

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

THE CHURCH AT STUDY
February 17, 2018 9:30–10:45 AM

Song Service	Sharon Reynolds
Mission Story	Virginia Miller
Lesson Study	“Honesty With God”
Teacher	Kevin Wahl

TODAY’S PROGRAM

Elder in Charge	James Reynolds
Deacon in Charge	Derek Colaw
Pianist/Organist	Brittany Miller
Greeter	Cameron Macdonell
Sunset tonight:	5:42 PM

SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

Elder in Charge	James Reynolds
Deacon in Charge	Derek Colaw
Greeter	Betty Austin
Offering	New York Advance
Sunset Next Friday	5:50 PM



*But that on the good ground are they,
which in an honest and good heart,
having heard the word, keep it,
and bring forth fruit with patience.
Luke 8:15*

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP
February 17, 2018 10:50 AM

Song Service	Sharon Reynolds
Announcements	James Reynolds

PRELUDE

Scripture Meditation	Daniel 2:20	Susan Roeder
Chimes		Organist
Introit	“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus” (refrain only)	#290
Invocation		James Reynolds

DEDICATION AND PREPARATION OF HEART

Opening Hymn		#596
	“Look for the Waymarks”	
Pastoral Prayer		Luke Moss Jr.
Response		Organist

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Tithes & Offerings	Local Church Budget	Virginia Miller
Offertory		Organist

MINISTRATION OF THE WORD

Children’s Story		Virginia Maphis
Scripture Reading	Daniel 2:21, 22	James Eames
Sermon	“Empires in Prophecy”	Kevin Wahl

BENEDICTION

Closing Hymn		#213
	“Jesus Is Coming Again”	
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 – each Tuesday, 7:00 PM at the church. Our current study is the gospel of Matthew with Kevin Wahl leading out.

Church Officers (second reading and vote) – Chad Maphis as Junior Leader and Virginia Maphis as Primary Leader.

Arena Outreach – Thursday, March 8 will be an outreach at the expo at First Arena in Elmira. We are asking any members who are available for a half hour time span between 11:00 AM and 4:00 PM, to sign up to reach out to the people of our community. We are able to have two people at the booth. A sign up sheet is at the greeter's desk if you would like to participate..

Religious Liberty – Anyone wishing to receive or sponsor LIBERTY magazine, please contact Mac Dwyer. Names and funds should be turned in by March 1.

Personal Ministries Fruit Sale – tomorrow from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM in the Nature's Garden building. Your baked goods are appreciated for the bake sale, which will benefit Community Services.

Lock the Doors – If you are working by yourself in the church during the week, we ask you, for your safety, to lock the doors.

Lawnmower Fund – We have received \$10,269. Thank you to all who have donated as well as our anonymous matching donor. With these funds, we will be able to purchase a high quality commercial lawnmower.

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 17	Sermon–Kevin Wahl
Tuesday February 20	Bible Study 7:00 PM
Next Sabbath	Sermon–Pastor Waren Muir Fellowship Luncheon

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Church Website	elmirasda.com
Church Phone	734-1560
District Pastor	Waren Muir 530-434-1533
Head Elder	Malcolm Dwyer 739-7748
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

*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