

# Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church

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Sabbath, May 23, 2009

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

Lesson Study "Rest" 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 Brad Merrills  
Preparation "Sing a New Song" Psalm 98 (#19) Dennis Johnson  
Call to Worship Isaiah 53:9-11

\*Opening Hymn "Tell Me the Old, Old Story" #196  
Family Prayer Brad Merrills  
Giving of Gifts Michigan Advance Partners Brad Merrills  
Lamb's Offering Tri-City Church School  
Offertory "What Offering Shall I Bring to Thee" Edna Jeffries

Children's Story Robert Marsh  
Scripture Lesson Isaiah 53:3 Mikaya Merrills  
Sermon "Why Jesus Cried" Robert Marsh

\*Hymn of Response "Does Jesus Care" #181  
Benediction Robert Marsh  
Postlude "Allegro" William Boyce

\*Denotes congregation standing to sing

*Elder in Charge:* Brad Merrills *Deacon in Charge:* Tony Khalil  
*Organist:* Dorothy Moll, assisted by Hannah Kohtz

*Pastor:* Darryl Bentley *Phone:* (989) 948-3531  
Tri-City SDA School *Phone:* (989) 790-2508  
*Principal:* Laura Jean Muir

# Welcome to Worship Today

"All of us like sheep have gone astray, each of us has turned to his own way; but the LORD has caused the iniquity of us all to fall on Him." Isaiah 53:6 NASB

## Events This Week

**Today** Fellowship Meal in the Activity Center  
Walter Veith DVD following fellowship meal  
Sunset 9:02 pm

**Monday** Community Services 9 am – 3 pm  
Amazing Discoveries Bible Study 7 pm

**Tuesday** Prayer Meeting 7 pm

**Wednesday** Bulletin material due by 8 pm to Susan  
Mercy at [smercy@tds.net](mailto:smercy@tds.net). Thanks!

**Friday** Sunset 9:08 pm

**Sabbath** Speaker Norman Moll  
Offering World Budget  
Fellowship Meal in the Activity Center

## Future Worship Services and Events

**May 31** Tri-City School Graduation  
**June 6** Reid Tait  
**June 13** Pastor Bentley  
**June 19-27** Michigan Campmeeting

## Announcements

“**History’s Coming Climax**” is the title of the Walter Veith DVD to be shown this afternoon following our fellowship luncheon. What does the Bible really teach about the Second Coming of Christ? How does what the Bible prophecy presents compare with the array of current teachings about this subject? How will God’s truth, righteousness, mercy and justice be vindicated?

**Amazing Discoveries Bible Study** group will meet Monday night at 7 pm. The Bible study on Jacob, his family, his sons, and the 12 tribes of Israel that they fathered will be continued. If you attended last Monday, please bring your notes and time-line sheets with you this Monday. We welcome new participants.

**Prayer Meeting:** Tuesday at 7 pm, led by Jesse Walker

**Tri-City SDA School** eighth grade graduation will be held Sunday, May 31 at 3 pm at the Saginaw SDA church. This year’s graduates are Brandi Butcher, Scott Collins, and Josh Horn.

**Among the many ministries** of the Midland SDA Church are several that need the regular financial support of our members, such as: 219 – Lay Bible Coach, 262 – Pathfinders, 263 – Adventurers, 365 – College Worthy Student, 366 – Academy Project Assist, 420 – Frontier Mission Project, 440 – Youth Mission Fund. These are all listed on the monthly Financial Report, so you can determine which ones need help. Contributions to these projects are distributed by Church Board action. In harmony with Michigan Conference Guidelines and IRS Regulations, contributions to these funds must not be specified for any individual, if you wish to receive a tax deductible receipt. If you have specific concerns, please express them to the Pastor or the Head Elder, and they will be considered by the Board. Thank you for your generous support of all of these very worthy projects.

## Radio/TV Log

**Sunday 1:30 pm** It Is Written, TBN (Trinity Broadcasting Netw)

**Tuesday 7:30 am** It Is Written, Charter Channel 69 (Court TV)