

# Sabbath Schools

9:30—10:30 AM

**Sanctuary:** Jim Davidson/Virginia Davidson  
**Fellowship Hall:** Collegiate Class, Kent & Cheryl Jones  
**Fellowship Hall:** SE corner, Travis Sammons Class  
**Fellowship Hall:** NE corner, Juan Palacios Spanish Class  
**Library:** Ron & Sue Eastman Class  
**Something Else Bible Fellowship** Room 2  
**20-40 Something Class** Room 1  
**Youth:** Grades 9 - 12 Room 5  
**Juniors/Earliteen:** Ages 10 - 14 Room 3  
**Primary:** Ages 7 - 10 Room 7  
**Kindergarten:** Ages 4 - 7 Room 6  
**Beginners:** Ages 0 - 4 Room 4

## Ministry Team

**Pastor** Teddy Shupe

### Associates in Pastoral Care

Bill Skidmore, Lead Elder; Travis Barker, Nathan Cutler,  
Dan Frickle, Wanda Kirchmeier, Baylen Kreiter, Lola  
Lile, Scott Rivas, Sarah Thomas, Matt Thomas

### Church Staff

Administrative Assistant Wanda Kirchmeier  
Custodian Travis Sammons

### SVAS School

Principal Darla Shupe  
School Board Chairman Baylen Kreiter

### Additional Personnel

Church Clerk Wanda Kirchmeier  
Church Treasurer Ed Wines  
Head Deacon Gregg Speers  
Lead Deacon for September Travis Sammons

# Welcome!



## Knowing and Reflecting Jesus!

September 23, 2023 - 10:45 AM

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| Prelude   | Matthew Thomas                                 |
| Welcome   | Teddy Shupe                                    |
| Joy of Giving                                     | Travis Barker                                  |
|   | <i>KEEP Scholarships</i>                       |
| Children's Feature                                | Rebecca Cutler                                 |
| Teacher Dedication                                |  |
| Songs of Praise                                   | Janice Renck                                   |
| Praying Together                                  | Lola Lile                                      |
| Scripture Reading                                 | Trevor Rivas                                   |
|   | <i>Ephesians 5:15-16</i>                       |
| Message from the Word                             | Dr. Lynelle Ellis                              |
| The Power of Media: Healthy Choices for Families! | "Influence and Affects - the Good and the Bad" |

### Contact Information

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## ~ Announcements & Events ~

### Welcome To Our Worship Service!

**Today:** "The Power of Media: Healthy Choices for Families" by Lynelle Ellis, Ph.D., to help families navigate and make good choices about today's media!  
The schedule today is:

10:45 AM: Influence & Affects – the Good and the Bad

12:30 PM: Fellowship Meal

2:00 PM: Media and Social Life – being intentional with our choices

3:15 PM: Our Church and the Movies – what we thought then, what we think now

A short Q/A will happen at the end of each afternoon session!

**Sept. 15-24 Vertical: 24-10 Prayer Experience** - Plan now to enjoy this grass roots prayer initiative adopted by the UCC leadership: *Praying Together 24 hours a day for 10 days for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit.*

**Spokane Valley Adventist School** is teaming up with Noodle Express (707 N Sullivan) on Sept. 26, 2023 from 11 AM-9 PM. As you enjoy lunch/dinner, 20% of all purchases will support our school. BE SURE to bring a flyer (print or digital) and show it at time of purchase! Offer valid for dine in, take out or phone orders.

**Ladies, Please Join Us on Sunday Oct. 1 at 1:00 PM** (in the Youth Sabbath School room) for Sara Lasu's baby shower, whose baby is due to arrive on Nov 7! Sara has created a baby wish list on Amazon:

[https://www.amazon.com/baby-reg/sara-saunderslasu-november-2023-spokane/338RBPONOPLSR?ref=cm\\_sw\\_r\\_apann\\_dp\\_2DAJ1P43C34C7469M0TF](https://www.amazon.com/baby-reg/sara-saunderslasu-november-2023-spokane/338RBPONOPLSR?ref=cm_sw_r_apann_dp_2DAJ1P43C34C7469M0TF)

**Oct. 1 – Dinosaur Encounter, 6:30 PM!** Rich Aguilera will be presenting an exciting, Bible-based 75 minute dinosaur stage show for the whole family! This free event for kids and families is an excellent, faith-building, interactive, 3-D presentation for all ages to enjoy it! RSVP at [www.dinoencounter.com/spokane](http://www.dinoencounter.com/spokane)

**Early Bird Registration Open for UCC Women's & Young Women's Fall Weekend Retreat "Encounters with Jesus" at Camp MiVoden, October 27-29!**

Register at [uccsda.org/womensretreat](http://uccsda.org/womensretreat) to join us and our keynote speaker, Lindsey Haffner, for a spiritually enriching weekend in fellowship, praise & music, good food and fun on the beautiful shores of Camp MiVoden!

**First Reading:** Home & School Leader, Hilary Stowe; SS For Moms Teacher, Heidi Jones; Wedding Host, Julia Dewey.

## Week at a Glance

**Today** - Dr. Lynelle Ellis: Navigating Visual Media  
- All Church Potluck, 12:30 PM  
- Enjoying the Sabbath until 6:50 PM  
**Sept. 24** - UCC Constituency Meeting, 9:30-4:00 PM  
- Tech Tutoring, 11:00 AM  
**Sept. 26** - SVAS Noodle Express Fundraiser  
**Sept. 27** - Pathfinders, 6:00 PM  
**Sept. 28** - Prayer Gathering

## Looking Ahead

**Oct. 1** - Sara Lasu Baby Shower, 1:00 PM  
- Dinosaur Encounter RSVP Only, 6:30 PM  
**Oct. 7** - Potluck, 12:30 PM, Adventurers, 3:00 PM

## Financial Information

### Monthly Church Budget Needs—\$22,176

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|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Amount behind YTD through August  | \$10,014 |
| Received by September 16          | \$7,832  |
| Amount still needed for September | \$14,344 |



This QR code is linked to SVAC

## Did you know?

Our Spokane Valley Adventist School (SVAS) enjoyed Pastor Lee & Marji Venden as Week of Prayer speakers during their recent evangelistic series! Each morning during that week, after a rousing song service, the Vendens shared Jesus in attractive, fun, interactive ways. We are so grateful that our students were able to experience such wonderful encouragement to know and follow Jesus!!  
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## Prayer Concerns

- ◆ Linda Eastman—healing
- ◆ Sue Eastman—healing
- ◆ Chelle Martin—healing
- ◆ Conrad & Marilee Thomas—healing
- ◆ Freda Willoughby—healing
- ◆ Leif Sammons—healing

