

Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church

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Sabbath, March 13, 2010

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

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

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

Leuenberger's Maranatha Trip

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

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

Welcome and announcements		David Moll
Invocation		Pastor Bentley
Preparation	"Prelude"	Randolph Currie
Call to Worship	"The Holy Spirit" (#752)	Andrew Moll
*Opening Hymn	"Gleams of the Golden Morning"	#205
Family Prayer		David Moll
Giving of Gifts	World Budget-Adventist Radio	David Moll
Lamb's Offering	Tri-City SDA School	
Offertory	"All Things Are Thine"	Gardiner
Children's Story		Pastor Bentley
Scripture Lesson	Matthew 7: 7-8	Eric Moll
Sermon	"Spiritual Rope"	Pastor Bentley
*Closing Hymn	"Open My Eyes That I May See"	#326
Benediction		
Postlude	"When the Roll is Called up Yonder"	Black

*Denotes congregation standing to sing

Elder in Charge: David Moll *Deacon in Charge:* Don Ervick
Pianist: Ginger Bentley, assisted by *organist:* Kristopher Mercy

Pastor: Darryl Bentley *Phone:* (989) 948-3531
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Principal: Connie Hickman *Phone:* (989) 791-4797

Welcome to Worship Today

"The desires of our human nature and the desires of the Holy Spirit are in conflict with each other. They're like two powerful forces pulling opposite directions, so you can't always depend on what you feel as being the right thing to do." Galatians 5:17, The Clear Word

Events This Week

Today	Fellowship meal in the Activity Center Vespers 5:30 pm with the Leuenberger's Sunset 6:41 pm
Sunday	Bible Explorers 7 pm
Monday	Community Services 9-3 pm Adventurers 4:30 – 6:00 pm
Tuesday	Prayer Meeting 7 pm
Wednesday	Bulletin material due by 8 pm to Mary Bukowiec at gidgeeballs@localnet.com. Thanks!
Thursday	Plant-Based Cooking Class 5:30 pm
Friday	Sunset 7:48 pm
Sabbath	Speaker Russel Murnighan Offering Combined Budget Vespers 6:00 pm Pastor Bentley/Tony Khalil

Future Worship Services and Events

March 27	Pastor Bentley
April 3	Dick Schell
April 10	Pastor Bentley
April 17	Dorothy Dalton
April 24	Pastor Bentley

Announcements

The Budget Committee studied thoroughly the needs of three major accounts essential to supporting our local church. In 2009 the following amounts were spent: Church Expense -- \$74,000; Outreach -- \$7,600; Sabbath School Expense -- \$3,700. A total of \$85,300. A monthly goal of \$7,000 was established. Contributions to Combined Budget are transferred each month: 80% to Church Expense, 10% to Outreach, 5% to Sabbath School Expense, and 5% to Church Improvement. A short statement will be in the Church Bulletin each week, showing total needed, and a weekly update of income.

COMBINED BUDGET

Monthly Goal	Month-to-Date
\$7,000	\$ 596.31

Suggestions and ideas for the **Virginia Farnham bequest** need to be in by March 31, 2010 to be considered by the Bequest Committee. You may hand them to: Don Ervick, Brenda Khalil, David Moll, Norman Moll, Faith Gray, Marcus Peters, or Dick Schell

Starting April 16th at 7P.M. a **prayer group** will meet at the home of Faith Gray. Everyone is welcome. Please contact Faith if you plan to attend.

Bible Explorer's will meet at 7 p.m. Monday evening. Norman will lead the continuing discussion of the book of James. We begin with chapter 2 this week. Please read the remaining chapters of the book in preparation. Everyone is welcome.

Living Free Plant Based Cooking Class continues this Thursday at 5:30 p.m. Our topic will be carbohydrates and sugars. It is exciting to see the continuing interest in the healthful living topic being shown by our guests. Thank you, each church family member, who has been attending and helping.

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.

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)