



*Come to worship
Leave to serve*



SEVENTH-DAY
ADVENTIST CHURCH
RED DEER

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WELCOME

Grace and peace to you. This was the Apostle Paul's traditional greeting to the churches in God's Kingdom community—God's family of grace and peace. Family relationships are important to God and they're important to us too! We hope and pray that you find grace and peace and family here in our Kingdom community. Please take some time to check out our programs, church school, or a sermon or two. We hope you'll come back frequently, and we pray that God will richly bless you as you seek to know Him and grow in grace.

PASTORAL TEAM

Senior Pastor, Moises Ruiz (587) 877-0861, mrui@albertaadventist.ca

Associate Pastor, Donovan Diminyatz, ddiminyatz@albertaadventist.ca

WEEKLY SABBATH SCHOOL

9:30 AM - 10:45 AM

Adult Class (1) Main Sanctuary
Adult Class (2) Main Sanctuary
Children's Beginner Ages 0-3
Children's Kindergarten Ages 4-5/Pre-K & K
Children's Primary Ages 6-9/Grades 1-4
Children's Junior Ages 10-12/Grades 5-7
Youth Ages 13-18/Grades 8-12
Clerk Helie Fabroa
Prayer Ministry
Treasurer Pope Gondwe
Secretary Crystal Palaganas

GENERAL INFORMATION

Sunset Today 04:24PM

Sunset Next Friday 04:22PM

Offering this week **Local Church Budget**

Offering Next Week Adventist Community Service (NAD)

Communion Service **December 03, 2022**

Bulletin Info RedDeerAdventist@gmail.com

South Side Christian School Kindergarten-Grade 9

Asso. Superintendent, Micro-Schools, AB SDA Conference.. Chris Dubyna

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Church Website <https://www.reddeeradventist.ca>

For more announcements go to

www.reddeeradventist.ca/media/news-board

Have a Blessed Sabbath ☺

2022	Oct	Oct		YTD	YTD	
Red Deer SDA Church	Actual	Budget	Variance	Actual	Budget	Variance
Offerings	7,252	13,667	(6,414)	82,549	136,667	(54,117)
Expenses	13,509	13,667	158	109,992	136,667	26,675

December 03, 2022

SABBATH SCHOOL & LESSON STUDY

09:30 AM – 10:45 AM

Lesson Study Review By Class
Sabbath School Small Group

<https://livestream.com/reddeeradventist/lettinggo>

WORSHIP SERVICE

11:00 AM

Welcome / Greeting Song Ayden Polishuk & Avy Yagambrun
Kingdom Building Lucia Polishuk
Prayer
Tithes, Lambs, & Offering Appeal Stephon Duodu
Offertory *God Is So Good* Sarah Duodu
Children's Story Linda Caponpon
Praise Time Praise Team & Congregation

Crown Him with Many Crowns

In Christ Alone

Worthy Is the Lamb

Scripture Reading **John 8:7-8** Uriah Duodu
Message **"Letting Go"** Pastor Moises Ruiz

Communion

The Foot Washing

Partaking in the Emblems

Testimonies of Praise and Thanksgiving

Closing Song ... *Go, Tell It on the Mountains* Praise Team & Congregation

Praise Team:

Aartie & Avy Yagambrun, Afua & Sarah Duodu, Lucia & Ayden Polishuk (violins),
Sudhan Muthiah (bass guitar), Krish Yagambrun (piano)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Everyone is welcome to join our Prayer Meeting and Kids Prayer Time every Wednesday evening in Red Deer Church, starting at 7:00PM. Join us for a time of bible study, fellowship, and prayer.

NOTE: Our responsibility for the Soup Kitchen is on the 4th Sabbath of each month from 3:00PM until 6:00PM... and the following Thursday 3:00PM to 6:00PM.

Are you willing to serve in our church? Our church has a mission to bring people closer to Jesus. During this nominating time, we ask that you pray about how you can be connected with God's mission. There are many and exciting ways to get involved. Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. 1 Peter 4:10. **Please fill out the survey below to let us know your interests.** Link: <https://forms.gle/1mPHZ4zTFpb6Sqnc6>

Membership Transfer: *Katelyn and Moises Ruiz from Epic Church to Red Deer SDA Church.*

Pastor Moises will be away on vacation from December 5-12. If you have any pastoral needs during that time, please contact Pastor Donovan at (250) 788-6729.

December 14th (after the Christmas Concert) SCS is looking for Cookie Donations for the Cookie Walk Fundraiser. If you are able to help by donating a dozen cookies or cut squares, you can give them to any SCS student, or leave them at the church on December 10th and we will be happy to pick them up! If you are able to donate, we still encourage you to come out and support the fundraiser by purchasing a variety of Christmas treats. Enjoy them yourself or use them as gifts!

\$25/fill a box. Cash / Cheque / e-transfer @southsidechristianschool.ca

You are invited to join us for a Youth Winter Indoor Camping experience. We will be pitching tents, worshipping, eating, and making memories. The fun starts on December 16th at 3:00PM in the SCS gym and goes until Dec 18th at 3:00PM. All the young are invited (ages 8 and up) and the cost is \$20. For more info or to sign up, contact Bro. Dudz Sending 403-307-6264.

ATTENTION: ALL SAGERs

SAGE Alberta 2023 Upcoming Events

Plans are in the works for a 2023 SAGE Winter Retreat at the William Watson cottages in Kananaskis Country. The tentative date is **MARCH 6-9, 2023**. SAGE will be booking available accommodations in early January 2023. Schedule will be: Arrive after 4 pm Monday; Leave by 11 am Thursday. When reservations have been booked, you will be notified of the costs and further details. If you are interested and wish to put your name on a waiting list, contact Lorna Joch: lorna.joch@gmail.com or (587) 879-1077.

SAGE Alberta 9th Annual Convention (College Heights SDA Church) - MAY 26-28, 2023. There has been a date change in May 2023, for the Annual Convention, because of a conflicting schedule with another conference event. Please note, it is May 26-28, 2023. Guest speakers will be announced later. The first meeting will be Friday morning at 9:30 am, followed by an outing and lunch, banquet, and devotional. There will be a full day of meetings on Sabbath and the final meeting is 9:30 am Sunday. Everyone of all ages is invited to attend ALL scheduled meetings in the church. You do not have to be SAGEr (50+)!

OFFERING THIS WEEK is for the Local Church Budget. Special Provider

Psalms 145:15. The eyes of all look to you, and you give them their food at the proper time.

We worship God with our resources because He often makes provision for our needs even before they arise. In a dream, the Lord informed Pharaoh about the seven years of severe famines that would strike Egypt. However, before the beginning of the crisis, he provided seven years of abundance. Under the inspired leadership of Joseph, they could save the surplus and adequately prepare for the crisis. God provided before the need. Joseph told his brothers about the God who acted in anticipation: "But God sent me ahead of you to preserve for you a remnant on earth and to save your lives by a great deliverance" (Gen. 45:7). Our needs and emergencies of today never take God by surprise or put Him off balance.

During the COVID-19 pandemic, a family had witnessed how God acted in anticipation of their needs. Because they were staying in a foreign country, the wife had to renew her employment authorization. The process took much longer than expected. After some few months of waiting, her current work authorization expired, and she was terminated from her job. The family budget was not balancing anymore. At first, they thought that the authorization would come in a few days. It was not so. Interestingly, exactly seven months before she lost her job, the week that many companies were closing and dismissing employees, causing a record high unemployment rate, she miraculously held onto her job. This allowed the family to consolidate their emergency fund, not knowing the challenge they would soon face. Regularly, they would check the status of her application. The waiting time grew from three months to four months, five months, and finally up to nine months. It was testing time. During this extended time, their consolidated emergency fund kept them afloat. More accurately, it was the work of God who makes provision even before needs arise.

This week as we worship with our tithe and regular offerings, let us show our gratitude to the Provider who already has solutions for our unforeseen crises.

Prayer: Lord, we worship because you do not only know the future, but you have also already prepared a way for us. You are our special Provider.

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