

WSDA Church Newsletter

WITNESSING WITH POWER

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What was the result of the outpouring of the Spirit? Thousands were converted in a day. The sword of the Spirit newly edged with power and bathed in the lightning of heaven, cut its way through unbelief, overcoming Satanic agencies and magnifying the Lord as possessing supreme power.

Everywhere the gospel was proclaimed. Those who proclaimed it had no grievous complaints to make. The hearts of the disciples were surcharged with a benevolence so full, so deep, so far reaching, that it impelled them to go to the ends of the earth, testifying, God forbid that we should glory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ. As they proclaimed the gospel as the power of God unto salvation, hearts yielded to the power of the Holy Spirit.

New territory was daily added to the church. In every place converts confessed Christ. Those who had been the bitterest opponents of the truth became her champions...

The disciples...were weighted with the burden for the salvation of souls. The gospel was to be carried to the uttermost parts of the earth, and they claimed the endowment of the power that Christ had promised. Then it was that the Holy Spirit was poured out, and thousands were converted in a day.

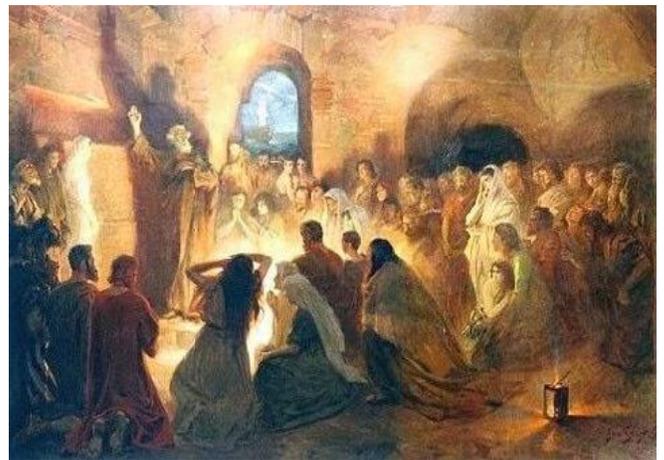
So may it be now. Instead of man's speculations, let the Word of God be preached. Let Christians put away their dissensions and give themselves to God for the saving of the lost. Let them ask in faith for the blessing, and it will come.

Zeal for God moved the disciples to bear witness to the truth with mighty power. Should not this zeal fire our hearts with a determination to tell the story of redeeming love, of Christ, and Him crucified?

With great power gave the apostles witness of the resurrection of the Lord Jesus: and great grace was upon them all. (Acts 4:33)

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THE PRAYER CORNER

“Sharing the Christ that Listens,



Showing God's Solutions”

Pinsan Mao (Queens Park Care Centre – post-surgery rehabilitation)

Alex (health, loss of his sight in one eye)

Rebecca – 15 years old (post-surgery recovery /health)

Stonebell (birth complications surgery)

Taurai – Regina's husband (emergency surgery)

Ps Watson's family (mourning loss of his mother)

Jayvon's mother (health issues)

John (stroke with permanent damage)

Marjorie Smith & her family (health / loss of her brother)

Basaraba Family (health)

Nobert Sithole (health)

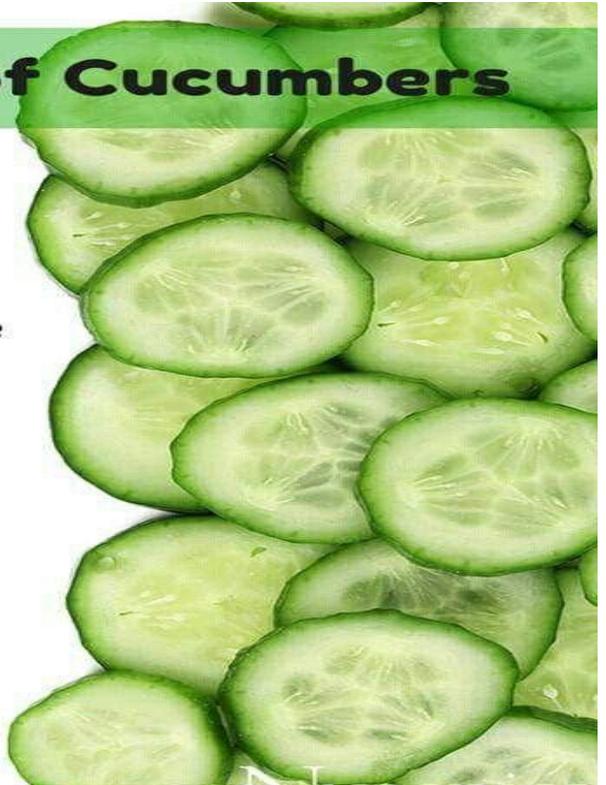
Shannon (health)

Ben Lewis (health)

Amazing Health Facts!

Health Benefits of Cucumbers

- Hydrating - 95% Water
- Aids Digestion
- Flushes out Toxins
- Reduces Cholesterol
- Regulates Body Temperature
- Promotes Hair Growth
- Regulate Blood Alkalinity
- Promotes Joint Health
- Relieves Sunburns
- Soothes Muscle Pain
- Heals Diseased Gums
- Builds Connective Tissues
- Regulate Blood Pressure
- Rich in Vitamin A, B1, B6, C & D, Folate, Calcium, Magnesium, and Potassium



Ways To Enjoy Cucumber



Salads



Smoothies



Soup



Roll ups



Dips



Ice pops



Dressings



Sushi



Pickled



Raw



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RESOURCES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHURCH AT HOME – Every Saturday at 10:00 am Sabbath School class begins, and at 11:00 am, Live streamed, Praise & Worship/ Main service. Also, the Bible study is at 2:00 pm (Revelation series). Please refer to the links on the church website to join these programs at www.westminstersda.org

Speaker this Sabbath is Ps Alrick Watson, from New Life & Westminster church. *We wish to welcome back Ps Alrick from his bereavement leave due to the passing away of his dear Mother. The church continues to pray for our Pastoral family.*

SPEAKER NEXT WEEK: Jay Cameron (Religious Liberty Lawyer from Alberta). As part of our Religious Liberty Sabbath on Mar 6, we have invited Jay Cameron who has worked with the BC Conference on Religious Liberty issues. Jay also appeared on the Linda Steel show on AM980 last week discussing the impact of the COVID provincial restrictions on churches and travel. He will be presenting live from Alberta via Zoom.

INCOME TAX RECEIPTS - Our Treasurer, Seth Adjei is about to mail out our income tax receipts. Please send in any changes to your address made since September 2020, to the church clerk email valo45@outlook.com or PO Box 51000, RPO Crest Center, Burnaby, BC, V3N 5B9, ASAP. Thank you and keep safe!

CHILD DEDICATION - Elias and Netsanet will be dedicating their baby girl Miila this Sabbath, February 27. Congratulations to the parents to the new addition to their family. God bless your little child!

COMMUNION ON MARCH 27 - We will begin the process of handing out the communion kits in the next two weeks, please stay tuned for more details.

PASTORAL SURVEY – We would like to invite our church members to complete the Pastoral Survey which will be posted on the church website www.westminstersda.org. Please note that the Church Board will be meeting with the BC Conference on the weekend of March 13 to discuss the visioning of a new senior pastor for our church. Therefore, we ask to please complete the survey before that time in order to provide the board with the proper insights the congregation wishes to express to the Conference. Thanking you in advance.

PRAYER MEETINGS – Please join us for our prayer meetings every Tuesdays and Fridays from 7-8 pm.

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/97305845601?pwd=YUFUUEFCbUVDa1JSSVJvbkF5RDcyQT09>

Meeting ID: 973 0584 5601 / Passcode: 824793

BAPTISMAL CLASS FOR YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS – Every Monday at 6:00 pm, Virtual Baptismal class for youth and young adults. If interested, please contact Pastor Alrick Watson at 778-961-0166 (cell) or email him at awatson@bcadventist.ca

BREAD MINISTRY – The Bread ministry will be distributing bread this Saturday, February 27th (12:30 - 3:00 pm) in the church parking lot.

FAMILY LIFE – Is inviting to join the upcoming discussion panel “**Real Talk about Manhood**”. Please see the detailed information on the flyer below.

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FEB 27 2021

REAL TALK
about
MANHOOD

Guests:

Dr. Alfred Williams Elder Nick DiTomaso Mr. B. Emmons

Host:
Ps. Moses Haynes IV

MEN'S
DISCUSSION PANEL
4PM PT / 5PM MT / 7PM ET

ZOOM MEETING ID: 340 446 0710
www.westminstersda.org

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CAMP HOPE FUNDRAISER FOR NEW CARPET IN LODGE

Greetings Friends, We are still here. We are still busy (with maintenance and new bathroom building). We also have a fundraiser for new carpet on the upper floor of the lodge. We have \$18,000 in hand. We have \$15,000 pledged. **We need \$33,000** to reach our goal of \$65,000. **Please help us with this project. Contact Bill Gerber** at bgerber@bcadventist.ca or give online at [bcadventist.ca](https://www.bcadventist.ca), or give through your local church with a marked tithe envelope. Thank you. Hope to see you soon!

Mountain View Summer Camp Staff 2021 – JOB OPPORTUNITY: Camp Staff positions are available for the 2021 Camp Program. If you are age 18 – 28, have a desire to provide an extraordinarily fun summer camp experience for children and their families then we invite you to apply at <https://www.bcadventist.ca/departments/youth/>. A Criminal Record Check and First Aid/CPR is a requirement for all staff positions. (COVID19 restrictions and guidelines must be followed at all times.) As a summer camp staff, you will work as a team with others, provide a safe, fun, God loving, youth friendly environment and an experience that will be remembered for a lifetime. If you have any questions please feel free to call our camp director, Brian Wahl at 604.308.5627.



Deer Lake School is presently seeking a full-time

Senior Accountant. This individual provides financial direction to the school, participating in full-cycle accounting procedures, supervising a junior accountant, and creating expert reports for various school stakeholders including the staff, parents, school board, constituent churches and the BC Conference. Applicants should have an accounting, finance or business degree or an appropriate combination of education and experience. This is a permanent, full-time position, with benefits. Please visit deerlakeschool.ca for a full job description and details on how to apply.

ADRA Canada has an opening for a Gender Equality Advisor – ADRA Canada is looking for a Gender Equality Advisor. The successful candidate will primarily be responsible for conducting gender analyses, gender equality training and capacity building for both emergency and development overseas programming. Interested parties are encouraged to submit applications to stayintouch@adra.ca by February 28, 2021. We thank all candidates, but only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

