

Welcome to Eastgate SDA Church!

A message from Pastor Eric Sayler

Greetings church family! This Sabbath we continue our study of Psalm 34 as we look at verses 15 and 16.

We will be fellowshiping outside, in the shade of the maple trees behind the church. Remember to bring lawn chairs (we have metal folding chairs if you can't bring your own). We also have masks for those who don't have their own.

As in the rest of our lives we are going to continue social distancing so keep your kids with you, thanks!

This week several communities around the inland northwest have experienced significant outbreaks: LaGrande, Oregon with 236 due to a church not following guidelines, both Tri Cities and Yakama are still experiencing significant numbers of new infections. We are blessed in Walla Walla that we have not experienced widespread community transmission. Let's do our part to keep that trend super low!

I'm looking forward to worshipping with you!

~Pastor Eric

This Weekend: 11:30am June 20, Pastor Eric Sayler; Psalms 34 Series continues. ***"The Eyes of the Lord: Psalm 34:15, 16 in the church's backyard. To be posted on the internet options sometime Sabbath mid to late afternoon.***

Week At A Glance

June 20, Sabbath	Sunset ~ 8:47pm
June 21, Sunday	<i>Father's Day</i>
June 22, Monday:	7:00am Zoom Prayer Meeting
Monday Evening:	7:00pm Hope Group on Zoom
June 23, Tuesday:	7:00pm Young Adult Zoom bible study - Romans
June 24, Wednesday:	7:00am Zoom Prayer Meeting
June 25, Thursday:	6:30pm Zoom Prayer Meeting
June 26, Friday	Sunset ~ 8:48pm
June 27, Sabbath:	9:30am The Word Zoom Sabbath School
	10:00am Juniors/Youth Zoom Sabbath School
	10:00am Young Adult Couch Church - Zoom
Eastgate SDA Backyard Church ~ 11:30am Church – Pastor Eric Sayler	

Eastgate Church News & Events

These are the recorded messages available for viewing at [YouTube](#):

Message for June 20, "The Eyes of the Lord" Psalm 34:15, 16

Message for June 13, "A God-Honoring Life" Psalm 34:11-14

Message for June 6, "Hunger Satisfied" Psalm 34:8-10

Message for May 30, "Seeking, Hearing, Delivering" Psalm 34:4-7

Message for May 23, "An Invitation to Praise" Psalm 34: 1-3

Remember, to view the sermon(s) prepared by Pastor Eric, please follow the link: [YouTube channel](#) or [Facebook](#) Also, please see the note on page four regarding subscribing to the YouTube channel.

Eastgate SDA Church Happenings!!

Asher Peterson Update (second posting)

They are in Seattle preparing for treatment. Asher would appreciate encouraging cards, especially from kids in the church.

They are in an apartment. They could use gift cards to Safeway, Target, or Walmart.

Their address is: 4516 Union Bay Place NE, Unit 513, Seattle, WA 98105

Things to Remember Regarding Worship Service at Eastgate on June 20, 2020 at 11:30am

If you plan to attend our service, please remember the following requests:

- Please wear a mask. If you do not have one, one will be provided at the church.
- Please remember social distancing. Individually and as family units.
- Please bring a lawn chair from home to use for the service. If you cannot bring one, a metal folding chair will be available for your use. When you are done using it, please return it to the fellowship room but please DO NOT return it to the rack. The rack will be for sanitized chairs only. Those that have been used will need to be sanitized before being returned to the rack. The Custodian will take care of this. Thank you.
- Please remember that due to social distancing, we ask that only two individuals use the restroom facilities at a time.
- And, as in the rest of our lives we are going to continue social distancing so please keep your children with you. Thank you!

We have some *Membership Transfers* that have been hanging waiting for a group to meet and finalize the following transfers:

Membership Transfer ~ Second Reading

Philip Glendrange

Andrew Hanson and Kristen Hanson

Kathleen Moses

Nicole Malik

Jason Malik

From: Round Mountain SDA, CA

From: Good Neighbor Adventist

From: College Place Village Church

From: Medford Adventist Church

Joining on Profession of Faith

"Shellie" Michelle Stiltz

To: Walla Walla University Church

A vote will be taken Sabbath morning at worship service.

Nominating Committee additions First Reading

Church Wedding Representatives: Kristy Bartlett, Stan Maxted

Mount Hope Cemetery Commission: Eastgate Representative; Stan Maxted

This vote will be taken on June 27 for those attending the service.

Seth and Jenny Alford offer you Cherries!!!

Are you looking for Rainier cherries? The Alford family would love to have you come pick cherries from their trees. They also have a dark cherry called a Lapins variety. Bring your own ladder and containers. Donations are being accepted for MSAS but free is a very good price. The cherry season is nearly over so hurry and contact Jenny if you are interested. Please text her before going to their property ~ 1-541-809-8311. The property is located at 82038 South Fork Walla Walla River Road, Milton-Freewater, OR. Take Walla Walla river road until you come to the turn on south fork. Take a right on south fork like you are headed toward Henderson's and Harris Park. They are the second house on the right. Their mailbox says: **Alford**.

Worship Service**6-20-2020****11:30am**

Gathering Song	Praise Team
Community Life	Lenard Wittlake
Kids Korner	
Children's Song	Praise Team
Children's Story	Christine Wittlake
Songs of Praise & Worship	Praise Team
Prayer	Lenard Wittlake
God's Word	Pastor Eric Saylor
Sermon Title: <i>The Eyes of the Lord</i>	
Scripture Text: Psalm 34:15, 16	
Song of Response	Praise Team
Benediction	Lenard Wittlake

Worship Team today

Worship Leader:	Lenard Wittlake
Praise Leader:	Kim Boyd and Friends
Pianist:	Kevin Waite
Greeters :	Les and Anita Cunningham
Lead Deacon:	Daniel Hopkins
AV Leader:	Kevin Renshaw and Dennis Anderson

Offering Schedule for the coming weeks ~ June

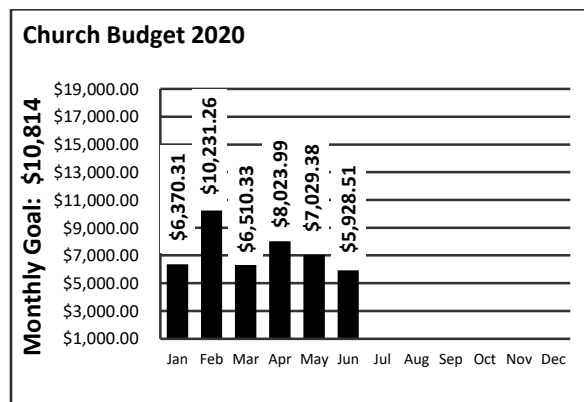
June 20~Local Church Budget

June 27~UCC Advance

We thank you for supporting your local church budget in addition to the world church?**Financial Report****GOAL**

Monthly Average to date in: June		\$ 7,348.96	\$10,814.00
Student Aid to date	received	\$10,077.49	\$13,200.00
Maintenance Budget for 2020	received	\$ 1,059.27	\$14,000.00

Praise the Lord for members who can and do financially support the local mission of this church!

Our Giving to Date this Current Year**How Can I continue to give my offerings during this unique time?**

Q: What methods are available for giving offerings?

A: 1) Online giving is always available no matter where you are. You can go to the church website; www.eastgatesda.org, select Online Giving and it will automatically take you to Adventistgiving.org and specifically for Walla Walla Eastgate Adventist Church. Here you will

find a “tithe envelop” which will allow you to designate a portion to all aspects of church support; *Tithe, Local Church Budget Items, Conference/Union Offerings or World Church.* There you will be asked to set up an account. You can determine your method of payment and make your contribution.

A: 2) You can mail a check to the church office.

A: 3) You can drop by the church office and leave your donations.

No matter what method you choose, as a body of Christ, we will continue to appreciate your financial support for all of the ministries of the local, conference, union, division and world church. Thank you for your support.

Our Electrical Usage Report

Our Pacific Power bill as of June 8 showed significant reductions as we have turned off 95 % of the devices throughout the church. Along with the reduced temperatures we have experienced along with the lack of use of our facility, our average daily kwh usage for the month was:

<i>Period Ending</i>	<i>June 2020</i>	<i>June 2019</i>
Avg. Daily Temp	60 degrees	65 degrees
Total kwh	1760	2800
Avg. kwh per day	59	108
Cost per Day	\$8.97	\$16.94

Total: \$269.02

We wanted to let you know how we are trying to reduce costs through this COVID experience.

YouTube Channel for Eastgate SDA Church Communication – Subscribe now!

In this newsletter you will have seen a reference to Pastor Eric creating videos to up-date us and help to create a sense of community. If you have a gmail account, or a YouTube account, you can subscribe to the Eastgate Church Channel. [YouTube channel](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCpi0ESiTONVM7uw9dcRxUHQ) or

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCpi0ESiTONVM7uw9dcRxUHQ>

When you find this site, log in with your gmail account and touch the red Subscribe button. It will not cost you anything and you will easily be able to find the most up-to-date information in video form. *When we get 100 subscribers, we will be able to have a specific name for our channel instead of all of the letters and numbers.* Thank you for your support!

Adventist Book Center Offers Free Home Delivery

The ABC has now added an extra service to help you deal with limitations during this uncertain time. FREE home delivery anywhere within a 30-minute drive from the ABC. Applies to orders of \$25 or greater. Call to place your order today. You can do that by calling us at 800-286-0161.

Women’s Study Group

Mondays, 7:00pm. Ladies - it’s time for a spiritual growth for women and faith in Christ. This group of ladies invites you to join them as they read and discuss. If you are interested in joining them, please call Rhoda Ehrman at 509-200-2826. *Find out what the latest up-dates are related to the social distancing with COVID-19.*

SPECIAL MUSIC at Eastgate

Would you like to serve the church in song? Maybe you would be willing to provide a special music on any given Sabbath? You can either contact the church office or Kim Boyd. He will once again be leading a team of individuals who will arrange for special music.

EASTGATE SDA ON FACEBOOK Like and follow our page on FB!

<https://www.facebook.com/Eastgate-SDA-Church-206126468203>

EASTGATE SDA WEBSITE! – <https://www.eastgatesda.org>

Collegiate & Young Adult Class

Tuesday Evening Bible Study

This group is taking special action and measures to minimize the spread of COVID-19 so please check ahead of time with the phone numbers at the end of this announcement. They will be meeting on the ZOOM platform. They are on a study journey through the book of Romans. To join this group and be in the know of how to meet, call Jason Malik at (541) 282-4264 or Josh Boram (541) 870-4661 or Mary Castrejon at (360) 349-7126.

Digging Deeper Retreat: Oct 30-Nov 1 @Camp MiVoden – This year's Digging Deeper Retreat for young adults and young families in the 20s-40s age group has been rescheduled due to COVID-19! Mark your calendars for *the weekend of Oct 30–Nov 1, 2020*. More details to come as October gets closer! For more information about the retreat visit the website www.DiggingDeeperRetreat.com

School News

Statement on School Reopening in Fall 2020

The UCC education department has been hard at work preparing for school to reopening across the conference in Fall 2020. For the full statement from Brian Harris, vice president for education at UCC, see the statement at <https://www.uccsda.org/ucc-statement-on-reopening-schools-for-fall-2020>

Milton-Stateline Adventist School would like to thank all those who sponsored our students in this year's "At Home Walk-a-thon". We have not yet reached our goal of \$20,000. These much needed funds help families with tuition costs by going to our financial aid fund and we are needing to upgrade some of our light fixtures. We now have \$11,777 and need \$8223 more. It is not too late to donate! You may go to our website miltonstateline.org and click on the donate tab at the top of the page. Thank you.

Adult Sabbath School Crossword Puzzle Key

Adult Sabbath School - 2nd Quarter (2020)
Lesson 11, June 6 - 12: "The Bible and Special Messages"





SonBridge Updates

SonBridge Thrift & Gift Store has safely reopened and is gearing up for more activity within phase 3. This will enable SonBridge to help those who have recently struggled with paying utilities, rent, and much more. Check out SonBridge developments on our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/SonBridge/> Support SonBridge at www.sonbridge.org/give/

Upper Columbia Conference of SDA News

Camp MiVoden Prepares to Reopen

We have exciting news to announce! Camp MiVoden is preparing to open for summer camp. Our staff has been working hard to get Camp MiVoden open for our kids! Health and safety are our main priorities. For the full announcement, see www.uccsda.org/camp-mivoden-prepares-to-reopen.

Campmeeting Lodging

All camp meeting lodging reservations for 2020 have been transferred to June 16-19, 2021. If you would like a full refund for your lodging for 2020 instead, that deadline is June 30, 2020. Please contact campmeeting@uccsda.org or call the office at (509) 838-2761. The camp meeting speakers for 2021 are Joe Kidder and Lowell Cooper. We will update you as more details come available.

Making Connections with Young Adults

The Youth and Young Adult department have started a virtual platform called BRIDGE. It is a movement to connect with God, each other, and the world around us. Bridge was built as a means of making connections and offering support to allow the collegiate/young adult community to thrive. There are many collegiate/young adults out there who are involved in ministry. We want to help them connect with others and use our resources to help them be successful. On the website at www.bridgenw.org and associated social media sites, you'll find a growing list of people in our Bridge community who are involved in ministry. We dare you to join them.

UCC Club Ministries Presents New Website Focused on Activities for Kids

Looking for a way to serve your friends and neighbors while keeping your “Social Distance”? UCC Club Ministries has developed a web site for sharing. www.ActivityOutpost.com is a hub of activities, ideas, encouragement, and resources for parents who are adjusting to having their kids at home all the time. This site is targeting your neighbors but Adventists are welcome! Share on your social media platforms and partner with us to serve families in your community. <https://l.uccsda.org/AGInstructionsSpanish>

Plan now for the Thirteenth Sabbath Offering – June 27

The first “13th Sabbath Offering Project was introduced in 1912 to establish a mission in India. With approximately four hundred 13th Sabbaths since that first project, this offering has allowed the church to build schools, dormitories, hospitals, clinics, churches, mission-launches, lamb-shelters, printing presses and universities around the world. Often there is more than one project for an offering so there have been over a thousand projects. Because tithe money is not allowed to be used for buildings, the 13th Sabbath offering has usually been for construction-type projects.

This quarter’s offering will benefit the Trans-European Division in three ways: open a center of influence in Norway, establish a church in Serbia and construct a church and center of influence in Cyprus (refer to the map on the back of the Adult Quarterly).

You can give a Thirteenth Sabbath Offering any time throughout the quarter by marking your tithe envelope.

Link: <https://www.nadstewardship.org/videos/13th-sabbath-offering/>

In giving to the Lord’s Work during this crisis use your local church web site or go to UCC

Giving site: <https://www.uccsda.org/donations>

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<http://www.gleanerweekly.com>

North Pacific Union Conference

Virtual Camp Meeting Coming this Summer! Oregon Conference Information for Happy Rock!!

- Campestre Hispano “Virtual” July 16-18, 2020: Dr. Enrique Baez
- “Virtual” Gladstone Camp Meeting, July 21-25, 2020: Pastor José Rojas
- Motorcycle Camp Meeting, August 21-23, 2020: Pastor Tim Journey - [Find Out More](#)

Gladstone Camp Meeting 2020 is going virtual! The COVID-19 pandemic has raised all kinds of questions about when large groups will be able to meet, or even whether people will be ready for that. In spite of the uncertainty, the spiritual food and comradery, the tradition of camp meeting is still important. So while we won’t be meeting in person at Gladstone, we’re already planning an interactive online experience that will encourage and connect us. It all is still happening in July, with programming for all ages, including José Rojas as our featured speaker! We hope you’ll plan to join us for a new way of doing camp meeting.

EVENTS: For a complete listing of events happening in **the Oregon Churches**, go to the conference website at www.OregonAdventist.org and click on the link for upcoming events. For Oregon Conference announcements, go to www.OregonAdventist.org/announcements

RELIGIOUS LIBERTY

Do you struggle to explain your convictions about Sabbath or labor unions to your employer? Are you being asked to work on Sabbath? The Northwest Religious Liberty Association can help. Call Greg Hamilton and Rhonda Bolton at 360/857-7040.



PRAY ONE MISSION is a North American Division initiative calling us to focused prayer for people who need Jesus. Do you know of one or two such people? As you pray for these individuals, please consider sending them a subscription to *Signs of the Times*® at 800/545-2449. Prayer and the printed page are great teammates and proven soul winners.

<http://www.signstimes.com/?p=issue>

MISSION 360° MAGAZINE Several publications, such as *Mission Post* and *Frontline* have merged and expanded to create a new official mission magazine of the Seventh-day Adventist church called Mission 360°. It will be published quarterly and you can sign up for an online version at Mission360Mag.org.

Job Network

Looking for a position? Looking to Hire? Please let us know so we can assist in getting the word out!

Positions Available in UCC

UCC is now hiring the following positions. If you know anyone who may be interested in one of these positions, please direct them to the website for a full job description and the application process or have them contact the HR Department

<https://sp.uccsda.org/English/HR/Pages/Job-Openings.aspx>

Job Opportunities in the Oregon Conference

Looking for work in the Oregon Conference? Check the following for job postings:

www.oregonconference.org/employment-home

Job Opportunities at Walla Walla University

Looking for work at the University? Check the following for job postings:

<https://www.wallawalla.edu/resources/human-resources-payroll/>

NON-PROFIT SDA MINISTRY POSITION OPENING

Bangla Hope is a 501 (C) (3) SDA supportive ministry that began in 2001 and is headquartered in Kennewick, WA. We are focused on providing support, and a Seventh-day Adventist education to orphaned and destitute children and youth in the poverty-stricken and primarily Muslim country of Bangladesh. Our ministry will soon have a part-time opening for a Sponsorship Coordinator. We are seeking someone who has a passion for missions, who performs well in a team setting, and who is detail oriented. Interested candidates should contact Debi Axford by phone at (509)586-4259 or by e-mail at children@banglahope.org Monday through Thursday 9am – 3pm to receive more information as well as to request a Job Description and Job Application.

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

Requests: - What are your prayer requests?

Prayers for all of our Health Care providers in our fellowship that they may be protected from infection from COVID-19

Seth A., Evon A., Kristy B., Jen B., Rachel B., Cal B., Jamie C., Stephanie C., Jen D., Guy E., Heidi E., Rhonda E., Gay F., Rod F., Debbie H., Daniel H., Dr. Gilly I., Tammy J., Susan M., Julie S., Toby S., Nancy R., Carolynn V., Sherry W.,

Kelly Wheeler – Prayers for you as several special family members have moved away.

Josh, Annie & Libby B. – Prayers for them as they relocate to Phoenix, AZ

Vivianne L – Prayers for her son-in-law, law enforcement in these troubled times.

Seth A. – Prayers as he works to complete his Master's Degree and keep up with life as a dad!

Jeff W. – Healing and adapting during his stroke recovery

Asher P. - As he is treated for *Aplastic Anemia* and the Peterson family as they walk this journey.

Heidi E. - Prayers for healing through her continued physical therapy and a recent job loss.

Marlien A - prayers for strength in her continuing battle against cancer.

Harry H – strength in serving the needs of his family

Harry & Brittney A. – special prayers for trust and to fully lean on God.

Baby Adler - three months old, kidney not draining properly, surgery delayed due to current COVID hospital concerns, please ~ prayers for healing

Holly J. - Prayers as she heals and gains strength

Donna S. - prayers for continued healing and strength

Debbie P – for health, healing & strength, it is harder to get around

Debbie S – continued health, healing & strength

Mary Jane S. – Having some health issues, praying for good balance.

"D" Underwood - continued prayers for daughter

LoraLee P. – Recently had a stroke and is in a care facility – prayers for healing.

Prayers for our elder population that look forward to Social Interaction and Physical Therapy types of activities where they can once again interact with people.

Megan E.'s - continued prayers for her parents

Tami J. - Continued unspoken prayers

Hope Awakens Evangelism – That it continues to bear fruits of the spirit

Roger Gotch, former members, prayers for his family as he recently passed away.

In Military Service - Continual Prayer for those serving

Diane U. – Grandson in the Marines

Evon A.'s daughter; Anna Harris

Praises:

What gift causes you to praise the name of God our Heavenly Father today? We know you are being blessed so please, share your praises to God here so others can see the real life ways that God's people praise His name!

Classified Ads, Services & Needs

Are you in a service industry? Would you like your church family to be aware of what services you can provide? Please consider placing an ad in this space. At this time, to place an advertisement here will not cost any money. It should only be basic text with no illustrations or photos. To add graphics may or may not be possible based on time and graphic software available. Thank you, Office Manager.

Submit your service ads to the following email address: office@eastgateadventist.church Weekly Deadline: Items must be received prior to 8:00am Wednesday mornings.

Thank you for your positive feedback and comments. Sincerely, Eastgate SDA Office Manager

Need Electrical Work Done? Power Solutions Electric

Casey Werner and Trent Fowler may be your solution to your electric wiring and repair projects. Contact Heidi or Tara at pselectric01@gmail.com or 509-540-2656. It's always good to know your electrician!

REALTOR: Thinking about buying or selling your home? Want a Christian Realtor to be your advocate and guide? Let me serve you with the best resources and service in the business. Call or text Sarah Bergman at John L. Scott, Walla Walla at 509-240-6826 or reach me by email at sbergman@johnlscott.com for a no-obligation consultation and market analysis. I look forward to hearing from you.

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Call us and leave a message or text us – We will get back to you as soon as possible

DO YOU NEED CHILDCARE THIS SUMMER? We still have a few spots available for our Summer School-Age Day Camp...

Details: *Hosted by Little Lambs Christian Childcare, located in Milton-Freewater (possible transportation to/from Walla Walla available).

*Program dates: June 8-August 14. Hours: 7AM-5:30PM (additional hours avail)

*Must be 5 years old and/or entering Kindergarten in Fall 2020 (Preschool age available for additional charge)

*Fun and educational field trips! Swim daily at Milton Freewater Aquatic center (pass included in field trip cost). Daily learning and curriculum time.

Rates: Full time: \$125/week. Part time: \$40/day

~Field trip rates coming soon...

~Rates include USDA equivalent breakfast, lunch, and two snacks.

*\$10 application/enrollment fee (for tee-shirts) *\$50 non-refundable deposit to hold spot (credited towards first week tuition)

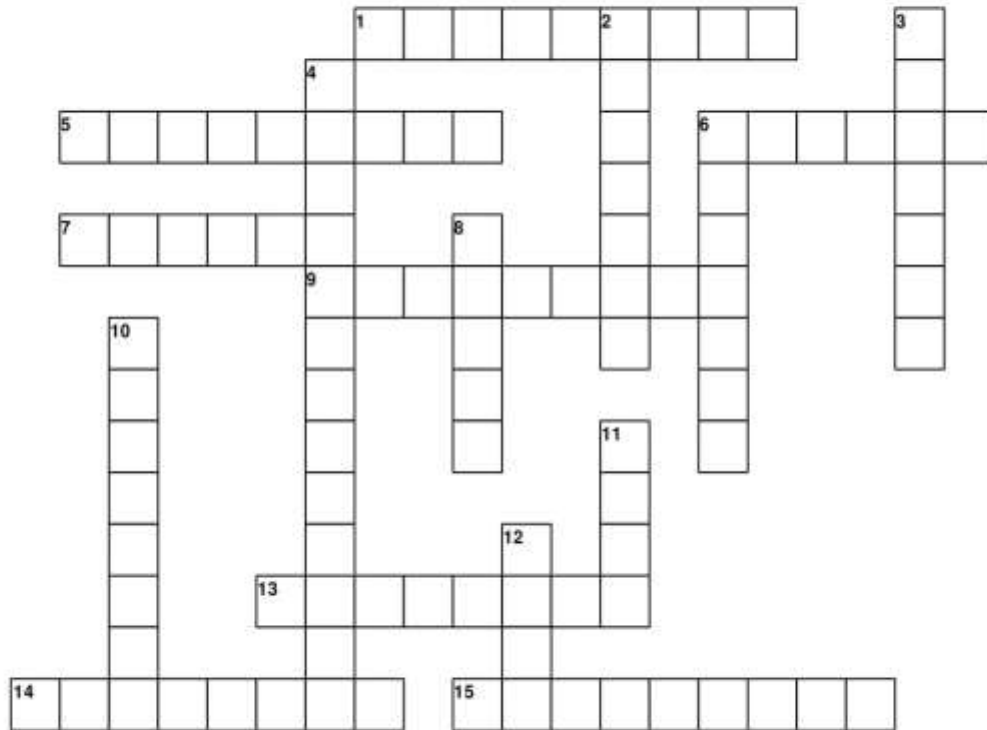
****Limited spaces available, so text, call, or e-mail today! Contact Stephanie— Phone: (509) 540-5244 (text or call) -OR- E-mail: steph1.good@gmail.com**

Adult Sabbath School Crossword Puzzle

The answer key will be posted next week. ☺

Adult Sabbath School - 2nd Quarter (2020)

Lesson 12, June 13 - 19: "How to Study Difficult Verses"



ACROSS

- 1 what some scriptures in the Bible are
- 5 what Christians should do when they meet biblical truths
- 6 a state of being that will help us to solve problems the right way
- 7 the type of heart that we should possess to keep us free of pride
- 9 the type of wisdom that is lacking in those who look to the Bible for mistakes
- 13 some think that parts of the Bible do this with each other
- 14 some people think that the Bible has many of these
- 15 things of which the Bible is filled

DOWN

- 2 the type of people who will want to know the truth about the Bible
- 3 something that a virus can cause (SDA health alert)
- 4 a time when God will judge His people (last week)
- 6 the type of friendship that is built on trust
- 8 what should be absent from our hearts to understand the Bible.
- 10 what the answer is to us, when we solve a difficult problem
- 11 the type of believers who will never see problems with the truth of the Bible
- 12 what we should do when we study the Bible