# Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church

2420 East Ashman St., Midland, MI 48642 Telephone: (989) 631-3120 Website: www.midlandsda.org Sabbath, December 17, 2011

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

Lesson Study "Living by the Spirit" Classes

### Personal Ministries (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
Preparation
"Variations: Good Christians,
Now Rejoice" (#136)
Call to Worship
Psalm 148:13, 14
Norman Moll
James Engel
Gerri Kohtz

\*Hymn of Praise "Now the Joyful Bells" #23 Morning Prayer Gerri Kohtz

#### "Jesus, Our Hope" Presented by the Sabbath School Department

(Please see insert)

Offering Our Gifts Local Church Budget Congregation Offertory "A Diligent and Grateful Heart" (#639) Lois Hill Prayer of Dedication Norman Moll

\*Hymn of Response "O When Shall I See Jesus" #448
Blessing Norman Moll
Postlude "Come, Thou Long - Charles Callahan
Expected Jesus" (#204)

\* Denotes congregation standing to sing

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### Welcome to Worship Today

"When Jesus paid our debt. He left us indebted in another way – not to law but, rather, to grace. We all have accrued, through the death of Jesus Christ, a debt to grace." Dan Jackson

## Events This Week

**Today** Fellowship Meal Following Worship

Vespers 4:30 pm Boaz & LaRae

Sunset 5:01 pm

**Sunday** Fruit Delivery 9 am

**Pick-up** 1 -5 pm

**Monday** Community Services 9-3 pm

**Tuesday** Prayer Meeting 7 pm

**Wednesday** Bulletin material due by 8 pm to Mary

Bukowiec at gidgeeballs@localnet.com.

Thanks!

Friday Sunset 5:04 pm

**Sabbath Speaker** Aaron Cloutier

**Offering** Michigan Advance Partners **Vespers** 4:30 pm Moll/Mercy Families

# Future Worship Services and Events

Dec 25	<b>Newsletter Deadline</b>
Dec 31	Robert Marsh
	New Year's Eve Party 5 pm
Jan 7	Clyde McPherson
Jan 14	Tony Khalil
Jan 21	Jesse Walker
Jan 28	Norman Moll

### Announcements

**Golden Harvest Citrus Fruit Delivery** is expected to arrive at 9 am Sunday, December  $18^{th}$ . There are 300 plus boxes for unloading. We will need at least 5-10 volunteers ready to help unload the truck. Please see Dick Schell if you are willing to help.

Following **our New Years Eve vespers, December 31**st we will have a light fellowship meal and a game night. Along with your dish to pass bring a game or a talent to share. Please share your talents, if you would like to. ( singing, instrumental, poems, short stories...)

Tri-City Seventh-day Adventist School Constituency Meeting will be held at the school on January 8, 2012. The School Board will meet at 5:00 and the Constituency Meeting will begin at 6:00. All members of the Saginaw, Midland, and St. Charles Churches are voting members of the Tri-City SDA School Constituency. Please come and help us as we build up our school enrollment.

**Library** To aid you in preparing your hearts for the coming of Christmas, we have selected some books and videos featuring the theme of Christmas or the life of Jesus. They can be found on the west wall display.

.Stephen Ministry: Christian Care, Compassion, Listening—when you need it most. A trained Stephen Minister is available to serve the congregation. Please see Carol Lanfear

**Spiritual Direction: Deepening Your Relationship with God** A trained Spiritual Director is available to serve the congregation. Please see Carol Lanfear

**Conference Address**: PO Box 24187, Lansing, MI 48909; the address to ship and receive packages, 320 W. St. Joseph, Lansing, 48933.

### Radio/TV Log

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