

LOCAL AND UCC EVENTS/INFO:

2026 Young Adult Summit October 9–11 at Camp MiVoden:

This year's theme is "Known by God," with a focus on discovering the character of God in community—knowing His love, experiencing that love personally, and allowing His love to shape the way we build relationships with others.

The weekend will include worship, opportunities to connect with other young adults from across the Inland Northwest, and outdoor activities such as hiking, mountain biking, challenge course, canoeing, and paddleboarding, weather permitting.

The Summit is designed for collegiate young adults ages 18–30 and is just \$25 per night.

Info at uccsda.org/youngadultsummit.

[Also see graphic below]

Adventist Retired Workers Meeting:

Walla Walla Valley Adventist Retired denominational Workers (ARW)* are cordially invited to attend our first meeting of the 2026 – 2027 season.

**Sunday, October 11, 2026,
1:50 – 4 PM**

**SonBridge Educational Center,
College Place, WA
Potluck Buffet**

Program: A trip to Russia & Ukraine with Larry & Shirley Panasuk
Questions, RE: ARW? Call Sharon Heinrich (813) 997-1704 or Barbara Bohlman (509) 540-4771.

*Any person or spouse who has worked for the denomination or one of its entities (medical facilities, educational facilities, etc.)

Part-time Accounting Openings at Gospel Outreach

Gospel Outreach is currently seeking highly motivated, detail-oriented individuals with accounting experience; 12-16 hours per week. Compensation based on skills/experience.

Interested? Call Linda 208-449-4322.

(Also willing to consider individuals who prefer to volunteer their services).

Gospel Outreach is seeking Regional Directors

Do you have previous mission experience? A heart for sharing Jesus with people in the 10/40 Window who have never heard the name of Jesus? A Regional Director (RD) is a volunteer who links the Gospel Outreach home office with the field. The RD stays in touch with the leaders and Bible workers in his/her "region" and, once a year, travels to assess, equip, and personally encourage them.

To learn more, visit

<https://goaim.org/volunteer>; click on jobs that could be done remotely to read the job description. If you qualify, complete the Volunteer Application Form.

Gospel Outreach is also seeking qualified Adventist volunteers to support our mission of sharing the gospel with the unreached in the 10/40 Window.

If this interests you, please check out our job openings at goaim.org/volunteer.

Homeschool Preview Days at WWU:

Homeschool juniors and seniors and their families are invited to Walla Walla University's Homeschool Preview Days, **Oct. 22 – 24, 2026**, on the College Place campus!

For additional information, visit:
wallawalla.edu/homeschoolpreview.

Register Now: UCC Women's Retreat (Hayden, ID) — October 23 – 25:

Join women of all ages this fall for a spiritually enriching weekend. DeeAnn Bragaw, director of women's ministries for the North American Division, will be the keynote speaker for UCC's Women's and Young Women's fall retreat. The retreat, themed and titled "Flourish," will be held at Camp MiVoden, the weekend of October 23 – 25, 2026.

Registration is now open at

www.uccsda.org/womensretreat.

Early bird registration ends October 1; registration closes on October 15.

For questions and more information, contact Wendy Urbin at (509) 242-0628 or email wendyu@uccsda.org.

**SonBridge Annual Fundraising
Luncheon — October. 14:**

Can you imagine being a single mother with so few connections that you don't even have someone to list as an emergency contact? Every day, our neighbors and friends with the fewest resources and weakest human connections come to SonBridge Center for Better Living seeking help.

Would you be their support system?

Join us for our **Supporter Luncheon:**

Neighbors Helping Neighbors fundraiser at SonBridge on **Wednesday, October 14, from 11:45 AM to 1 PM** and offer support and connection to those in need. To purchase tickets or donate, go to sonbridge.org/supporter-luncheon.

**The 7 Churches of Revelation,
A Sabbatical Project:**

From suffering persecution or being led astray by false teachers, to simply falling into a state of indifference, the first-century Christians needed instruction on what it would take to endure to the end.

Join us as Brent Bergherm, Chair of the Department of Visual Arts at Walla Walla University, shares his experience from his sabbatical project which focused on the letters to the 7 Churches of Revelation.

Thursday, Oct 29, 6 PM at the Fine Arts Center Auditorium, WWU campus. Gallery reception to follow.

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KNOWN BY GOD

October 9-11, 2026
Camp MiVoden, \$25 per night
Collegiate 18-30
uccsda.org/youngadultsummit

 **Upper Columbia Conference
of Seventh-day Adventists**

Upcoming Program from Milton Adventist and Stateline Health Ministries:

THIS WEEKEND, October 4:



Seasons of Life

THE GIFT OF PREPAREDNESS

Facing and Embracing End of Life Issues

Sunday
October 4

2:00 – 5:00 pm

RSVP
— PLEASE REPLY —

PRESENTATIONS ON:

- ✓ Legal issues, wills, POA . . .
- ✓ Hospice
- ✓ Advanced Directives/POLST
- ✓ Relationships
- ✓ Funeral and Alternatives

Bring your questions!

- Have and give peace of mind
- Communicate your wishes
- Support aging family
- Reduce worry, stress and conflict

LOCATION:

Milton Adventist Fellowship Hall
1244 N Elizabeth St, Milton-Freewater
Sponsored by Milton Adventist & Stateline Health Ministries

PRE-REGISTRATION & INFORMATION: Kay: 541.430.2710 or Emily: emilybbrown@outlook.com

Upcoming Programs from SonBridge:

Tuesday Evenings, October 6 to November 10:

True Financial Freedom

Instructors: Blue Mountain Credit Union's Janet and Ruby

When: Six Tuesday evenings, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

October 6 to November 10

We'll pay you to do the homework

To pre-register, call 509-529-3100



1200 SE 12th Street
College Place, WA 99324

Attend all six
sessions and
receive \$100

Class size
limited to 15
people.



Wednesday Evenings, October 7 to November 4:

Faith, Brain and Knowledge

Exploring Anxiety

Wednesdays
Oct 7 to Nov 4
6 to 8 pm



1200 SE 12th Street
College Place, WA 99324
509-529-3100

Fee: \$25
Pre-register by calling
509-529-3100
Class limited to 20 people



Your body will react, but
it's not out to kill you.

Thursday Evenings, October 8 – October 29:

WATER AS MEDICINE

THURSDAY EVENINGS

OCTOBER 8-29

6 - 8 PM

PRE-REGISTER AT
SONBRIDGE CENTER FOR BETTER LIVING
1200 SE 12TH STREET
COLLEGE PLACE, WA 99324
509-529-3100

FEE: **\$5 PLUS**
TEXTBOOK FROM ABC
**HYDROTHERAPY: SIMPLE
TREATMENTS FOR
COMMON AILMENTS**

BY CLARENCE DAIL MD &
CHARLES THOMPSON PHD



Saturday and Sunday, October 24 – 25, 2:30-5:45 PM:

Biblical Solutions

for Modern Conflicts

A 4-SESSION SEMINAR

- Illustrated Presentations
- Video Clips
- Interactive Table Discussions
- Enjoy group Bible study

Pre-registration appreciated

Space is limited

WORKSHOP FACILITATOR: **Charles R. Brown, M.Div.**


SONBRIDGE
CENTER FOR BETTER LIVING
1200 SE 12th Street
College Place, WA 99324

**To register, call:
509-529-3100**

Registration limited to 50
people

 Institute for
**BIBLICAL
PEACEMAKERS**

biblicalpeacemakers.org

Upcoming Enchilada Sale:

ENCHILADAS FOR CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

AT ROGERS ADVENTIST SCHOOL FUNDRAISER ♦ ENCHILADA FUNDRAISER

♦ Green Sauce (Tomatillo) Enchiladas

VEGAN

CHEESE ONLY

VEGETARIAN

CHICKEN

Vegetarian tray filled with potato, veggie & cheese

\$28

14-ENCHILADA TRAY

\$14

7-ENCHILADA TRAY

+ Add Rice or Beans (vegan) — \$8 each

Fresh ingredients, made from scratch the good old-fashioned way — and gluten friendly.

TEXT YOUR ORDER TO (509) 529-0813

PICK UP

Sunday, October 18th, 2026 • 11:00 AM–2:00 PM

Rogers Adventist School — 200 SW Academy Way, College Place

Next sale: December, 2026



ORDER EARLY!
limited trays

Order Early! Pick Up on Sunday, October 18, 11 AM to 2 PM.

Text orders to (509) 529-0813.

From Adventist Community Services:

**The Fires Aren't Over.
Neither Is the Need.**

Together, we can
serve our communities
with compassion, hope,
& the love of Jesus.



Scan the QR Code for more information.

Do you want to grow
in your faith, develop
leadership skills,
experience adventure, and
serve in a Christ Centered
Community?



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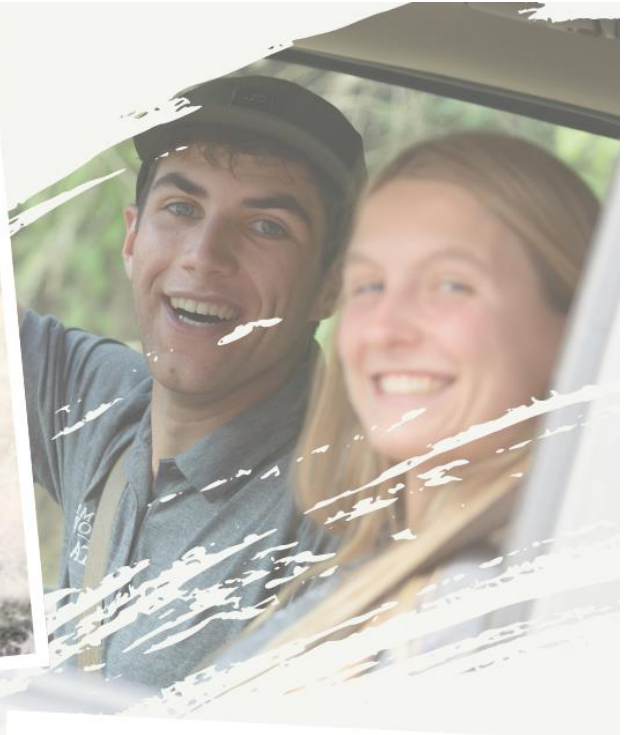
ADVENTURE - COMMUNITY - PURPOSE

Live purposefully
Lead Fearlessly
Follow Jesus



A special opportunity for young adults, ages 18 – 28.

Scan the QR Code for more information.



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www.mivoden.com

Our Church Directory is Online!

View the Walla Walla City Church directory online or via the **FREE** mobile app today.

To view the directory online, go to members.InstantChurchDirectory.com and follow the prompts under "Sign In" to "Create a login now." Please note: you will need to use the email address as submitted on the information form for the City Church directory to create a log-in the first time you use the online directory.

This directory is for EVERYONE—both members and regularly attending guests. If you/your family is not currently included in the directory, please complete a **WW City Church Directory Information** form today and give it to Linda Klinger!

Need help or have questions?

For step-by-step login instructions, go to:

www.instantchurchdirectory.com/tools or contact

Linda Klinger, 208-449-4322; linda.k.klinger@gmail.com



Our New Church Directory is Powered by *Instant Church Directory*.

THE COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS

The Compassionate Friends (TCF) is an international organization that supports parents, siblings, and grandparents who have experienced the death of a child at any age. Our local chapter meets regularly at the Blue Mountain Grief and Loss Foundation's grief center, where families gather in a safe, compassionate space to be understood and supported by others who truly "get it." These meetings are peer-led, non-religious, and open to anyone in the community who has experienced this kind of loss, regardless of faith background.

TCF Walla Walla meets on the second Thursday of each month at 6:30 PM at [1637 E. Isaacs Ave, Suite D](#), in Walla Walla.

Drop-ins are welcome.

The next meeting is Thursday, October 8, 2026.
For more information, call 509-593-0450 or visit their Facebook page at www.facebook.com/tcfwallawalla.

BLUE MOUNTAIN GRIEF AND LOSS FOUNDATION

The Blue Mountain Grief and Loss Foundation is a local nonprofit created to make grief support and other end-of-life-related resources accessible and welcoming to our region. The grief center at [1637 E. Isaacs Ave, Suite D](#), opened in January 2025. In addition to hosting The Compassionate Friends, the center is home to a variety of other support offerings, including both professionally facilitated and peer-led grief groups. Some groups are closed, while others are drop-in. Current and recent offerings include:

- **Journey Forward** – A closed, 12-session adult support group for a variety of death-related losses
- **After the Unthinkable** – A drop-in grief support group for those grieving a loss by suicide
- **Journey Forward (Senior Spouse/Partner)** – A closed, 12-session support group for those age 68 and older who have lost a spouse or partner
- **Dementia Caregiver Support Group** – A 10-session group for those supporting a person living with dementia

For information about current offerings or upcoming groups, please visit www.griefandloss.care

<http://www.griefandloss.care>,
email brad@griefandloss.care,
or call 509-386-4750.