

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

THE CHURCH AT STUDY
May 20, 2017 9:20–10:45 AM

Song Service Malcolm Dwyer
Opening Prayer
Remarks Superintendent
Mission Story Cameron Macdonell

Lesson Study “Jesus in the Writings of Peter”
Teacher Kevin Wahl

Superintendent—Harold Washburn Jr.

TODAY’S PROGRAM

Elder in Charge Malcolm Dwyer
Deacon in Charge Alvin Jackson
Pianist Patty Greenleaf
Organist Sharon Reynolds
Greeter Cameron Macdonell
Sunset tonight: 8:26 PM

SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

Elder in Charge Malcolm Dwyer
Deacon in Charge Alvin Jackson
Greeter Debby Montopoli
Offering New York Advance
Sunset Next Friday 8:32 PM



*Who His own self bare our sins in His own body on the tree,
that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness:
by Whose stripes ye were healed.
1 Peter 2:24*

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP
May 20, 2017 10:50 AM

Song Service Malcolm Dwyer
Announcements Malcolm Dwyer

PRELUDE

Scripture Meditation Matthew 6:33 Betty Austin
Chimes Organist
Introit “Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus” (refrain only) #290
Invocation Luke Moss Jr.

DEDICATION AND PREPARATION OF HEART

Opening Hymn #301
“Nearer, Still Nearer”
Pastoral Prayer Alvin Jackson
Response Organist

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Tithes & Offerings Brittany Miller
Local Church Budget
Offertory Organist

MINISTRATION OF THE WORD

Children’s Story Jacob Hinman
Scripture Reading 1 Samuel 28:7, 11 Debbie Fieno
Sermon Kevin Wahl
“The Spirit at Endor”

BENEDICTION

Closing Hymn #473
“Nearer My God, to Thee”
Benediction Kevin Wahl
Response Organist
Postlude Organist

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to the pulpit to our Bible worker, Kevin Wahl, who will be bringing us today's sermon.


Fellowship Luncheon – next Sabbath following the worship service. All are invited. Please bring a dish to share.

Bible Study is each Tuesday, 7:00 PM at the church. Everyone is encouraged to attend. Our current study is from the "It Is Written" Bible study guides.

Transfer of Membership (Second Reading & Vote) – Lewis Kaiser from the Elmira Church to the Martinsburg SDA Church in Martinsburg, WV.

Ten-Fifteen – All are encouraged to spend ten minutes praying and fifteen minutes studying God's word each day.

Newsletter Deadline – May 20. Please contact Sharon Reynolds with any news items, 732-9629.

 Red Cross Blood Drive – Tuesday, May 30, 1:30 – 6:30 p.m. in the church fellowship hall. Donation Types: Double Red Cell and Whole Blood. To make an appointment, call 1-800-RED CROSS. (1-800-733-2767)

*But they that wait upon the LORD shall renew their strength;
they shall mount up with wings as eagles;
they shall run, and not be weary;
and they shall walk, and not faint.
Isaiah 40:31*

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

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| TODAY May 20 | Sermon–Kevin Wahl |
| Tuesday May 23 | Bible Study 7:00 PM |
| Next Sabbath | Sermon–Pastor Waren Muir Fellowship Luncheon |

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

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| Church Website | elmirasda.com |
| Church Phone | 734-1560 |
| District Pastor | Waren Muir 530-434-1533 |
| 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 |

*The spirit of helpfulness is to be in our hearts
a cultivated, active, energetic spirit, not forced to action,
but ever watchful for opportunities to help where help is needed.
Signs of the Times, May 11, 1904*