Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church

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Sabbath, October 18, 2014

The Church at Study (9:20-10:25 a.m.)

Lesson Study "Enduring Temptation" Classes

Personal Ministries (10:30-10:45 a.m.) Kandi Update Quentin Platt Worship in Song and Praise (10:50-11:00 a.m.)

The Church at Worship (11:00 a.m.)

Welcome		Dorothy Da	alton
Preparation	"My Lord, What a Mornin"	Traditional Spir	ritual
Call to Worship	"God's Word"	7	#753
*Opening Hymn	"Immortal, Invisible, God	Only Wise"	#21
Family Prayer		Norman	Moll

Giving of Gifts	Local Church Budget	Dorothy Dalton
Lambs' Offering	Tri-City SDA School Subsidy	
Offertory	"Eternal God,-	Traditional -
	Whose Power Upholds" (#90)	English Melody
Youth Story	0	Freg Leuenberger
Scripture	Proverbs 30:5	Chris Rickel
Sermon		Greg Leuenberger
	How Did I Get Here?"	
*Closing Hymn	"Give Me the Bible"	#272
Benediction		Dorothy Dalton
Postlude	"It Is Well with My Soul" (#530	o) Philip Bliss

*Denotes congregation standing to sing

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Welcome to Worship Today

"Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will." Romans 12:2 NIV

Events This Week

Today	Fellowship Meal no meal following service Vespers Norman Moll / Quentin Platt Sunset 6:50 pm
Sunday	Aerts/Horn bridal shower 1 - 4 pm
Monday	Community Services 9 am – 3 pm
Tuesday	Pathfinder Meeting 4:30-6:15 pm Prayer Meeting 7 pm
Wednesday	Bulletin material due by 8 pm to bulletin@midlandsda.org.
Thursday	Living Free Cooking Class - Fats 5:30 pm
Friday	Sunset 6:41 pm
Sabbath	Speaker Pastor Herthel Offering Union Conference Fellowship Meal following the service Exercise and Medicine 5:30 p.m. Michigan Men of Faith - GLAA Cedar Lake

Future Worship Services and Events

October 30	Elders Meeting 6:30 pm
November 1	Young Adults
November 8	Diana Bruch
November 15	David Moll
-	Pathfinder Induction

Announcements

Membership Transfer - First Reading: Daniel and Maresa Goodin from the Glendale Seventh-day Adventist Church (Indianapolis, IN) to the Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church. A second reading and vote will be conducted next Sabbath.

Vespers tonight at 7 will bring pictures and stories from right out of Benin, Africa from the perspective of Quentin Platt, AFM Student Missionary recently returned from a year in Kandi where he worked with the Bade family. Voodoo, Outreach to Muslims, spirit possession, dealing with spells and curses, financial challenges, the clash of cultures, sacrifice for the gospel. . . it's all part of what a Student Missionary is called to face. Ample time for questions will be included.

Thanks to your support and prayers, the **Lifestyle Change Plant- Based Cooking Class** is off to a good start. Check with Dorothy or Norman if you would like to volunteer.

Elders' Meeting: Thursday, October 30th at 6:30pm

Attention Ladies! Come celebrate the upcoming marriage of Femke Aerts and Jeff Horn with us during her Bridal Shower in the activity center on **October 19** from **1-4 pm**! They are registered at Macy's and Bed Bath & Beyond, and can be found under either of their names. Please RSVP to Amy Nadane at <u>nadane03@gmail.com</u> or <u>989-513-2283</u>, for important details and to allow for adequate food preparations! We hope to see you there!

Outreach Fund Appeal. The Outreach Committee and Church Board have approved an outreach ministry plan for our church. This plan includes GLOW Tract ministry, Google Search advertisements for Bible studies, Strong Tower Radio billboards, and health outreach events. These efforts will encourage participants to attend evangelistic meetings scheduled for March 28 to April 24, 2015. The total cost of these activities and meetings is estimated at \$8,000 more than the current Evangelism/Outreach Fund balance. Please consider giving directly to the Evangelism/Outreach Fund to support our church's outreach plans. Thank you! Drew Weaver, Outreach Ministry Leader. Saturday, October 18 at 6:30 pm **Mission Trip Fundraiser at the Saginaw SDA Church. Rescheduled due to Men of Faith on** Oct 25th. Pastor Benjamin Garcia and his family are going on a mission trip to Brazil this Thanksgiving where they will minister to village people living along the Amazon River. You are invited to a special **vespers**, **dinner and silent auction** to raise money for the trip. Bring your family and friends! For more information about the trip or how to find out how to donate if you can't attend, please visit their website at: <u>http://</u>www.youcaring.com/mission-trip-fundraiser/brazil-mission-trip-2014/195696. **Please RSVP by** Wed, Oct 15 **to Amy Matz at** (765) 620-7153.

Calling men of all ages! Come and spend an evening with Dr. Jack Pinney of Mid Michigan Physicians Group-Well Sport, who will be discussing men's health issues in his topic entitled "Exercise is Medicine" on October 25, beginning at 5:30pm. Ladies we are counting on you to encourage the man/men in your lives to come to this eye opening and inspiring evening where they will be reminded of the importance of taking care of that masculine body that God so wonderfully created. So gentlemen, bring your co-workers, neighbors, brothers, and friends and treat your selves to a quiet and relaxing evening away from the hassle and bustle of life. A light supper will be provided! Questions about the event? Contact Hope Mwemba or Dick Schell.

Michigan Men of Faith will be on October 25, 2014 at Great Lakes Adventist Academy in Cedar Lake Michigan. The main speaker will be Chad Bernard, principal of Weimar Academy in California. Registration is open from Sept. 30- Oct. 20. To register online, go to <u>www.campausable.org</u> and click on Registration, then click on Upcoming Sessions. Cost:\$10/person, Lunch: \$6/meal, Supper: \$6/meal For questions, <u>contact 517-316-1570</u>.

Seminars by the Tri-City Learning Center The most recent schedule of lyceums (one day presentations) and seminars (multi-session presentations) offered by the Tri-City Learning Center , is posted on the church bulletin board. These presentations are located at the Tri-City SDA Elementary School's Adult Education room. Hello All, Greetings in the name of our Lord ! **The Young Adults' Sabbath** will be on November 1st, and, as a build up to this great day, there will be a **Music Concert** at our Church on **Friday, October 31st,** starting from **6:30 pm** till **7:45 pm**, with dinner being served from <u>5:30 pm</u>. The Theme for the day will be : "**What a Friend We Have !**" Any member wishing to perform is **most** welcome and needs to contact me so as to be put on the program. We seek your support and PRAYERS as we approach this event and request you to invite a friend or friends. Be Blessed. Vincent Ongori 509-263-7128

Online Computer Class This week's installment of Carol's Computer Class is part 2 of Forget the Stamp, Learn to Use Email. Just go to <u>http://CarolsComputerClass.wordpress.com</u> Remember you can email any computer or iPad questions to Carol at Carol.Lanfear@zoho.com or write them on a piece of paper and hand it to her, if this lesson on email is particularly apropos to you.

Adventist Radio and TV Programming

Strong Tower Radio - 90.7 FM 3ABN TV

Over the Air Channels (via antenna) 3ABN TV 24-1, 3ABN Proclaim 24-2, Dare to Dream 24-3, 3ABN Latino 24-4, 3ABN Radio 24-5, 6, 7 Charter Cable - Channel 150 Dish Network - Channel 9393

It Is Written TV

TBN (Trinity Broadcasting), Sundays at 1:30 pm

Church Contact Information

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