

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

THE CHURCH AT STUDY
August 6, 2016 9:20–10:45 am

Song Service Alvin Jackson
Opening Prayer
Remarks Superintendent
Mission Story Naomi Reynolds

Lesson Study “Jesus Mingled With People”
Teacher Kevin Wahl

Superintendent—Malcolm Dwyer

TODAY’S PROGRAM

Elder in Charge Earle Stewart
Deacon in Charge Derek Colaw
Pianist/Organist Sharon Reynolds
Greeter Malcolm Dwyer
Sunset tonight: 8:21 pm

SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

Elder in Charge Earle Stewart
Deacon in Charge Derek Colaw
Greeter Luke Moss, Jr.
Offering Andrews/Loma Linda/Oakwood
Sunset Next Friday 8:13 P.M.



*Then drew near unto Him
all the publicans and sinners for to hear Him.
And the Pharisees and scribes murmured, saying,
This Man receiveth sinners, and eateth with them.
Luke 15:1, 2*

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP
August 6, 2016 10:50 am

Song Service Alvin Jackson
Announcements Earle Stewart

PRELUDE

Scripture Meditation James 1:17 Betty Austin
Chimes Organist
Introit “Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus” (refrain only) #290
Invocation Alvin Jackson

DEDICATION AND PREPARATION OF HEART

Opening Hymn #602
“O Brother, Be Faithful”
Pastoral Prayer Earle Stewart
Response Organist

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Tithes & Offerings Arlene Harkness
Local Church Budget
Offertory Organist

MINISTRATION OF THE WORD

Children’s Story Virginia Miller
Scripture Reading Matthew 25:21 Patty Greenleaf
Sermon Doug Batchelor, via DVD
“Investing Our Talents”

BENEDICTION

Closing Hymn #330
“Take My Life and Let It Be”
Benediction Earle Stewart
Response Organist
Postlude Organist

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our Sermon today is brought to us via DVD by Pastor Doug Batchelor, speaker/director of Amazing Facts.

Work Bee – There will be a work bee at the church Sunday, August 7, beginning at 9:00 am. Your help is appreciated.

Church Board Meeting – Monday, August 8, 5:30 pm at the church.

Vespers – Sabbath, August 20, 6:00 pm, at the church.

Evangelistic Meetings – with Pastor Bull begin September 16. Please keep this community outreach in your prayers.

Adirondack Camp Meeting – August 12-13 at the West Bangor SDA Church, 2267 State Route 11B, West Bangor, NY. All youth are invited. Guest speaker, Ryan Wilson, Tekoa Missions. For more information, call-518-358-9364.

Compassion Rochester – Rochester Bay Knoll Church. Community Service projects in the Rochester area will be done August 26-27. For more information, contact Jeremy Garlock at jeremy.garlock@nyconf.org

Nature's Garden Hours – Thursday, 4:00-6:00 pm, or by appointment. Call Harold Washburn Jr. at 733-6367, or Mac Dwyer at 739-7748.

*Watch therefore,
for ye know neither the day nor the hour
wherein the Son of man cometh.
Matthew 25:13*

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 6 Speaker–Pastor Doug Batchelor, via DVD
Next Sabbath Speaker–Earle Stewart

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Church Website		elmirasda.com
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District Pastor	Pastor Christian Bull	(517) 242-8905
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Head Elder	Earle Stewart	733-6181
Head Deacon	Derek Colaw	426-2317
Head Deaconess	Joan Van Galder	732-8775
Church Treasurer	James Reynolds	732-9629
Church Clerk & Bulletin	Sharon Reynolds	732-9629
	By Wednesday, 8:00 pm	

*Those who decide to do nothing in any line that will displease God,
will know, after presenting their case before Him,
just what course to pursue.
And they will receive not only wisdom, but strength.
Power for obedience, for service, will be imparted to them,
as Christ has promised.
The Desire of Ages, p. 668*