

Clark Fork Seventh-day Adventist Church

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For Today: Listening In The Middle of the Noise

So often, we have decisions to make in our lives. Some are big, some are small. My human tendency is to go ask my family and friends. Sure, I pray about them but it's not the same as what Paul is saying in Galatians 1:15-17. He says that instead of going to share what God was telling him, he went the opposite direction. He went to be alone with God.

God speaks to us all the time, but especially when it's quiet and we are alone with him. We need to be intentional about calming the noise that distracts our hearing and focus on what God could be telling us. Maybe part of this is getting into the habit of blocking out the distractions ourselves so that we are always praying in the midst of the chaos and tuning our ears to the still small voice.

I believe this is a discipline that we, as Christians, in this very chaotic, noisy world need to develop. While we are in the middle of a conversation with someone, pray about what God wants us to say. When the calendar is full and there doesn't seem to be time to breathe, pray about God's plan for our day. When crazy hits the fan and you need wisdom, pray.

But as you are praying, listen. Don't just send the prayer up and proceed on your own. Turn your hearing toward the voice that is speaking to it. Focus on what you know to be true and Christ-driven in your thoughts.

We need to stop thinking Jesus isn't talking to us. We need to stop thinking we can't hear him. If God can speak through death to call Christ to life, he can get through to our dulled brains. However, once you hear, you have to obey. Maybe that's why we don't really want to listen....because we don't really want to do what God is saying in the first place.



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Sabbath, April 23, 2022



Sabbath Worship

Rejoicing in God's Presence, 9:30 a.m.

Sabbath School Superintendent

Adults Sabbath School, Sanctuary, 9:50–10:45 a.m.

Wally Remitz

James Hunt

God's Family in Worship, 10:45 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements, 11:00 a.m.

James Hunt

Preparing our hearts for worship Leaders and congregation kneel in prayer

Opening Hymn, "And Can It Be" Hymn 198

Scripture: Galatians 1:3-5 (see below)

Prayer and Praise

Congregation Hymn *Hear Our Prayer, O Lord, Hear our prayer, O Lord;
Incline Thine ear to us, and grant us Thy peace. Amen.*

Call for Morning Offering: Upper Columbia Conference Advance

Doxology, "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" Hymn 694

Children's Story Pastor Jason Worf

Special Music

Sermon: **Back to Basics: Salvation** Pastor Jason Worf

Ordinance of Humility

Communion

Closing Hymn, "Jesus Paid It All" Hymn 184

Benediction



Grace and peace to you
from God our Father and
the Lord Jesus Christ, who
gave himself for our sins
to rescue us from the
present evil age, according
to the will of our God and
Father, to whom be glory
for ever and ever. Amen.
Galatians 1:3-5

Welcome

We are glad that you came to worship Jesus with us today! Our prayer is that you will experience God's presence and blessing. Please join us for potluck in the Fellowship Hall, following our service. Vegetarian/vegan contributions preferred.

Upcoming Speaker: April 30, Beaver Eller

Announcements

Serpentine Prophecy, Tonight and Tomorrow,
6 to 7 p.m. Church Fellowship Hall.



**UCC Women's & Young Women's Virtual
Spring One-Day Retreat: Sabbath, April 30:**

Virtual Sabbath program to bless, encourage, and inspire. To register for this free event, visit www.uccsda.org/womensretreat. All registrants' names will be put in the drawing basket for book giveaways.

**Update! Bonners Ferry Orchestra Concert has been postponed to Sunday,
May 22 from 3 p.m.:** see Robert Steele for details.

Next Church Board Meeting is Sunday, May 15, from 9 a.m., followed by volunteer painting of the Fellowship Hall. Mark your calendars.

Upper Columbia Conference Camp Meeting 2022, June 16-18: "His Soon Return: Getting Serious About the Second Coming," will be held at Spokane Valley Church. John Bradshaw, president and speaker of It Is Written, and David Jamieson, UCC president, are the main speakers. All programs will be in-person but also will be livestreamed. More info: uccsda.org/campmeeting.

**Today's Scripture comes from
a letter to the Galatians.** Here
is the map showing Galatia:



**Health Tip: Consume sugar in
its natural form.** Whole fruit is

a perfect example of food that contains sugar in its natural form. These types of food tend to be nutrient-dense, high in fiber and low in glycemic load—meaning it won't spike your blood glucose. Be aware that even too much natural sugar consumption can lead to tooth decay, weight gain, and increased triglycerides.

Bible Study from 2 p.m. on Wednesdays in the Fellowship Hall. Come join in the study! We currently are studying Romans.

Prayer Requests: If you have a prayer request, please call Janet Remitz at 406-847-5526.

Clark Fork, sunset tonight: 7:48 p.m.; next Friday night: 7:57 p.m.