Sabbath Worship Services

Sabbath School—9:30 a.m.

Lesson Study: "The Compassionate Savior" Adults

Memory Text: "When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd." Matthew 9:36 NIV

Sharing Time—10:40 a.m.

Song of Welcome Cheri Hoie
Welcome & Announcements Gene Earickson
Singing Praises Cheri Hoie

Worship Hour—10:50 a.m.

Call to Worship** "Where the Spirit of the Lord Is"

Invocation* Pastor Shultz

Opening Hymn "I'll Go Where You #573

Want Me To Go"

Worship in Giving Church Budget Virginia Smith

Joys & Requests Virginia Smith

Children's Collection New Church

Children's Story Elizabeth Shultz

Scripture Reading Esther 4:12-17 Tatiana Escobar

Special Music Tanya Huether

Sermon "What Is Our Destiny?" Pastor Shultz

Benediction*** Pastor Shultz

Organist Aletha Wehtje

SERMON NOTES

"What Is Our Destiny?"

Definitions: Destiny—"The inevitable or necessary succession of events." Predestine: "To determine or decree beforehand." Webster's New World Dictionary.

Our Destiny is:

- To be saved.
 - 1. We have been chosen by God to be His children— Ephesians 1:4,5.
 - 2. It is God's will that we be saved—I Timothy 2:4.

"The sinner may resist this love, may refuse to be drawn to Christ; but if he does not resist he will be drawn to Jesus; a knowledge of the plan of salvation will lead him to the foot of the cross in repentance for his sins, which have caused the sufferings of God's dear Son." Steps to Christ page 27

- To be aliens and strangers.
 - 1. We don't belong here—we are citizens of heaven—Philippians 3:17-21.
 - 2. Our longing for our homeland—Hebrews 11:8-10, 13-16, 39.40.
- III. To do the work that has been prepared for us.
 - 1. God has great plans for us—Jeremiah 29:11-13.
 - 2. We were created for good works—Ephesians 2:8-10.
 - 3. Esther—"This is your destiny"—Esther 4:12-14.
- IV. To be witnesses
 - 1. We are to be witnesses—Acts 1:8.
 - To be witnesses of what we have seen and heard— Acts 22:15.
- V. Conclusion

Transfers Out ~~ 1st Reading: Kymberlee (Brandi) Meyer to Florence, OR Donald & Cindy Cobbs to Cottage Grove, OR

Adult Sabbath School Classes

Bob Biegel--left of sanctuary Lynda Cross--downstairs, Room #2 Mars Hill--downstairs, Room #5

Church Family Prayer List

Clinton McMillan—Sabbath's off and health.

Maxine Hauser—improving and Praising The Lord!

Laurie Heinrich—feeling better all the time! PTL!

Bill Shiffer—continued healing.

Sam Regehr—is in failing health.

Jere Patzer—see update on Bulletin Board.

Cherie Mowery—health and family.

George, Joanna's brother—spiritual, physical healing, job **Paul Cochran**—completing contractors licenses & clients.

Bob Hauser— chemo therapy for cancer.

Cheri Hoie—complete healing.

Deborah Frame, Brandee's sister—brain tumors.

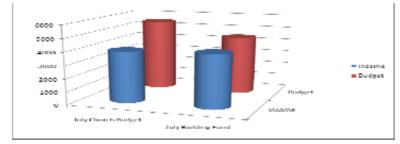
Joyce Weiler—health concerns.

Shears—that they see their need of Jesus.

Call the church office with requests to be included

TODAY Sunset 8:15 Virginia Smith Elder Deacon in Charge Dale Hoie Greeters The Decker's Bob Biegel's SS Class Luncheon Hosts **NEXT WEEK** Sunset 8:04 Pastor Shultz Sermon Elder Todd Rigby The Hoie's Greeters Offering Youth/Education Fund

Luncheon Hosts



^{*}Congregation kneeling

^{**}Please stand

^{***}Ushers will dismiss by rows

WELCOME

Welcome to Worship! We are so glad you have chosen to worship with us. If you have any special needs or want to learn more about our church, we invite you to fill out the communication card in the back of the pew. We look forward to having you worship with us again soon. Bob Biegel's Sabbath School Class is hosting the potluck today. Simple fare is not expensive and always welcome. Bring extra food and help clean up so all can attend the Outreach Meeting just following the Potluck.

OUTREACH MEETING TODAY

Outreach Meeting will be right after the All Church Potluck next week. All are invited.

PRAYER WARRIORS NEEDED:

We need Prayer warriors who are willing to commit to praying for the next 40 days about an important church matter. All who are interested, please meet right after potluck in the Mars Hill Sabbath School Classroom. This will be the first item of the Outreach Meeting.

VESPERS WITH JANN BIEGEL THIS EVENING

Jann Biegel recently returned from Costa Rica for an evangelistic effort with their daughter Joy. She will be sharing those pictures and experiences with us for Vespers today at 7:00 p.m.

DAY CAMP

Day Camp is coming August 18-22, 2008 and you can help with snacks, stories and Pinewood Derby Cars. It will be from 1-5 p.m. each day with doors opening at 12:00 p.m.. The culmination of this event is the Pinewood Derby on Sunday, August 24 from 3-5 p.m. Contact Shantel Escobar for more details and how you can help.

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Today 2:15 p.m. Outreach Meeting

7:00 p.m. Vespers—Costa Rica with Jann Biegel

8:15 p.m. Sunset

Monday 1-5:00 p.m. Day Camp

Tuesday 8:30 a.m. Exercise Class—Fellowship Hall

10:00 a.m. Ladies Bible Study—Biegel Classroom

1-5:00 p.m. Day Camp Wednesday 1-5:00 p.m. Day Camp

7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting—Fellowship Hall

Thursday 8:30 a.m. Exercise Class —Fellowship Hall

1-5:00 p.m. Day Camp

Friday 1-5:00 p.m. Day Camp

8:06 p.m. Sunset

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS BELIEVE:

As a people we hold the Bible in supreme regard as the revealer of God's truth to guide us to salvation. Our love and devotion is rooted supremely in Christ who we worship as our Savior, Creator, Lord and King.

We believe that forgiveness, healing and eternal life are offered freely to all on the basis of what Jesus has already accomplished for us at the cross, and continues to do as He ministers on our behalf in the heavenly sanctuary above. God's mercy and grace are infinite and are received by faith, to prepare a people for Jesus' second coming.

The "New Covenant" provides not only forgiveness for sin, but also God's promise to write His law on our hearts so that our greatest joy will be to do His will. We keep His commandments, not in order to be saved, but because He has already encircled us in His saving arms. His law includes also the fourth commandment Sabbath which invites us to spend a special time of fellowship with God on the seventh day.

We feel compelled as a people to share with a perishing world these messages of God's love in the context of God's final judgment-hour message in Revelation 14. Because of our devotion to Christ we joyfully look forward to His soon return in the clouds of heaven when we shall see our Savior face to face.

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"...And who knows but that you have come to royal position for such a time as this?"

Esther 4:14 NIV

Sabbath August 16, 2008