

## CHURCH FINANCES

MAY BUDGET		2026 BUDGET YTD	
Monthly Need	\$33,644.51	Annual Need	\$404,734.12
Received	\$1,445.00	Received	\$117,590.52
Short	\$32,199.51	Short	\$287,143.60
<b>MID-AMERICA MORTGAGE BALANCE</b>			
APRIL 2026		\$ 832,261.58	

Tithe	Local Church Budget
By designating your giving <i>tithe</i> , you support the world-wide gospel ministry of the Seventh-day Adventist Church	By designating your giving <i>Local Church Budget</i> , you support all Grand Junction SDA Church ministries and expenses

### GJ SDA Church: 550 25 1/2 Rd. Grand, CO 81505 ph: 970-242-7747

**Lead Pastor:** Nathaniel Gamble Phone ph:303-944-7340 email: nathanielg@rmcsda.org

Office Hours: Tue-Thur 11am-3pm

**Associate Pastor:** Daniele Fantoni; Phone: 540-229-5798 email: danielef@rmcsda.org

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**Head Elder:** Jean Coren ph: 970-242-7747

**Head Elder:** Ron L. Johnson ph: 970-242-7747 email: jlrljcrew2@outlook.com

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**Church Treasurer:** Susie Bautch ph: 970-242-7747 email: gjchurch.treasurer@gmail.com

**Office Hours:** Tue-Thus 1pm-3pm/Fri 12-1

### Adventist Community Service: 2554 Patterson Road Grand Junction, CO ph: 970-242-2277

**Director:** Susie Bautch ph: 970-462-1378

**Office Hours:** Tuesday 9am -11:45am/ 1pm - 2:45pm

**Vegetarian Food Store:** Tuesday 9am -11:45am/1pm - 2:45pm Sunday 10:00am - Noon

### Intermountain Adventist Academy 550 25 1/2 Rd. Grand Junction, CO 81505 ph: 970-242-5116

**Principal:** Jeff Jackson ph: 760-258-6673 email: principal@iaagj.com

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# Welcome

We are so happy to see you today! We will continue to have our worship service online via Facebook & Youtube for those who wish to stay home and enjoy the worship online as well as here live in the church sanctuary.

## Sabbath School 9:30am -10:45am

### Adult

Sanctuary Class,  
Sojourners-Rm 3  
Redeemed by Grace-Rm #6  
Seekers-Conference Rm  
InVerse-Fellowship Hall  
Spanish Sabbath School -IAA  
Library

### Youth

Beginners Rm #2  
Kindergarten Rm #1  
Primary Rm #5  
Jr. Rm /Early Teen Rm #4  
Youth Rm #7

**Presiding Elder:** Wanda Givens

**Piano/Organ:** Rhonda Scott

**Music Leader:** Iana Pisciotta & Youth Praise team

**Audio/Visual:** David Hanes, Sam DePaula, Dan Barton, Victor Barton

**Deacon/Deaconess in charge:** Craig Gorton

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GRAND JUNCTION  
SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

## May 9, 2026 Happy Mother's Day Sabbath

Prelude	Rhonda Scott
Welcome/Announcements	Wanda Givens
Opening Hymn	How Great Tho Art #86
Offering Call	Disaster and Famine Relief Craig Gorton
Children's Story	Jean Coren
Offertory	Rhonda Scott
Prayer	Wanda Givens
Praise Songs	He's Got the Whole World in His Hands Iana Pisciotta & Youth Praise Team
	Jesus Loves Me, This Little Light of Mine 10,000 Reasons
Scripture	Luke 1:34-35 Maverick
Sermon	Pastor Nathaniel Gamble The Maternal Source of Humanity
Closing Hymn	Because He Lives #526
Benediction	Pastor Nathaniel Gamble
Postlude	Rhonda Scott

## Reach UP. Reach OUT. Reach DEEP.

### Welcome!

Thank you for worshipping here with us! It's a privilege to freely worship our Creator on this beautiful Sabbath day!

### Today's Offering:

Today's offering is for Disaster and Famine Relief

\*\*Every 1st and 3rd Sabbath, loose offering goes to our local church budget. Every 2nd and 4th Sabbath, loose offering goes to our mortgage payoff.

### Next Weeks Offering:

Local Church Budget

### 55\*

May 12, Tuesday, Mid-Week Get Together - 4:30 p.m., McAlister's Deli  
May 17, Sunday, Bowling, 11:00, Orchard Mesa Lanes  
May 19, Tuesday, 11 a.m., Mini-Golf, Bananas Fun Park  
May 31, Sunday, 5:30 p.m., Game Night, Fellowship Hall. Bring a dish to share.  
Bowling every Thursday at 9:45 a.m. at Orchard Mesa Lanes

### Women's Ministry

Single women's potluck after church service today in the fellowship hall

Save the Date- Sunday August 23 there will be a women's brunch.

Don't forget to get in contact with your "sister encourager" a couple of times a month. I have already heard of sweet encounters that have lifted spirits!

### IAA

Intermountain Adventist Academy School Board has scheduled the IAA Constituency meeting for Thursday, May 14th at 6:30 in the Grand Junction Church.

Thanks to each of you the last breakfast of the school year was a great success! We made over \$2,300.00. Praise the Lord. Thank you for your continued support of IAA.—IAA Home & School

### Fellowship Meal

May 16 is a great time to begin attending the monthly Fellowship Lunch if you haven't in the past. It isn't too late to join in and find some interesting people to talk with. If you wonder what to bring, here are just a few ideas: Hot or cold main dish, any type of salad, potato/rice dish, chips & salsa/dip, bread/rolls, raw/cooked vegetables, dessert - homemade or purchased, it doesn't matter. Try to bring enough for your family plus some to share with others. VISITORS - please be our guests and come meet some nice people.

### VBS

Is just around the corner July 6-10 5:00pm-7:30 a light dinner will be served at 5pm. If you feel called to help make this an experience children will remember, we'd love to have you join us. Remember to mark your calendar and bring your kids to Mountains of Miracles VBS. Feel free to reach out to Lana 970-778-0869 with questions.

### Fruita VBS

Discover the treasure hidden with the junk at this year's Vacation Bible School: Junkyard Redemption. All ages of children are welcome to join the fun as they explore the treasures found in God's word through songs, games, snacks, crafts, Bible stories, and more! June 7-11 from 6:00p.m-8:00p.m. each night. Fruita SDA Church 214 West Pabor Ave. Fruita, CO 81521

### Young Adult Gym Night

May 9 6:30 pm here at GJSDA Church join our young adults for lots of fun.

**THANK YOU** to everyone who has supported our \$250,000 mortgage pay-down goal. Your generosity has already helped reduce our mortgage \$111,524.79. Let us continue in faith and unity as we seek to be good and faithful stewards of the church God has entrusted to us.

Mom this is a time to celebrate you. What better way than to ask for help. Too many women suffer in silence from abuse, believing there is no safe place to turn. We want you to know: **there is hope, there is healing, and you are not alone.** The Women's Ministry offers a **15-week faith-based Abuse Recovery Program** inspired by Psalm 23. This is a safe and confidential space where women can find strength, support, and God's comfort. **All inquiries and participation are kept completely confidential.** To learn more, please contact **Miki Sturges** at [herjourneygl@gmail.com](mailto:herjourneygl@gmail.com)

### \*Reminder\*\*

Our Worship Services may be Live on Facebook and posted to YouTube. Please keep that in mind if you or your children are near the front of the Sanctuary, you may be on camera

## WEEKLY CALENDAR AND UPCOMING EVENTS

**Sabbath, May 9:** Sunset 8:14 pm  
9:30am Sabbath School  
11:00am Worship Service  
6:30 pm Young Adult Gym Night

### Sunday, May 10:

Happy Mother's Day

### Monday, May 11:

4:00pm Watercolor Paint Class  
6:00pm Sanctuary Study

### Tuesday, May 12:

2:30 pm Afternoon Prayer Group  
6:30 pm Church Board Meeting

### Wednesday, May 13:

4:30pm Pathfind  
4:30pm Al-Anon  
4:30 pm 55+ McAlister's Deli  
6:30pm Prayer Meeting

### Thursday, May 14:

9:45am 55+ Bowling Orchard Mesa Lanes  
6:30pm Study Steps to Personal Revival Part 2 Abide in Jesus  
6:30 pm IAA Constituency Meeting

### Friday, May 15:

Sunset 8:20 pm

### Sabbath, May 16:

Sunset 8:21 pm  
9:30am Sabbath School  
11:00am Worship Service

*Have a blessed week!*

### Upcoming Speakers:

May 16 Pastor Daniele Fantoni  
May 23 Pastor Nathaniel Gamble  
May 30 Kenneth Martinez



We would like to encourage you to follow along in your copies of the scripture in today's sermon. Regardless of whether you are looking at a paper copy of the Bible or an electronic version on your phone/tablet, there is *Power* in seeing God's Word for yourself and all of us collectively as a group. Please feel free to take notes or underline sections of scriptures that are meaningful to you as well.

### WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES AND PRAYER MEETINGS Come, Join Us!

Monday at	6:00pm	Sanctuary Study
Tuesday at	2:30pm	Prayer Group (held in Sanctuary)
Wednesday at	4:30pm 6:30pm	Al-Anon Meeting Prayer Meeting (held in Sanctuary)
Thursday at	6:00pm	Steps to Personal Revival