

Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church

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Sabbath, September 22, 2012

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

Lesson Study "The Antichrist" 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 "In Heaven's Eyes" *Phill McHugh*
Call to Worship Hebrews 2:9-3:6, Phillips NT Norman Moll

*Hymn of Praise "When Morning Gilds the Skies" #43
Family Prayer Pastor Cory Herthel

Giving of Gifts Michigan Advance Partners
Lamb's Offering Tri-City SDA School
Offertory "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" *arr. Lavawan Riley*

Youth Story "How Do You Measure Up?" Pastor Cory Herthel
Scripture Lesson 1 Timothy 1:15-16 (NKJV) Aris Marsh
Sermon "The Lieutenant Chief" Pastor Cory Herthel

*Hymn of Response "To God Be the Glory" #341
Benediction Norman Moll
Postlude "O Magnify the Lord" *Melodie & Dick Tunney*

* Denotes congregation standing to sing

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Welcome to Worship Today

"See how great a love the Father has bestowed on us, that we would be called children of God; and such we are. For this reason the world does not know us, because it did not know Him."

1 John 3:1, NASB

Events This Week

Today Fellowship Meal following worship
Vespers 6 pm with the Merrills family at Bay City State Park
Sunset 7:35 pm

Sunday Emily Hasty Bridal Shower 2 pm

Monday Community Services 9 am – 3 pm

Tuesday Newsletter Deadline
Pathfinders 5-6:45 pm
Prayer Meeting 7 pm

Wednesday Living Free Cooking Class 5:30-7:30 pm
Bulletin material due by 8 pm to Susan Mercy at vegiemama@gmail.com.

Friday Sunset 7:24 pm

Sabbath Speaker Robert Marsh
Offering Local Church Budget
Fellowship Meal Following Worship
Vespers 7 pm "Hope for the Hopeless"

Future Worship Services and Events

Oct 13 Pastor Herthel
Oct 20 Mwemba Mwemba
Oct 27 Pastor Herthel

Announcements

Congratulations to the Peters family on the arrival of Andrew Elisha on Tuesday at 7:07 am. We look forward to welcoming our newest little member.

Vespers Tonight will be a vespers/potluck at Bay City State Park, picnic shelter 1 or 2. We will eat at 6 pm with vespers to follow. This is a joint vespers with other area churches invited as well.

A Bridal Shower for Emily Hasty (Drew Weaver's fiancée) will be held tomorrow at 2 pm in the activity center.

Sigma Alpha Iota presents a recital of Midland musicians tomorrow at 7 pm at Chapel Lane Presbyterian Church, located at 5501 Jefferson Ave. Susan Mercy & Dorothy Moll are among those participating.

Vespers Next Week Kaitlyn Mercy and Anna Alvarez will present "Hope for the Hopeless", a program of musical and spoken inspiration. The public is invited.

Newsletter Bea Green and Reid Tait need your newsletter articles and calendar information by September 25 in order to be included in the October newsletter. Anyone can submit an article for consideration for inclusion in the newsletter. Thank you.

The Living Free Plant Based Cooking Class is proceeding well with over 25 in attendance. This week's topic is Carbohydrates and Sugar. Class members are excited about the vegan options being introduced, with this week featuring ways to make dairy-free ice cream. The help provided by our church family and others is greatly appreciated.

The Church Voted in business session that potlucks will only be held on the 2nd & 4th Sabbaths of the month. This will be effective October 6th.

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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)

"In Heaven's Eyes"

By Phill McHugh

A fervent prayer raise up to heaven,
A fragile soul was losing ground;
Sorting through the earthly babble,
Heaven heard the sound.

This was a life of no distinction,
No successes, only tries;
Yet gazing down on this unlovely one,
There was love in heaven's eyes.

Chorus

In heaven's eyes there are no losers,
In heaven's eyes, no hopeless cause;
Only people like you with feelings like me,
Amazed by the grace we can find in heaven's eyes.

The orphan child, the wayward father,
The homeless traveler in the rain;
When life goes by and no one bothers,
Heaven feels the pain.
Looking down God sees each heartache,
Knows each sorrow, hears each cry;
And looking up we'll see compassion's fire
Ablaze in heaven's eyes.
(repeat chorus)