

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

***THE CHURCH AT STUDY***  
January 5, 2019 9:30–10:45 AM

Song Service	Alvin Jackson
Mission Story	Larry Roeder
Lesson Study	“The Gospel From Patmos”
Teacher	Brittany Miller

***TODAY’S PROGRAM***

Elder in Charge	James Reynolds
Deacon in Charge	Derek Colaw
Pianist/Organist	Sharon Reynolds
Greeter	Robert Cau
Sunset tonight:	4:50 PM

***SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK***

Elder in Charge	James Reynolds
Deacon in Charge	Derek Colaw
Greeter	Cameron Macdonell
Offering	New York Excel
Sunset Next Friday	4:56 PM



*Blessed is he that readeth,  
and they that hear the words of this prophecy,  
and keep those things which are written therein:  
for the time is at hand.  
Revelation 1:3*

***THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP***  
January 5, 2019 10:50 AM

Song Service	Alvin Jackson
Announcements	James Reynolds

***PRELUDE***

Scripture Meditation	Psalm 86:10-13	James Eames
Chimes		Organist
Introit	“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus” (refrain only)	#290
Invocation		James Reynolds

***DEDICATION AND PREPARATION OF HEART***

Opening Hymn		#108
	“Amazing Grace”	
Pastoral Prayer		James Reynolds
Response		Organist

***DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS***

Tithes & Offerings		Virginia Maphis
	Local Church Budget	
Offertory		Organist

***MINISTRATION OF THE WORD***

Children’s Story		Brittany Miller
Scripture Reading	Ephesians 2:4-9	Kaleigh Maphis
Testimony		Virginia Miller

***BENEDICTION***

Closing Hymn		#341
	“To God Be the Glory”	
Benediction		Virginia Miller
Response		Organist
Postlude		Organist

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to the pulpit to Virginia Miller who will be sharing her testimony today.

Afternoon Study – today following the worship service. Every Sabbath afternoon we will be studying together the Spirit of Prophecy. First series will be: “The Last Day Events.” This will be led by Elios Pierre. Everyone is invited.

Bible Study – each Tuesday, 7:00 PM at the church. We are currently studying the book of Acts.

Church Board Meeting – Our next board meeting is scheduled for Monday, January 14 at 2:30 PM. Please have any agenda items to Jim Reynolds by Monday, January 7.

Soup & Sandwich Luncheon – Sabbath, January 12, following the worship service. Everyone is invited. Please bring a dish to share.

Remember in Prayer – Please be praying for our missing members.



Red Cross Blood Drive – Our next blood drive is scheduled for Tuesday, February 5, 1:30 – 6:30 PM. If you are able, please come and donate.

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

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*The creative energy that called the worlds into existence  
is in the word of God.*

*This word imparts power; it begets life.*

*Every command is a promise;*

*accepted by the will, received into the soul,*

*it brings with it the life of the Infinite One.*

*It transforms the nature and re-creates the soul*

*in the image of God.*

*Education, p. 126*

## 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 January 5	Testimony–Virginia Miller
Tuesday January 8	Bible Study, 7:00 PM
Next Sabbath	Sermon–Elder Waren Muir Soup & Sandwich Luncheon

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Church Website	elmirasda.com
Church Phone	734-1560
District Pastor	Waren Muir 530-434-1533
Head Elder	James Reynolds 732-9629
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

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*The law of the LORD is perfect, converting the soul:  
the testimony of the LORD is sure, making wise the simple.*

*The statutes of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart:  
the commandment of the LORD is pure, enlightening the eyes.*

*The fear of the LORD is clean, enduring for ever:  
the judgments of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.  
More to be desired are they than gold, yea, than much fine gold:  
sweeter also than honey and the honeycomb.*

*Psalms 19:7-10*