

SERVICES

Sabbath School—9:30 AM

Lesson Study “Prayer, Healing & Restoration” **Adults**

Memory Verse: “Therefore, confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another so that you may be healed. The effective prayer of a righteous man can accomplish much.” James 5:16 NASB

Worship Hour—10:40 a.m.

CHURCH IN PRAISE

Song Service		Tatianna Escobar
Call to Worship*	“Open Our Eyes, Lord”	

Invocation*		Kip Bradford
Opening Hymn*	“Go, Tell It On the Mountain”	Hymn #121

CHURCH IN GRATITUDE

Offering	Church Budget	Dale Hoie
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CHURCH IN SHARING

Community Fellowship		Tom Bischoff
Story Time		Misti Bischoff
Joys & Requests		Tom Bischoff
Prayer		
Response Song	“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”	Hymn #290

CHURCH IN WORSHIP

Scripture Reading	Luke 11:11-13	Lucille Semenak
Sermon	“What About Gifts”	Kip Bradford
Closing Hymn	“Joy To The World”	Hymn #125
Benediction		Kip Bradford

Organist		Pat Ball
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**Please stand

SPECIAL UPDATES

- ◆ **Church Family Prayer List**—Kris, Ethan Habeck’s brother is in the hospital with a blood infection...Andy Decker for upcoming surgery...Gene Thompson for upcoming surgery...Dwayne & Carol Badger for wisdom and comfort as they face his health challenges...the military serving our country... paying off the church mortgage...the unspoken needs and desires.
- ◆ **Pray In The New Year**—Come Pray in the New Year at 4 PM in the sanctuary. We will be on our knees as the sun sets and the new year begins. Afterwards, we will have a light supper and the famous Johnny Lingo movie in the Fellowship Hall.
- ◆ **Stop Smoking Program**—if you know someone who would like to start the new year with being smoke free, let them know about the Stop Smoking Program beginning in January. It will be offered on Monday evenings for 8 weeks or Tuesday afternoons for 8 weeks. See the poster on the bulletin board for more information.
- ◆ **Secret Sisters**—please have your form filled out and turned in no later than next Sabbath, December 27, 2014!

Love is the basis of godliness. Whatever the profession, no man has pure love to God unless he has unselfish love for his brother. But we can never come into possession of this spirit by trying to love others. What is needed is the love of Christ in the heart. When self is merged in Christ, love springs forth spontaneously. The completeness of Christian character is attained when the impulse to help and bless others springs constantly from within—when the sunshine of heaven fills the heart and is revealed in the countenance. WM 81

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Today	12:30 PM Picnic In the Basement
	4:48 PM Sunset
Monday	12:00 PM Soup Kitchen Hosted by Bev Rigby
Tuesday	8:30 AM Exercise Class in Fellowship Hall
Wednesday	No Study & Prayer Group until January 7
Thursday	Merry Christmas!
Friday	4:52PM Sunset

Cheerful Givers Report As of November, 2014

Needed for Budget: **\$4,041.67**
November Budget: \$3,125.95
 Needed for Building: **\$3,941.00**
November Building: \$3,987.15
Principal Balance-Building
***** \$297,286.10 *****



Sabbath School Classes

Downstairs

Arctic Adventure
All children and youth
meet in Classroom #5
at 9:30 AM

Main Floor

Adult—Classroom #1
—Lyn D. Shiffer
Adult—Pastor’s Office
—Doug Cross

SERMON NOTES
“What About Gifts”

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.

Today

Sermon
Elder
Deacon In Charge
Greeters

Picnic In the Basement

Kip Bradford
Tom Bischoff
Mike Runyan
Dale Hoie & Ethan Habeck

Next Week

Sermon
Elder
Deacon In Charge
Greeters

Picnic In the Basement

Jim Ball Music Program
Todd Rigby
Don Kirk III
Ruth Eldred & Mary Kirk

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Welcome to the Brookings Seventh-day Adventist Church. We're delighted to have you worship with us today. We pray that our time together assists you in your growth in the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ. Please feel free to join the casual luncheon known as the Picnic In the Basement in the Fellowship Hall following the church service.

**OUR MISSION IS TO BE A CHRIST-CENTERED,
SPIRIT-FILLED CHURCH THAT DEMONSTRATES
THE POWER OF GRACE AND INTENTIONALLY
SHARES THE GOOD NEWS OF CHRIST'S
SOON RETURN.**

DECEMBER 20, 2014