

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

THE CHURCH AT STUDY
October 11, 2014 9:20 AM – 10:45 AM

Song Service	Sharon Reynolds
Opening Prayer	
Remarks	Superintendent
Mission Story	Robert Cau
Lesson Study	“The Perfecting of Our Faith”
Teacher	Elder Kevin Dunn

Superintendent – Earle Stewart

TODAY’S PROGRAM

Elder in Charge	Earle Stewart
Deacon in Charge	Luke Moss, Jr.
Pianist	Patty Greenleaf
Organist	Sharon Reynolds
Greeter	Joan Van Galder
Sunset tonight:	6:33 P.M.

SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

Elder in Charge	Earle Stewart
Deacon in Charge	Luke Moss, Jr.
Greeter	Malcolm Dwyer
Offering	Local Church Budget
Sunset Next Friday:	6:23 P.M.



*Looking unto Jesus the Author and Finisher of our faith;
who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross,
despising the shame,
and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.
Hebrews 12:2*

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP
October 11, 2014 10:50 AM

Song Service	Sharon Reynolds
Announcements	Earle Stewart

PRELUDE

Scripture Meditation	John 14:1-3	Gary Bennett
Chimes		Organist
Introit	<i>Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus</i> (refrain only)	#290
Invocation		Earle Stewart

DEDICATION AND PREPARATION OF HEART

Opening Hymn		#308
	<i>Wholly Thine</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		Elder Dunn
Response		Organist

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Tithes & Offerings		Cameron Macdonell
	Voice of Prophecy	
Offertory		Organist

MINISTRATION OF THE WORD

Children’s Story		Lacey Hinman
Special Music		Ramon and Pamela Polanco
Scripture Reading	Hebrews 11:13-16	Gary Beach
Sermon		Elder Kevin Dunn
	"Almost There"	

BENEDICTION

Closing Hymn		#626
	<i>In A Little While We're Going Home</i>	
Benediction		Elder Dunn
Response		Organist
Postlude		Organist

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to the pulpit to Elder Kevin Dunn, who will be bringing us today's sermon.

Soup & Sandwich Fellowship Luncheon – today following the worship service. Everyone is invited.

Memorial Service for Bill Kaiser will be tomorrow at 2:00 P.M. at the church.

Church Board Meeting – Monday, October 13, 6:30 P.M. at the church.

Prayer Together – take advantage of an opportunity to pray together by phone for our evangelism. Sundays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays, 7:00 A.M. Prayer Line #: (712) 775-7000, Passcode: 837844.

Unlocking Bible Prophecy – with speaker Pastor Larry Belknap continues each evening except Mondays and Thursdays, 7:00 P.M. at the Holiday Inn on Water Street. This prophecy series will continue through November 1.

Fall Work Bee at the church, Sunday November 2, 10:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. There are many jobs to do. Please come out and serve your church's needs.

Youth Bake Sale – at Sam's Club, October 16. Thank you for your donated items.

Adventist Book Center Bookmobile – will be at the women's retreat at Watson Homestead the weekend of October 24-26. Anyone who wishing to special order in advance, please call in your order by September 21 to 1-800-435-0008.

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.

*Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about
with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight,
and the sin which doth so easily beset us,
and let us run with patience the race that is set before us,
Hebrews 12:1*

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 October 11	Speaker – Elder Kevin Dunn Soup & Sandwich Luncheon
Monday October 13	Church Board Meeting 6:30 P.M. at the church
October 11, 12, 14, 15, 17, 18	<u>Unlocking Bible Prophecy</u> Every evening except Monday and Thursday 7:00 P.M. at the Holiday Inn
Next Sabbath	Worship Service

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.

*God is the source of life and light and joy to the universe.
Like rays of light from the sun,
like the streams of water bursting from a living spring,
blessings flow out from Him to all His creatures.
And wherever the life of God is in the hearts of men,
it will flow out to others in love and blessing.
Steps to Christ, p, 77*