THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP 11:00 a.m. – 12:15 pm "Is Anything too Hard for the Lord."

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Elder of the Month – Monee Quast

Sunset Today: 5:36 pm

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Pastor Vernon Herholdt

Benediction

Pastor's Corner: This past week at our annual pastors' workers meetings, one of our pastors did the worship and his topic was about 'Ingratitude'. As he was speaking, I was convicted once again how important our relationship with Jesus our Savior is. We all face difficulties during our lifetime that shape our thinking about life and those around us. Ingratitude can make us grumpy, unhappy people filled with resentment, and that God does not care. But gratitude, friend is the key to unlocking the essence of peace within our hearts.

In Ephesians 5:20, the Apostle Paul exhorts believers to "give thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ". This simple yet profound command serves as the foundation for understanding the connection between gratitude and inner peace.

The Bible consistently reinforces the importance of gratitude in maintaining a peaceful heart. 1 Samuel 12:24 encourages us to "fear the Lord and serve him faithfully with all your heart. For consider what great things he has done for you." This verse reminds us that when we reflect on the blessings and the goodness of God, a grateful heart naturally emerges, leading to a sense of peace that transcends circumstances. Gratitude will shape and transform our worship experience, and even strengthen you in serving Him faithfully. Paul emphasizes the transformative power of gratitude in 1 Thessalonians 5:18, "Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you."

Friends, gratitude is not contingent on favorable circumstances; rather, it is a continuous and intentional choice to acknowledge God's sovereignty in every situation. By cultivating a habit of gratitude, we align our hearts with God's will and experience a peace that surpasses understanding, and that will transform your everyday worship experience.

The connection between gratitude and peace is clear - a heart that is continually thankful is a heart that is open to receiving and embracing the peace that Christ offers. In Steps to Christ we read, "Gratitude will unlock the door of your heart that the peace of God may come in." Blessings, Pastor Vernon

Sabbath School Divisions/Classes

Adult Classes – Sanctuary; Come & See in Large Classroom; Filipino Class in the Youth Room.

Cradle Roll (ages 0-4); Kindergarten (ages 5-7); Primary (ages 8-10); Junior/Earliteen (ages 11-14)

Evangelism

Islam and Christianity: Tim Roosenberg will be presenting a short weekend seminar on February 10 on Islam and Christianity. He presents this revealing study of Bible prophecy relevant to today's modern world (see insert).

Small Groups

Book Club: Starting on January 11, 6:00 pm, at the church, we will be meeting weekly to go through one book a month. In January we will be starting out with "Unoffendable: How one change can make all of life better" by Brant Hanson. Contact Pastor Jacob for further questions.

<u>Tuesday Morning Bible Study:</u> Please join us every Tuesday morning from 10:00 -11:00 am, as we continue to study the bible. We are currently in the Book of Acts.

Happy Hamper Laundry Love Program: This mission program is asking for prayers, volunteers, and donations to help those with no/low income to wash their clothes. For those donating funds, please mark it in your tithe envelope as laundry program. For more information contact Tami Flemmer at 701-226-8258 or Reese Saxon at 865-216-7914.

Guitar Small Group: The Guitar Fundamentals small group started on Thursday, January 4 at 7:00 pm and will continue to meet if there is an interest. Contact Dan Spilovoy at 701-226-2119 or Scott Winistorfer at 701-220-5826 to sign up.

Singing Band at St. Vincent's: This event will be the first Sabbath of every month at 2:00 p.m. The residents are looking forward to seeing us again, so please participate if you can. Accompanists are particularly needed. If you have any questions, please contact Beverly Edwards (701-955-3264).

Calendar

- Jan. 30 Bible Study, 10:00 am
- Jan. 31 Pathfinders
- Feb. 3 Vespers & Church Business Mtg., 5:30 pm
- Feb. 3 Singing event at St. Vincents, 2:00 pm
- Feb. 3, 17 Adventurer Club, 1:30-3:00 pm
- Feb. 7, 11, 21, 28 Pathfinders
- Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27 Bible Study, 10:00 am
- Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 Guitar Mtg., 7:00 pm
- Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 Book Club Mtg., 6:00 pm
- Feb. 10 Tim Roosenberg Seminar
- Feb. 10, 24 Church Fellowship Meal
- Feb. 11 Women's Ministry event, 11:00 am
- Feb. 13 Church Board Meeting 7:00 pm

Announcements

Church Business Meeting: Join us on Sabbath, February 3, 5:30 pm, for vespers followed by the church business meeting. Items of discussion will be finances, evangelism, and tithes and offerings.

Fellowship Meal: Join us for our fellowship meal today. We invite visitors to be a part of this family meal. We ask church members to bring a vegetarian meal that would feed your own family plus an additional 5 people.

Fellowship Meal for the Month of February: For February the fellowship meals will be served Feb. 10 and 24. Due to the lack of kitchen help, and lack of people not bringing food, the kitchen committee along with the pastor, have discussed to experiment by having only 2 fellowship meals in February. The meal for February 10 will be a planned meal. We will be serving baked potatoes with all the toppings along with a variety of salads. February 24 will be the regular fellowship meal. We encourage church families to invite members to their own homes for fellowship and building relationships amongst each other. We would appreciate your feedback for future decisions regarding this matter.

Announcement's Cont.

Women's Ministry Event: All ladies are welcome to a Winter Brunch, Sunday, February 11, 11:00 am. Please let Melanie know if you will attend. RSVP 831-313-5683

"My Friend Jesus" Revival Meetings: Do you want to draw closer to the Lord? Have you been feeling distant, or have you lost your first love? Join members at the Jamestown Adventist Church Friday, February 16 - Saturday, February 24 at 6:30pm each night, except for Tuesday, for "My Friend Jesus" revival meetings.

Sermon Notes:

January 27, 2024 Bismarck Seventh-day Adventist Church



We want to welcome you to the Bismarck Seventh-day Adventist Church. Whether you are a visitor or a long-time member we hope that you experience God's presence as well as warm Christian fellowship today here at church. Have a Happy Sabbath!

Service Times

Sabbath School – 10:00 AM Worship – 11:00 AM



Bismarck SDA Church 1109 North 26th St., Bismarck, ND 701-223-6830

Islam & Christianity in Prophecy Seminar

Presented by Pastor Tim Roosenberg

Sabbath, February 10, 2024 Bismarck SDA Church 1109 N. 26th St., Bismarck

SS 10:00-10:45am

"Understanding Daniel 11", We will examine the differing SDA viewpoints on Daniel 11 and explain Daniel 11:2-39. This will give the historical background for having a credible understanding of "the time of the end" in Daniel 11:40-45.

Worship Service 11am-12:15 pm

"The Time of the End", We will unpack the text of Daniel 11:40-45 and show how it is currently being fulfilled in world events.

Afternoon 2:00-3:00 pm

"Time of the End Alliances", We will explain the relationship of Daniel 11 to Rev. 11 and 13. This will show how the King of the North vs King of the South conflict is already active globally in the Left vs Right politics. Most importantly it will guide you in keeping Jesus as your focus. This is very important in this time of political chaos. I will also give a short explanation on EGW and Daniel 11, and there will be a Q&A time.



The headlines are unmistakeable.

Our world is on the precipice of extraordinary cataclysmic change.

The conflict between two great world religions - Islam and Christianity - is fast approaching a devastating climax that will shake the whole world.

Indeed, the face of Western Europe has already been transformed through rapid Islamic expansion, and the fear of terror and holy war pervade the American psche as multiple conflicts rage in the Middle East.

But what happens next, and when?

In an age of constant unpredictability, how can we really know what the future holds?

After a decade of careful study and scholarly legwork, international speaker Tim Roosenberg unveils a staggering new study of Bible prophecy that demonstrates that God's Word is not silent regarding Islam in these last days.

ISLAM AND CHRISTIANITY IN PROPHECY carefully explores and unlocks the mysterious book of Daniel, specifically chapters 11 and 12, unveiling a thrilling picture of prophecy that includes the past, present, and future roles of Catholicism, Protestantism, Islam, and the United States in the final conflict ahead.

Along the way, Pastor Roosenberg provides the answers you need to survive the coming holy war, answers that will give you complete confidence in God's Word and faith in the promises of Jesus Christ.