

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP		
11:00 am – 12:15 pm		
“The Forgotten Brother”		
<i>Please silence your phone</i>		
Welcome & Announcements		Dan Spilovoy
Invocation		Pastor David Fitzcharles
Tithes & Offering	Local Church Budget	Dan Spilovoy
Praise Time		Men’s Ministry
	#305 – Give Me Jesus, all vs #306 – Draw Me Nearer, all vs	
Children’s Story		Sylvia Reese
Scripture and Prayer	1 Sam. 16:7	Ryan Eberhardt
Special Music	#312 – Near the Cross	Men’s Ministry
Message	“The Forgotten Brother”	Pastor David Fitzcharles
Closing Song		Men’s Ministry
	#319 – Lord, I Want to Be a Christian, all vs	
Benediction		Pastor David Fitzcharles
Elder for the Month of June – Dan Spilovoy		
Sunset Today: 9:32 pm		Sunset next Friday: 9:37 pm
Pastor: David Fitzcharles		Ph:701-426-1303
d.fitzcharles@dakotasda.org		
Church Secretary/Clerk: Janice Wolf		
secretary@bismarcksda.org		

Pastor’s Corner:

There is something fascinating about old trees. If you drive through the countryside, you will occasionally come across a giant cottonwood or oak that has stood for generations. Children have climbed its branches. Storms have battered it. Winters have frozen it. Summers have scorched it. Yet there it stands, quietly doing what it was created to do.

Nobody gathers around it every day to applaud. Nobody stops to congratulate it for surviving another season. It simply continues to sink its roots deeper and stretch its branches toward the light. I sometimes think faith can be like that.

We live in a world that celebrates what is new, fast, and visible. Yet much of God's work happens in ways that are neither dramatic nor immediate. Character is formed quietly. Trust grows slowly. Wisdom is usually accumulated one ordinary day at a time.

The psalmist writes, "Those who are planted in the house of the Lord shall flourish" (Psalm 92:13). Notice the image. Not rushing. Not striving. Planted.

Perhaps one of the great invitations of the Christian life is to stop measuring ourselves by speed, recognition, or results, and instead ask a simpler question: Am I growing where God has planted me?

Whether you are entering a new season of life or have been walking with Christ for many years, remember that God values steady roots as much as visible fruit.

As this week unfolds, take a moment to consider where God has planted you, and what He might be growing there that you cannot yet see.

Blessings,
Pastor David

Sabbath School Divisions/Classes:

Adult Classes – Sanctuary and Come & See in Large Classroom.
Cradle Roll (ages 0-4); Kindergarten (ages 5-7); Primary (ages 8-10); Juniors/early teens (ages 11-14); Youth (ages 15-19)

Evangelism:

Happy Hamper: On Thursday, April 2, Happy Hamper assisted 63 individuals, including 36 children. We processed a total of 86 single loads of laundry. Each individual is permitted up to two single washers. If you would like to volunteer on any first or third Thursday of the month, please contact Tami at 701-226-8258.

Happy Hamper is having a fundraiser by selling tickets to a Bismarck Larks baseball game on Wednesday, June 25. To benefit Happy Hamper, you must purchase the tickets in a specific way. Please see Kimber or Tami Flemmer for more information.

Christian Record Services: This service provides free accessible Bibles, Sabbath School lessons, and inspirational magazines in audio, braille, and large print for individuals experiencing vision loss. If you or someone you know is struggling to read or participate fully in worship, please contact Members Services at services@christianrecord.org or 402-488-0981 (Option 3) to learn more or request resources

Small Groups:

Wednesday Morning Bible Study: All are welcome to join the Wednesday morning bible study at 10:00 am. Pastor David leads out as we continue to study the Bible together. We are in 2 Thessalonians, Chapter 1.

Men’s Ministry Bible Study: The bible study continues every Tuesday from 6:30 - 8:00 pm (meal included) at the Bismarck SDA Church. Contact Ryan Eberhardt for questions on 952-261-6281.

Calendar:

- ♦ June 9, 16, 23, 30 – Men’s Bible Study, 6:30-8:00 pm
- ♦ June 10, 17, 24 – Wed. Morning Bible Study, 10:00 am
- ♦ June 18 – Laundry Love, 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm
- ♦ June 19-21 – Church Outdoor Camping Event
- ♦ June 27 – Adventist Disaster Response Class, 1:30-8:00 pm
- ♦ June 26-27 – Claim your Children Back Seminar, Mandan

Announcements:

Church Board Meeting: Our next board meeting is Tuesday, June 9, 7:00 pm. Please send agenda items to Janice by Monday morning, June 8.



701.799.3338.

Help Needed: Need Adventurer Club Leaders and helpers. Adventurer club needs more help to be able to start the program up again in the fall. If spiritually lead to teaching kids or help in any way, please contact Jessica Eberhardt at



Auditorium near Park Shelter 1 on June 20 at 10:00 AM. Limited seating is available or bring a chair or blanket. Potluck lunch will be held at Shelter 1 after the church service. Please bring a dish to share.



VBS Cancellation: VBS has been canceled due to insufficient volunteer support. We appreciate the leader and everyone who was willing to help.

Financial Report as of April 30, 2026: Thank you for your weekly tithes and offers.

Budgeted: \$44,710	Received: \$44,405	Short \$350
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Tithe and Offerings: There are three easy ways to give your tithe and offering.



- 1. Online giving, scan the QR code and explore the Adventist online giving site. It's a quick, easy and fun way to give.
- 2. Drop your offer in the offering box on the back wall of the sanctuary.
- 3. Place your offering on the offering plate when it is passed.

Announcements Cont.



There will be a Disaster Response Class, Sabbath, June 27, 1:30-8:00 pm at the Bismarck SDA Church. Pastor Bob Forbes will be presenting it. A light supper will be provided. Don't miss this opportunity to know what to do before disaster strikes. See the flyer on the church bulletin board.

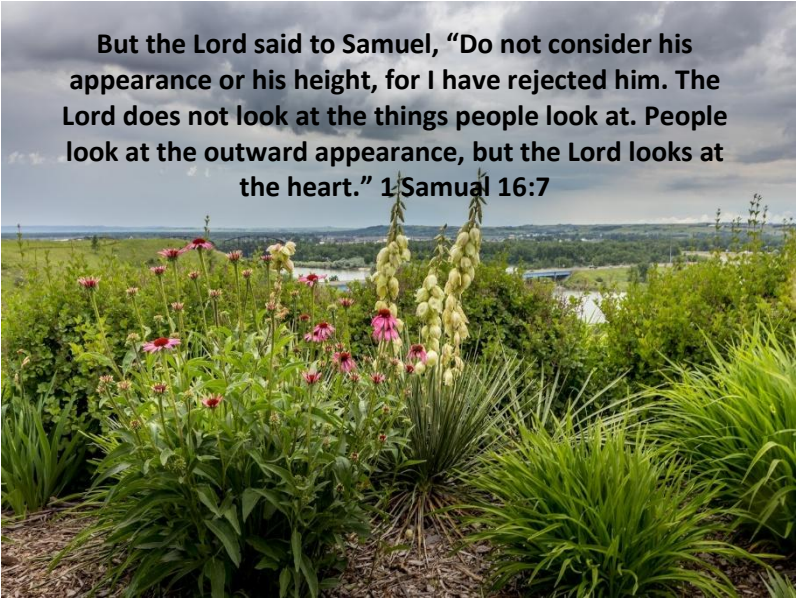


Please help the Pathfinders keep the little pantry stocked by donating non-perishable food items and hygiene items. Some examples of items we could use are canned goods, foods in plastic jars like peanut butter and jelly, boxed items such as pasta and cereal and hygiene items such as toothbrush/toothpaste, soap, and shampoo/conditioner to fill the pantry. There is a tote located in the foyer to place your donated items.

Fellowship Meal: Join us for a fellowship meal today. We ask members to bring a vegetarian dish to share. To promote a healthy lifestyle, we would like to see more salads, vegetables, grains, legumes, beans, nuts, and fruit for our meals.

Claim Your Children Back: Join us June 26–27 for a special revival weekend with Grant Agadjanian, president of Creative Media Ministries. This series is designed to bring hope, healing, and encouragement to parents, grandparents, and loved ones carrying burdens for family members who have drifted from faith. Please see the insert for details. Everyone is welcome. Invite your family and friends!

June 6, 2026
Bismarck Seventh-day
Adventist Church



But the Lord said to Samuel, “Do not consider his appearance or his height, for I have rejected him. The Lord does not look at the things people look at. People look at the outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart.” 1 Samuel 16:7

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 Service – 11:00 AM

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





UPCOMING EVENT



What: Adventist Disaster Response Class

When: Sabbath, June 27 1:30-8pm

Where: Bismarck SDA Church 1109 N. 26th St

Who: Anyone interested in learning and helping

Why: It is imperative that we are trained now in how to respond in a time of disaster. The time to prepare is when there is no disaster.

Who: Pastor Bob is the teacher

What: Some book learning plus some fun hands-on experience in decision making.

What: A light supper will be provided

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Donations appreciated to offset costs