

Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church

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Sabbath, October 4, 2008

The Church at Study (9:30-10:25 a.m.)

Lesson Study God's Nature: The Basis of Atonement Classes

Outreach (10:30-10:45 a.m.)

Worship in Song and Praise (10:50-11:00 a.m.)

The Church at Worship (11:00 a.m.)

Welcome and Announcements Norman Moll
Preparation "Aria" Edwin Lemare
Call to Worship Matt. 6:27, 28
Choral Call to Worship "This Is the Day" Hal Hopson

*Hymn of Praise "A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing" #228
Family Prayer Norman Moll
Giving of Gifts Local Combined Budget
Offertory "Come Thou Fount" (#334) Charles Burkhart

Children's Story Norman Moll
Anthem "Consider the Lilies" Natalie Sleeth
Scripture Lesson Isaiah 40:5-8, Psalm 90:12
Sermon "When The Game Is Over It All Goes Back In The Box- Phase II" Dick Schell
Thanks to John Ortberg for the information for this presentation

*Hymn of Response "O Jesus I have Promised" #331
Benediction Dick Schell
Postlude "Sortie" Gordon Jacob

*Denotes congregation standing to sing

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Deacon in Charge: Dennis Nadane
Organist: Dorothy Moll

Pastor: Darryl Bentley Phone: (989) 948-3531
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Principal: Laura Jean Muir

Welcome to Worship Today

"May the Lord answer you when you're in trouble. May the God of Jacob protect you always. May He send you help from His sanctuary above and strengthen you from His holy hill. May He remember your sacrifice for others and accept all the offerings you bring. May He give you the desire of your heart and fulfill your plans." Psalm 20:1-4 (The Clear Word)

Events This Week

Today

Revelation Class 9:30 am
Prayer with Dorothy Dalton
Fellowship Meal in the Activity Center
Adventurers meeting following the Fellowship Meal.
Sunset 7:12 pm

Monday

Community Services 9 am – 3 pm
Amazing Discoveries 7 pm in the Activity Center
Adventurers 4:30 – 6 pm

Tuesday

Prayer Meeting 7 pm

Wednesday

Bulletin material due by **8 pm**
to Mary Bukowiec at
gidgeeballs@localnet.com. Thanks!

Thursday

Stress—Beyond Just Coping 7 pm

Friday

Sunset 7:01 pm

Sabbath

Speaker Pastor Bentley - Communion
Offering World Budget – Voice of Prophecy
Fellowship Meal at home of Bert & Jackie Osborn

Future Worship Services and Events

Oct 18

David Moll

Oct 25

Reid Tait

Announcements

Thank you: We would like to express our sincere gratitude to our church family for all the support, love, and prayers following the recent loss of our brother in South Africa. May the Good Lord bless each one of you. The Mwemba Family

Financial Report for September is available on the table in the foyer.

Crop Walk happens tomorrow, Sunday, October 5. If you would like to participate with a gift or by walking please see Becki Nelson.

STRESS -- Beyond Just Coping continues this Thursday night with Pastor Bentley speaking. Building on his experience as a chaplain's assistant in Iraq, our pastor will explore how conflict resolution, forgiveness, prayer and a spiritually centered value system can not only decrease chronic stress but also help to prevent stressful situations from even causing distress. Refreshments will be served starting at 6:30 with the program starting at 7. Thank you, everyone who has attended for your participation in the table discussions, and helping to make them a highlight of the evening.

The Amazing Discoveries Bible study group will be meeting again Monday night at 7 p.m. Our Revelation Seminar lessons are examining Revelation topically while also doing a chapter by chapter exploration of the book.

Board Members The Church Board will meet at 5:30 pm before prayer meeting at the church, Tuesday October 14. Any agenda items should be given to Tony Khalil by October 9.

Coat Giveaway The Adventist Community Service annual coat giveaway will be Thursday, October 16. If you have any coats or winter clothing you would like to donate, contact Reid Tait. If you would like to help set up for the coat giveaway, meet at our center 1113 E. Carpenter St. at 9 am. We will serve lunch.

The Tri-City SDA School is raising money to complete a window project. The school is in need of an additional \$3,500 to have enough money to replace the windows in the hallway. The current windows are very inefficient, and replacing the windows will help with energy costs.

Tri-City SDA School is also seeking volunteers to come out and help with the Home and School Fun Fest on November 9 from 12-3:00 pm.

Women's Ministry Mother-Daughter Retreat October 10-12 has been reserved for moms & daughters to enjoy a special weekend at Camp Au Sable. Find retreat and registration information on the bulletin board.

Women's Ministry Fall Training for District 6 Mark your calendars for Sunday, November 23, 2008. This special Women's Ministry conference will be held at Camp Au Sable. If you are serious about growing your ministry to strengthen your church and community, this is for YOU. Want to know more? Call Mary Anne Walker, your Women's Ministry leader at 631-2538.

College Fund Support We will have a continuing need this year for college fund support. Please place this fund on your list to support our youth while they are at school.

Radio/TV Log

Tuesday 7:30 a.m. It Is Written, Charter Channel 69 (Court TV)