

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

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP
August 30, 2014 10:50 AM

THE CHURCH AT STUDY
August 30, 2014 9:20 AM – 10:45 AM

Song Service Alvin Jackson
Opening Prayer
Remarks Superintendent
Mission SONlight *from Euro-Asia Division: E. Ukraine*

Lesson Study “Our Mission”
Teacher Earle Stewart

Superintendent – Dee Colaw

TODAY’S PROGRAM

Elder in Charge Earle Stewart
Deacon in Charge Alvin Jackson
Pianist/Organist Sharon Reynolds
Greeter Dee Colaw
Sunset tonight: 7:45 P.M.

SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

Elder in Charge James Reynolds
Deacon in Charge Derek Colaw
Greeter Carol Cau
Offering Local Church Budget
Sunset Next Friday: 7:35 P.M.



*And this gospel of the kingdom
shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations;
and then shall the end come.
Matthew 24:14*

Song Service Alvin Jackson
Announcements Earle Stewart

PRELUDE

Scripture Meditation James 1:19 James Eames
Chimes Organist
Introit *Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus* (refrain only) #290
Invocation Luke Moss, Jr.

DEDICATION AND PREPARATION OF HEART

Opening Hymn #195
Showers of Blessing
Pastoral Prayer Corky Hinman
Response Organist

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Tithes & Offerings Earle Stewart
Atlantic Union Adventist Media Truck
Offertory Organist

MINISTRATION OF THE WORD

Children’s Story Debby Montopoli
Scripture Reading Ecclesiastes 5:15, 16 Jason Ducot
Sermon Earle Stewart
“Preacher’s Observations, Part 2”

BENEDICTION

Closing Hymn #567
Have Thine Own Way, Lord
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.

Fellowship Picnic – today at Mormon Lake weather permitting. Everyone is invited.

Bible Studies – we have many Bible study interests from the mission trip. Anyone who is interested in giving Bible studies, please contact Michael Belknap.

Church Board Meeting – Monday, September 8, 6:30 P.M. at the church. Please have any agenda items to Earle Stewart by Monday, September 1.

Operation Andrew – “He that winneth souls is wise” (Proverbs 11:30.) Are you praying for those on your list whom you intend to bring with you to the October meetings?

Cooking Classes will be held every Wednesday in September from 6:30 – 8 :00 P.M. at the church.

Optimal Brain Health Seminar – Every Wednesday, September 3 through September 10, 6:30 P.M., as well as October 1 & 8, at the Steele Memorial Library. To pre-register or for more information, call 398-0202.

Open House and Dedication – September 7, 5:00 P.M. at The Master's Vineyard Mission Academy of the Twin Tiers, 559 Spaulding St. School begins September 8. All are invited to unite in prayer for the Lord's blessing. We are accepting back to school supplies and specific food items for the food program. Two sisters from Niagara Falls are looking for housing. If you would be interested in hosting them please contact us as soon as possible. Christina Webber – 716-243-0535.

Fellowship Luncheons – beginning in September our luncheons will be the second and fourth Sabbaths of the month. September 13 will be Soup & Sandwiches and September 27 will be a regular luncheon. Please bring a dish to pass. All are invited.

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.

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 August 30	Speaker – Earle Stewart Fellowship Picnic
Wednesday September 3	Optimal Brain Seminar 6:30 P.M. at the Steele Memorial Library
	Cooking Class 6:30 – 8:00 P.M. at the church,
Next Sabbath	Speaker – Terry Schermerhorn

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.

*If the Saviour of men, with His divine strength,
felt the need of prayer,
how much more should feeble, sinful mortals
feel the necessity of prayer – fervent, constant prayer!
Testimonies, vol. 2, pp. 201, 202*