

**Welcome to Nanaimo  
Seventh-day Adventist Church**

**Pastor Robert Rud**  
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*We are glad that you decided to join us for Bible Study and Worship today. We believe that there is nothing more worthwhile than coming together to worship and to learn more about our gracious God whom we love because He first loved us. He proved it by sending Jesus Christ as the perfect revelation of His trustworthiness. We trust God to completely heal us from the ravages of sin and we await His soon return; His second advent, that we might be with Him forever. In the meantime, we seek to live by sharing His love with one another and with our community. We seek to become a united family composed of men, women and children from every nation, kindred, tribe, tongue and people. We pray that, as you experience the love of God among us, you too will choose to be a part of His temple, His body, His family*

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The sermon, bulletin and calendar of church events are posted to the website each week.

Seventh-day Adventist publications:

Messenger: [www.adventistmessenger.ca](http://www.adventistmessenger.ca)

Adventist World: [www.adventistworld.org](http://www.adventistworld.org)

Online Magazine: [www.issuu.com/adventistworldmagazine](http://www.issuu.com/adventistworldmagazine)

**On Duty Today**

Platform Chair – Stu Wood

Greeter – Sigrid Bruk & Cody Robertson

Deaconess –

**Church Elders**

Donald Anderson 250-466-4086

Michael Anderson: 204-250-2011

Will Diorec – 250-329-8021

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**REACH**  
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R - Revival and Transformation  
E - Education for Discipleship  
A - Alignment within the Church  
C - Community Outreach & Evangelism  
H - Healthy Leadership

**Prayer Requests**

Please let us know your prayer requests, you can put a prayer request in the offering as it is being collected or you may call your requests in to **Peggy Elliott at 250-753-3917**

**Treasurer's Corner**

Budgetary requirements for January 1 – August 31

**Required - \$40,676.64**

**Received - \$38,873.72**

**Deficit - \$1,792.92**

**Next week's offering: World Budget (GC)**

If you do not specify on the offering envelope where your donation is intended to go, your offering will go to the designated program of the week. Please contact Jean Shorthouse with any questions about the church finances.

The Mother's Room/Nursery is reserved for parents with small children. Please respect the need for privacy and quiet in this room & the attached bathroom.

Any announcements, including information for the pastor, the platform chair or the AV team must be submitted to the Platform Chair by 6:00pm Thursday.

**Bulletin Information** - Please have all bulletin announcements in **by 6pm Wednesday**.

**Bulletin announcement email address:**  
[nanaimochurchbulletin@gmail.com](mailto:nanaimochurchbulletin@gmail.com)

**Nanaimo  
Seventh-day Adventist Church  
Welcomes You**

**Sabbath September 4, 2021**



**Our Mission:**  
**To reach Nanaimo & surrounding  
communities with the Christ centered  
message of hope & wholeness**

## The Church at Study

9:30 – 10:35

Welcome  
Praise and Sharing  
Lesson 9 – The Rhythms of Rest

## Church Family Gathering

Welcome  
Announcements  
Church Family Time

## Our Church at Worship

**Song of Invocation**  
“Oh, The Glory of Your Presence”

**Worship Scripture**  
Psalms 105: 1-4

### Songs of Praise and Worship

**Garden of Prayer**

**Offering**  
Local Church Budget

**Scripture Reading**  
John 7: 45-48

**Sermon – Bill Moore**  
“I Think, There for I Am”

**Closing Song**  
“O, Let Me Walk With Thee O Lord”

**“Benediction**

**Song of Benediction**  
“Our Prayer”

## Church Family

**Time for Prayer:** Every week the church prays for 4 families during the Garden of Prayer. This week we will pray for Ellen Hank, Beulah Harriott, Darren, Adeline Hill & family, Rudy Hoedel & Kathleen Patterson, Innocent Iradukunda. Please remember these families in your prayers during the coming week.

**TODAY** - Bowen Park (near the volleyball court) for a picnic at 1:00 pm following the service today. Please bring your lunch and a chair. Everyone is welcome

**Fellowship Dinner Returns Next Week** — September 11, 2021

We will start with a Mexican theme. Some suggestions would be chilli, taco salad, tortilla chips and salsa, cornbread, olives, cherry tomatoes, and fresh corn (prepared with all leaves removed). A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the foyer.

We also need volunteers for kitchen teams! Please sign up today! Questions? Speak to Barb Ross or call 250-585-8624.

**Next Fellowship Dinner** — September 25, 2021

**To enhance everyone's worship experience 2021 Annual YOUTH**

**RETREAT November 10 – 14, 2021:** The BC Conference Youth Department invites all YOUTH age 13 years and older to attend the Annual Youth Retreat in November. Please fill out the application form and return it to [sgibbons@bcadventist.ca](mailto:sgibbons@bcadventist.ca) by October 28, 2021 to qualify for the EARLY BIRD price of \$120.00. You can invite your friends too!!, just forward the form to them and they can send their form in by the deadline. Late applications are accepted from October 29 until November 8 at the cost of \$174.00. You can also register on Wednesday, November 10 – just bring your form with you (do not mail or email) and your payment of \$174.00 (Visa/MC or Cash). More information will be shared in the next few weeks through your Church Bulletins. \*Virtual Youth Retreat: In the event that restrictions prevent us from meeting in person, there will be another Virtual Youth Retreat. In order to send you the Link(s) for a Virtual Retreat, you must have the ONLINE WAIVER completed prior to November 8.

\*\*If you wish to apply as an Adult Leader, please fill out the top portion of the form with you name, phone number etc. You do not need to fill out the financial part if you are approved by Brian Wahl. and to show reverence, please turn cell phones to silent, and refrain from casual conversations while inside the Sanctuary.

**Men's Clothing Giveaway** - Do you know someone who wears dress shirts (15 1/2/ 34), casual pants (34/32), polo shirts (medium), pullover sweaters (medium), and shoes? Please drop into the church library today after the service to see these items.

Questions? Speak to Barb Ross or Laverne Miller.

**2021 WOMEN'S MINISTRIES VIRTUAL FALL RETREAT:** The BC Conference Women's Ministries is excited to announce the Virtual Fall Retreat on October 1 & 2, 2021, with Kandus Thorp as the speaker. (See her bio on the website.) Topics include Revelation: The Invitation - Jesus: Who He is, how He identifies with us and His invitation to us; Revelation: The Two Witnesses - Jesus: Characteristics of the overcomer; Spirit and power for living in crisis; Revelation: The Message - Jesus: Freedom in Truth defies counterfeit messaging; and Revelation: The Victory - Jesus: The Hero of Eternity.

This will be a free event for all you wonderful ladies! For more Information, visit [www.bcadventist.ca](http://www.bcadventist.ca) If you have any questions, please call Mary at the Conference Office (604-853-5451 ext. 105.)

“ADRA Canada in looking for volunteers to assist in the warehouse management operations being done in Coldstream, BC (close to Merritt), where in-kind donations will be sorted and distributed to the members affected by the recent wildfires which devastated Lytton and surrounding areas. If you can spare some time to volunteer, please contact Tanya at the conference office, [tavelarmartinez@bcadventist.ca](mailto:tavelarmartinez@bcadventist.ca) or by phone, 604-853-5451 x300. “When we give to the poor, we give to the Lord...(Proverbs 19:17)”.

**Church Library** - is open and available to everyone to use, Books and other materials may be checked out by signing out the items using the binder on the counter.

**SUNSET** Tonight: 7:53 Next Week: 7:53