

Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church

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Sabbath, February 27, 2010

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

Lesson Study "The Fruit of the Spirit is Meekness" Classes

The Church at Worship (10:45 a.m.)

Baptism Drew Weaver

Welcome and announcements Tony Khalil

Preparation "Grace" Clay R. Christiansen

Call to Worship #852

*Hymn of Praise "My Maker and My King" #15

Family Prayer Clyde McPherson

Giving of Gifts Michigan Advance Tony Khalil

Lamb's Offering Tri-City SDA School

Offertory "Lord, Revive Us" Gilbert Martin

Children's Story Elder Jay Gallimore

Scripture Reading Revelation 3:14 Tony Khalil

Sermon "Faithful and True" Elder Jay Gallimore

*Hymn of Response "Great is Thy Faithfulness" #100

Benediction Elder Jay Gallimore

Postlude "When In Our Music God Is Glorified" Robert Hobby

*Denotes congregation standing to sing

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Welcome to Worship Today

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart." Jeremiah 29:11-13, NIV

Events This Week

- Today** Fellowship meal in the Activity Center
Lay Bible Team Meeting 1:30 pm
SS Leaders Meeting Following meal
Praise & Report 3 pm at Saginaw
Sunset 6:19 pm
- Sunday** Bible Explorers 7 pm
- Monday** Community Services 9-3 pm
Adventurers 4:30-6 pm
Tri-City School Constituency Mtg. 6:30 pm
- Tuesday** Prayer Meeting 7 pm
- Wednesday** Bulletin material due by **8 pm** to Susan
Mercy at smercy@tds.net. Thanks!
- Thursday** Plant-Based Cooking Class 5:30 pm
- Friday** Church Women United 8:30 am
Sunset 6:30 pm
- Sabbath** Speaker Norman Moll
Offering Combined Budget
Vespers 5:30 pm with Jesse Walker

Future Worship Services and Events

- March 11** Ski Trip Boyne Mountain
March 13 Pastor Bentley
March 20 Pastor Cory Jackson
March 20 Church Social Event
March 27 Pastor Bentley

Announcements

Sabbath School Planning All past and current adult and children's Sabbath School class teachers are invited to a meeting with Pastor Bentley this afternoon following the fellowship meal.

Praise & Report This afternoon at 3 pm, the District 6 churches will meet to show how God blessed them in 2009. All church members are invited to share in the event at the Saginaw SDA Church (2755 N. Center Rd. in Saginaw). Supper will be served following the churches' presentations.

The **Bible Explorers** study group will meet Sunday night at 7. This week we examine the last chapter of John's Gospel, Chapter 21. What were the important things that Jesus wanted to accomplish in his final visits with his followers? Why does John finish his account the way he does with no mention of the ascension? Suggested reading: *Desire of Ages*, Chapter 85, "By the Sea Once More" pp 809-817.

Tri-city SDA School The school board has voted to have kindergarten for the coming school year, but they cannot proceed forward without constituency approval. Therefore, a brief constituency meeting will be held Monday, March 1st, at 6:30 pm. Please come and share your thoughts on this important topic at the school that night. Thank you.

Prayer Meeting Join your brothers and sisters in prayer and song. The topic will be "How Can We Stand in These Last Days", led by Reid Tait.

Plant-Based (Vegan) Cooking Classes will begin this Thursday March 4 at 5:30 and continue through March 25. While this will be a continuation of the Depression, Live Without It seminar, we will also welcome new attendees.

Please invite your friends. Posters are available for sharing in the lobby.

Our church will be hosting the Church Women United's World Day of Prayer Worship Service, to be held at our church this Friday, March 5. The schedule includes a Bible study at 8:30 am (to be led by Pastor Bentley), fellowship and refreshments at 9:15, a business meeting and community updates at 9:45, and then the main worship service at 10. We invite our church women to attend and are asking for volunteers to help with refreshments and to be some of the "voices" who will read a sentence or two at times during the service. Please contact Ardith Tait if you are willing to participate in this community worship service.

Christian Education is expensive, costing in the neighborhood of \$22,000 at the college level. Our College Worthy Student Fund is in great need right now. Your continuing support of this fund will be greatly appreciated. Donations should be marked "College Worthy Student." Thank you.

Upcoming Birthday Florence Conklin's 93rd birthday is March 7th. Let's remember her with cards and visits at Tendercare, where she is staying.

Radio/TV Log

Sunday 1:30 pm It Is Written, TBN (Trinity Broadcasting Netw)
Tuesday 7:30 a.m. It Is Written, Charter Channel 69 (Court TV)