

## CHURCH AT WORSHIP

Prelude - Cheryl Wiley

Welcome & Announcements - Bill Marshall

Hymn of Praise - Bonnie Eichman

“O Come, Immanuel” - Medley”

Opening Hymn: “Because He Lives” #526

Invocation

Joy in Giving

Local Church Budget

Children’s Story - Carole Buchheim

Scripture Reading

Mathew 2:1-2

Congregational Prayer - Bill Marshall

Special Music - Ladies’ Trio - Melony, Michelle & Cheryl

“Not That Far from Bethlehem”

Sermon - Pastor Jeff Coleman

“The Wisdom of the Wise”

Hymn of Dedication - Bonnie Eichman

“Angels From the Realms of Glory” #119

Postlude - Cheryl Wiley

## CHURCH CALENDAR

- **Sabbath, December 7<sup>th</sup>**
  - 9:00 - Prayer time in the Mother’s Room
  - 9:30 - Orchestra music in the Sanctuary
  - 2:00 - Prison Ministry
  - 5:00 - Bible Study in Young Adult Room
- **Mon. Dec 9<sup>th</sup>** - 10:00am Bible study in BLC
- **Mon. Dec 9<sup>th</sup>** - 12:00pm Crafting Circle
- **Mon. Dec 9<sup>th</sup>** - 7:00pm Volley Ball in School gym
- **Tues, Dec 10<sup>th</sup>** - 6:30pm Perry’s Bible study (zoom available)
- **Tues. Dec 10<sup>th</sup>** - 6:30pm Eichman's Bible Study (Micah)
- **Tues. Dec 10<sup>th</sup>** - 7:00-8:30pm Pathfinders
- **Wed. Dec 11<sup>th</sup>** - 1:00pm Prayer Meeting
- **Wed. Dec 11<sup>th</sup>** - 6:30pm Prayer Meeting
- **Thurs. Dec 12<sup>th</sup>** - 7:00pm - RCA Christmas Concert
- **Fri. Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>** - 7:00pm Jaime Jorge Violin Christmas Concert
- **Sabbath, December 14<sup>th</sup>**
  - 9:00 - Prayer time in the Mother’s Room
  - 9:30 - Orchestra music in the Sanctuary
  - 11:00 - Milo Academy Concert
  - Fellowship Meal following program in RCA gym
  - 3:30 - Singing Band at Calahan Court (Christmas Carols)
  - 5:00 - Bible Study in Young Adult Room
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### BETTER LIFE - ROSEBURG SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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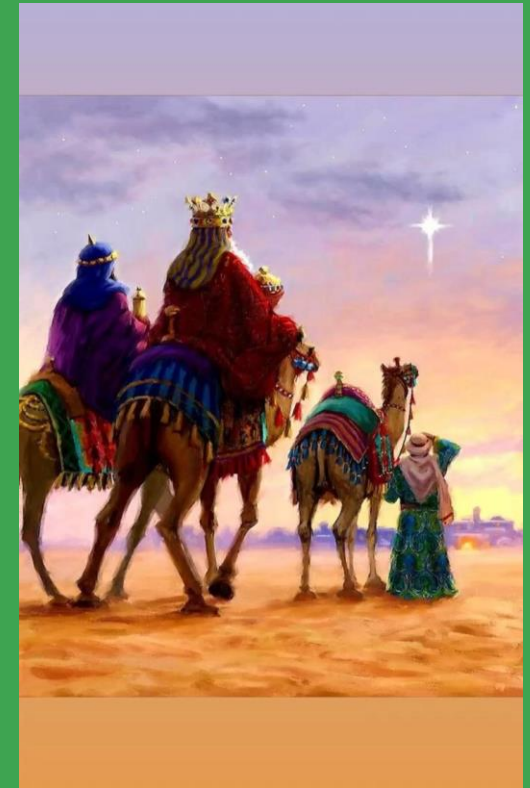
### Church Office Hours

Mon & Thurs 8:30 to 3:00, and Friday’s 8:30 - Noon.

Church Office Phone 541-672-1542

Pastor Jeff Coleman 541-580-9502

*December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024*



*“The Wisdom of The Wise”*

*Please put your phone on reverence mode during the service.*

# Welcome

We are honored that you have joined us today at Better Life – Roseburg Seventh-day Adventist Church. Thank you for taking time to worship with us as we respond to the blessings of Jesus through the study of His word, songs of praise, along with gratitude and petitions in prayer. We want your time here to bring you closer to your forever friend, Jesus. We would love to get better acquainted and would be pleased for you to fill out a Welcome Card -found on the back of the pew. Thank you for joining us today. We look forward to seeing you again.

## Church Bible Study

### Sabbath School – 9:45 – 10:45

Lower Divisions: Cradle Roll (ages 0-3), Kindergarten (age 4 – 1<sup>st</sup> grade), Primary (2<sup>nd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> grade), Juniors/Youth (5<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade)

Young Adult Class – TBA

Sanctuary Left Rear – Debbie Trude

Chapel Class –Shelly Perry

Better Living Center – Victor Wallenkampf

Sanctuary Right Front – Charles Hansen *Live Streamed*

## Themes in the Gospel of John

October – November – December 2024

Lesson 10 – “The Way, the Truth, and the Life”

## CHURCH LIFE

**First Reading:** Membership Transfer in Kari Jackey from Rodgers, AR  
Craig Wiley from Hayden Lake, ID

**First Reading:**  
Matt Dauer to Men’s Ministry

**Country Christmas:** We hope to see you Thursday evening at 7:00 pm for RCA’s Christmas concert. Come a little early to purchase some of their prepackaged gift baskets for Christmas. All proceeds go to assist with the upcoming Boston trip for grades 5-8.

**Fellowship Meal:** Next week Milo Academy will be here. Please note that the fellowship meal following the service will be held at Roseburg Christian Academy. Please warm your dishes at the BLC and plan to take them over to the school following the service. Oven space is very limited at the school.

**Sad News:** We are sad to announce that Mary Ann Hakes passed to her rest until Jesus comes, Wednesday afternoon while surrounded by her family. Her service will be held here in February.

**Thank you:** Mike Conaway would like to extend his thanks for all of the cards, phone calls and love that this church has showered on him since the passing of his sweet wife.

**Cookie Exchange:** December 15th at 10:00 am the Women's Ministries will have their second annual cookie exchange in the BLC. It was a successful event last year and looking forward to it again. Please bring 4 dozen cookies and a container to bring them home in. Any questions, please contact Tina Holland 541-530-3870.

**Looking Ahead:** We have many wonderful upcoming events that you will want to put on your calendar. See below

### December

Dec 12<sup>th</sup>, RCA Christmas concert “Country Christmas” 7pm

Dec 13<sup>th</sup>, Friday Night Concert with Jaime Jorge -7pm

Dec 14<sup>th</sup>, Sabbath Milo Academy Christmas concert for church

Dec 21<sup>st</sup>, Sabbath Church Christmas Program

### January

10 Days of Prayer: January 8-18 “But When You Pray”.

### February

Evangelistic Series: Feb 8<sup>th</sup> – March 1<sup>st</sup> Prophecies Unsealed with Evangelist Brian McMahon.

**Sermon Next Sabbath:** Milo Adventist Academy will be here next week presenting a Christmas program during our worship hour.



## Roseburg Christian Academy News & Events:

541-673-5278

1653 NW Troost

**Office hours:** Monday-Thursday from 8-3:30pm  
Phone: 541-673-5278, email: [talktorca@gmail.com](mailto:talktorca@gmail.com) RCA  
website: [roseburgchristianacademy.org](http://roseburgchristianacademy.org)

December 11<sup>th</sup> - School Board at 7:00pm

**Christmas Concert Dec. 12 at 7pm**

**Employment Opportunity:** Currently seeking a part-time Administrative Assistant with adaptability to doing multiple needs at the front desk, Mon.-Thurs from 8am-:30pm. 29 hrs. a week with full-time hours & benefits by next school year adding partial bookkeeping duties. If interested, please drop off your resume’ to the school office at 1653 NW Troost St, Roseburg, OR. Call 541-673-5278 for more information.

**BottleDrop Fundraiser:** Blue collection Bags & instructions are available in the church foyer or at the school. Our current balance is **\$1,147.25** Thank you for helping our students!

Your tithe and offering can be: collected by the deacons during the offering, placed in the offering box in the foyer, mailed to the church or donated via Adventist Giving Online. Thank you for your faithful giving!

### Cheerful Givers Report

Church Budget	Needed	Received	Over(Under)
November 2024	18,750.00	14,581.48	↓ (4,168.52)
Oct – Nov 2024	37,500.00	28,152.81	↓ (9,347.19)

### Sunset Information:

Sabbath Ends Today, December 7<sup>th</sup>, at 4:37pm  
Sabbath Begins Friday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, at 4:38pm