

Our Beliefs in Brief: #23—Christian Behavior

Created in God's image, male and female, we are designed to live in relationships. Marriage is God's ideal to live in harmony, and for children to grow up in security and love.

Marriage was divinely established in Eden and affirmed by Jesus to be a lifelong union between a man and a woman in loving companionship. For the Christian a marriage commitment is to God as well as to the spouse, and should be entered into only between a man and a woman who share a common faith. Mutual love, honor, respect, and responsibility are the fabric of this relationship, which is to reflect the love, sanctity, closeness, and permanence of the relationship between Christ and His church. Regarding divorce, Jesus taught that the person who divorces a spouse, except for fornication, and marries another, commits adultery. Although some family relationships may fall short of the ideal, a man and a woman who fully commit themselves to each other in Christ through marriage may achieve loving unity through the guidance of the Spirit and the nurture of the church. God blesses the family and intends that its members shall assist each other toward complete maturity. Increasing family closeness is one of the earmarks of the final gospel message. Parents are to bring up their children to love and obey the Lord. By their example and their words they are to teach them that Christ is a loving, tender, and caring guide who wants them to become members of His body, the family of God which embraces both single and married persons. (Gen. 2:18-25; Exod. 20:12; Deut. 6:5-9; Prov. 22:6; Mal. 4:5, 6; Matt. 5:31, 32; 19:3-9, 12; Mark 10:11, 12; John 2:1-11; 1 Cor. 7:7, 10, 11; 2 Cor. 6:14; Eph. 5:21-33; 6:1-4.)

If you are interested in Bible Study, contact Pastor Kimbrough.

Today

Sermon	Lou Goodgame
Platform Leader	Mary Kirk
Deacon In Charge	Todd Rigby
Greeters	Wayne Howard, Charlotte White
Luncheon Lead	Bev Rigby

Fellowship Luncheon

Next Week

Sermon	Barry Kimbrough
Platform Leader	Dwight Winslow
Deacon In Charge	Dale Hoie
Greeters	Dale Hoie, Dan Fischer
SS Teacher Room 1	Tom Bischoff
SS Teacher Room 3	Lucille Semanak
Offering	Local Church Budget

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Brookings, Oregon



Now as He sat on the Mount of Olives, the disciples came to Him privately, saying, "Tell us, when will these things be? And what will be the sign of Your coming, and the end of the age?" Matt 24:3

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.

Sabbath, December 14, 2019

SERVICES

SABBATH SCHOOL 9:30 AM

Adult Lesson Study: "Backslidden People"

Classroom #1: Bob Biegel

Classroom #3: Downstairs: Lucille Semanak

Sanctuary Class: Talitha Escobar

Classroom #5: Children 0-6 years old,

Library: Youth 7-14 years old.

Worship Hour—10:45 AM

CHURCH IN PRAISE

Song Service		Escobars
Call to Worship*	<i>"Jesus Name Above all Names"</i>	
Invocation*		Lou Goodgame
Opening Hymn*	<i>"This is My Father's World"</i>	Hymn 92

CHURCH IN GRATITUDE

Offering	ACS Ministries	Shernette Wallace
Offertory	<i>"Silent Night"</i>	
Children's Offering	Children's Ministries	

CHURCH IN SHARING

Children's Story		Sonja Mosier
Community Fellowship		Mary Kirk
Joys, Requests, Prayer		

CHURCH IN WORSHIP

Scripture Reading	Matthew 16:1-4	Joanna Probus
Sermon	What are the Signs of the Times?	Lou Goodgame
Closing Hymn	<i>"Holy Holy Holy"</i>	Hymn 73
Benediction*		Lou Goodgame

Piano
Organ

*Please stand

Jann Biegel
Evelyn Keitel

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ **Visitors:** are invited to join us for our Fellowship Luncheon today downstairs in the Fellowship Hall after the worship services.
- ◆ **Joys and Requests:** Please write your praises and prayer requests on the slips of paper provided in the pews and give to deacon when the offering is being taken up. Be sure to print legibly for ease of reading.
- ◆ **Bible Study: Tuesday at 6pm** in Classroom 3, given by Doug Cross, using the Bible & the "Steps To Christ." Consecration.
- ◆ **Prayer Meeting:** Prayer Meeting **Wednesday December 18 at 6pm:** The topic is "Lessons from the First Christmas"
- ◆ **Pastor's Family Needs Old Candles** Please contact Barry if you have any you do not want. Call 304-694-4137
- ◆ **RECIPES RECIPES RECIPES.** New cookbook in the making. Need 5 recipes from our wonderful potluck cooks of favorite entrees by December 31. Please turn them in to Evelyn.

Today:

⇒ **December 14:** Adventist Community Services Offering Adventist Community Services is an outreach ministry for the Seventh-day Adventist Church in the North American Division. ACS serves communities by providing assistance to people affected by flooding, fire, and other disaster to touch one heart and transform our communities. Today's offering will help ACS continue this important work. Learn more or donate at communityservices.org

Coming Up:

- ⇒ **TOMORROW December 15 from 11 am-1 pm:** Women's Ministries is having a Christmas tea. Join us for fun, fellowship and delicious refreshments. Looking forward to seeing you there!
- ⇒ **December 2-30, 2019:** The Adventist Book Center's Holiday Sale. For more details, download the sale flyer at www.abcflyer.com
- ⇒ **December 28 13th Sabbath Offering:** Benefits the Southern Asia-Pacific Division.
- ⇒ **Tuesday December 31 at 4:45pm.** Praying in the New Year. Join us in prayer and praise to welcome the New Year
- ⇒ **January 8-17, 2020,** Ten Days of Prayer, followed by a Sabbath of Celebration on January 18. More details at a later date.

Cheerful Givers Report as of November 30, 2019

Needed for Budget: **\$4,405.83** Church Budget Received: **\$5590.82**

Sunset Tonight 4:45pm

Sunset Friday Dec 20, 4:48pm