# Our Church is Made Up of Distinctive, Meaningful Elements.

The small circles which make up the arrows below represent the wide and rich diversity of people who make up our church family. People from the many nations and languages of our world. People of all shapes and sizes and ages, colors and cultures, educational and employment experiences, and religious backgrounds.

The circles form arrows: one coming down from the upper left, one moving up from the lower right, one pressing to the center from the lower left, and one moving from the center to the upper right. Each arrow represents one of the four spiritual dynamics to which we have committed ourselves:

The **GRACE ARROW** (the gold arrow coming from above) represents **GRACE** - the everlasting gospel, the good news of God's unconditional love toward fallen humanity. **GRACE** freely gives salvation to us and unambiguously demonstrates the Divine, unconquerable love through the gift of Jesus. For our congregation this dynamic reminds us of our commitment to resource the establishment of **GRACE** as the preeminent ethos, the characteristic spirit of the Winnemucca Seventh-day Adventist Church, and to manifest **GRACE** at the center of all we are, all we do, and all we believe.

The **WORSHIP ARROW** (moving upward toward the Grace Arrow) depicts the spiritual perspective that everything we do in this life can be a **HEARTFELT RESPONSE** to God's gift of grace to us. It reminds every member and all our church leaders that in our planning and in the performance of our ministries to each other we will do all within our power to **SUPPORT** and **ENCOURAGE** a comprehensive response to God's grace, a life of praise.

Look at the **CENTRAL SPACE** in between all the arrows and you'll see the cross, the unmistakable symbol that for two thousand years now has reminded Christians of our firm foundation in Jesus. **BEING CHRIST-CENTERED IS THE WINNEMUCCA GOAL**. Jesus is for us "the great truth around which all other truths cluster." We strive to focus every study, every sermon, every worship experience, every act of service on our Savior.

The **COMMUNITY ARROW** (moving from the lower left of the logo to the center) illustrates our church family growing together in grace. In large worship experiences and small study groups, our **COMMUNITY** nourishes, educates, and challenges us, attempting to provide every possible spiritual advantage. Maintained by the generous giving of its members, the church establishes a **SAFE** place to ask questions, provides opportunities to utilize our spiritual gifts, and encourages us to seek God's face wherever we can find Him.

The **SERVICE ARROW** (moving from the center out toward others) reminds us that a life of faith also embraces **SHARING** the treasures that so enrich our lives. The places we live, go to school, work, and shop, are filled with people just like us; people with needs. So we search for ways to meet those needs, finding in such acts of **SERVICE** joy in our own lives, and opportunities to reveal the gracious, caring character of the God we worship.



Our Winnemucca
Seventh-day Adventist Church Mission
is to be Christ-centered...

a **SAFE** place where all receive God's **GRACE**; **WORSHIP** together as community in common union with God and each other, grounded in Spirit and Truth; and thus transformed,

go forth in **SERVICE** to our **COMMUNITY**, neighbors and friends.



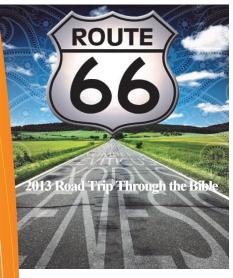
# Winnemucca Seventh-day Adventist Church

Winnemucca, Nevada



Focused on Jesus, We Witness to Our World

2011 - 2013 Ministry Summary of the Winnemucca Seventh-day Adventist Church



#### 2011-2013 WORSHIP SERIES

- COME MEET JESUS
- WE ARE CHURCH
- THE TREASURE PRINCIPLE
- WHAT'S THE USE OF THE BIBLE?
- WHAT'S THE USE OF THE SPIRIT OF PROPHECY?
- WHAT'S THE USE OF BEING AN ADVENTIST?
- FRIENDS WITH GOD
- THE CHURCH AT CORINTH (JUST OVER THE HILL FROM WINNMEUCCA)
- SONGS OF CHRISTMAS
- THE ADVENT
- MEET ME ON ROUTE 66

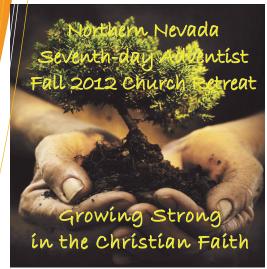
#### 2011-2013 VESPERS / PRAYER MEETINGS

MATTHEW, JOHN, ACTS - THE VISUAL BIBLE

- THE GREAT CONTROVERSY
- THE TABERNACLE/THE TEMPLE/HEAVENLY SANCTUARY
- 7TH-DAY ADVENTIST 28 FUNDEMENTAL BELIEFS
- THE GREAT CONTROVERSY COUNTDOWN

#### 2011-2013 CHURCH RETREATS

- "COME MEET JESUS" PASTOR ROB
- "ROOTED IN ADVENTISM" PASTOR ROB
- "LIVING FREE INDEED" PASTOR RON WOOLSEY
- "GROWING STRONG IN THE CHRISTIAN FAITH" -DR. MAURY JACKSON
- "THE MIND OF CHRIST" PASTOR SAM ALEXANDER



# IN REACH

# CONNECTING WITH OUR COMMUNITY OF FAITH.

#### **WORTHY STUDENT / CAMP SCHOLARSHIPS**

Two members of our church family received college scholarships last year. Additionally, we sponsored three young people to the Nevada-Utah Youth Summer Camp.

#### **CHURCH SOCIAL & FELLOWSHIP EVENTS**

Opportunities for fellowship included: Thanksgiving Banquets, Game Nights, Homemade Ice Cream Socials, Mother's / Father's Day celebrations, Talent Shows, Day trips to Lamoille, and Church Campouts. We also conduct an annual Volunteer Appreciation Sabbath.

#### **BENEVOLENT FUND**

This special "Help Our Own Family" Ministry has helped provide funds for Life-Line assistance, utilities grants, transportation, new work uniforms, and baby showers.

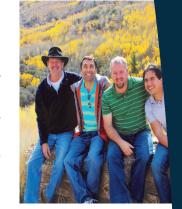
#### **FURNITURE and NEW EQUIPMENT**

This fund helped to purchase a new office printer and telephone system, plus security lighting and new fire extinguishers.



### COMMUNICATIONS

Several new projects to help bring together our church family include: a new church website; a weekly From the Pastor's Heart blood newsletter; a bigger, re-designed weekly Church Bulletin: Winning Winnemucca - our monthly Church Newsletter; weekly CONNECT Cards - used to track attendance, guests, and to provide opportunities to respond to sermon messages; monthly Message



Forums - the opportunity to review the prior month's sermon messages in greater depth and We're Here to Serve, Ask the Pastor Suggestion Box and Prayer Request pew cards.

#### SABBATH SCHOOL / YOUTH MINISTRIES

New Sabbath School ministries include a "New Believer's Class" led by Pastor Rob and a new Young Adults /Youth Class adventure. Our Adult Sabbath School adopted a sister church in Bourke, Australia for one guarter and helped finance two ADRA projects in Africa. Several Youth Rally's were planned including trips to Reno, Ontario, California and Las Vegas.

# **INVESTMENTS** INVESTING IN OUR FUTURE.

### **PARKING LOT**

After 16 years of special offerings, the long-awaited dream of replacing the dusty/muddy dirt patch became a reality this summer. Additional support structures include a 175' retaining wall, parking lot lighting, a community garden, a new front sign, new sidewalks and new trees and landscaping.

#### **SANCTUARY RENOVATION**

Supported by both our weekly "Lamb's Offering" and a portion of our Church Family Combined Budget, several new projects to enhance our worship experience have begun. Two large ceiling fans now provide better, efficient cooling and heating. A 8' projector screen was resurrected from storage and installed in the sanctuary. Two wireless hand-held microphones and two wireless headsets enable freedom and better sound. The stainedglass window received a tint covering which has replaced sunlight flooding worshiper's eyes. A small video projector is now providing weekly video and PowerPoint presentations. Seven 8" Prayer Scrolls - each holding scores of individual member prayer cards - line the back of the sanctuary. Multiple themed banners help accentuate the worship experience.



#### KKTT-LP 97.9 RADIO MINISTRY

Several new pieces of necessary equipment have been introduced this year: our 10-year old computer was replaced with modern programming; a new Emergency Alert System has been installed; and a consultant/ technician repaired and updated operating equipment.

# **FELLOWSHIP HALL**

Our well-used Fellowship Hall received a facelift. 18 new custom faux window blinds help facilitate afternoon and evening seminars. A new 6' electric projector screen and video projector enable the room to be used for more than fellowship dinners. New plastic tables and chairs arrive later this summer

# **RESTROOMS**

Our Ladies Restroom received a new makeover. We replaced the old green linoleum with a new tiled floor and installed new fixtures, a new bathroom partition, and infant changing station.

## **NEW PROPERTY / OFFICE-CLASSROOM**

We have started a NEW PROPERTY fund for future purchase consideration of the lot behind our property. Plans also include a new Office/Classroom/Library.

# COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAMS



# **FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY**

March - May, 2012

Over 35 community and church members registered for this 13-week financial education seminar. Plans for another seminar series are planned for Fall 2013.

# Live Well Winnemucca



### LIVE WELL WINNEMUCCA

**April - May, 2013** 

Four week wellness program featuring movie Forks Over Knives and including professional presentations on diabetes, exercise, diet, healthful cooking, and mental health. Free samples and door prizes including DVD's, books, and a grand prize Vita Mix for perfect attendance.





# **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** / FLAG CAMP [Fun Learning About God]

August 7 - August 20, 2013

Vacation Bible School and Community Day Camp Program. Assisted by four LSU and PUC student missionaries. Designed for 50 community young people.





# September 2013

Two small group outreach programs designed for our computer illiterate community. Using donated computer hardware from Adventist Health. Students receive free computer and monitor after attending four learning sessions.

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SOUP KITCHEN

### **KKTT-LP 97.9 RADIO MINISTRY**

Ongoing Church operated Christian radio ministry for the Winnemucca community.

## **SOUP KITCHEN MINISTRY**

Quarterly meal ministry feeding 50 homeless families and individuals