

Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church

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Sabbath, September 17, 2011

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

Lesson Study "Worship in the Early Church" Classes

Personal Ministries (10:30-10:45 a.m.)

Kandi Project Update

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 "El Shaddai" Michael Card/John Thompson
Call to Worship Psalm 19:9-14

*Hymn of Praise "He Hideth My Soul" #520
Family Prayer Dorothy Dalton
Giving of Gifts Local Church Budget
Lamb's Offering Tri-City SDA School
Offertory "Be Exalted, O God" Brent Chambers

Youth Story Norman Moll
Scripture Reading Romans 8:2 Gerri Kohtz
Sermon "How to Live a Victorious Christian Life" Shane LeBaron

*Hymn of Response "Because He Lives" #526
Benediction Norman Moll
Postlude Christopher Wordsworth
"O Day of Rest and Gladness" (#382)

* Denotes congregation standing to sing
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Welcome to Worship Today

"Therefore if there is any encouragement in Christ, if there is any consolation of love, if there is any fellowship of the Spirit, if any affection and compassion, make my joy complete by being of the same mind, maintaining the same love, united in spirit, intent on one purpose." Phillipians 2:1, 2 NASB

Events This Week

Today Fellowship Meal Following Worship
Vespers 7 pm
Sunset 7:46 pm

Monday Community Services 9-3 pm
Bible Study 7pm

Tuesday Lay Bible Team Members Meeting 5:30-6:30 pm
Prayer Meeting 7 pm

Wednesday Cooking Class 5:30-7:30 pm
Choir Rehearsal 6:30 pm
Bulletin material due by 8 pm
to Susan Mercy at smercy@tds.net Thanks!

Friday Prayer Group at Faith Gray's 7 pm
Sunset 7:35 pm

Sabbath Speaker Pastor Bentley
Offering Michigan Advance
Lay Bible Training & Report Session 2-3 pm
Vespers 7 pm

Future Worship Services and Events

September 25 Newsletter Deadline
September 27 Pathfinders/Adventurers 4:45 p.m.

Announcements

Women's Ministries would like to invite families to attend the Fall Harvest Festival at Chippewa Nature Center tomorrow. It features live demonstrations of life on a 19th century farm, as well as hands-on activities for children, free music, and presentations by a "rambling naturalist". Admission is \$5 per adult, and children are free. The festival runs from 12-4.

The **Living Free Plant Based Cooking Class** continues Wednesday from 5:30-7:30. This week's class will explore the role of fat in the diet. Thank you, members of our church family who have invited friends and volunteered to help. Over 20 attended the first class session, with additional people planning to come this week. The class will continue for five weeks and be followed by sessions devoted to Natural Remedies. Founding Director of Yale University's Prevention Research Center, Dr. David Katz, maintains that were we to fully apply what we know about lifestyle, "we could reduce heart disease rates by up to 80%; diabetes by 90%; and cancer by between 30% and 60%, with similarly stunning advances across a range of other conditions." How healthy is your lifestyle?

Michigan Men of Faith will be held at GLAA Sabbath, September 24. The theme is "Torches & Trumpets" and the keynote speaker is Dr. Eric Walsh, MD MPH. Register online at www.campausable.org.

Library If anyone has the books *Tale of the Tardy Oxcart* or *Chronicles of Narnia*, please talk to Carol Lanfear or Christine Rickel. They have both been missing for quite some time.

Library If you wish to check a book out of the library, please remember to sign it out on your library card in the card file box in the library.

Library If you enjoyed Dr. John Baldwin's sermons at District 6 Retreat then you may be interested in reading his book *Creation, Catastrophe and Calvary* or other similar books. They are available on the west wall display.

Save the Date The Michigan Conference Sabbath School Workshop will be held October 21-23 at Camp au Sable. The workshop includes "hands-on" programming for all children's Sabbath School division leaders.