

ATTENTION ROCKWOOD MEMBERS



It's Time for a Checkup – Please mark your calendars for October 11, 12 and 13 – We have invited the Oregon Church Consulting team to spend a weekend with us here at

Rockwood Adventist to help us evaluate the health of our Church. Over the next few weeks leaders and guests will be asked to complete surveys that evaluate the effectiveness of our church in the pursuit of the mission God has given us. Then on Friday night October 11 the team would like to meet with every interested member of our church to talk about the direction and dreams we have for our Church. On Sabbath morning the team will be with us to observe and evaluate our Sabbath morning activities. Then following an all-church potluck the consulting team will present the results of our own self-evaluations, visitor evaluations and the consulting team's evaluation of our church. Following their presentation we will break up in small groups to brainstorm and discuss ways to strengthen our church. Finally on Sunday morning the consulting team will meet with our leadership team to discuss how we begin to implement the strategies we identify during our time together on Sabbath. Every member, young and old alike, is invited and encouraged to participate. Please make it a priority on your calendar. Rockwood needs you!

Next Weekend's Schedule

Friday, Oct. 11 at 7:00 P.M. – Sharing our Hopes and Dreams

Sabbath, Oct 12 at 11:00 A.M. – Being a Healthy Church

12:30 P.M. – Fellowship Lunch

2:00 P.M. – Reviewing our Health & Discussing Improvements

Sunday, Oct. 13 at 9:00 A.M. – Developing Our Health Improvement Plan

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Week at a Glance

Today	Sunset-Farewell to Sabbath	6:43pm
Sunday	Healthy Heart Team - at Gresham Fred Meyers Pathfinders – Field Uniform	11:00am-3:00pm 6:00pm
Tuesday	Tuesday Morning Bible Study	11:30am
Wednesday	Prayer Power Group	7:00pm
Friday	Sunset-Welcome the Sabbath "Sharing Our Hopes & Dreams"	6:32pm 7:00pm
Next Sabbath:	House of Prayer Experience Sabbath-School Classes Worship Service Offering: World Budget-Voice of Prophecy All-Church Potluck "Reviewing Our Church Health" Sunset-Farewell to Sabbath	9:30am 10:00am 11:00am 12:30pm 2:00pm 6:30pm

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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Ministers	Everyone	ask-them
Lead Pastor	Gene Heinrich	(503) 781-5799
Small Group Pastor	Jared Spano	(503) 888-0141
Secretary	Kamille Ross	(503) 661-4100
Deacon Team Leader Today	Aaron O'Meara	

Rockwood Seventh-day Adventist Church



Growing Disciples Preparing People to Meet Jesus

October 5, 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 10:50 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	Pastor Gene
Praise Time	The Praise Team
Children's Story	Pastor Gene
Our Gift to God	"Church Budget" Everyone
Offertory	
Worship in Word	Pastor Gene
"Have You Any Right to Be Angry?"	
Closing Song	"Not I, but Christ" Hymn # 570
Prayer Garden	Orrin Lundy
Organ Postlude	Ann Erlandson

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

Rockwood Community News

All-Church Potluck next Sabbath, October 12. Bring your favorite foods to share and let's fellowship together before our afternoon seminar. Thank you for bringing extra food.

2nd Reading: Don Moore to serve on the PAES School Board as one of Rockwood's representatives. He will be replacing Arnie Schnell who has served us faithfully for many years.

Pathfinder Fundraisers - Take an "M&M" canister home with you today, fill it with quarters and bring it back. Help our Pathfinders meet their goal to make it to Oshkosh for the world-wide camporee in August, 2014. 35,000 Pathfinders from around the world will be there! Meet a Pathfinder in the lobby after the service today and pick up your canister. They will also be handing out flyers for the annual apples and pears from Hood River. Get your orders in soon and stock up for the winter!

Mark Your Calendars! January 31 through February 2 will be Rockwood's snow trip to Big Lake.

Please Remember the Caring Cards - If you would like to send a note of encouragement to one of our members or regular attendees, just grab one of the cards off the desk in the lobby, write your note and place the card in the offering plate or on the office desk. **We will mail it for you!**

A Note from Our Treasurer: Please fill in your complete name and address on your tithe envelopes. If you don't do it I have to do it before it's sent on to the Conference office. It's also nice when the amount inside the envelope matches what's written on the outside! Please make sure the church office has all changes of address. Thank you for your help.

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

Other News and Events

Sign Up by Monday for the Fall Collegiate/Young Adult Retreat at Big Lake, October 11-13. Guest speaker: Jon Griebel. \$25 registration fee before October 7, \$35 after. Registration online only: <https://yafallretreat.eventbrite.com> For more information contact Desiree Rinza at 503-850-3521.

The Adventist Book Center's Spirit of Prophecy Sale is October 6-13. Now is a good time to add to your library.

Adventist Health Hospice is offering free training for new Hospice volunteers October 7-9 and Oct 14-16 from 6-8 pm. This is a wonderful opportunity to train for a rewarding ministry, touching lives and families. For more information email, Debra Schneider, volunteer coordinator, at Debra.Schneider@ah.org or contact Harold Burden at 503-257-4883 or hoburden@earthlink.net

"Jesus Matters" meetings by Pastor Steve Madsen start on October 19 at the Lents SDA Church and Activity Center, 8835 SE Woodstock Blvd. This will be an interactive seminar, an in-depth look at Who Jesus Is and what He teaches.

Host Families Needed - Have you considered being a host parent but in the end chose not to? Are you interested in trying it out for a couple weeks or months? The following students are coming to audit at PAA for a short time. Please contact Maria Bibb at mbibb@paasda.org if you have an interest.

October - January: Boy from Switzerland
January/February for 2 weeks: Boy or girl from China
January 21 - March 21 (3rd Quarter): Boy from Japan

Portland Adventist Academy Student Scholarship (PAASS) Auction is coming up on Sunday, November 3 here at PAA. Plan on attending for lots of fun while giving to a worthwhile event. Tickets are \$20 per person. If you can host a table of 8, call Heidi for a great deal! For tickets or information, email her at hwoodworth@paasda.org or call 503.255.8372 ext. 230.