

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

THE CHURCH AT STUDY
May 17, 2014 9:20 AM – 10:45 AM

Song Service	Malcolm Dwyer
Opening Prayer	
Remarks	Superintendent
Mission Story	Martha Jackson
Lesson Study	“Christ, the End of the Law”
Teacher	Malcolm Dwyer

Superintendent – Dee Colaw

TODAY’S PROGRAM

Elder in Charge	James Reynolds
Deacon in Charge	Alvin Jackson
Pianist	Teri Hinman
Organist	Sharon Reynolds
Greeter	Larry & Cindy Taft
Sunset tonight:	8:23 P.M.

SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

Elder in Charge	James Reynolds
Deacon in Charge	Alvin Jackson
Greeter	Jason Ducot
Offering	New York Advance
Sunset Next Friday:	8:29 P.M.



*For Christ is the end of the law for righteousness
to every one that believeth.
Romans 10:4*

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP
May 17, 2014 10:50 AM

Song Service	Malcolm Dwyer
Announcements	James Reynolds

PRELUDE

Scripture Meditation	Hebrews 13:5, 6	Gary Bennett
Chimes		Organist
Introit	<i>Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus</i> (refrain only)	#290
Invocation		James Reynolds

DEDICATION AND PREPARATION OF HEART

Opening Hymn		#229
	<i>All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Ramon Polanco
Response		Organist

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Tithes & Offerings		Debby Montopoli
	Local Church Budget	
Offertory		Organist

MINISTRATION OF THE WORD

Children’s Story		Brooke Hinman
Special Music	<i>Sitting at the Feet of Jesus</i>	Men’s Chorus
Scripture Reading	1 Corinthians 11:31, 32	Jason Ducot
Sermon	“Prayer – Releasing Relying”	Earle Stewart

BENEDICTION

Closing Hymn		#316
	<i>Live Out Thy Life Within Me</i>	
Benediction		Earle Stewart
Response		Organist
Postlude		Organist

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to the pulpit to Earle Stewart who will be bringing us today's sermon.

Prayer & Fasting – today will be a time of prayer and fasting after the worship service as we look forward to our community outreach. Everyone is invited to attend.

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.

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

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

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

Church History Tour to the William Miller home, May 18.

Transfers of Membership (First Reading): Bradley, Sharmin, Benjamin, Seth, Stephen, Samuel, and Brandon Proctor from the Elmira Church to the Friendship SDA Church.

Woodbrook Sunshine Band – Sabbath, May 24 following the luncheon. Everyone is invited. Hike to follow.

Newsletter Deadline – May 20. Please contact Sharon Reynolds with any news items, 732-9629.

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

President-elect, Robert Wagley will be preaching at Westvale SDA Church on Sabbath, May 24, 2014. Everyone is invited to attend one of the two services that day – 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. There will be a potluck after the second service. All are invited to attend but you must bring a dish to pass.

Youth Mission Trip July 5 - July 20, 2014: This Generation and Volunteers is hosting a Mission Trip to the community of Elmira, NY, for ages 13 and up. They will be engaged in evangelistic efforts, training, hands on outreach, community impact projects. Contact Trip Director for information at 716- 243-0535 or email truevine10@yahoo.com.

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 17	Speaker – Earle Stewart Prayer & Fasting Vespers – 6:30 P.M.
Tuesday May 20	Bible Study 6:30 P.M. at the church
Thursday May 22	“What’s the Connection?” 6:30 P.M. at the church
Next Sabbath	Speaker – Elder Kevin Dunn 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.

*Consecrate yourself to God in the morning;
make this your very first work. Let your prayer be,
“Take me, O Lord, as wholly Thine. I lay all my plans at Thy feet.
Use me today in Thy service.
Abide with me, and let all my work be wrought in Thee.”
Steps to Christ, p. 70*