

Elmira  
Seventh-day Adventist Church  
Newsletter  
OCTOBER, 2018



*Therefore said He unto them,  
The harvest truly is great, but the labourers are few:  
pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest,  
that He would send forth labourers into His harvest.  
Luke 10:2*

## CHURCH NEWS



### WEEK OF PRAYER



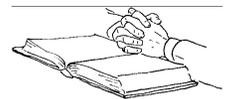
We will meet for a message and prayer each evening, Monday through Friday, October 1–5, 7:00 PM at the church. There will be different speakers each night. Come and receive spiritual blessing.

### SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER

Due to unforeseen circumstances, our New York Conference President, Elder Miguel Crespo, had to cancel his visit for Sabbath, October 6. Our Bible Instructor, Kevin Wahl will be bringing us the sermon that day instead. We hope to reschedule Elder Crespo in the near future.

### BIBLE STUDY

They “searched the scriptures daily, whether those things were so.” Acts 17:11. Bible Study is held Tuesday evenings, 7:00 PM at the church. Our Bible Instructor, Kevin Wahl, is currently leading out in a study of the gospel of Luke. All are encouraged to come as we study together.



### FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEONS

Luncheons this month will be October 6, a regular luncheon, and October 27, which will be our

whole food/plant based/vegan luncheon. Please bring a dish to share. Everyone is invited.



## BAPTISM

It is always a special occasion when we have a baptism. By baptism we acknowledge Christ as Lord and Saviour, become His people, and are received as members into His church. Baptism is a symbol of our union with Christ, the forgiveness of our sins, and our receiving of the Holy Spirit.

Debbie Fieno was baptized by Elder Warren Muir on Sabbath, September 29. We welcome her into our fellowship. Let's keep Debbie in our prayers as she has committed her life to our Lord and continues to walk according to His will.

## RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE



16 units (10 whole blood and 3 Double Red Cells=6 units) were collected at our last drive, Tuesday September 20.

Check out our church website at [www.elmirasda.com](http://www.elmirasda.com)



Downloadable sermons are available at this site.

## PRAYER LIST

Betty Austin  
Joyce Cmelko  
Patty Greenleaf  
Samantha Lovell  
Harold Washburn, Jr.



Our shut-ins  
Ongoing Bible studies  
Outreach in Elmira

*Pray without ceasing. In every thing give thanks:  
for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you.*

*1 Thessalonians 5:17, 18*

If you have someone to be added to our prayer list, please let us know.



## TEN-FIFTEEN

Remember to spend at least ten minutes praying and fifteen minutes studying God's word each day. "Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path." Psalm 119:105

*We may have no remarkable evidence at the time that the face of our Redeemer is bending over us in compassion and love, but this is even so. We may not feel His visible touch, but His hand is upon us in love and pitying tenderness. Steps to Christ, p. 97*

## SABBATH SCHOOL

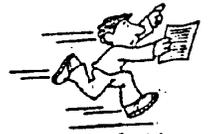
Our lessons during the Sabbath School class time for next quarter will be entitled “Oneness in Christ.” This will focus on the Seventh-day Adventist Church and what unity is Christ means to us. All are encouraged to study daily and come for our class discussion on Sabbath morning.



Join us each Sabbath morning. Song service begins at 9:30. Classes are provided for adults and children.

Mission DVDs are normally shown on the fourth Sabbath of each month.

NEXT NEWSLETTER DEADLINE – November 20 – CONTACT Sharon and Jim Reynolds at 734-1560 with newsletter information. You may also send your articles to: 813 Maple Avenue, Elmira, NY 14904, or e-mail us at [shareyn@gmail.com](mailto:shareyn@gmail.com) Please limit your articles to approximately one half to one full page. Please take note of the season, if your article is seasonal. All articles should properly acknowledge the author and include permission to print.



*As your senses delight in the attractive loveliness of the earth,  
think of the world that is to come,  
that shall never know the blight of sin and death;  
where the face of nature will no more  
wear the shadow of the curse.*

*Let your imagination picture the home of the saved,  
and remember that it will be more glorious  
than your brightest imagination can portray.*

*In the varied gifts of God in Nature  
we see but the faintest gleaming of His glory.  
It is written, “Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard,  
neither have entered into the heart of man,  
the things which God hath prepared for them that love Him.”*

*I Corinthians 2:9  
Steps to Christ, p. 86*



*Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest,  
that He will send forth laborers  
into His harvest.*

*Matthew 9:38*

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