

UNIVERSITY CHURCH  
**BULLETIN**  
April 20, 2024

## Blessings

- Welcome** Andreas Beccai and Ashly Barrosso
- Opening Hymn** #462, *Blessed Assurance*
- Prayer of Adoration** Nicole Jackson
- Children's Story** Caleb and Makenna Shirinzadeh
- Baby Dedication** Dylan Mitchell by Andreas Beccai
- Offering** Hope Channel
- Offertory** *Après Un Rêve* Arranger  
- Gabriel Fauré  
Cristina Showalter, Cello  
Brooklyn Gerber, Piano
- Pastoral Prayer** Ashly Barrosso
- Scripture Reading** Genesis 12:1-3  
Emmalyn Logan
- Worship in Song** #334, *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*  
#526, *Because He Lives*
- Sermon** *Blessings*  
Brooklyn Gerber  
Spiritual Vice President, Associated  
Students of Walla Walla University
- Special Music** *Blessings*  
- *Laura Story*  
Maddie Stone, Vocals  
Brooklyn Gerber, Piano
- Benediction** Maddie Stone

Brooklyn Gerber, Pianist  
Camron Bordeaux, Worship Leader

*Hearing devices and children's activity bags  
are available at the lobby desk.*

# Word of Welcome

Welcome to worship at the University Church, where we gather to celebrate the faith, hope, and love that are ours in Jesus Christ.

Whether you are here for the first time or have been a part of our community for years, we're thrilled to have you join us today.

We especially welcome student leaders from the Associated Students of Walla Walla University as they lead us in our service.

May our hearts be open to receive the blessings that await us.

- Andreas Beccai, Lead Pastor



## Family of God

If you have a notice to add, please email [church@wallawalla.edu](mailto:church@wallawalla.edu), call 509-527-2800, or drop a Stay Connected card in the offering.

- Noémi Rhys Hinshaw was born to **Hannah and Aiden Hinshaw** on March 12, making them a family of four! The Hinshaws are grateful for your prayers and support as they adjust.
- A memorial service for **Pam Fisher** will take place Sabbath, April 20, at 1 p.m. at Christ Lutheran Church, 1420 S. Second Street, Walla Walla. All are welcome. Please remember **Wally** (Pam's husband), **Kathy Paddock** (her cousin), and the rest of the family in prayer.
- A memorial service for **Randall Rowland** will be held Sabbath, April 20, at 4 p.m. in Heubach Chapel. Randall died March 7 due to complications following a stroke. Thank you for supporting **Marcia** and the rest of their family during this difficult time.
- **Elliot Graham**, a longtime member of our church and community, died Monday, March 25, in Roseburg, Ore., where his eldest daughter lives. Please keep his wife, **Dorothy**, and the **Graham and Maxted families** in prayer. A memorial is being planned.
- The extended family of **Lois Pegel** would like to thank everyone for the outpouring of love, prayers, and kind words shared since her passing. *"She came to love her Walla Walla church family!"*



## Blessings of God

This Sabbath's loose offering goes to **Hope Channel**. Broadcasting in more than 80 languages, this media ministry brings the message of Jesus into homes and hearts near and far. You may appreciate the spiritual support tools it provides, such as **Hope.Study**, where you'll find insights on navigating stressful situations, igniting your prayer life, and understanding the Bible.

As always, you may direct your giving toward Church Budget, or whatever matters most to you, via [AdventistGiving.org](https://AdventistGiving.org), a **tithe envelope**, or **CashApp**.



*Contributions made through CashApp always go toward church budget unless you specify otherwise. Also, the church cannot provide receipts for donations made through CashApp.*



# Touches of Interest

## Spring Quarter Grow Groups: Join One Now

We're again gathering in small groups to learn, share and connect. To see what's available and sign up, scan the QR code or go to [wwuchurch.com/grow-groups](http://wwuchurch.com/grow-groups).



## UCC Young Adult Event: "Let's Start the Conversation"

Upper Columbia Conference invites young adults to eat and speak with its president and youth director Saturday, April 20, 6-9 p.m., Eastgate Church. Scan code to sign up:



**"Spring Is On the Air"** *April 18-22, Blue Mountain Television (BMTV)*  
Special programming for BMTV's spring fundraiser includes local features and Voice of Prophecy's Shawn Boonstra. To contribute, call 509-529-9149 or visit [BlueMountainBroadcasting.org/donate](http://BlueMountainBroadcasting.org/donate).

## Tri-College Community Service Day *Sunday, April 21*

The WWU Center for Humanitarian Engagement has 15 service projects for volunteers of all ages and abilities. Sign up at [uwbluemt.org](http://uwbluemt.org), and meet at Fort Walla Walla Park.



## Grief Support Group *Thursday, April 25, 6:30-8 p.m.*

If you desire a supportive setting for processing any type of loss, join this group Thursdays, April 18-June 6, in the Gathering Room. Returning participants welcome. Contact: Cortney (509-820-2577)

## Student Missions Come-and-Go Event *Friday, April 26, 1-3 pm*

Swing by the Ministries Activity Center to connect with former SMs, learn more about the program, and enjoy tasty treats. Bring cash to support the program by shopping. Families are welcome! Find us south of the Chaplain's Office on College Avenue.

## Time for Tamales! *Order before Sunday, April 28*

Contact Rita (509-301-2844) or Alma (509-956-0025). Sales help the Spanish Church Pathfinders go to the International Camporee.

## German Christmas Singalong in April *Sabbath, April 27, 10 a.m.*

We're making up for missing out on Christmas 2020. Join us in the Fine Arts Center, Room 208 (upstairs). Contact: Kurt (509-527-3116)

## National Day of Prayer Service *Thursday, May 2, 7-8 a.m.*

The College Place Village Church invites us to join them for a one-hour prayer service in their fellowship hall on this special day.

## UCC Women's Retreat: "Restoration" *Sabbath, May 4, Spokane*

This one-day event at the UCC Conference Center features speaker Katelyn Weakley and others, along with giveaways and great food. Register now at [uccsda.org/WomensRetreat](http://uccsda.org/WomensRetreat).

## "Flourish" With Special Guest Michele Cushatt *May 17-19*

Register now for this annual wellness weekend for women, Camp MiVoden, Hayden Lake., Idaho. More info: [SummitNorthwest.org](http://SummitNorthwest.org)

## Membership Transfers: Second Reading

Danielle Lacey *from* Leonminster SDA Church (Mass.)

Ivy Lu *from* Auburn Adventist Academy Church (Wash.)

Branden & Brenna Johnson *to* Wenatchee Adventist Church (Wash.)

Andrew Moeller *to* LaVida Mission SDA Church (Crownpoint, NM)



# Church Events

## Sabbath, April 20

- 9:30 a.m. Family Church, Heubach Chapel
- 10:30 a.m. Sabbath Schools, various locations  
*(See list at greeters' desk or [www.church/sabbath-schools](http://www.church/sabbath-schools))*
- 11:45 a.m. Worship Service: Brooklyn Gerber
- 4 p.m. Randall Rowland Memorial Service, Heubach Chapel
- 7:48 p.m. Sunset

## Tuesday, April 23

End of Day Church bulletin content due

## Wednesday, April 24

- 7 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Heubach Chapel

## Friday, April 26

- 7:56 p.m. Sunset
- 8 p.m. Walla Walla University Vespers:  
Homecoming PRISM Concert, Sanctuary

## Sabbath, April 27

- 9:30 a.m. Family Church, Heubach Chapel
- 10:30 a.m. Sabbath Schools, various locations
- 11:45 a.m. Worship Service: John McVay
- 4 p.m. WWU Music Department: Hallelujahs and Meditations,  
Sanctuary
- 7 p.m. Evensong, Sanctuary
- 7:57 p.m. Sunset

## University Church Pulpit

- Apr 27** John McVay - *A Pupil's Pilgrimage*
- May 4** Andreas Beccai  
*- More Than Enough: The Heart of the Matter*

## Contact Us

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### Office Hours

Mondays - Thursdays: 8 a.m. - 12 p.m., 1 - 5 p.m.  
Fridays: 8 a.m. - Noon

### University Church Pastoral Team

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| Andreas Beccai<br><i>Lead Pastor</i>                           | Jaci Cress Solís<br><i>Member Care &amp; Discipleship Pastor</i> |
| Paul Richardson<br><i>Administrative &amp; Outreach Pastor</i> | José Segovia<br><i>Communication &amp; Worship Pastor</i>        |
| Sam Smith<br><i>Children &amp; Youth Ministries Pastor</i>     | Albert Handal<br><i>Walla Walla University Lead Chaplain</i>     |



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