCrary

Worship - Early Service		
Sabbath School		
Worship -2^{nd} Service		
Children's Divisions Leaders Potluck		
Memorial Service for John Peterson		
10:00am	Women's Ministry Tea Party	
	Carpet Replacement Continues	
6:00pm	WWVA Constituency Meeting	
6:30pm	Prayer Meeting, Room 345	
6:30pm	Pathfinder Club Meeting	
7:30pm	Men's Bible Study, Pastor's Office	
	Eastgate Elders' Retreat Begins	
6:00pm	Friday Evening Prayer, Rosalie Dickerson's Home	
	(formerly Prayeradigm)	
	Sabbath Services-Andrew McCrary	
1:00pm	All Church Potluck	
3:00pm	Sabbath Services at Brookdale College Place	
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Up-coming Eastgate Events

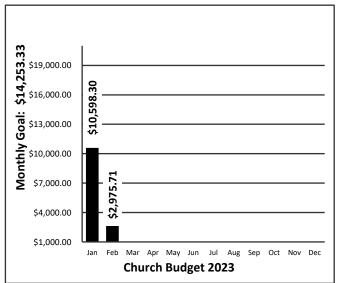
February 23-25	Eastgate Elder's Retreat
February 25	Men's Prayer Breakfast
March 2	All Church Business Meeting & Vespers
March 9	Security Team Potluck & Meeting
March 15	Children's Ministries Agape Feast & Children's Communion
March 16	Pathfinder Fundraiser- Talent Show
March 30	Easter Brunch
April 20	UCC YA- "Let's Start the Conversation"

<u>This Sabbath's Featured offering:</u> <u>Church Budget</u>

This Sabbath's offering is for Church Budget.

Did you know that research has shown that people who write down what they are grateful for, even once a week, were likely to be "more optimistic and felt better about their lives"? In the words of the Psalmist, "I will praise You, O Lord, with my whole heart; I will tell of all Your marvelous works" (Psalm 9:1, NKJV).

What are you grateful for today? When you look back over your past week, is there a moment or interaction that you can thank God for? Take a moment to thank God for whatever is filling your heart with gratitude at this moment. Today, as we return our offering, let us return to God our tithes and offerings from a heart overflowing with gratitude.



Church Facility Beautification

There are aspects of our church facility that have become worn through years of heartfelt, effective ministry. If these walls could speak, the stories of changed lives they could tell! We have voted to update and repair a number of things around the facility:

Parking Lot Resurface, Reseal and Striping: Water Line Repair: Concrete Repair and addition: Worn Carpet Replacement: Lobby Window Glass Replacement: Entrance Door Security Updates: \$176,038.50 (work completed) 7,405.20 (work completed) 7,300.00 (work completed) 58,898.14 2,626.67 8,000.00

Because of your faithful, mission-minded generosity we have already raised \$87,983.11! This is awesome! If you would like to support this vision of making God's Worship and Ministry Center more appealing and usable you can mark your offering "*Facility Beautification*" and it will go toward this process. **Thanks for your ministry-minded support!**

Financial Report	RECEIVED	GOAL	NEED
Facility Beautification	\$ 87,983.11	\$260,000	\$172,016.89
Student Aid goal for 2022-23	\$ 24,617.41	\$40,400.00	\$ 15,782.59
HVAC Up-grades	\$ 52,083.75	\$55,000.00	\$ 2,916.25

To support the ministry of Eastgate feel free to donate online or drop your gift in the offering box in the church lobby.

https://adventistgiving.org/donate/ANIINV



Eastgate Church News & Events

Pathfinders

Our Pathfinder Club is planning on attending the International Pathfinder Camporee in Gillette, WY next August. Your help is needed!! As you can imagine, this will take considerable planning and financial support. The International Camporee always proves to be such a huge blessing for the Pathfinders as they learn and worship God with 50,000 of their fellow Pathfinders. Please prayerfully consider how you can help.

Pathfinder Fundraiser -March 16

The Pathfinder Club will be hosting a chili contest and talent show on March 16^{th} . Think of whether you want to enter the chili contest and/or whether you have a special talent to share. Regardless, plan to join us for a night of fun together to benefit the Pathfinder Club. More details will be provided soon.



Pathfinder Envelope Fundraiser

Currently, in the church lobby, envelopes are provided as a way to make donations or you can designate "Pathfinders" on a Tithe envelope. Either one can be placed in the offering box.

Thank you for your continued support of our Pathfinder Club!

Women's Ministry Tea Party

Bring your own tea cup or two and share in the fellowship on Sunday, February 18 at 10:00am. Enjoy tea and brunch as we share fellowship and faith.

Memorial Service for John Peterson

The Peterson family would like to invite you to the memorial service for John Peterson, Delvin's father. The service will be held on February 17 at 3:30pm here at Eastgate Church. Please keep the Peterson family in your prayers as they grieve this loss.

Sabbath Services at Brookdale in College Place

Your help is needed! Every 4th Sabbath of the month, Eastgate Church is in charge of the Sabbath Services at Brookdale in College Place. Help is needed in providing this service for the residents there. It takes place at 3:00pm on these Sabbaths at Brookdale. If you can help or need more information, please contact Carol Hargreaves.

Christian Aid Center Service Opportunity!

The Eastgate church is working with the Christian Aid Center (CAC) to help provide, prepare and serve dinners for the less-fortunate population in our community. We are scheduled to serve dinner on the 4th Monday of every month. Some upcoming dates are:

February 26 March 25 April 22 May 27 (Memorial Day) June 24 If you are being called to serve in this way, please contact Pastor Eric or Carol Hargreaves to volunteer.

Seeking Additional Landscaping Volunteers at Eastgate SDA Church

Carol Hargreaves is looking for individuals with some unique skill sets. The church has a mole/gopher problem. Both the front yard and back yard have resident rodents that we would like to remove. If you have that special skill set, we would love to receive your assistance!

There are several other special projects Carol is looking to accomplish. Visit with her and find out what she is looking for, how you might be able to help! Thank you for your time.

<u>Sabbath Morning Bible Study – Young Adults Group</u>

Collegians and young adults (or young at heart) are invited to come for breakfast at 9:30am every Sabbath morning and stay for an engaging Bible study. We read a chapter of the Bible together and then dig deep to discuss the hard questions and figure out life applications. Come visit us at Classroom 115 and bring a friend! We are currently studying the book of Nehemiah. For more information text Josh Boram (541) 870-4661 or Mary Castrejon at (360) 349-7126.

Men's Ministry: Thursday Night Men's Group ~ 7:30pm

Located in the Pastor's office. This is a Bible study group for men, led by men, praying for men. If this interests you please contact Pastor Eric Sayler.

Massages!

Adrienne Cole, a member of the Eastgate Seventh-day Adventist Church, is a physical therapist with
experience with therapy in many areas as well as massage. Adrienne is currently only providing
massage and has expanded her hours! She is available Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays. She is
located at Special FX Salon at 921 S. 2nd Avenue in Walla Walla. Please call or text 509-520-1448.
Pricing: 45 min: \$45 60 min: \$55 75 min: \$65 90 min: \$75
(with \$5 discount for 1st massage)

Needlepoint Art!

Evon Austin is gifted in needlepoint and other decorative arts. If you are interested in purchasing or commissioning a work give her a call! (509) 540-8347 or justtherightwords@gmail.com



Walla Walla Area Adventist Schools

Milton-Stateline Adventist School

MSAS is looking for a part-time preschool teacher and a full-time kindergarten teacher for the 2024-25 school year. If you are interested in either position, please contact Jeanne Goodhew at goodje@miltonstateline.org.

Learning Tree Christian Preschool at Milton Stateline Adventist School

The hours at Learning Tree Christian Preschool at Milton Stateline Adventist School have been extended to 5:00p.m, Monday through Thursday and Friday 8:00 am to Noon. For more information, call Milton Stateline Adventist School at 541-938-7131.

Walla Walla Valley Adventist Schools

Walla Walla Valley Adventist Schools is seeking teachers for the 24-25 school year.

- 3rd and 4th grade classroom teacher
- Halftime 7th and 8th grade Language Arts teacher
- Cello instructor and elementary orchestra conductor
- Elementary school principal

Email your resume to <u>holley.bryant@valleyadventistschools.org</u> to apply.

Walla Walla Valley Academy Drama

You are invited to WWVA Drama's production of *The Sound of Music*. Performances will be in the school's auditorium March 9 at 8pm and March 10 at 2pm. Tickets will be available in the school office beginning March 4 or can be bought at the door. Sound of Music tickets are \$15 for adults, \$10 for students/children, and \$5 for WWVA students.

Support WWVA Music Tour to Hawaii

You can support the WWVA music tour to Hawaii and enjoy delicious curry. Curry, rice, and naan will be available at the WWVA concession booth on Sunday, Feb. 25, from 2pm to 5pm. Curry is \$20 with rice, or \$15 for just curry.

Walla Walla Valley Academy

7th/8th grade parents/students from MSAS are invited to come to a meal/presentation at Milton Stateline Adventist School on March 5 from 6-7pm to learn more about WWVA. Swag and scholarships available as well as a chance to meet the administration.

Walla Walla Valley Academy ~ Auditorium Remodel Campaign

WWVA is raising \$1 million to update their auditorium. This project will serve many purposes on campus and houses special moments in many people's lives. This special space has served thousands of people throughout our WWVA and Walla Walla community. It is well-used and well-loved, but the time has finally come for some much-needed updates. To find out more, and how you can participate, visit <u>news.uccsda.org/wwva1122</u>.

Walla Walla University

How to Pay for College—Workshop

Walla Walla University will visit Walla Walla Valley Academy to provide a free workshop for prospective WWU students and their parents titled "How to Pay for College" on Wednesday, Feb. 21, at 4:00pm and again at 7:00pm. This 40-minute presentation will be led by experts from WWU

Student Financial Services, and Marketing and Enrollment Services. After the presentation, attendees will have an opportunity to ask questions. Visit wallawalla.edu/workshops for additional scheduled workshops.

WWU's Department of Music Upcoming Events

*Guest & Faculty Recital:
Joseph Brooks, <i>clarinet</i> and Kraig Scott, <i>organ</i>
Saturday, 24 February 2024, 7:00 p.m.
Melvin K. West Fine Arts Center Auditorium
*Young Artist Night Concert
Saturday, 2 March 2024, 7:00 p.m.
Melvin K. West Fine Arts Center Auditorium
*Choir and Orchestra Winter Concert
Saturday, 9 March 2024, 4:00 p.m.
Walla Walla University Church
*Evensong with <i>ICantori</i> in Walla Walla
Sunday, 10 March 2024, 5:00 p.m.
St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Walla Walla
*Voice Student Recital: "Broadway in Love"
Tuesday, 12 March 2024, 7:30 p.m.
Melvin K. West Fine Arts Center Auditorium

Register for WWU U-Days (Walla Walla, WA) — March 7-9 & April 7-9

From March 7 to 9, Walla Walla University is hosting March U-Days for high school juniors and seniors to visit campus, talk to teachers, meet other students, and see what life is like as a WWU student. Note that NPUC academy students will have a separate U-Days weekend in April and do not need to register. Learn more about both events and our travel reimbursement policy at wallawalla.edu/udays.

WWU's ICantori Releases New CD

Walla Walla University's select choir, ICantori, released a new CD called "A Sense of Place." Visit <u>news.uccsda.org/ICantori124</u> to learn more.

Walla Walla University is Hiring

Walla Walla University is hiring for multiple positions! Benefits include free tuition, comprehensive medical, retirement and a generous paid leave program, and more! If you or someone you know is interested in an engaging new career, learn more and apply at jobs.wallawalla.edu.

Walla Walla Valley News

God's Design for Sexual Wholeness in a Broken World (College Place, WA) - March 8-9

College Place Village Church invites you to this four-part seminar by Dr. Richard Davidson. This seminar will explore what the Bible says about sexuality, tracing God's original design in Eden, how Satan has counterfeited and corrupted each facet of God's design, and how we may return to the Edenic plan for holistic sexuality in a broken world.

- Friday, 7:00 p.m. The Divine Design for Sexuality
- Sabbath, 11:00 a.m. Back to Eden: Sexuality in the Song of Songs
- Sabbath Afternoon, 3:00 p.m. Biblical Perspective on Current LGBTQ+, part 1 4:00 p.m.; part 2 Q & A will follow.

Easter Cantata (College Place, WA) — March 16

March 16, 5:00 p.m. College Place Village Church invites you to FootPrints in the Sand: A Journey to the Cross and Beyond, presented by adult and children's choirs, orchestra, and handbell ensemble.

Blue Mountain Valley Adventist Church Celebrates 60 Years (Athena, OR) — February 24

Blue Mt. Valley Adventist church celebrates 60 years of service, February 24, 2024, at the BMV church in Athena, Oregon. Service begins at 10:00 am - 6:00 pm. Lunch will be provided. Choral/orchestral program at 4:00 pm by Inland NW Musicians. Reception to follow the concert. For more information visit <u>bluemountainvalleyadventist.org</u>.

SonBridge Constituency Meeting will be Sunday, February 25, 2024, at 10:00 AM

The agenda will include inspiring financial and development reports of God's blessings and an update of plans. This constituency session is for designated delegates, but interested parties are welcome to attend! Thank each of you for your amazing support.

SonBridge would also like to thank this church for your generosity and participation in the Advent Giving Tree. A thank you from them is posted on the bulletin board.

Christian Aid Center

The CAC has a job opening for a Shelter Manager at the Center for Women & Children. A description of the position is posted on their website at <u>christianaidcenter.org</u>.

Upper Columbia Conference of SDA News

Children's Leadership Expo (Spokane, WA) — March 3

Come and join us for our annual one-day Children's Leadership & VBS Expo! Breakouts, resources, networking, and inspiration for pastors, leaders, parents, and those working with children and young teens, and those who would like to be impacting children/teens in their churches and neighborhoods. Great tools for your leaders and volunteers! A delicious catered meal is served, plus as always, door prizes!

Breakouts include:

- Thunder Island, the 2024 NAD Vacation Bible School program preview *Rocio Rojas-McFadden*
- Group Publishing Vacation Bible School program overviews Andrew & Suzette McCrary
 Plus, other great ideas to make your VBS more impactful
- Decorating Made Easy on a Budget Sandi Wiebe
- Hands-on CRAFTS Sherri Codd
- "What If" Creative ideas in reaching kids and community Patty Marsh
- Sabbath School 101 various Children's Sabbath School Classes Myla Brueske
- Why Younger Generations are Leaving Churches... Caleb Foss
 - Of special interest to those who work with and care about pre-teens and youth, learn and be inspired by Caleb Foss, Camp MiVoden program director. Foss recently authored A *Way Forward*, and will give several breakouts including "Better Understanding Why the Younger Generations Are Leaving Churches," and several other pertinent topics.

Register at <u>uccsda.org/vbs</u>.



UCC in the Word

Upper Columbia Conference invites you to participate in UCC In the Word, a journey through the 66 Books of the Bible. It takes as little as 15 minutes a day with our One Year Bible Plan.

This Weeks Readings:

- February 17 Lev 25–27
- February 18 Num 1–4
- February 19 Num 5–8
- February 20 Num 9–14
- February 21 Num 15–20
- February 22 Num 21–26
- February 23 Num 27–31

Ways to participate:

- Read through the Bible using our Bible Reading Plan (link below).
- Join the Zoom Bible Reading Room Daily (Sunday-Friday) at 8:30 p.m. (Additional instructions below)
 - Meeting ID: 817 3750 6481
 - Pasword: 433052

UCC Prayer Ministries invites you to listen to the word of God each evening, Sunday through Friday at 8:30 p.m. Each day's reading is at <u>uccsda.org/prayer#prayercalendar</u>. Select the date, select the Bible reading, scroll down to see the zoom link. Or go to <u>news.uccsda.org/UCCITWZOOM124</u>. Meeting ID: 817 3750 6481 Passcode: 433052

For more information visit <u>uccsda.org/intheword</u> or <u>uccsda.org/prayer</u>.

OT Portion of Reading Plan: <u>https://irp.cdn-website.com/cb7ff47b/files/uploaded/Unbranded</u> <u>ITW OT Daily Reading Plan.pdf</u>

NT Portion of Reading Plan: <u>https://irp.cdn-website.com/cb7ff47b/files/uploaded/Unbranded</u> <u>ITW NT Daily Reading Plan.pdf</u>



AMEN Northwest Conference

Come and be a part of the 2024 AMEN NW Conference, hosted at Upper Columbia Conference, March 8-10, 2024. The theme is "Power to Heal," with Dr. Neil Nedley as our keynote speaker. Join us for continuing medical education sessions with Dr. Brian Schwartz and Dr. Lyndi Schwartz, offering category 1 CME through Kettering Health. Elder Randy Maxwell will

deliver inspirational devotionals, and Laura Williams will be the guest musical artist. Save the date for this enriching conference!

ASI Northwest Chapter Conference (Walla Walla, WA) — April 19-21

ASI Northwest Chapter invites you to join us for a weekend of inspiring messages, stories of God working in our midst, and tools to support our evangelism in the marketplace. This free conference is for ASI members and others who are interested in sharing the gospel in our communities and around the world. Learn more by visiting <u>news.uccsda.org/ASINW224</u>.



Save the Date — 2024 UCC Camp Meeting

We are excited to announce the 2024 Camp Meeting dates. Plan to join in person at Upper Columbia Academy or online, June 19-22, 2024. Don't miss out on unforgettable seminars, children's classes, uplifting messages, and concert. Visit <u>uccsda.org/campmeeting</u> to learn more and get the latest updates. We look forward to seeing you in June!

Open Positions at UCC

- Administrative Assistant, Camp MiVoden/Young Adults
- Executive Assistant, Treasury
- Sales Associate, ABC (On-call)
- Janitor (Part-time), UCC office and ABC
- Administrative Assistant, Human Resources (Part-Time)
- Sales Associate ABC College Place (Federal Work Study Student Position)

For more information and to apply, see <u>uccsda.org/jobs</u>.

North American Division

Biblical Greece Tour — July 3-15

Join George Dialectakis, a native of Greece, on a 13-day journey tracing Bible history on archeological locations from the time of Socrates and Plato to Daniel's prophecy about the Hellenic Empire and Alexander the Great. Follow the footsteps of the Apostle Paul and explore the writings of the book of Revelation by the beloved Apostle John. Discover the artistic wealth of the Greek Classical Era. Learn about the birth of Christianity in Greece nearly two millennia ago. George and Marcia will guide you through a Land Tour of Greece and a Mediterranean Cruise to bring the Bible alive in your mind! For more information visit <u>www.biblicaltouring.com</u>.

Center For Youth Evangelism Cruise — December 8-15, 2024

CYE is happy to invite you to an incredible cruise mission adventure to the Caribbean on December 8-15, 2024 and "Level Up". CYE mission trips give youth and young adults a chance to put their faith into action with mission work opportunities at each stop. Registration is open so don't wait! There is more information to come, but in the interim, questions can be emailed to <u>cwm@cye.org</u>.

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EASTGATE SDA CHURCH ON YOUTUBE

YouTube: Eastgate Church ~ Our Church Service is now being broadcast on YouTube at the following Link: Eastgate Adventist Church. Thank you for subscribing!

ayer Time ~ Cherishing People ~ "Pray for one another.

We are inviting you to pray for members and friends of our church family each day. Please keep this in a place that will make it easy for you to remember to pray for one another.

"... we do not make requests of *You* because we are righteous, but because of *Your* great mercy. *O* Lord listen! O Lord forgive! O Lord hear and act!"

(Daniel 9:18 & 19. NIV)

Anonymous:

Do you have an anonymous prayer request? Please state it via email to the church office, or on a communication card dropped in the offering box.

We will share it here anonymously for the body to provide prayer support!

- Prayers for our families ~ there are several couples who have recently become estranged, relationships lost, families broken. Pray for strength and healing of individual hearts.
 - Prayers from a father for his two teen children that they stay safe in Christ!
 - Praises and Prayers of thanksgiving for members of this church who care for each other, for their children, their grandchildren and their church.
- Two of our male members are dealing with prostate cancer in the early stages. Please keep these men in your prayers.
- Prayers for older members who are struggling to maintain their independence and dealing with realizing their increasing need to rely on others.
- Prayers for a brother who is struggling with addiction, trying to stay clean and sober while looking for a healthier work environment.

Requests: - What are your prayer requests?

- Please pray for the Flegel family as they mourn the loss of Gay's mother.
- Keep the Joice family in prayer as they mourn the loss of Paul's mother.
- Please pray for Karen Nazaroff who is experiencing severe health issues and in need of healing.
 - Please pray for Rod & Cheryl Zuver & their family. Cheryl's mother is in need of prayer.
 - Please keep the Peterson family in your prayers as they mourn the loss of Delvin's father.
- Please keep Bill Saunders, Debbie, and the entire family in prayer as they mourn the loss of Mary Jane.
 - Please pray for Margie McCubbins who is experiencing health issues
 - Please pray for Patti Becker and the entire family as they mourn the loss of Rob.
 - Please pray for Matt & Judy Lombard as Matt is experiencing health issues.
 - Please keep Melissa Cadieux and family in prayer as they mourn the loss of Art Cadieux.
 - Please pray for the Rick family who are displaced due to a house fire.
 - Please pray for the Cobble family and relationships in this family.
- Please remember Connie and Randy Roger's in prayer. Connie is currently on hospice. If you wish to

assist financially, please follow this link:

www.GoFundMe.com/w4pcx8-love-for-Connie

- Prayers requested for Kristy & Dwight B. as they travel a road of treatment. They will be making weekly trips to Seattle for treatment for the next year. If you wish to assist financially, please follow this link: www.gofundme.com/f/kristys-cancer-medical-treatment
 - Prayers for Tudy (and Richard) Carlton as she receives treatment for cancer.
- Prayers for Marylin & George Kovach who are experiencing health problems and discouraged. Please no visitors at this time.
- Prayers for Shawn K. as he faces serious heart problems. Pray for healing and continued blessings and faith as they go through this trial.

Praises!! - What are your Praises for your Heavenly Father?

"Is any among you afflicted? Let him pray. Is any merry? Let him sing psalms."

James 5:13