

October 18, 2025

## THE CHURCH AT STUDY: 9:45am

## Adult Sabbath School Lesson: Memorials of Grace

Join us in person for Beginners, Kindergarten, Primary, Juniors, Earliteen, Youth, Collegiate/20s, Young at Heart, and Adult Foyer/Sanctuary classes.

# THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP: 10:50am

Worship services are live streamed: get the link on the <u>Church Website</u>.

Please turn your cell phones off or to silent mode. Thank you.

Song Service: Ivonne Szamko

Mission Spotlight

Announcements & Call to Worship: Pekka Määttänen

Opening Hymn: Master the Tempest is Raging

Prayer: Pekka Määttänen

In the presence of Jehovah, God Almighty, Prince of Peace. Troubles vanish, hearts are mended, in the presence of the King.

Tithes & Offerings: Local Church Budget

Children's Story: Pastor David Beaudoin

Lamb's Offering: Woodlands Adventist School

Special Music: Sarah Määttänen

Scripture Reading: Exodus 23:20

Sermon: Carol Morton Was That You God?

Closing Hymn: God Leads Us Along

Benediction: Carol Morton

## THIS SABBATH: PALE HORSE RIDES

#### Sabbath School

SS Song Service: Jeffrey Family Beginners: Amber Rocca

Kindergarten: Chih Eze-Adiele

Primary: Anca Enache
Juniors: Darren Shipowick
Earliteens: Pam Hirschkorn

Youth: Raymond Smith

Collegiate/20s: Mutende Ntungo Young at Heart: Julie Shipowick Adult-Foyer: Gordon Van Scheik Adult-Sanctuary: Sheila Beaudoin

## Worship Service

Elder in Charge (Oct 17-Oct 23): Pekka Määttänen Deacons (Oct 17-Oct 23): Eze Adiele & Vitaliy Shkarupa

> Deaconess: Sally Desjarlais A/V Sound: Cole Van Sheik A/V Camera: Abigail Brown A/V Streaming: Alyssia Szamko Greeters: Brian & Karen Hawes

# **COMING UP THIS WEEK**

Pianist: David Jeffrey

See the e-bulletin for Zoom links.

#### Sunset

Today: 6:34pm, Next Friday: 6:19pm

## Tonight

7:00pm: A Pale Horse Rides – Barbarian Fire (Church)

## Sunday

8:00pm: Women's Prayer Group (Zoom)

7:00pm: A Pale Horse Rides – An Underground Movement (Church)

# Monday

6:00am: Men's Prayer Group (Zoom)

# Tuesday

7:00pm: Bible Discovery Class (Church)

# Wednesday

6:00pm: Adventurers/Pathfinders (Woodlands)

**Friday** 

6:45am: Intercessory Prayer for Our Children (Zoom)

## **NEXT SABBATH**

#### Sabbath School

SS Song Service: Goss Family
Beginners: Amber Rocca
Kindergarten: Cindy Kay
Primary: Anca Enache
Juniors: Sarah Maattanen
Earliteens: Maryna Shkarupa
Youth: Candace Sayler
Collegiate/20s: Julie Shipowick
Young at Heart: Julie Shipowick
Adult-Foyer: Brian Hawes
Adult-Sanctuary: Alfred Breitkreuz

### Worship Service

Worship Speaker: David Beaudoin Elder in Charge (Oct 24-Oct 30): Curtis Letniak Deacons (Oct 24-Oct 30): Alex Rocca & Raymond Smith

Deaconess: Donelle Clarke
A/V Sound: Cole Van Sheik
A/V Camera: Kiara Rocca
A/V Streaming: William Szamko
Greeters: Dan & Diana Clarke
Pianist: Carol Morton
Chorister: Candace Sayler
Children's Story: Candace Sayler

Special Music: Goss Family
Tithe & Offerings: Burman University

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

FALL INVOLVEMENT: Pray for 10 people. Look for opportunities to build friendships, help others, and invite people to church events.

A PALE HORSE RIDES: Continues tonight at 7pm – Barbarian Fire! Bring your friends and discover the role of an unexpected barbarian kingdom in the plans of God. The final meeting is Sunday night at 7pm – An Underground Movement. Learn more at <a href="https://www.ponokaadventist.ca/community">www.ponokaadventist.ca/community</a>

BIBLE DISCOVERY CLASS: Come discover the foundational truths of Scripture and learn to cross reference passages in your Bible. A great way to refresh your knowledge of Scripture, discover truths for the first time, or prepare for baptism. Starting this Tuesday at 7pm in the church.

SOUP KITCHEN LEADER URGENTLY NEEDED. Our church has been responsible for preparing and serving food for 10-20 people two Fridays/month for the Ponoka Soup Kitchen. If you or someone you know may be willing to lead in this ministry, please contact our Elder for Service, Pekka Maattanen.

EATRITE COOKING CLASS is back: 4pm on Sun, Oct 26th, here at the church. We will be exploring the art of making sourdough bread and turning those garden vegetables into some fabulous soup. Bring your neighbors and friends. Sign up sheet will be in the foyer or online: <a href="https://www.ponokaadventist.ca/community">www.ponokaadventist.ca/community</a>

WOODLANDS FAMILY FUN FUNDRAISER: 4-8pm, Sun, Nov 16. Join for Spaghetti Dinner (kids \$5/adults \$10), live dessert, silent auction, games & crafts at Woodlands Adventist School.

UPDATED WEBSITE. The church website system is changing for churches in the North American Division. Our website was updated this past Thursday. Send any questions or feedback to pastor@ponokaadventist.ca.

IMPORTANT ALLERGY ALERT: Please help keep others safe. Peanuts, nuts, and common allergens in potluck food need to be labeled. Avoid scented products at church programs & events.

PAA IS HIRING: a full-time Office Manager/Educational Assistant. Please visit our website at <a href="https://www.paa.ca/available-positions">www.paa.ca/available-positions</a>

BURMAN OFFERING: Oct 25 is the "Believe in Burman Annual Fund" offering during the worship service. Thank you for remembering our youth across Canada as you plan your gift.

HIGH SCHOOL MUSICIANS: The Adventist Youth Music Association is offering music adjudication opportunities culminating in a summer Invitational Ensemble Experience, July 9-18, 2026 at Andrews University. Interested? Sign up by Oct 30. <a href="https://www.andrews.edu/music/ayma">www.andrews.edu/music/ayma</a>

HEALTH, HEALING & HOPE: a weekend with Dr. Chidi Ngwaba, a leading lifestyle medicine physician coming in November. See <a href="chida:ca/a-health-healing-hope-focused-weekend-with-dr-chidi-ngwaba">chida:ca/a-health-healing-hope-focused-weekend-with-dr-chidi-ngwaba</a>

SAGE SENIOR'S WINTER RETREAT: Mar 9-12 in Wetaskiwin. Cozy fellowship, fun, and memories. Sign up by Nov 27. SAGEABCommunications@gmail.com

ALBERTA CONFERENCE LIVE & LOVE LIKE JESUS: Watch the latest episode as Jeff Potts discusses the Alberta Conference vision. See <a href="https://www.ponokaadventist.ca/members">www.ponokaadventist.ca/members</a>