#### SERVICE

#### Sabbath School—9:30 AM

Lesson Study

Adults

Memory Verse: "And I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your seed and her Seed; He shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise His heel." Genesis 3:15 KNJV

"Crisis In Eden"

#### Worship Hour—10:40 AM

# CHURCH IN PRAISE

Song Service		latianna Escobar
Call to Worship*	We Have Come Into His House"	
Invocation*		Pastor Charles Shultz
Opening Hymn*	"Tis Almost Time For The Lord To Come"	Hymn #212
CHURCH IN GRATITUDE		
Offering	OC Evangelism	
Baptism	<u> </u>	Vreni Kasselik
CHURCH IN SHARING		
Community Fellowship		Cheri Hoie
Story Time		Charlene Landwehr
Joys & Requests Prayer		Cheri Hoie
Response Song	"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"	Hymn #290
CHURCH IN WORSHIP		
Scripture Reading	Romans 13:11,12	Leslie Hall
Sermon	"Nearer Than When We First Believed"	Pastor Charles Shultz
Closing Hymn*	l'm But A Stranger Here"	Hymn #409
Benediction		Pastor Charles Shultz
Organist	*Please stand	Pat Ball

## SPECIAL UPDATES

- Welcome to the Brookings Seventh-day Adventist Church! We are delighted you have chosen to worship with us this Sabbath. We pray you will be encouraged by the message this morning. You are invited to the All-Church Potluck hosted by the Escobar's in the Fellowship Hall on the lower level of our church following the church service today.
- Church Family Prayer Requests—Shirley Morey for continued healing ...Roger Semenak, recovering from gallstone surgery...wisdom, comfort, health and peace for Laurie and Wes Heinrich...Jack Tefertiller to make correct choices... Herman Liem for strength and perseverance...the military serving our country...paying off the church mortgage. .. the unspoken needs.
- Reversing Diabetes—Sunday, from 10 AM to noon in the Fellowship Hall—for the next 3 weeks—a health education series to learn simple lifestyle choices to prevent and even <u>reverse</u> diabetes.
- Ladies Bible Study & Prayer Group— will meet every Tuesday at 11 AM in the Pastor's office..
- Next Friday & Sabbath—January 15 & 16—with the Voice of Prophecy, will present a streaming evangelism training event, Before Midnight. It will teach church members how to overcome any fears they may have about sharing their faith, how to find people who are ready to join the church, and how to present our message in an engaging, relevant way. Friday will be from 7-8:30 PM and Sabbath will be 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM and 2:00 PM. No regular Sabbath School Classes will be held, but plan to stay for the Picnic In the Basement so you don't miss the 2:00 PM presentation!

### WEEK AT A GLANCE

Today	12:30 PM All Church Potluck hosted by Escobar's
	5:04 PM Sunset
	5:00 PM Game Night
Sunday	10:00 AM Reversing Diabetes
Monday	12:00 PM Soup Kitchen hosted by Lynda Cross
Tuesday	8:30 AM Exercise Class
	10:00 AM Pastor's Office Hours
	11:00 PM Ladies Bible Study & Prayer Group
Wednesday	3:00 PM Prayer & Study Group
Thursday	8:30 AM Exercise Class
Friday	5:10 PM Sunset
	7:00 PM Before Midnight

#### Cheerful Givers Report As of November 30, 2015

Needed for Budget: \$3,400.00 November Budget: \$3,485.48 Needed for Building: \$3,941.00 November Building: \$3,405.68 Principal Balance-Building \*\*\* \$193,875.59\*\*\*



Plan to be here Friday at 7:00 PM, Sabbath at 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM and 2:00 PM to hear Shawn Boonstra and the Voice of Prophecy team present ways to win souls!

# Sabbath School Classes Downstairs

Under The Sea All children and youth meet in Classroom #5 at 9:30 AM

#### **Main Floor**

Adult—Classroom #1 —Lyn Shiffer Adult—Pastor's Office —Doug Cross

#### SERMON NOTES "Nearer Than When We First Believed"

# SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS BELIEVE:

As a people we hold the Bible in supreme regard as the revealer of God's truth to guide us to salvation. Our love and devotion is rooted supremely in Christ who we worship as our Savior, Creator, Lord and King.

We believe that forgiveness, healing and eternal life are offered freely to all on the basis of what Jesus has already accomplished for us at the cross, and continues to do as He ministers on our behalf in the heavenly sanctuary above. God's mercy and grace are infinite and are received by faith, to prepare a people for Jesus' second coming.

The "New Covenant" provides not only forgiveness for sin, but also God's promise to write His law on our hearts so that our greatest joy will be to do His will. We keep His commandments, not in order to be saved, but because He has already encircled us in His saving arms. His law includes also the fourth commandment Sabbath which invites us to spend a special time of fellowship with God on the seventh day.

We feel compelled as a people to share with a perishing world these messages of God's love in the context of God's final judgment-hour message in Revelation 14. Because of our devotion to Christ we joyfully look forward to His soon return in the clouds of heaven when we shall see our Savior face to face.

Today	All-Church Potluck hosted by Escobar's
Sermon	Pastor Charles Shultz
Elder	Cheri Hoie
Deacon In Charge	Dale Hoie
Greeters	Tabitha Dillon & Teri Knighten
Next Week	Picnic In the Basement
Sermon	Voice of Prophecy
Elder	Todd Rigby
Deacon In Charge	Mike Runyan
Greeters	Mary Kirk, Linda Merritt & Charlotte White

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"For nations shall rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom: and there shall be famines, and pestilences, and earthquakes in divers places." Matthew 24:7 KJV

OUR MISSION IS TO BE A CHRIST-CENTERED, SPIRIT-FILLED CHURCH THAT DEMONSTRATES THE POWER OF GRACE AND INTENTIONALLY SHARES THE GOOD NEWS OF CHRIST'S SOON RETURN.

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