Welcome to Eastgate SDA Church! A message from Pastor Eric Sayler

Moses was the youngest of three kids in his family. You know the story: he was born during persecution, was kept safe in a basket boat watched over by his sister, discovered and adopted by Pharaoh's daughter, and eventually became the great leader who God used to free His people from slavery and guide them toward the promised land.

But he was still the youngest. His two siblings, Miriam and Aaron, were strong leaders too. Miriam was a prophet, helping lead the Israelites, and Moses' older brother Aaron was chosen as High Priest.

High Priest.

Though we read about this position in scripture it's generally a very foreign concept to us. It's an ancient role of a bygone era.

Or is it?

This Sabbath we're continuing our study of the Letter to the Hebrews and exploring a topic entitled, "Our High Priest." I hope you can join in!

We have two worship services, an early one at 9:00 and a second service at 11:30. Sabbath schools gather in between the two at 10:15.

If you aren't able to worship in person feel free to join online for second service at our YouTube Channel.

I pray you have a restful and blessed Sabbath!

~Pastor Eric

This Weekend: November 12, 2022: Pastor Eric Sayler Next Weekend: November 19, 2022: Pastor Eric Sayler

Week At A Glance

Friday, November 11	Veteran's Day	
Sabbath, November 12	9:00am/11:30am	Church Services ~ Pastor Eric Sayler
	10:15am	Sabbath School Study
	11:30 – 12:50pm	Second Service ~ Pastor Eric Sayler
	4:00pm	Private Party in the Fellowship Room
Monday, November 14	fellowship room	Cardiac Rehab/Blue Zone Cooking
Tuesday, November 15	6:30pm	Weight Loss Sauce Grow Group
Wednesday, November 16	6:30pm	Prayer Meeting in Pastor's Office
Thursday, November 17	7:00pm	Youth Fellowship Meeting
Friday, November 18	7:00pm	Prayeradigm – Carol Hargreaves Residence
Sabbath, November 19	9:00am/11:30am	Church Services ~ Pastor Eric Sayler
	10:15am	Sabbath School Study
	4:00pm	Chili/Salsa Social in the Fellowship Room

Eastgate SDA Church Service this Week

Worship Service 11:15am 11-12-2022 Link to: ~ Eastgate Church: YouTube

Gathering Song Praise Team
Community Life Rob Becker

Kids Korner

Children's Song Praise Team

Children's Story Rob

Songs of Praise & Worship Praise Team
Prayer Rob Becker

God's Word Pastor Eric Sayler

Sermon Title: Letter to the Hebrews: Our High Priest

Scripture: Hebrews 4:14

Song of Response Praise Team
Benediction Rob Becker

Worship Team today – First Service Worship Team today – Second Service

Lead Elder:Rob BeckerLead Elder:Rob BeckerPraise Team Leader:Kim Boyd & FriendsPraise Team Leader:Kim Boyd & Friends

Pianist: Kevin Waite Pianist: Kevin Waite

Greeter: David Meyer Greeter: Jim Hall & Julie Hall
Lead Deacon: Doug Hamilton Lead Deacon: Casey Cramer
Lead Deaconess: April McCorkle Lead Deaconess: Anita Cunningham
AV Team: Kevin Waite
Greeter: Jim Hall & Julie Hall
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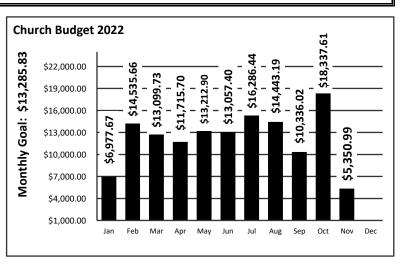
AV Team: Kevin Renshaw & Bob Daniel AV Team: Dennis Anderson & Curtis Culp Live Streaming: No live-stream early service Live Streaming: Jim Schultz & Daniel Craig

Financial Report	RECEIVED	GOAL	NEED
Student Aid goal for 2022-23	\$ 12,080.31	\$23,500.00	\$11,419.69
HVAC Up-grades	\$ 39,903.88	\$55,000.00	Phase 1, 2 &3

November 12, 2022 Annual Sacrifice for Global Missions

Appeal: John 6:12 "When they had all had enough to eat, he said to his disciples, "Gather the pieces that are left over. Let nothing be wasted."

We can worship with our resources when we follow God's instructions about the economy and savings. In several instances, God has taught the practice of saving to His children. He inspired Joseph, the son of Jacob, to advise Pharaoh not to eat everything



during the seven years of abundance but to keep 20% for later. On the night the Israelites had to celebrate the first Passover, before leaving Egypt, God's first instruction was for them to choose the right size of lamb according to the number of people in each family. At the end of the multiplication of bread and fish, the clear admonition was "let nothing be wasted." "The wise store up choice food and olive oil, but fools gulp theirs down" (Prov. 21:20). This same message about penny-wise is

pertinent in many places today. We are preparing and eating more than what we need daily, buying more than what we need to wear, and building houses with far more space than what we need to live. This consumption-oriented society influences us to adopt a criterion other than the need to acquire goods: affordability. If I can pay for it with available or borrowed money, there is no problem with purchasing it. This can be socially acceptable but is this good stewardship? Saving will help us to prepare for life emergencies, realize major financial goals, prepare for retirement, leave a financial legacy, and in some cases, break the cycle of poverty. Furthermore, we will be in a better position to partner in God's mission. Jesus and His missionary crew were supported by a group of women who used their own means (Lk. 8:3). The Early Church members, whose wealth was in the form of lands and houses, sold their properties to provide for the beginning of the Christians' mission (Acts 4:34-35). Ellen G. White challenges us to properly channel our resources: "Each should keep a missionary box at hand, and drop into it every penny he is tempted to waste in self-indulgence." — Ellen G. White, Counsels on Stewardship, p. 291. Is it not time to identify and fix the leakages in our financial lives? This week we have another opportunity to use our savings to worship God by bringing our tithe and regular offerings to Him.

Prayer: Lord, You have designed us to enjoy an abundant life and to partner with You. Please give us the wisdom to manage our resources.

Eastgate Church News & Events

Have you met our new Student Pastor from Walla Walla University yet?



(week two, just in case you missed it last week)
If you have not yet had the chance to meet Isaac Peterson and have a conversation, please read a short interview I was able to have with him this week. Find that interview article on page 8.

Grow Group ~ Weight Loss Sauce – One more meeting – November 15, 6:30pm

The presentations start at 6:30pm and will run for 70 to 90 minutes. Meets in the Fellowship Room.

Refurbishing Projects here at Eastgate

We appreciate your patience as we work on additional projects including painting, wall construction, etc.

We would also appreciate your help in taking care of our church facilities. If you participate in an event where food or drink are part of the process or inside<>outside traffic is involved; will you help by making sure that spills are cleaned up immediately? If we could monitor our comings and goings so as to reduce excess yard debris being tracked indoors? When spills, mud, dirt, etc. are left for someone else to clean long term damage often occurs. Thank you for your conscientious acts of service.

Thanksgiving Sabbath, November 26

If this this Thanksgiving finds you alone and eating by yourself, please consider joining us at on Sabbath for our home style potluck in the fellowship hall. Feel free to bring leftovers! Share our fellowship following second service about 1:00pm.

School News & Children's Ministry Items

<u>Milton-Stateline Adventist School</u> is looking for a certified, part-time teacher for grades five and six science and social studies. If you are interested in this position, please contact Jeanne Goodhew at (541) 938-7131.

Rogers Adventist School is looking for part-time employee(s) for the following:

After School Care Supervisors

We are looking for someone who can do three shifts per week: Tuesday & Thursday, 3-5:30pm and Fridays from 12-3:30pm. We would give consideration to hiring a mature and responsible high school or college student, age 17+. Please contact Holley Bryant (holley.bryant@rogersschool.org or (509)529-1850) for more details

Walla Walla Valley Academy Drama Department

WWVA Drama presents *Pride and Prejudice* Dec. 3 at 7 and Dec. 4 at 2 in the school auditorium. Tickets, which are \$10 for adults and \$5 for students and children, are available in the school office beginning Nov. 28, or at the door.

Youth Thursday Evening Gatherings

We have resumed our Thursday night youth group. Meetings are on Thursdays, from 7-8:15pm.

Collegiate & Young Adults

Sabbath Morning Bible Study

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 II Kings. For more information text Josh Boram (541) 870-4661 or Mary Castrejon at (360) 349-7126.

Night of Worship for Young Adults

Converge is a new ministry in the Walla Walla Valley designed for post-collegiate young adults to come together—to converge—for the purpose of worship and fellowship. The ministry's first-ever Night of Worship event is taking place at Heubach Chapel at the Walla Walla University Church on Saturday, November 12 at 5 p.m. Come for an evening of contemporary praise, worship, and community. Learn more by visiting convergewallawalla.com or by following the new ministry on Instagram at @convergewallawalla.

See Posters on Bulletin Boards in the lobby and the hall @ Eastgate SDA

Social Committee Event

Coming November 19 at 4:00pm ~ CHILI COOK OFF!

Bring your best Chili & Salsa. Corn Bread is Welcome! Prizes to be awarded A special Vespers will start off the evening presented by "the Puppets!"

Also that evening we will have a silent auction of used electronic which we no longer need here at the church. Funds to go to A/V development. Bring your cash or check books! See the last page of this letter for a little more ...

Men's Ministry

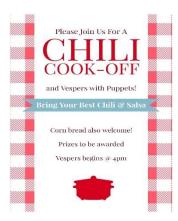
<u>Thursday Night Men's Group ~ 7:30pm</u> Leader: Rob Becker, ~ Pastor's Office

This is a bible study group for men, lead by men, praying for men studying together. If this interests you please contact the group leader Rob Becker or our Pastor Eric Sayler.

Men's Ministry Monthly Breakfast and Worship Time: Next UP - November 20 @ 8:00am

The gathering for November, due to the Thanksgiving weekend, will be a week early for this month. Join the men at 8:00am for physical and spiritual food to share!





Our Next Church WORK BEE

A work bee to clean up the west fence line vegetation. Please bring **chain saws** and **cutting tools** for removing the deciduous trees and bushes along the fence line. Rakes and wheelbarrows may also be handy. Carol Hargreaves will be the **JOB BOSS**.

Women's Grow Group

Rhoda Ehrman invites you to join a group of women studying together. They will be starting a new book, "*Your Best Life in Jesus' Easy Yoke*" on September 12. Contact her at 509-200-2826.

Membership Transfer Request – first reading

Members transferring into fellowship here at Eastgate SDA Church:

Charles & Martha Schaffer from Kent SDA Church, Kent, WA Kevin Waite from Walla Walla University Church, College Place

Expansion of Support Teams for Audio/Video and Live-Streaming ~ Help Needed!

We are trying to gear up for two services starting August 6. This is one area of ministry where more experienced operators would help to lighten the load.

Brian Hartman who leads the Live-Streaming Team is looking for one or two more individuals who would be willing to learn and assist in the ministry of our On-line Worship Service. There are those who use our YouTube as an option for viewing for a variety of reasons. We need to expand the team and he would be happy to speak to anyone who might be interested. Contact Brian at hartmaninbox@gmail.com or 509-240-6607 text or voice call.

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YouTube: Eastgate Church ~ Our Church Service is now being broadcast on YouTube at the following Link: <u>Eastgate Church</u> or type out the address shown below. Thank you for subscribing! YouTube.com/c/EastgateAdventistChurch/





Walla Walla University Hosts ~ Adventurer Day

Early in October, Walla Walla University and Walla Walla Valley Academy hosted Upper Columbia Conference Adventurer events for children ages 4–9 across the conference. The Award activities were designed to help Adventurers and their families grow in Christian community, find common areas of interest to explore, make new friendships, and become acquainted with resources for their futures. To read the full story, go to

news.uccsda.org/wwu1122

Walla Walla University Music Department invites you to the following events:

To view the livestream visit our webpage: WWU Music Department Concerts

Piano Concert: Mark Neiwirth; Sunday, 13 November 2022, 7:30 p.m. Cancelled Due to Illness

Mark Neiwirth, internationally recognized soloist, chamber publication, adjudication and arranger, will perform works by Beethoven, Debrute Dand Sonata No. 3 by T. George, composed for Neiwirth in 1989. The proposed by a grant from Musi Inc. Mark Neiwirth is a Steinway Artist. mar Carwirth.com.

Music at 7: Student Registal: To and Sonata No. 3 by Thom Ritter onsored by a grant from Musicians West,

Melvin K. West Fine Arts Center Auditorium

Evensong: Saturday, 3 December 2022, 4:00 p.m., Walla Walla University Church

WWU Christmas Concert: Friday, 9 December 2022, 6:00 and 8:00 p.m., Walla Walla University Church We hope you can join us!

Walla Walla Valley News

Christian Aid Center News for Job and Volunteers

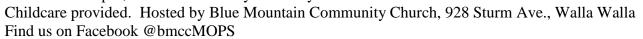
JOB Opening: We have a job opening for a <u>Programs Director</u> in our department of <u>Men Services</u>. This staff member oversees the delivery of our various recovery programs. The job is full-time with benefits. For a complete job description, please visit our website at christianaidcenter.org. If you or someone you know is interested in this job, please send a cover letter/email and resume to jradzikowski@christianaidcenter.org.

Village Church Youth Center ~ November 12, 5:00pm ~ A Veterans Autumn Fair!

Fun For All, Fall Festival! Food, Games and a Photo Booth Option!

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)

is a Christian ministry that seeks to connect, embrace, support, and equip ALL moms within the local community. **NOW through May 2023:** 9 – 11 am or 7 - 9 pm; $1^{st} & 3^{rd}$ Thursdays monthly.



Questions? Contact Sara at 720-988-0117 or saramopscoach@gmail.com

VOLUNTEER Opportunities at the Christian Aid Center:

- --Breakfast Cooks in our community kitchen (Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Saturday shifts available)
- --Van Driver to pick-up donated food on Saturday mornings
- --Kitchen Helpers in our community kitchen (various shifts available)
- --Registered Nurses to help in our Health & Wellness Center
- --Prayer Warriors to pray on behalf of our guests. This is a women's prayer group that meets on Thursdays from 10:00 to 11:00 am.

For more information, please contact Jeannette Regalado, Community Engagement Director at (509) 525-7153 ext. 114. You can also fill out a volunteer application on our website at christianaidcenter.org.

GERMAN CHRISTMAS SINGALONG, Sabbath, December 3, 9:30am at Walla University Fine Arts Center. Doors open at 9:00 am. Contact Kurt Schäfer, 509-527-3116 for more info.

Upper Columbia Conference of SDA News

Our Memories ~ Are Treasures

The following is a sample from Peace, Be Still, a newsletter focusing on grief and loss. To read previous issues or to sign up to receive them in your inbox, go to www.uccsda.org/peacebestill. When someone you love becomes a memory, that memory becomes a treasure.



~Author Unknown
One of our essential needs of
mourning is to remember the
person who died. At first it is
often painful to remember,
but in time, remembering
usually becomes easier and
more rewarding.

EndItNow Hosts Free Summit — November 13

Abuse affects children, women, and men within the church and community. This free virtual summit on November 13 provides viewers with practical information and tools on all forms of abuse to help create safe churches and communities. Don't miss this opportunity to make a difference! This event will be live-streamed www.facebook.com/enditnowNAD on Facebook. To learn more visit www.enditnownorthamerica.org.

UCA Unveils Matching Donor Campaign by November 15

A donor has offered Upper Columbia Academy a matching grant of up to \$800,000 for gifts given in support of the "Igniting the World" campaign. It is a 1:1 match. That means that if you give \$50, the "Igniting the World" campaign will receive \$100. "Igniting the World" is a \$15 million campaign to build a strong foundation under UCA. The challenges facing this school are real and urgent. So, this commitment is a huge boost! But the offer is only good for one month. **November 15** is the deadline! For more information about "Igniting the World" or to make your gift or pledge, go to www.ignitingtheworlduca.org.

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North Pacific Union Conference

NAD Membership on the Rise

On the second day of the North American Division Year-End Meeting, it was revealed that membership across the NAD has been on the rise since 2020. In addition, they revealed details about demographics, member retention and more. Read the full story at news.uccsda.org/nad1122

General Conference

Online Symposium on Ellen White in Australia — November 5

Ellen White and Contemporary Adventism featuring the story of Ellen White in Australia, is the subject of an online symposium beginning on November 5 at 2:00 p.m. Pacific Time. The event is sponsored by the South Pacific Division, Avondale University Ellen G. White Research Centre, and Adventist Heritage Centre. Topics include Ellen White and Scripture; Nature of Inspiration and how it

works; Personal Growth and Development in Ellen White; Emergence and Acceptance of the Prophetic Gift by the Pioneers; How to use Ellen White's Writings Responsibly; and The Godhead in the Writing of Ellen White. For more information visit <u>adventistchurch.com/ellen-white-symposium/.</u>

Prayer 7ime ~ 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 from a father for his two special 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.

Prayers for older members who are struggling to maintain their independence and dealing with realizing their increasing need to rely on others.

Requests: - What are your prayer requests?

Please pray for the family of Skyler Gregg. He was in the Ukraine and was recently killed. He was the son of Steve & Michelle Gregg, grandson of Gretta Gregg. The family has requested their privacy as they grieve this loss. Notes and cards are welcome.

Please remember Connie and Randy Roger's as they journey through treatment and travel to and from the treatment center.

Prayers for Birdie Einig as she is dealing with some health concerns.

Prayers for Carol R. as she continues her recovery and adjustment to the loss of one of her eyes.

Prayers for a young man who is living in the homeless camp hoping to secure housing soon. - Shaun

Praises:

What do you have on your heart that you would like to share as Praise to the Lord!?!?



Isaac Peterson, Student Pastor 2022-2023

Have you met our new Student Pastor yet? I sat down with him and asked a few questions. I hope this helps you get to know him a bit better.

So Isaac, where are you from?

I am originally from Northern California, not far from Auburn where I attended Pine Hills Adventist Academy for high-school and later

went to Pacific Union College for Emergency Services. I started California fire training, I did some search and rescue work but before I completed that degree I turned my focus to ministry. I interned as

a youth pastor/worship pastor at the Paradise SDA Church for two summers and decided to pursue pastoral ministry by going back to school at Andrews University. I was there for a relatively short time and then decided to be closer to home, my girlfriend, and to save money I recently transferred to Walla Walla University where I will finish my Theology degree come 2024.

There was mention of a girl friend in that response. Do you want to tell us any more about that subject?

Well, I met her while on a mission trip. She is wonderful and this relationship is still under development.

Were you a student leader in your Academy experience? Hold offices in ASB or class officer, anything of that nature?

I was class pastor at Pine Hills Adventist Academy all 4 years of high school and was Religious Vice President my senior year.

Our Pastor Eric was a Wrangler while at Big Lake, Oregon. Did you ever work at a summer camp?

I never worked at a camp but I was a worship leader and staff member for Maranatha Ultimate Workout trips:) SIDE NOTE: The Ultimate Workout is a unique mission project designed for teenagers in high school. Stripped of electronics, parents, and other familiar comforts, volunteers step into the mission field in search of a fresh perspective on the world, relationships, and God. During the project, volunteers live in spartan conditions while building a church or school, coordinating outreach for the local community, and strengthening their personal connection to Jesus Christ. The Ultimate Workout is Maranatha's most adventurous project—and the most popular!

So to get a glimpse of how you grew up, what was the first job you ever were hired for?

My first paying job, I think it was working as a warehouse worker at a feed store in California bucking hay and loading horse feed!

Do you know what specific area(s) of our church you will be working in or with?

My official duties include aiding in pastoral care, some leadership in music – mostly with the youth and young adult groups. Also Pastor Eric will include me in a variety of church functions so I can continue to build experience in church organization practices and procedures.

You already seem to have a bit of experience in pastor type of work. What is/are your personal goal(s) as you go through this Eastgate/WWU experience?

I want to further develop my experience in youth ministry in a way that establishes empowerment of leadership within the youth themselves and in stating mentorship from the young adults down to the youth. I also want to further understand some nuance pastoral skills where I have less experience; like baptismal studies, leading bible studies and starting study/support groups.

Where do you see yourself once you have completed your year here with us at Eastgate and as you complete your Theology Degree here at WWU?

I plan to go where God leads me but for now I hope to primarily focus on music ministry and youth mentorship.

What are some of your personal interests and ways you like to spend your recreation time? Are you a team sport person or more of an individual recreational individual?

I am an active outdoors enthusiast and can be caught mountain biking, rock climbing, backpacking, running etc. I also enjoy overlanding and rock crawling especially when I can be behind a camera and develop quality photo/video content. I am a songwriter/music performer who also enjoys podcasting and interviewing people. Traveling is also at the top of the list and being able to do all those side hobbies while in a plane or car in whatever country or state; that's a good time! So for recreation? Bike, run, bike, drive, and bike!

Welcome Isaac, we look forward to getting to know you more during our fellowship together!

Silent Auction ~ Coming Soon

We here at Eastgate SDA have a number of items that we will be presenting for Silent Auction at the next up-coming Social Event we have here at the church. The items are televisions that are no longer needed here along with other items such as DVD players, CD players, Stereo Amplifiers, Apple iPads, etc. along with a piano. These items are not the newest technology but they still have some use time in them. They will be priced to sell and items will be awarded to the highest bidder for the evening.

Stay Tuned ~ More about this event and the inventory to come!

Job Network

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

Job Opportunities in the Oregon Conference

Looking for work in the Oregon Conference? Check the following for job postings: www.oregonconference.org/employment-home

Walla Walla University may be Hiring

Would you or someone you know like to join the WWU team? WWU are often hiring in a variety of departments, including Academic Records, Facility Services, Information Technology, Nursing, Social Work, and others. You can see all available positions and apply at jobs.wallawalla.edu. Thanks for helping us spread the word!

Open Positions at UCC

- Milton-Stateline Adventist School Teacher (5-6 part time)
- Colville Junior Academy Teacher (5-8)
- Administrative Assistant, Trust (PT) (College Place)
- Shipping/Receiving Clerk (PT)(Spokane)

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

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

<u>Piano for Sale ~ recently tuned, well maintained: Will be Featured in the Silent Auction 11/19</u> Davis & Sons Model 42207. If interested please contact the church office. office@eastgateadventist.church or 509-529-9933.

Home Needed

Single mother looking for a 3-bedroom, 2-bathroom home, ideally on a half-acre or so of land. Rent or Rent to own. Preferably in College Place area. A place for a horse and a few chickens would be great! Please call Christina at 509-956-5746.