#### **OFFERING THIS WEEK is for the Local Church Budget**

I remember it like it was yesterday. I got a call from a close friend saying that they had gotten an incredible job in an incredible city that would be their dream come true. I celebrated with my friend, while also feeling the sting of pain from my own disappointment from recently being rejected from yet another job for which I was qualified, yet was not found worthy to possess.

Disappointment and rejection can be hard things to deal with. One thing that God taught me and my family during that season of our lives was that though it may not be "my turn" for the blessing of my dream job, it is always "my turn" to serve God and those around me by doing my best, no matter what position I'm in.

One thing that has blessed me and many others during tough times is the support local churches offer to those who are struggling just to make it. I've been in small group Bible study where other members prayed for me and supported me in many ways, both with physical needs and spiritual. Today's offering will go to support our local church budget, which supports ministries that are the heartbeat of our church all week long, not just on Sabbath. "The Lord Jesus himself said: It is more blessed to give than to receive" (Acts 20:35, NIV).

By Heather Thompson Day

Church Budget Report						
2024	Feb	Feb		YTD	YTD	
Red Deer SDA Church	Actual	Budget	Variance	Actual	Budget	Variance
Offerings	6,122	14,882	(8,759)	16,988	29,763	(12,775)
Expenses	16,031	14,882	(1,149)	28,866	29,763	897

#### WELCOME

Grace and peace to you. This was the Apostle Paul's traditional greeting to the churches in God's Kingdom community—God's family of grace and peace. Family relationships are important to God and they're important to us too! We hope and pray that you find grace and peace and family here in our Kingdom community. Please take some time to check out our programs, church school, or a sermon or two. We hope you'll come back frequently, and we pray that God will richly bless you as you seek to know Him and grow in grace.

#### PASTORAL TEAM

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#### **WEEKLY SABBATH SCHOOL**

Sabbath Breakfast Small Fellowship Hall9:00 - 9:25AM
9:30 AM - 10:45 AM
Adult Class (1) Main Sanctuary
Adult Class (2)
Adult Class (3)Board Room
Adult Class (4) (Tagalog) Small Fellowship Hall
Children's Beginner
Children's KindergartenAges 4-5/Pre-K & K
Children's PrimaryAges 6-9/Grades 1-4
Children's JuniorAges 10-12/Grades 5-7
Youth
Clerk
Prayer MinistryRohini Velpula 403-598-4697 & Afua Duodu 403-383-4168
Treasurer
SecretaryLeanne Marcinyk
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#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Next Week	Local Church Budget
Next Communion Service	-
Bulletin Info	.communications@reddeeradventist.ca
SOUTH SIDE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL	Kindergarten-Grade 9
Principal	
PrincipalPhone	Martha Boehner
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## March 30, 2024

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## SABBATH SCHOOL & LESSON STUDY 09:30 AM - 10:45 AM

## WORSHIP SERVICE 11:00 AM

PreludeAll Hail The Power of Jesus Name Ingrid Anderson
Welcome / Kingdom BuildingNanette Quines
Prayer
Tithes & OfferingsWalter Amaya
OffertoryBecause Red Deer Church Kids Choir
Children's StoryWanda Pelletier
Praise and Worship
Special Music Broken And Spilled Out Hanneli Agudo

Pianist: Ingrid Anderson Bass Guitar: Jelome Barcelo

Violinists: Lucia Polishuk and Krystyna Sprado Praise Team: Red Deer Gospel Chorale Elder of the Month: Dr. Clifford Tym

Vocals: Pride, Joshua, Elizabeth, Ruby, Vineeta

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

www.reddeeradventist.ca/news

Join our Prayer Meetings & Kids Prayer Time every Wednesday @ 7:00PM. Kids Prayer Time will resume at the same time.

You can join in and participate in a lesson study on zoom at 9:30am. Use this link to join in and take part: albertaadventist-ca.zoom.us. Meeting ID: 937 9526 4185 ----------- Passcode: Lesson

Our church services are now streamed live on YouTube. You can find our YouTube channel by search for "Red Deer Seventh-day Adventist Church." You can find YouTube on any browser by typing www.youtube.com, or by using the app on any device or smart tv. Please subscribe and you will be notified of future events and videos.

**Bookings:** For any booking inquiry of church facilities, please email info@reddeeradventist.ca

NOTE: Our responsibility for the Soup Kitchen is on the 4th Sabbath of each month from 3:00PM until 6:00PM... and the following Thursday 3:00PM to 6:00PM.

### Prayer-line switched to Zoom.

All are welcome to join every Friday at 8:30PM.

Zoom meeting ID is: 6484263456 Password: 987654

# Membership Transfers:

\*Wolfgang Hoffman from Red Deer SDA to Wetaskiwin SDA Church \*Miora Evelyne Razafiarivony from Advent Hope Community Church Kenya, to Red Deer SDA Church

\*Areli Trejo from Unity SDA Church Athens to Red Deer SDA Church

Please save the date and plan to join us on April 13, 2024, for our International Sabbath at Red Deer Church! Many of our representing nations will have a role to play in the service (coordinated through our multi-talented, multicultural worship leaders!), and we invite you to attend wearing cultural dress. Please also plan to bring a dish (or two!) representing your cultural flavours and stay for the feast of nations potluck following our worship service. To allow for a longer, richer program, we will begin church at 10:30am on April 13. Hope to see you there!

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## **Psalms**

Direction to Study Several Psalms—How terrible it is when the acknowledgment of God is not made when it should be made! How sad to humble one's self when it is too late! Why, O why, do not men heed the invitation? The psalmist said, "When thou saidst, Seek ye my face, my heart said unto thee, Thy face, Lord, will I seek" [Psalm 27:8]. The whole of this psalm is excellent, and should be placed in the reading and spelling lessons of the classes. The twenty-eighth, twenty-ninth, and seventyeighth psalms tell of the rich blessings bestowed by God upon His people, and of their poor returns for all His benefits. The eighty-first psalm explains why Israel was scattered. They forgot God, as the churches in our land are forgetting Him today. Read the eighty-ninth, ninetieth, ninety-first, ninetysecond, and ninety-third psalms. My attention has been called to these matters. Shall we not consider the Word of the Lord? These things were written for our admonition, upon whom the ends of the world are come, and should they not be the objects of study in our schools? The Word of God contains instructive lessons, given in reproof, in warning, in encouragement, and in rich promises. Would not such food as this be meat in due season to the youth (Manuscript 96, 1899)?

