

Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church

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Sabbath, February 18, 2012

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

Lesson Study "Lord of the Sabbath" 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 Norman Moll
Preparation "O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go" *Albert Peace*
Call to Worship Deuteronomy 32:1-4

*Hymn of Praise "Rock of Ages" #300
Family Prayer Norman Moll

Giving of Gifts Local Church Budget
Lamb's Offering Tri-City SDA School
Offertory "No Other Love" *Janet Grossmann*

Youth Story Ann Ratcliff
Scripture Reading Colossians 3:12, 13 Susan Mercy
Sermon "Forgiveness: God's Impractical Mandate" Ann Ratcliff

*Hymn of Response "Be Still My Soul" #416
Benediction Norman Moll
Postlude "Love Will Be Our Home" *Steven Curtis Chapman*

* Denotes congregation standing to sing

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Welcome to Worship Today

"I know you can do all things and that no one can thwart your plans." Job 42:2, The Clear Word

Events This Week

Today Fellowship Meal Following Worship
Vespers 5:30 pm Brad and Cindi Merrills
Sunset 6:11 pm
Mandy Walker Baby Shower 6:30 pm

Monday Community Services 9-3 pm

Tuesday Prayer Meeting 7 pm

Wednesday "Forks Over Knives" 6 pm
Bulletin material due by 8 pm to Mary
Bukowiec at gidgeeballs@localnet.com.
Thanks!

Friday Sunset 6:18 pm
Prayer group Faith Gray's 7 pm

Sabbath Speaker Norman Moll
Offering Michigan Advance Partners
Praise Report Saginaw Church at 3:30
Newsletter Deadline

Future Worship Services and Events

Feb 26 Wellness Works! 10 am – 4 pm
Feb 29 Plant-Based Cooking Class
Mar 2 Tri-City SDA School concert 10:00 am
Mar 3 Leroy Barnes
Mar 10 Pastor Dronen
Pathfinders following fellowship meal
Tri-City SDA School Vespers 6:00 pm
Mar 9-11 Marriage Commitment Retreat
Mar 17 Dorothy Dalton

Announcements

The documentary "Forks Over Knives" will be shown for the public, this Wednesday at 6 p.m. in the Activity Center. This revealing video provides a strong basis for adopting a plant-based diet, by sharing important research results and tracking the health benefits individuals experienced from this dietary approach. A week later, on February 29 the next Plant-Based Cooking Class begins. Flyers announcing these events are available for sharing on the table in the lobby.

Praise Report next Sabbath, Feb. 25, at the Saginaw Church at 3:30. Everyone is welcome. This event includes reports by each of the churches in our District regarding their Outreach Activities during the past year.

News Letter: Please have your newsletter article into Bea Green by February 25. If you need help contact Reid Tait or Bea Green and we will help you write the article. Let us know if you have pictures or a human interest story. This is your news letter so help us keep it interesting. Reid Tait Editor.

Directory update: Floyd Tubbs, 6847 1/2 Flock Rd., Beaverton, MI 48612

Concert March 2, 2012: the Brass Ensemble from Great Lakes Adventist Academy will be performing a concert at Tri-City SDA School starting at 10:00 in the morning. Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy this free concert.

Tri-City SDA vespers March 10, 2012 The students will be putting on a vespers program followed by a fun night at the school. Vespers begins at 6:00 pm. We will have table games available, a choice of video's to watch and light refreshments. Come and enjoy an enjoyable social evening.

The Marriage Commitment Retreat is held March 9-11, 2012 at beautiful Camp Au Sable, in Grayling, Michigan. There are five seminar sessions throughout the weekend, each one with topics designed to help strengthen your marriage. We will have planned activities for Saturday night and then a special marriage re-commitment service on Sunday morning. Our speakers this year will be Elder Buddy and Carmen Griffith from the Texas

Conference. Make plans now to attend, and do something great for your marriage. To register, call Alyce at 517-316-1543 or ask your pastor, or family life leader, for an application. You can also download an application at misda.org.

A web based screening and educational program to help shield children from harm and abuse has been put in place by the Michigan Conference and the NAD. Completion of this program will become mandatory for any individual who has contact with children in the church or school setting. While there is a fee to complete this process, the Michigan Conference will cover the costs if completed by June 2012. After this date the cost must be born by the local church or school, or by the individual. The Tri-City SDA School encourages anyone who volunteers for the school to complete this process at www.shieldthevulnerable.org. Click on new adult sign up and select Seventh-day Adventist and Michigan Conference. No fee is required if completed before June 1, 2012. If you have any questions or would like individualized assistance please contact Ester Trombley at the school at 989-790-2508.

Notice Don Ervick is serving as head deacon for the months of January and February. Please direct your questions to him.

Library: Among our recent acquisitions we have the 5 disc DVD series, "Love and Respect" by Dr. Emerson Eggerich. It is located on the west wall display (in white sleeves). If you weren't able to attend the seminar, you now have another chance to learn the fundamentals of male/female communication.

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

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)