

News from the Pastor's Desk

Wanted: Smiling Faces and Willing Hands – During our upcoming event with the Voice of Prophecy we need several volunteers to greet, register, distribute handouts, serve refreshments, and provide child-care. The meeting dates are Thursday April 28, Friday April 29, and Saturday April 30. There will be a meeting from 7-8pm each of these evenings and also 11:00 am on Sabbath morning. If you would like to volunteer please email pastorgene@gmail.com or call (503) 781-5799.

Shadow Empire Online Invitations and Video Trailer

Visit www.Facebook.com/RockwoodAdventist to view the new Shadow Empire video trailer and share it with your friends.

Compassion Sabbath – Every day we are presented with opportunities to share the love of Jesus. However, today we will celebrate another Compassion Sabbath. This is a special time to reach out in love to those in need. Visit the table in the lobby following today's service to discover volunteer opportunities in the neighborhood or go out and demonstrate the compassionate love of Jesus by serving a neighbor in need next weekend.

Humanitarian Fund – Many of our Compassion Sabbath Activities and other humanitarian outreach opportunities this year will be funded by your support of our Humanitarian Fund. Please consider earmarking a special gift under local church on our offering envelope or at www.RockwoodAdventist.com/onlinegiving.

Keeping Up with the Cootz Family – The Cootz family is preparing to embark on their new adventure with Jesus to Tanzania. Donations to support their family's mission adventure can be made by earmarking your gifts "Kibidula Fund" on your offering envelope or at RockwoodAdventist.com/onlinegiving. To stay in touch with the Cootz family over the next few years email them at rayterecootz@gmail.com

Week at a Glance

Today	All-Church Potluck Cootz Going-Away Party Sunset-Farewell to Sabbath	12:30 pm 5:30 pm 7:50 pm
Sunday	Pathfinders	6:00 pm
Monday	PACS Cow at 124 NE 181 st Ave	4-6:00 pm
Tuesday	Tuesday Morning Bible Study	11:30 am
Wednesday	Bulletin Information Deadline Prayer Power Group	3:00 pm 7:00 pm
Friday	Sunset-Welcome the Sabbath	7:58 pm
Next Sabbath:	Sabbath School Classes Offering: Church Budget Safety Potluck and Meeting Sunset-Farewell to Sabbath	9:30 am 12:30 pm 7:59 pm

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

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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 invite you to join the group of your choice. We have groups for ALL ages!

Worship

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

Welcome	Pastor Gene
Praise Time	Praise Team
Children's Story	Pastor Gene
Our Gift to God	Everyone
"Christian Record Services" (Services for the Blind)	
Offertory/Worship in Song	Merina Gilbride
Worship in Word	Pastor Gene
"Womb to be Worry Free"	
Closing Song	Cares Chorus
Prayer Garden	The Castillo Family
Organ Postlude	Brent Sumaraga

Sermon Audio available at RockwoodAdventist.com

Rockwood Community News

Caring Cards – Please stop at the desk in the lobby and sign the card for **Barbara Specht** who had a long-awaited surgery on her foot, and for **Scott Thoman** who had major surgery.

All-Church Potluck Today, followed in the afternoon by our Compassion Sabbath outreach ministry. All are welcome!

"Going Away" Party for the Cootz Family today at 5:30 pm. Haystacks & root beer floats will be served! We will miss them as they leave for Africa and new adventures with God.

Safety Meeting - Deacons, Deaconesses, Elders and Sabbath School workers, please plan to attend a potluck on April 16 followed by a safety meeting. Among other things we will be reviewing and practicing our emergency exit plans.

Shadow Empire – We are partnering with the Voice of Prophecy to present a four-part series on the emperor Constantine and the rise and fall of religious freedom. Save April 28-30 on your schedule for this powerful event. See your bulletin insert for more information or visit www.ShadowEmpire.com

Impact Your Health – We are partnering with several other Adventist churches and the Adventist Medical Evangelism Network to sponsor a free medical, dental and vision clinic August 26 and 28 at Portland Adventist Academy. Please watch your bulletins and inboxes for more information in the weeks to come. If you are interested in volunteering please visit www.AmenSDA.org/mission/info/Portland-OR.

Attention Members! – Please, if you have not already turned in your family information sheets for the new pictorial directory, stop at the label desk and pick up a sheet. Drop it in the offering plate, or put it on Kamille's desk. Even if you think the office has all your info, please fill out a new form for this directory. Also, please email your family picture to rockwoodadventist@gmail.com

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

Oregon Conference Schools Handbell Festival will be held on Friday, April 15, 5:00 pm at the Holden Convention Center, 19800 Oatfield Road in Gladstone. Come and enjoy 100 plus students and handbells!

Portland Adventist Elementary School invites you to attend our Open House on Thursday, April 21. It starts at 5:00 pm with a Veggie Burger Dinner (\$5) in the gym. Classrooms will be open from 5:30 to 7:00 pm, and Preschool and Middle Wing Robotics open from 6:00-7:00 pm. A Book Fair is open throughout the evening. 3990 NW 1st St., Gresham.

2016 Oregon Men's Summit – April 29-May 1 in Cottage Grove, OR. Ty Gibson will be the guest speaker. Ty emphasizes God's unfailing love as the central theme of the Bible. To register, or for more information, call (503) 850-3559 or visit <http://orgcfamily.netadvent.org/2016-men>

PAA/PUA Alumni Sabbath – May 7 at 10:30 am in the gym. Honored classes will be the classes of 1946, 1956, 1966, 1976, 1986, 1991, 1996 and 2006. Lunch will be available in the cafeteria. (Donations will be accepted!)

The Light Bearers Convocation (July 5-9 in Jasper, OR) will explore the prophecies of Daniel and Revelation. For more information call (541) 988-3333 or www.lightbearers.org

Campmeeting Volunteers Needed (July 14-16 Hispanic campmeeting, and July 19-23 for English.) We need volunteers in hospitality, shuttle service, safety and security, RNs and EMTs. Whether you can work one day or all week we'd love to have you! To volunteer call (503) 850-3575 or visit <http://volunteer.oregonconference.org>