

Seeing Jesus through Muslims Eyes

Mark your calendars and plan to be at Rockwood on November 15 for a special worship service, concert and seminar entitled "Seeing Jesus through Muslim eyes".

Pastor Gerald Babanezhad, the coordinator of Muslim Ministries for the Pacific Union and a member of the board of advisors to the North American Division's Adventist-Muslim Relations Group, will be our guest speaker. As the director of A Sure Harvest Ministries and pastor of a Middle Eastern congregation in Southern California Pastor Babanezhad's ministry focuses on helping people understand Islam, the Koran, and how to more effectively reach Muslims with the love of Jesus. Through his television programs, which are seen by millions of Muslims around the globe, underground churches have formed in Central Asia and hundreds of Muslims have accepted Jesus as their Lord and Savior.

During the worship service, Pastor Babanezhad will be presenting some of the profound precedents and models set forth in the New Testament by our Lord Jesus and subsequently by apostles Peter and Paul in reaching the most difficult population groups with the Gospel.

Pastor Babanezhad also frequents places like Carnegie Hall as piano composer and performing artist. Following our fellowship meal he will present a number of piano selections leading into his afternoon presentation.

The afternoon presentation/seminar will be eye opening, focusing on 1) Biblical setting of Abraham's descendancy through Ishmael, 2) The teachings of the Quran in regards to the Old Testament (Tawrah) and Hebrew prophets and the Gospels (Injeel), 3) What the Quran says about Jesus Christ (Isa al-Masih) and the incredible honor that it bestows upon the Savior. This information will take down the barrier and equip us to relate and reach out to Muslims. Don't miss this opportunity to become better prepared to share Jesus.

Week at a Glance

Today	Sunset-Farewell to Sabbath	4:48 pm
Sunday	Pathfinders - Field Uniform	6:00 pm
Tuesday	Tuesday Morning Bible Study	11:30 am
Wednesday	Prayer Power Group	7:00 pm
Friday	Sunset-Welcome the Sabbath	4:41 pm
Next Sabbath:	Sabbath-School Classes	9:30 am
	Worship Service	11:00 am
	Offering: Church Budget	
	All-Church Potluck	12:30 pm
	Mini Concert	1:30 pm
	Islamic Ministries Seminar	2:00 pm
	Christmas Choir Rehearsal	3:00 pm
	Sunset-Farewell to Sabbath	4:40 pm

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

Contact Information

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Growing Disciples Preparing People to Meet Jesus

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Exploring the Way

Small Groups

9:30 A.M. to 10:45 A.M.

Please visit our information desk in the lobby for a complete list of Sabbath School Groups. We have groups for ALL ages! We invite you to join the group of your choice.

Worship

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

Welcome	Pastor Gene	
Praise Time	The Praise Team	
Children's Story	Pastor Gene	
Our Gift to God	Annual Sacrifice	Everyone
Worship in Song	Junior Division	
"When I Remember" & "His Sheep am I"		
Worship in Word	Pastor Gene	
"Listen"		
Closing Hymn	"In My Generation"	
Prayer Garden	Kamille Ross	
Postlude	Joyce Bredemeier	

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

Rockwood Community News

Caring Cards – Please stop at desk in the lobby and sign the card for **Gary New**. Gary is unable to attend services.

Special Thanks – "Thank you so much for all the prayers and support for Karen's recent surgery. We feel blessed and truly appreciate our church family." – **Dave & Karen Stefonek**

Christmas Choir Rehearsal – Our next rehearsal will be after the Islamic Ministries Seminar on November 15, about 3:00 pm or shortly thereafter. If you have questions please talk to Barbara Specht. Her phone number is (503) 698-2503.

Helpful Information on Ebola - For helpful information on Ebola, check the North American Division Health Ministries website at www.NADHealthMinistries.org The site includes info on protecting yourself and your community, information for health workers, links to research, and printable handouts along with an attractive information sheet which you can post in your church.

Don't Forget Our PACS Box – In one corner of the coat-rack area we have some plastic Bins. One is for marked for PACS, Portland Adventist Community Services. Bring your good, clean, used or new items, plus non-perishable food stuff. PACS is always in need of baby food, formula and diapers.

Children's Safety is a priority at Rockwood Adventist. The Child Protection Policy and Guidelines are available on the bulletin board. Parents please escort your children to the restrooms and be aware of their whereabouts at all times.

Other News and Events

David Shearer & Family in Concert, "Reflections of His Love," at 4:00 pm on November 8, at the Lents Adventist Church, located at 8835 Woodstock Blvd. in Portland.

It's Auction Time! This year's Portland Adventist Academy Student Scholarship Auction is November 16 at 4:30 pm in the gym. We need support in the following ways: 1. Donations for the auction - Things like vacation homes, tickets to events, restaurant certificates, services from your business...these are just a few options. 2. Volunteers - We need people to help with procurement, decorate the gym or help on the day of the auction. 3. Purchase tickets and attend! Tickets are \$20 per person. If you can get 8 people together, you can buy a table for \$100. Call or email Heidi Woodworth for tickets, or questions at (503) 255-8372 x 230 or hwoodworth@paasda.org

PAES Fall Festival on Saturday, November 15, from 5:30-8:30 pm in the Gym. Come enjoy food, fun and games with friends and family! PAES is located at 3990 NW 1st, Gresham. Flyers for wreaths and poinsettias are on the lobby desk.

Job Opening - Portland Adventist Academy is looking for a Capital Campaign Manager to oversee day-to-day activities related to our current fundraising efforts. Please visit the school's website at www.paasda.org for a complete job description and information on how to apply.



Let's find out what would happen if every member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in North America would spend just one minute a day praying for one specific person!

Of course, we don't have to limit ourselves to only one minute, but you get the idea. We need to pray more for those we care about, for those who are missing, those who are leading, those struggling through challenges, in short, for those we want to see in heaven! That includes lots of people!

If just half of us made that commitment between now and the next three or four months, and if we spent only one minute each day over the next ten weeks or so, we would storm the gates of heaven with more than a million hours of focused intercession! Visit www.prayonemillion.org to learn more; Watch the [Pray One Million video](http://www.prayonemillion.org) at <http://vimeo.com/110379697>.