

## News from the Pastor's Desk

### Youth Rush

Oregon Youth Rush is a youth literature evangelism program in the Oregon Conference that provides an opportunity for young people to be involved in front line ministry while earning money for school! The program accepts approximately twenty young people who participate in door-to-door ministry over the summer months. This program is a great place to grow closer to God, make Christian friends, earn money for school, and serve the Lord! The average student earns \$3,000 during the 9.5 week program and many schools give scholarships above earnings. Visit [OregonYouthRush.com](http://OregonYouthRush.com) to apply and learn more, or call Jeff Kimmel at (503) 850-3548.

**Thank You!** Your continued support of Rockwood Adventist through gifts of time and financial resources continue to make an eternal difference. Thank you!

### Oregon Conference eCommunique

Visit [www.RockwoodAdventist.com](http://www.RockwoodAdventist.com) to read the latest news from around the Oregon Conference. Look carefully and you will see some of our Rockwood family made the front page.

### Help with Tornado Relief

A lot of people are hurting after the rash of tornadoes in Oklahoma – and the season is only beginning. The good news is that you can help! Adventist Community Services Disaster Relief (ACS-DR) is there to help provide desperately needed items and support as people work to pick up their lives. But ACS needs your help. There are several ways to make a donation to Adventist Community Services. Call 1-(800) 381-7171 to make a donation or visit [www.communityservices.org](http://www.communityservices.org).

### Ministry Opportunities

We have several ministry opportunities available within the church. If you'd like to put your talents to use for God please email [pastorgene@gmail.com](mailto:pastorgene@gmail.com)

## Week at a Glance

Today	Visitor Fellowship Meal	12:15pm
	Sunset-Farewell to Sabbath	8:52pm
Sunday	Pathfinders	6:00pm
Wednesday	Prayer Power Group	7:00pm
Friday	Sunset-Welcome the Sabbath	8:57pm
Next Sabbath:	House of Prayer Experience	9:30am
	Sabbath-School Classes	10:00am
	Worship Service	11:00am
	Offering: Church Budget	
	Mt. Talbert Nature Park Hike	3:00pm
	Sunset-Farewell to Sabbath	8:58pm

**Do You Have An Urgent Prayer Request?** To start the prayer chain please call the church office (503) 661-4100.

## Contact Information

### Church Office Hours

10-3 on Mon., 9-4 Tues. & Wed., 9-3 on Thurs.

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Please note that messages left on voice mail after office hours on Thursday will not be heard until Monday morning.

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Lead Pastor	Gene Heinrich	(503) 781-5799
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# Rockwood Seventh-day Adventist Church



## Growing Disciples Preparing People to Meet Jesus

June 15, 2013



## House of Prayer Experience

9:30 A.M. to 9:55 A.M.

*Do you need hope? Do your friends, family, and/or neighbors need hope? Join us every Sabbath morning as we pray for our community, our church, and our families. If you are longing for hope in the midst of apparent hopelessness the House of Prayer Experience is for you.*

## Small Group Bible Study

10:00 A.M. to 10:45 A.M.

*Please visit our information desk for a complete list of Saturday Morning Bible Study Groups. We invite you to join the group of your choice.*

## Worship

11:00 A.M. to 12:15 P.M

Welcome & Greeting Time	Kamille Ross
Praise Him	Praise Team
Children's Story	Shirley Hessong
Our Gift to God "Rockwood Church Budget"	Everyone
Organ Offertory	Joyce Bredemeier
Welcome to the Family	Stephan Ilie
Prayer Garden	Kamille Ross
Worship in Word "Bend and Bow or Burn!"	Jeff Kimmel
Organ Postlude	Joyce Bredemeier

*Audio and Video Recordings of our weekly Bible Teachings are available online or through our media library located in the lobby.*

## Rockwood Community News

**Caring Card** – Please stop at the desk in the lobby and sign the card for **Valerie Lull**. Her father, Judson Brooks, passed away this past Wednesday.

**All-Church Potluck Today** - Please join us for food and fellowship after the worship service this morning, downstairs in Fellowship Hall.

### Church Campout and Outdoor Church at Oxbow Park

August 9-11. CAMPERS: We will be in Group campsite #1 and the camping cost is \$10 per person or \$30 per family for the whole weekend. This is payable to Rockwood. Mark your tithe envelopes "Oxbow Camp". There is also a \$5 entrance fee per vehicle, payable at the gate as you enter. OUTDOOR CHURCH: This year we will be allowed to pick up gate passes for Sabbath ahead of time. They are \$5 each and payable to Rockwood. Mark your tithe envelopes "Oxbow Gate". For lunch on Sabbath please bring salads, desserts, or other side dishes. Shamburgers will be supplied. A SIGN-UP SHEET for both campers and Sabbath gate passes is posted on the bulletin board.

**Heads-Up for Potluck July 13** – We normally have our all-church potluck on the first Sabbath of each month, and other potlucks, such as today, when we have special guests. In July our All-Church Potluck will be on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sabbath, July 13, because of the wrap-up for Vacation Bible School. Please mark this in your calendars!

### Pre-Register Your Child for Vacation Bible School at

[www.RockwoodAdventist.com](http://www.RockwoodAdventist.com) by July 1. All the requests for snack supplies have been picked up! Thanks so much for your help. Questions? Please talk to Jane Roe (503) 663-9398 or Michelle O'Meara (503) 490-2154.

**Children's Safety** is a top priority at Rockwood Adventist. Copies of the Child Protection Policy & Guidelines are on the bulletin board. Parents, we ask that you escort your children to the restrooms and please know where they are at all times.

## Other News and Events

**Volunteers Needed for Campmeeting** - We need volunteers for both Hispanic Camp Meeting (July 11-13) and Gladstone Camp Meeting (July 14-21). Volunteers needed for Safety and Security, Hospitality, as well as licensed RNs and EMTs for 8-hour shifts. Whether you would like to work a shift daily or only have time for a single shift, your services would be greatly appreciated. To volunteer call Lisa at (503) 850 3573, email [Lisa.orc.mh@gmail.com](mailto:Lisa.orc.mh@gmail.com) or you may volunteer online at <http://volunteer.oregonconference.org>

**Melashenko Quartet in Concert** next Saturday night, June 22, at 7:00 pm at the Gaston Adventist Church. The Melashenko Family has been blessing audiences all over the world for more than 5 decades! Joedy and Judy served in the Oregon Conference for more than 15 years. He taught at Laurelwood for 4 years and many of his students and friends are especially encouraged to be there for this reunion Sabbath. Bring a friend and be doubly blessed!

**Sunnyside 32nd Annual Strawberry Vespers** - Sabbath evening, June 22 at 6:00 pm. It will be a program with great music from some of Portland's finest musicians. Plenty of good fellowship, and lots of strawberry shortcake to follow. Come, bring your friends, and join us for a wonderful evening. Sunnyside Adventist Church is located at 10501 SE Market Street in Portland.

**Life's Passages** - Would you or your family be prepared for the sudden death of an immediate family member? Do you have a will? Has your family made any plans with a funeral home? Coming to Mt. Tabor SDA Church on Sunday, June 30 from 5:00pm – 6:30pm. There will be a 2-part presentation by Rudy Salazar (Oregon Conference Trust Department) and Bryant Holt (Pre-need Counselor Mt. Scott Funeral Home). They will be providing free information and answering questions about wills, trusts, funeral arrangements, etc. You will receive practical, invaluable materials you will want to keep. For more information please call (503) 233-7606.