

OFFERING THIS WEEK is for the Local Church Budget

The beach is one of my favorite places. My family lives close to the beach, and it is a wonderful place to come to, especially when the weather is warm. My husband and I have taken many walks along the water and prayed for God to guide the next steps of our lives.

Looking at the water, we can all be reminded of God’s sovereignty. That’s a big, theological word that simply means that God reigns above everything. God is in control. When the disciples, in the book of Mark, were caught in a storm, they cried out to Jesus for His help. Jesus was fast asleep, but they woke Him up and He calmed the storm that threatened their lives. Their response was, “...[they] said to one another, ‘Who can this be, that even the wind and the sea obey Him!’”(Mark 4:41 NKJV).

Today, we can rest in knowing that our God is able to calm all of the storms in our lives. Even deeper than that, God is able to give us a sense of peace, even when the world around us feels like it is in chaos. We are blessed to be able to gather as believers and encourage each other with our testimonies of how God has carried us through the storms of our lives. As we return our tithe and offering today, let our hearts give from a place of gratitude for our “storm-calming” God.

By Heather Thompson Day

Church Budget Report						
2024	Feb	Feb		YTD	YTD	
Red Deer SDA Church	Actual	Budget	Variance	Actual	Budget	Variance
Offerings	6,122	14,882	(8,759)	16,988	29,763	(12,775)
Expenses	16,031	14,882	(1,149)	28,866	29,763	897

WELCOME

Grace and peace to you. This was the Apostle Paul’s traditional greeting to the churches in God’s Kingdom community—God’s family of grace and peace. Family relationships are important to God and they’re important to us too! We hope and pray that you find grace and peace and family here in our Kingdom community. Please take some time to check out our programs, church school, or a sermon or two. We hope you’ll come back frequently, and we pray that God will richly bless you as you seek to know Him and grow in grace.

PASTORAL TEAM

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WEEKLY SABBATH SCHOOL

Sabbath Breakfast Small Fellowship Hall.....**9:00 – 9:25AM**
 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM

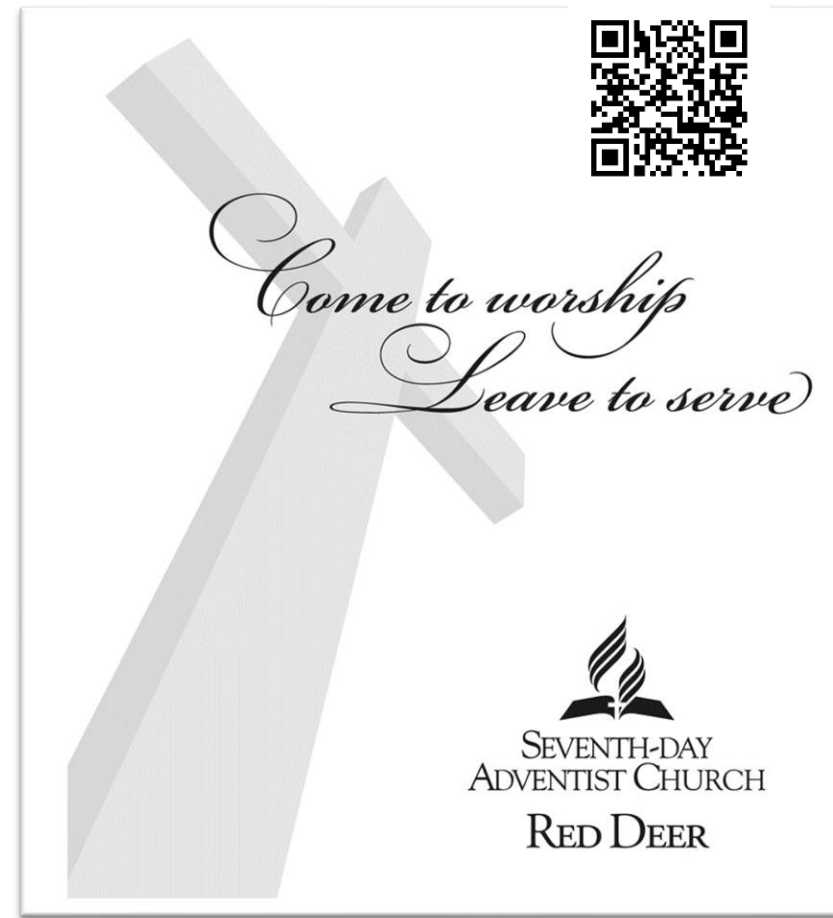
Adult Class (1) Main Sanctuary
 Adult Class (2) Main Sanctuary
 Adult Class (3) Board Room
 Adult Class (4) (Tagalog) Small Fellowship Hall
 Children’s Beginner..... Ages 0-3
 Children’s Kindergarten.....Ages 4-5/Pre-K & K
 Children’s Primary.....Ages 6-9/Grades 1-4
 Children’s JuniorAges 10-12/Grades 5-7
 Youth.....Ages 13-18/Grades 8-12
 Clerk Helie Fabroa
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 Treasurer Pope Gondwe
 SecretaryLeanne Marcinyk

GENERAL INFORMATION

Sunset Today 07:42 PM
 Sunset Next Friday 07:53 PM
Offering this Week **Local Church Budget**
 Next Week Local Conference Advance
 Next Communion Service
 Bulletin Info communications@reddeeradventist.ca

SOUTH SIDE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL Kindergarten-Grade 9
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SABBATH SCHOOL & LESSON STUDY

09:30 AM – 10:45 AM

Lesson Study Review..... by Class

Sabbath School..... Small Group

Outreach Sabbath March 16@11AM

We will be serving our community here in Red Deer.

Right after Sabbath School we are going into our city to be the hands and feet of Jesus. There will be several outreach stations, including 1. Baking and delivering treats to first responders, singing in retirement homes, tracts distribution, prayer walking/flower, hygiene packet assembly and distribution, and battery delivery for smoke detectors. Please pack sack lunch and wear clothes that you can work in. Supper will be provided as we gather together at Ecole La Prairie for a time of sharing and a pizza supper@4pm.

Here are some links if you would like to sign up for the various activities online.

Baking: <https://forms.office.com/r/Tu0qyF8FKM>

Hygiene packets: <https://forms.office.com/r/ZXh6C0r5GN>

Prayer Walk: <https://forms.office.com/r/tyn2Zms5TW>

Battery Delivery: <https://forms.office.com/r/xFGKz2FdT1>

Tracts: <https://forms.office.com/r/Y03CLeeakC>

The Hamlets music: <https://forms.office.com/r/4Ynx3egWW3>

Villa Marie music: <https://forms.office.com/r/SdFUCvriPG>

ANNOUNCEMENTS

www.reddeeradventist.ca/news

Join our Prayer Meetings & Kids Prayer Time every Wednesday @ 7:00PM. Kids Prayer Time will resume at the same time.

You can join in and participate in a lesson study on zoom at 9:30am. Use this link to join in and take part: albertaadventist-ca.zoom.us. Meeting ID: 937 9526 4185 ----- Passcode: Lesson

Our church services are now streamed live on YouTube. You can find our YouTube channel by search for "Red Deer Seventh-day Adventist Church." You can find YouTube on any browser by typing www.youtube.com, or by using the app on any device or smart tv. Please subscribe and you will be notified of future events and videos.

Bookings: For any booking inquiry of church facilities, please email info@reddeeradventist.ca

NOTE: Our responsibility for the Soup Kitchen is on the 4th Sabbath of each month from 3:00PM until 6:00PM... and the following Thursday 3:00PM to 6:00PM.

Prayer-line switched to Zoom.

All are welcome to join every Friday at 8:30PM.

Zoom meeting ID is: 6484263456

Password: 987654

There will be no prayer meeting on March 27 because of spring break. We hope you enjoy this time of rest and renewal with your families and friends.

Membership Transfers:

Wolfgang Hoffman from Red Deer SDA to Wetaskiwin SDA Church

Miora Evelyne Razafiarivony from Advent Hope Community Church

Kenya, to Red Deer SDA Church

Areli Trejo from Unity SDA Church Athens to Red Deer SDA Church

Burman University. Be a part of our team.

- Full-Time Tenure-track Faculty in Business - School of Business
- Carpenter/Painter - Facility Maintenance
- Administrative Residence Hall Dean – Student Services

GOD DESIRES SPECIFIC WORK BE DONE IN CITIES

Great Work Needs to Be Done in Cities.—Again and again I am instructed to present to our churches the work that should be done in our large cities. There is a great work to be done, not only where we have churches already established, but also in places where the truth has never been fully presented. Right in our midst there are heathen as verily as in far-off lands.—Manuscript 7, 1908 (Evangelism, 32). MTC 55.1

Do Not Wait for Something Large to Happen Before Starting.—Why should we delay to begin work in our cities? We are not to wait for some wonderful thing to be done, or some costly apparatus to be provided, in order that a great display may be made. What is the chaff to the wheat? If we walk and work humbly before God, He will prepare the way before us. He will honor those who honor Him. And we feel sure that the workmen at Takoma Park are seeking to honor Him. MTC 55.2

Why delay the endeavor to make the world better? However humble our sphere, however lowly our work, if we walk in harmony with our Saviour, He will reveal Himself through us, and our influence will draw souls to Him. He will honor the meek and lowly ones, who earnestly seek to do service for Him in the daily life. Into all that we do, whether we work in the shop, on the farm, or in the office, let us bring the endeavor to save souls.—Letter 335, 1904. MTC 55.3

Special Talent Exists to Accomplish Work.—Mission work should be done in all our large cities. There is special talent among us for this line of labor, and this talent should be educated and trained. MTC 56.1

The ministers who hover over the churches are accomplishing little good for church members unless they encourage and teach the people to do practical missionary work. Every minister should now feel that there is a greater work for him to do than to repeat again and again the same sermons to the people. ... MTC 56.2

I have been instructed to refer our people to the fifty-eighth chapter of Isaiah. Read this chapter carefully, and understand the kind of ministry that will bring life into the churches. The work of the gospel is to be carried by means of our liberality as well as by our labors. When you meet suffering souls who need help, give it to them. When you find those who are hungry, feed them. In doing this you will be working in lines of Christ's ministry. ... MTC 56.3

It is not the duty of conference officers to lay restraining hands on the work being done in our cities. By the strange forbiddings that have been exercised in some places, Satan has been seeking to hedge up the way of the truth. The people need no encouragement to inactivity.—Manuscript 7, 1908. MTC 56.4

Best Workers to Be Chosen.—We must labor now for the extension of the truth, and as a result many souls will come to a knowledge of the truth in our hitherto unworked cities. The very choicest instrumentalities the church contains should be selected and sent forth, and sustained in extending missionary efforts.—Atlantic Union Gleaner, January 8, 1902. MTC 56.5

Workers Needed Who Can Reach People's Hearts.—We must plan to place in these great cities capable men who can present the third angel's message in a manner so forceful that it will strike home to the heart. Men who can do this, we cannot afford to gather into one place, to do a work that others might do.—The Review and Herald, November 25, 1909.

Happy Sabbath 