

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

***THE CHURCH AT STUDY***

February 21, 2015      9:20 AM – 10:45 AM

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|----------------|-----------------|
| Song Service   | Sharon Reynolds |
| Opening Prayer |                 |
| Remarks        | Superintendent  |
| Mission Story  | Corky Hinman    |

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| Lesson Study | “Words of Wisdom” |
| Teacher      | Malcolm Dwyer     |

Superintendent – Earle Stewart

***TODAY’S PROGRAM***

|                  |                 |
|------------------|-----------------|
| Elder in Charge  | Malcolm Dwyer   |
| Deacon in Charge | Alvin Jackson   |
| Pianist          | Teri Hinman     |
| Organist         | Sharon Reynolds |
| Greeter          | Jason Ducot     |
| Sunset tonight:  | 5:47 P.M.       |

***SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK***

|                     |                  |
|---------------------|------------------|
| Elder in Charge     | Malcolm Dwyer    |
| Deacon in Charge    | Alvin Jackson    |
| Greeter             | Carol Cau        |
| Offering            | New York Advance |
| Sunset Next Friday: | 5:55 P.M.        |



*Most men will proclaim every one his own goodness:  
but a faithful man who can find?  
Proverbs 20:6*

***THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP***

February 21, 2015      10:50 AM

|               |                 |
|---------------|-----------------|
| Song Service  | Sharon Reynolds |
| Announcements | Malcolm Dwyer   |

***PRELUDE***

|                      |   |                |
|----------------------|---|----------------|
| Scripture Meditation | 2 Corinthians 1:4                               | Teri Hinman    |
| Chimes               |   | Organist       |
| Introit              | <i>Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus</i> (refrain only) | #290           |
| Invocation           |   | Luke Moss, Jr. |

***DEDICATION AND PREPARATION OF HEART***

|                 |                                 |              |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Opening Hymn    |                                 | #518         |
|                 | <i>Standing on the Promises</i> |              |
| Pastoral Prayer |                                 | Corky Hinman |
| Response        |                                 | Organist     |

***DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS***

|                    |                     |            |
|--------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Tithes & Offerings |                     | Robert Cau |
|                    | Local Church Budget |            |
| Offertory          |                     | Organist   |

***MINISTRATION OF THE WORD***

|                   |                             |                      |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| Children’s Story  |                             | Lacey Hinman         |
| Scripture Reading | Matthew 5:4                 | Harold Washburn, Jr. |
| Sermon            | “The Blessing No One Wants” | Earle Stewart        |

***BENEDICTION***

|              |                                  |               |
|--------------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| Closing Hymn |                                  | #290          |
|              | <i>Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus</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.

Fellowship Luncheon – next Sabbath following the worship service. Everyone is invited. Please bring a dish to pass.

Pastor's Contact Information – Pastor Christian Bull, 1 Ely Park Blvd., Bldg. 2, Apt. 4, Binghamton, NY 13905, [cbull@southern.edu](mailto:cbull@southern.edu), (517) 242-8905.

Bible Study – each Tuesday evening at 6:30 at the church.

Deacon Meeting – February 22, 9:00 A.M. This meeting is for all deacons as well as spouses who would like to attend.

Doris Burgess is at St. Joseph's Hospital rehab , Room 309.

Religious Liberty – Anyone wishing to sponsor LIBERTY magazine, please have names and funds turned in by February 28.

Fruit Sale – Sunday, March 15 from 9:00 AM to 3:00 P.M. in the Nature's Garden building. Oranges and Pink Grapefruit are available by the full case, half, or quarter. To order fruit or to offer your help, contact Malcolm Dwyer, 739-7748.

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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*Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden,  
and I will give you rest.*

*Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me;*

*for I am meek and lowly in heart:*

*and ye shall find rest unto your souls.*

*For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.*

*Matthew 11:28-30*

## 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  
February 21

Speaker – Earle Stewart

Tuesday  
February 24

Bible Study  
6:30 P.M. at the church

Next  
Sabbath

Speaker – Pastor Christian Bull  
Fellowship Luncheon

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

|                         |  |
|-------------------------|--|
| Church Website          | elmirasda.com  |
| Church Phone            | 734-1560   |
| District Pastor         | Pastor Christian Bull (517) 242-8905<br><a href="mailto:cbull@southern.edu">cbull@southern.edu</a> |
| 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<br>By Wednesday, 8:00 P.M.  |

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*Our watchword is to be,*

*Onward, ever onward!*

*Angels of heaven will go before us to prepare the way.*

*Our burden for the regions beyond  
can never be laid down till the whole earth  
is lightened with the glory of the Lord.*

*Gospel workers, p. 470*