

**WELCOME TO  
THE ELMIRA SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH  
813 Maple Avenue  
Elmira, New York 14904**

**THE CHURCH AT STUDY**  
May 3, 2014      9:20 AM – 10:45 AM

Song Service	Luke Moss, Jr.
Opening Prayer	
Remarks	Superintendent
Mission Story	Corky Hinman
Lesson Study	“Christ and the Sabbath”
Teacher	Michael Belknap

Superintendent – Earle Stewart

**TODAY’S PROGRAM**

Elder in Charge	James Reynolds
Deacon in Charge	Alvin Jackson
Pianist/Organist	Sharon Reynolds
Greeter	Dee Colaw
Sunset tonight:	8:09 P.M.

**SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK**

Elder in Charge	James Reynolds
Deacon in Charge	Alvin Jackson
Greeter	Joan Van Galder
Offering	Disaster and Famine Relief/Atlantic Union College
Sunset Next Friday:	8:15 P.M.



*And He said unto them,  
The Sabbath was made for man, and not man for the Sabbath:  
Therefore the Son of man is Lord also of the Sabbath.  
Mark 2:27, 28*

**THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP**  
May 3, 2014      10:50 AM

Song Service	Luke Moss, Jr.
Announcements	James Reynolds

**PRELUDE**

Scripture Meditation	Psalm 111:10	Cameron Macdonell
Chimes		Organist
Introit	<i>Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus</i> (refrain only)	#290
Invocation		James Reynolds

**DEDICATION AND PREPARATION OF HEART**

Opening Hymn		#86
	<i>How Great Thou Art</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Michael Belknap
Response		Organist
Baptism		

**DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

Tithes & Offerings		Luke Moss, Jr.
	Local Church Budget	
Offertory		Organist

**MINISTRATION OF THE WORD**

Children’s Story	Lacey Hinman
Special Music	Ramon and Pamela Polanco
Scripture Reading	Gary Beach
Sermon	Doug Batchelor, DVD
	“Some Things Are Sacred”

**BENEDICTION**

Closing Hymn		#500
	<i>Take Time to Be Holy</i>	
Benediction		James Reynolds
Response		Organist
Postlude		Organist

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Soup & Sandwich Fellowship Luncheon – next Sabbath following the worship service. Everyone is invited. Please bring a dish to pass. **A hike will follow the luncheons during May and June.**

Prayer Session – each Sabbath following the worship service.

Bible Study – each Tuesday, 6:30 P.M. at the church.

“What’s the Connection?” – Thursdays, 6:30 P.M., Bible study on Daniel.

Vespers – Sabbath May 10, 6:30 P.M. “End Time Battle of Beauty!” This will continue each Sabbath in May & into June.

Church Board Meeting – Monday, May 12, 6:30 P.M. at the church. Please have any agenda items to Earle Stewart by Monday, May 5.

Corning Community College Pinning Ceremony and Reception honoring the Nurse Education Class of 2014, May 15, 7:00 P.M. at the First Arena. All are invited. Congratulations to Pam Polanco who will be graduating as a Registered Nurse.

Church History Tour to the William Miller home, May 18. An organizational meeting will be held before Bible study May 13. Please come to finalize details and talk with Derek about the tour!

Pathfinder Bake Sale – May 25. Please support this last bake sale for the year!

Thank you – to all who helped out at the work bee last Sunday.

Youth Mission Trip – This Generation will be organizing a mission trip of youth to work in the Elmira area to Elmira July 5 – July 20. Please keep this evangelistic outreach in your prayers. Any parents who have a teen who would like to join the trip and any members who are able to help out, contact Christina Webber at 716-243-0535. People are needed to cook, to lead out in morning and evening worships, and to enter data to keep track of leads. Prayer and fasting dates will be: May 17, June 7 and July 5.

Clothing – there are many articles of clothing which have been left on the coat racks. Please check to see if anything belongs to you! Unclaimed articles will be donated.

## CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

“To seek and to save the lost by uplifting Jesus Christ as Saviour and Lord, inviting people into God’s family, and promoting gospel order and discipleship in an atmosphere of peace, love, and unity.”

## CHURCH CALENDAR

TODAY May 3	Speaker – Doug Batchelor, viaDVD Prayer Session
Tuesday May 6	Bible Study 6:30 P.M. at the church
Thursday May 8	“What’s the Connection?” 6:30 P.M. at the church
Next Sabbath	Elder Kevin Dunn Soup & Sandwich Fellowship Luncheon & Hike Prayer Session

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Church Website	elmirasda.com
Church Phone	734-1560
District Pastor	Kevin Dunn 754-7251
Head Elder	Earle Stewart 733-6181
Head Deacon	Derek Colaw 739-4421
Head Deaconess	Joan Van Galder 732-8775
Church Treasurer	James Reynolds 732-9629
Church Clerk & Bulletin	Sharon Reynolds 732-9629
By Wednesday, 8:00 P.M.	

Nature’s Garden Hours – Thursday, 4:00-6:00 P.M., or By Appt.: Call Larry Taft at 732-0463, or Mac Dwyer at 739-7748.

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*There is no limit  
to the usefulness of the one who, putting self aside,  
makes room for the working of the Holy Spirit upon his heart  
and lives a life wholly consecrated to God.  
Testimonies, Vol. 8, p. 19*