

**The Church at Study
December 10, 2011
9:30 am**

Welcome To The Family Jim Singer

Bible Study 9:45 - 10:45 am
"Freedom in Christ"

Pastor's Class Pastor Lyle Arakaki
Right Front Lynden Kruse
Left Rear Lorene Dahl
Chapel Curtis Perkins
Training Room Jim Haynes
Balcony Crystal Kronner
Young Adult Tray Williams

Presiding Elder *Richard Hentschel*
Presiding Deacon *Dennis Mason*
Worship Leader *Kyle Hansen*
Organist *Barbara Gober*
Pianist *Kathy Beam*
P.A. *Larry Fletcher*
Greeters *Roy & Stella Snider, Mary & David Rollans*
Elle Piper
Reader Board *Keith Leavitt*

We welcome each of you to our Sabbath services today. If you are a guest, please join us at our church fellowship dinner following our worship service. Our members invite you to enjoy good food and fellowship in the Better Living Center located directly behind the Sanctuary.

Announcements

Adventist Community Services Offering Today - Adventist Community Services is the humanitarian ministry for the Seventh-day Adventist Church in North America. In 2011 ACS served communities in Christ's name by providing assistance to people affected by natural disasters and offering ongoing support in New Orleans. Today's offering will help ACS continue this important work. Learn more at www.communityservices.org.

Tonight, December 10, 5:30-9:00 pm, Church Game Night, Better Living Center - Please bring your board games. **The Pathfinders will be providing a fund raiser dinner.**

Tonight, December 10, 7:00 pm, Basketball, Roseburg Junior Academy.

Tomorrow, December 11, 9:00 am-4:00 pm, Craft Fair, Sutherlin SDA Church.

Tomorrow, December 11, 11:00 am, Ladies Brunch/Clothing Exchange, TurningPoint Church. Invite family, friends and neighbors to enjoy good food and fellowship. Please message, email @ happykockerns@carter.net or call Susan Kockern at 541-637-0924 for more information.

Tomorrow, December 11, 2:00 pm, Women's Bible Study Group, Better Living Center. The topic will be "Hannah" Fulfillment and Joy.

No Volleyball, until further notice. Please contact Robert Otis at 541-430-7444 for more information.

December 13, 6:30 pm, Pathfinder Christmas Party, Roseburg Junior Academy.

Midweek Service, Wednesday, December 14, 7:00 pm, Chapel. The topic will be **Living by the Spirit.** There will be a **potluck at 6:00 pm** in the Better Living Center

Please join the **Sunshine Band** next Sabbath, **December 17 at 1:30 pm** at Rose Haven.

All friends of Roseburg Junior Academy are invited to attend their **Christmas Concert on Thursday, December 15, at 7:00 pm in the RJA gym.** "Arrest Those Merry Gentlemen" will delight those who are able to attend. The venue may have changed from past years, but the program quality is still first rate.

December 16, Minimum Day of School at Roseburg Junior Academy.

December 17 - We will have a special **Christmas Program** for our worship service.

The **Fifth Annual Christmas Candlelight Concert** presented by The Milo Academy Music Department, will take place **December 17th at 6:30 pm at the Milo Adventist Church.** Experience our live wreath portraying the gift of Christ's birth and enjoy an evening of inspiring music to ring in the Christmas Season.

RJA 7th & 8th Graders are recycling bottles and cans to get funds for their Washington, D. C. Trip. Call Tina Holland at 541-315-1028 for information.

2012 Devotional Books and Sharing Books can be ordered at a discount at the church office. Orders will be taken until **January 16.** They are now available at the church office to be picked up. We also have **John Silvestri's book, "Johnny the Little Apple Picker and His Big God,"** available at the church office.

Approximately \$5400 is still needed for the Great Controversy Project. If everyone contributes something, we can wrap this project up shortly. Please make this a matter of prayer, and contribute as the Lord inspires you.

Light Bearers Ministry is needing volunteers. The old and new Laurelwood campuses have donated their libraries, and we are incorporating these books into our current library. Please call Cindi at 541-988-3333, ext. 204 if you can help. During the month of December, EVERYTHING in our store will be discounted by 25%.

Our weekly **Sabbath Fellowship Luncheon** is in need of people to be responsible for set up and clean up. A schedule has been proposed which would assign the **Adult Sabbath School Classes and Children's Sabbath School Division Leaders** to be responsible for our weekly luncheons. If you have a concern with this plan, please call the church office; otherwise, the plan will begin in the new year..

Bible Study Groups: Monday Mornings **Lois Rigutto** heads a group that is studying *Galatians*, and the book *Last Day Events*. There is also a monthly **Ladies Bible Study Group** headed by Margie Kruse.

Community Services Needs Peanut Butter. If you could buy some extra to give them, it would be greatly appreciated. There is a container in the foyer to put it. Please continue to **save plastic bags** for Community Services.

The Wheatons of 389 Cleveland Rapids Road have **shelled walnuts for sale** at a reasonable price. Call 541-957-9059.

GleanerNOW Christmas Give-aways Begin December 1 - See the bulletin board for details.

Some **Pathfinders** want to participate in events but are unable to pay for some or all the fees. They shouldn't miss out because of finances. Please help.

Quiet Bags are available to families with small children. You may pick one up in the Church Ministries Room. Please return bags to the room after church.

Prayer Thought:

"**God Will Get You Home** - ... For some of you, the journey has been long. Some of you have shouldered burdens that few of us could ever carry. You have bid farewell to life-long partners. You have been robbed of life-long dreams. You have been given bodies that can't sustain your spirit. You have spouses that can't tolerate your faith. You have bills that outnumber the paychecks and challenges that outweigh the strength..... Let me encourage you....God never said that the journey would be easy, but he did say that the arrival would be worthwhile." *Grace for the Moment*, Max Lucado, page 180.

Church at Worship 11:00 am

Welcome & Announcements	Richard Hentschel
Prelude	Barbara Gober
Worship In Music Away In a Manger Hark! the Herold Angels Sing	Kyle Hansen No. 124 No. 122
Hymn of Praise "O Come, All Ye Faithful"	No. 132
Invocation	Keith Leavitt
Joy In Giving Adventist Community Services	Curtis Perkins
Offertory	Barbara Gober
Special Music	Ceci Potter, Brie Valenzuela, Alyssa Haley & Kyle Hansen
Prayer	Richard Hentschel
Scripture Reading Matthew 1:18-23	Donna Leavitt
Children's Story	Pastor Lyle Arakaki
Hymn of Meditation "O Come, O Come Immanuel"	No. 115
Sermon "The Gift of Presence"	Pastor Lyle Arakaki
Hymn of Dedication "O Little Town of Bethlehem"	No. 135
Benediction	Pastor Lyle Arakaki
Postlude	Barbara Gober

Church Calendar

Today, December 10

Library Open - Teen Room
Sabbath Fellowship Dinner - Better Living Center
5:30 pm Church Game Night /Pathfinder Dinner - Better Living Center
7:00 pm Basketball - Roseburg Junior Academy

Sunday, December 11

2:00 pm Women's Bible Study - Better Living Center

Monday, December 12

10:00 am Bible Study - Better Living Center
No Volleyball Until Further Notice

Tuesday, December 13

10am-Noon & 1-3 pm Community Services - Better Living Center
6:30 pm Pathfinder Christmas Party - Roseburg Junior Academy

Wednesday, December 14

6:00 pm Potluck - Better Living Center
7:00 pm Midweek Service - Chapel

Sabbath, December 17

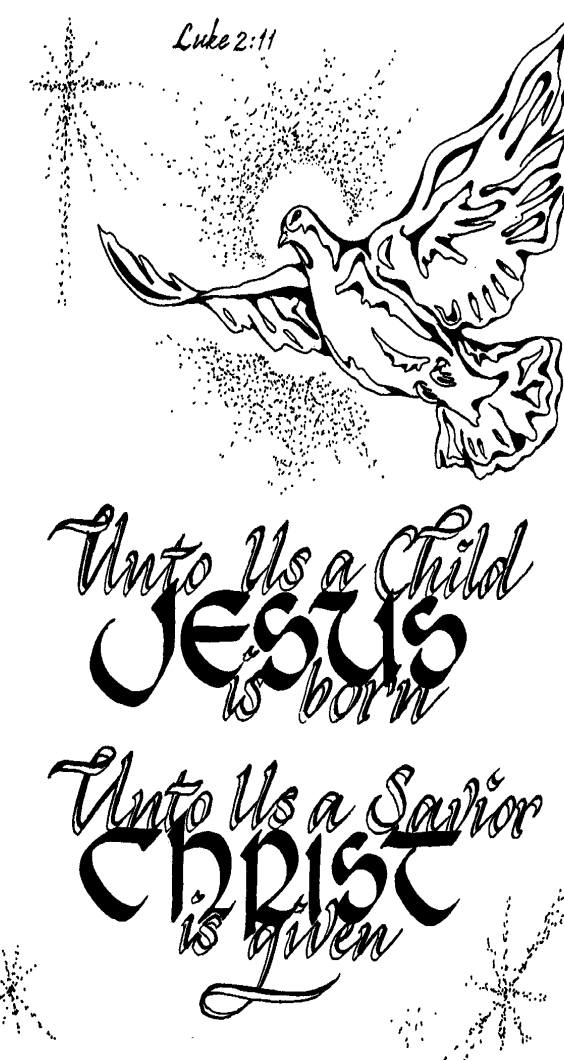
Welcome to the Family: Dennis Mason
Worship Leader: Weldon & Beverly Fletcher
Worship Service: Christmas Program
Offering: Church Budget
1:30 pm Sunshine Band - Rose Haven

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Roseburg Jr. Academy: www.rjasda.org
Sabbath School Lesson Online: www.ssnet.org/qtrly
3ABN Television: www.3abn.com
Better Life BLBN: www.betterlifetv.com
DishNet & DirecTV: www.betterlifetv.com
Local Cable: www.betterlifetv.com
Online Streaming 24/7 & iPod & iPhone: www.betterlifetv.com
KLLF-LP Radio: www.betterlifetv.com 106.7 FM
HOPE Channel: www.betterlifetv.com DirecTV Channel 368

Sabbath Ends - 4:38

Sabbath Starts - 4:39



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