

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

THE CHURCH AT STUDY
May 31, 2014 9:20 AM – 10:45 AM

Song Service	Luke Moss, Jr.
Opening Prayer	
Remarks	Superintendent
Mission SONlight	<i>Bangalore: Kollegal School</i>
Lesson Study	“Christ, the Law and the Gospel”
Teacher	Earle Stewart

Superintendent – Malcolm Dwyer

TODAY’S PROGRAM

Elder in Charge	James Reynolds
Deacon in Charge	Alvin Jackson
Pianist/Organist	Sharon Reynolds
Greeter	Carol Cau
Sunset tonight:	8:36 P.M.

SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

Elder in Charge	Earle Stewart
Deacon in Charge	Luke Moss, Jr.
Greeter	Luke Moss, Jr.
Offering	Local Church Budget
Sunset Next Friday:	8:40 P.M.



*For the law was given by Moses,
but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ.
John 1:17*

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP
May 31, 2014 10:50 AM

Song Service	Luke Moss, Jr.
Announcements	James Reynolds

PRELUDE

Scripture Meditation	Jeremiah 29:13	Martha Jackson
Chimes		Organist
Introit	<i>Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus</i> (refrain only)	#290
Invocation		James Reynolds

DEDICATION AND PREPARATION OF HEART

Opening Hymn		#567
	<i>Have Thine Own Way, Lord</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Harold Washburn, Jr.
Response		Organist

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Tithes & Offerings		Arlene Harkness
	North American Division Evangelism	
Offertory		Organist

MINISTRATION OF THE WORD

Children’s Story		Martha Jackson
Special Music		Brooke Hinman
	“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”	
Scripture Reading	2 Corinthians 5:21	Jason Ducot
Sermon		Earle Stewart
	“The Best of Your Life”	

BENEDICTION

Closing Hymn		#572
	<i>Give of Your Best to the Master</i>	
Benediction		Earle Stewart
Response		Organist
Postlude		Organist

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

Prayer Session – each Sabbath following the worship service. Next Sabbath is Prayer & Fasting. All are invited.

Vespers – today at 6:30 P.M. “End Time Battle of Beauty!”

Bible Study – each Tuesday, 6:30 P.M. at the church, through June 17. Following that we will be taking a break for the summer.

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

Church Board Meeting – Monday, June 9, 6:30 P.M. at the church. Please have any agenda items to Earle Stewart by Monday, June 2

Communion Service will be Sabbath, June 17.

Work Bee at the school to prepare for “This Generation,” June 15 and June 29, both dates beginning at 9:00 A.M. We need many participants!



Red Cross Blood Drive – 19 units were collected at our drive last Tuesday.

Youth Mission Trip– This Generation will be organizing a mission trip of youth ages 13 and up to work in the Elmira area July 5 – 20. 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 **Prayer & fasting dates will be: June 7 & July 5.**

Camp Meeting 2014 – “Faith on Fire” will be at Union Springs, NY, June 20 – 28, 2014. Plan now to attend. For information on accommodations, contact Linda Wheeler at the New York Conference Office, 4930 W. Seneca Turnpike, Syracuse, NY 13215-4203, Phone: (315) 469-6921.

No Sabbath Services are planned here for June 21 and 28 during camp meeting.

History Tour – Hiram Edson Barn and welcome center, above Geneva, NY, July 26. Anyone interested, please see Derek Colaw.

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 31	Speaker – Earle Stewart Prayer Session Vespers – 6:30 P.M.
Tuesday June 3	Bible Study 6:30 P.M. at the church
Thursday June 5	“What’s the Connection?” 6:30 P.M. at the church
Next Sabbath	Prayer & Fasting Vespers – 6:30 P.M.

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.

By prayer, by the study of His word, by faith in His abiding presence, the weakest of human beings may live in contact with the living Christ, and He will hold them by a hand that will never let go.

The Ministry of Healing, p. 182