

**WELCOME TO
THE ELMIRA SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
813 Maple Avenue
Elmira, New York 14904**

THE CHURCH AT STUDY
July 5, 2014 9:20 AM – 10:45 AM

Song Service	Alvin Jackson
Opening Prayer	
Remarks	Superintendent
Mission SONlight	<i>Benin: Nepal: Le Le School</i>

Lesson Study	“Our Loving Heavenly Father”
Teacher	Michael Belknap

Superintendent – Malcolm Dwyer

TODAY’S PROGRAM

Elder in Charge	Earle Stewart
Deacon in Charge	Luke Moss, Jr.
Pianist	Teri Hinman
Organist	Sharon Reynolds
Greeter	Robert Cau
Sunset tonight:	8:47 P.M.

SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

Elder in Charge	Earle Stewart
Deacon in Charge	Luke Moss, Jr.
Greeter	Joan Van Galder
Offering	Women’s Ministries
Sunset Next Friday:	8:44 P.M.



*Behold, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us,
that we should be called the sons of God:
therefore the world knoweth us not, because it knew Him not.
1 John 3:1*

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP
July 5, 2014 10:50 AM

Song Service	Alvin Jackson
Announcements	Earle Stewart

PRELUDE

Scripture Meditation	Matthew 10:37, 38	Martha Jackson
Chimes		Organist
Introit	<i>Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus</i> (refrain only)	#290
Invocation		Malcolm Dwyer

DEDICATION AND PREPARATION OF HEART

Opening Hymn		#571
	<i>What Does the Lord Require?</i>	
Pastoral Prayer		
Response		Organist

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Tithes & Offerings		Alvin Jackson
	Local Church Budget	
Offertory		Organist

MINISTRATION OF THE WORD

Children’s Story		Lacey Hinman
Scripture Reading	Proverbs 11:30	
Sermon	“Mission/Souls”	Earle Stewart

BENEDICTION

Closing Hymn		#367
	<i>Rescue the Perishing</i>	
Benediction		James Reynolds
Response		Organist
Postlude		Organist

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to the pulpit to Earle Stewart, our head elder, who will be bringing us today's sermon.

Prayer & Fasting today following the worship service. All are invited.

Fellowship Luncheons next two Sabbaths. These will be planned meals. You will be asked to bring specific items. Thank you.

Transfers of Membership (Second Reading & Vote): Paula (Losinger) Blodgett Hillcrest SDA Church in Mansfield, PA to the Elmira Church.

(Second Reading & Vote): Carlos Pablo & Berlina Ortiz from the Elmira Church, to the Bismarck Adventist Church in Bismarck, ND.

Evangelism Pledges – please remember to turn in your evangelism pledges to fund our continuing evangelism efforts.

Youth Mission Trip – This Generation youth and leaders will be arriving in Elmira this afternoon. They will be working in our area through July 20. They will be engaged in evangelistic efforts, training, hands on outreach, community impact projects. Please keep this effort in your prayers and plan on working together with them if you are available.

Ice Chests Needed – This Generation Mission Trip needs to borrow four ice chests. Contact Michael Belknap if you have one to lend.

History Tour – Hiram Edson Barn and welcome center, above Geneva, NY, July 26. We can plan afternoon travel – bring a lunch to church. Anyone interested please see Derek Colaw soon as there is limited space.

Newsletter Deadline – July 20. Please contact Sharon Reynolds with any news items, 732-9629.

Nature's Garden Hours – Thursday, 4:00-6:00 P.M., or By Appt.: Call Larry Taft at 732-0463, or Mac Dwyer at 739-7748.

CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

“To seek and to save the lost by uplifting Jesus Christ as Saviour and Lord, inviting people into God's family, and promoting gospel order and discipleship in an atmosphere of peace, love, and unity.”

CHURCH CALENDAR

TODAY July 5	Speaker – Earle Stewart
July 5-20	This Generation Mission Trip
Next Sabbath	Speaker – Elder Kevin Dunn Fellowship Luncheon

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Church Website		elmirasda.com
Church Phone		734-1560
District Pastor	Kevin Dunn	754-7251
Head Elder	Earle Stewart	733-6181
Head Deacon	Derek Colaw	739-4421
Head Deaconess	Joan Van Galder	732-8775
Church Treasurer	James Reynolds	732-9629
Church Clerk & Bulletin	Sharon Reynolds	732-9629

By Wednesday, 8:00 P.M.

*We, too, must have times set apart for meditation and prayer
and for receiving spiritual refreshing.
We do not value the power and efficacy of prayer as we should.
Prayer and faith
will do what no power on earth can accomplish.
The Ministry of Healing, p. 509*