

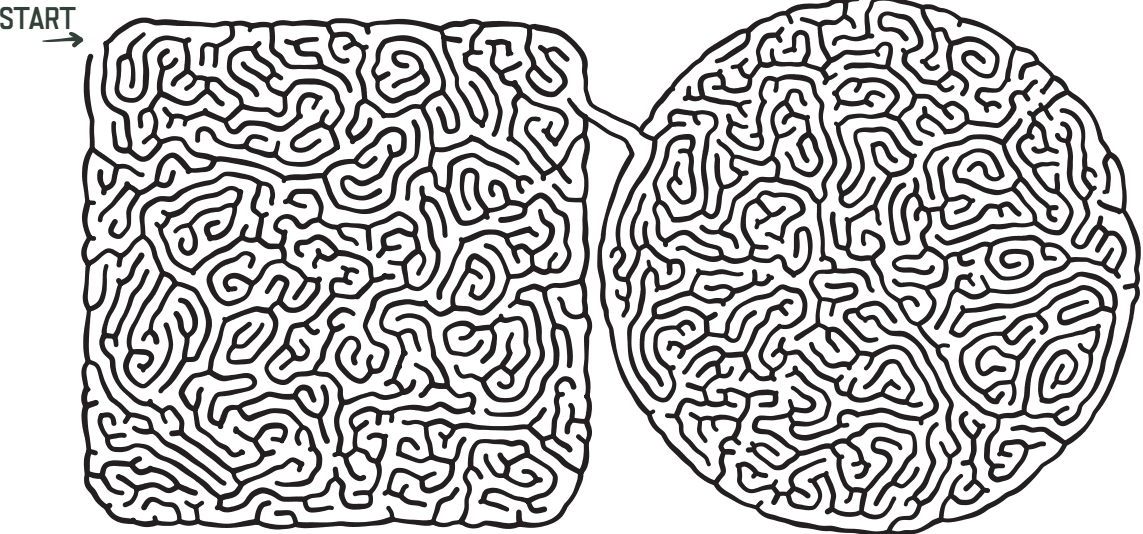
JUST FOR KIDS

Chosen on Purpose

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- SALVATION
- INHERITANCE



Mt. Tabor Seventh-day Adventist Church

THE MESSENGER

Receiving the love of God and sharing it with all we meet



In Our Prayers

“I urge you, first of all, to pray for all people. Ask God to help them; intercede on their behalf, and give thanks for them.” 1 TIMOTHY 2:1

- Prayer Box Requests
- Angel Tree Families
- CityTeam Portland
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- Panama Mission Trip
- Jeri Armstead
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- Larry Bickett
- Kenny Landoni
- Denton Dearborn
- Judy Jacquot
- Marie Scdoris
- Dearborn, Wishart, Benson Families



Have a Prayer Request?

We would love to pray for you



Scan the code with your smart device to leave a request.

Or call the church office.

SUNSET TONIGHT - 6:11PM

NEXT FRIDAY - 6:02PM

Church Budget: \$12,670.50

September Total: \$10,759.00

To Give Online: adventistgiving.org

Welcome to Mt. Tabor Adventist Church!

As we worship together, may you feel Christ’s welcoming love, find spiritual refreshment, and leave with hearts filled with peace, joy, and strength for the road ahead.

“Where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them.”

— MATTHEW 18:20

Bible Study Classes at 10:00am

Our Bible study classes begin at 10:00am and we have a couple of wonderful options to choose from:

- Church Library: Adult Sabbath School Lesson
- Glass Chapel Study: *The Book of John*

We also have Children’s Classes for all ages.

Worship Service at 11:00am

Welcome / Announcements

Offering: *Oregon Conference Youth Support*
(Offering will be collect at doors after service)

Little Red Schoolhouse Offering:
for Hood View Adventist School (HVAS)

Today’s Text: *Ephesians 1:1-14*

Today’s Message: “Chosen on Purpose” – Pastor Billy Hungate

Letters and Greetings By Dr. Peter Borgdorff | Today Devotional

“Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.”

– EPHESIANS 1:2

In an age when people depend on instant electronic communications, it may be hard for us to understand or remember what it’s like to get a hand-written letter in the mail. Perhaps it’s also difficult to think of a book in the Bible as a personal letter, but that is what the book of Ephesians is—a letter from the apostle Paul to people he knew and loved. This month we’ll explore Paul’s letter to the Christians of ancient Ephesus to hear its message of grace and peace.

Letters can be of great personal encouragement, and the way a letter begins sets the tone for everything that follows. No matter what our personal circumstances may be, we all need encouragement. The greeting used in a letter shapes at least our initial response to the writer and the message. So it is also with this letter from the apostle Paul.

Announcements

PANAMA MISSION TRIP: After six years of serving miles apart as international sister churches, Mt. Tabor is sending a group to serve alongside our friends in Boquerón, Panama! You are welcome to join us for our mission trip this spring – **March 19-28!** We will conduct a Vacation Bible School for local children; preach about the love of Jesus at nightly meetings; and visit with people who have been receiving our food baskets through the years.

If you would like to donate to this trip, either for yourself or someone else, you can designate the recipient and give money to the **Mission Trips fund (account #9284.04)** via tithe envelope or on adventistgiving.org. For more information, talk with Pastor Katelyn.

CARING FOR OUR CHURCH HOME: Our church facility has received necessary exterior painting as well as roof and steeple repairs. While funds have been set aside, an additional \$5,000 is needed to cover the cost of this work. Please prayerfully consider supporting the care of our church home and the ministry of Mt. Tabor SDA Church. Designate your gift to **Building Maintenance (9002.04)**.

A HEARTFELT THANK-YOU TO EVERYONE who helped make Homecoming Sabbath such a blessing—from planning and praying to sharing music, preparing food, welcoming guests, and cleaning up after the rest of us thought we were finished! Through laughter, cherished memories, and moments of worship, we celebrated the joy of belonging to God’s family. May we carry that love into the days ahead—welcoming others, encouraging one another, and always making room for one more at the table.

CARDS FOR OUR SPECIAL GUESTS: Please take a few moments to write a thank you card or two to last week’s special visitors. A personal note to say we appreciated their presence goes a long way. Cards are in the lobby.

Letters and Greetings continued

“Grace and peace to you ...” What an encouraging opening! It’s not just a superficial “How is your day?” but a statement that moves beyond mere human relationships to bring God’s love into the conversation.

Paul’s prayer is that the grace and peace of Jesus Christ surround the readers’ very being. Grace and peace will be at the core of Paul’s message to the Ephesians. It’s the core of his message to us. What a wonderful greeting that helps make our day!

Dear Lord, help us to receive your letter with thanks and to experience the “grace and peace” you offer us through Paul as your encouragement to us. In Jesus’ name, Amen.

Calendar

TODAY

10:00am Sabbath School

11:00am Worship Service

Guest Speaker: Billy Hungate

MONDAYS

6:30pm Enjoying Your Bible

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4509807987>

WEDNESDAYS

7:30pm Zoom Bible Study

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4509807987>

OCTOBER 27

6:30pm Church Board

OCTOBER 31

10:00am Sabbath School

11:00am Worship Service

NOVEMBER 7

10:00am Sabbath School

11:00am Worship Service

ReviveUs Ministries

NOVEMBER 14

10:00am Sabbath School

11:00am Worship Service

NOVEMBER 21

10:00am Sabbath School

11:00am Worship Service

Thanksgiving Potluck Dinner



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