

# Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church

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Sabbath, April 16, 2011

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

Lesson Study "A Garment of Innocence" 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 Announcement Brad Merrills

Preparation "A Joyful Day" Janet Correll

"This Is My Father's World" Catherine McMichael

Call to Worship Psalm 89:5-18, *The Message* Norman Moll

\* Hymn of Praise "Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven" #4

Family Prayer Ann Ratcliff

Giving of Gifts Combined Budget Brad Merrills

Lambs Offering Tri-City SDA School

Offertory "Colors" Mexican, arr. W. Leupold

Children's Story What Do Fossils Tell Us? Norman Moll

Anthem "The Lovely House of God" Austin Lovelace

Youth Choir

Scripture Lesson 2 Peter 3:1-14, Mikaya Merrills

*Contemporary English Version*

Sermon "What Happened to Our Earth?" Norman Moll

Hymn of Response "Once to Every Man and Nation" #606

Benediction Brad Merrills

Postlude "Toccata" from Suite Gothique Leon Boellmann

\* Denotes congregation standing to sing

*Elder in Charge:* Brad Merrills *Deacon in Charge:* Jeff Kohtz

*Organist:* Dorothy Moll assisted by Kaitlyn, Kristopher and

Susan Mercy and Hannah Kohtz

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# Welcome to Worship Today

The LORD wraps himself in light as with a garment; he stretches out the heavens like a tent and lays the beams of his upper chambers on their waters. He makes the clouds his chariot and rides on the wings of the wind. He makes winds his messengers, flames of fire his servants." Psalm 104:2-4 NIV.

## Events This Week

### Today

### Fellowship Meal

**Vespers** Kaitlyn, Grace & Addie 7:00pm

**Sunset** 8:21 pm

### Sunday

**MDot spring clean-up** 8 am

**Elders Meeting** 5 pm

**Church Board Meeting** 6 pm

### Monday

**Community Services** 9-3 pm

### Tuesday

**Prayer Meeting** 7 pm

### Wednesday

**Choir Rehearsal** 6:30 pm

**Bulletin Material** Submit to Mary Bukowiec  
[gidgeeballs@localnet.com](mailto:gidgeeballs@localnet.com) by **8 pm**.

### Friday

**Prayer Group** 7 pm at Faith Gray's home

**Sunset** 8:28 pm

### Sabbath

**Pastor Bentley**

**Offering** Michigan Advance Partners

**Vespers** Maryanne & Jesse Walker

## Future Worship Services and Events

### April 26

### April 30

**Pathfinders/Adventurers** 4:30-6 pm

**Drew Weaver**

**Vespers** Reid & Ardith Tait

### May 7

### May 14

### May 21

**Tony Khalil**

**Pastor Bentley**

**Ann Ratcliff**

## **Announcements**

**We welcome those who are our guests today.** Perhaps you have come because of your interest in the sermon topic, evidence for a recent global flood and ice age. We are pleased that you have chosen to worship with us as we mark “Earth Day” and seek a closer relationship with the Maker of Heaven and earth on the day that commemorates His creation and points forward to His creation of the “New Heaven and Earth where righteousness dwells” (2 Peter 3:13).

If you are visiting please join our church family for the **fellowship lunch** which immediately follows our worship service.

**VESPERS TONIGHT** will be presented by Addie & Grace Weaver and Kaitlyn Mercy, along with their family members. Their topic is The Media as it relates to your Christian walk. The program is the culmination of the challenge they received at Teen Bible Camp in February.

**BAKE SALE:** There will be a bake sale in the Activity Center after vespers tonight, sponsored by the Earliteen Class. Proceeds will go to a Tanzania Orphanage Project. Thank you for your support.

**Elder's & Church Board Mtgs.** will meet be Sunday, April 17th at 5 & 6 p.m. respectively. Please plan to attend if you are part of these groups.

**Directory Change:** Jesse Walkers new email address is [jgwalker316@gmail.com](mailto:jgwalker316@gmail.com)

## **Radio/TV Log**

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