

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**We praise God and give Him the glory for great** news Bea Green received recently. She had medical tests done which resulted in a biopsy for possible cancer. The biopsy report was a resounding "Totally benign." Bea is so thankful for her church family's prayers. God is faithful and good....all the time!!

**Sadie Smoot** would like to thank all those who sent cards and came to visit her while she was in rehab.

**A big thank you** to my church family for all the help you gave me after my fall. Many prayers, the food, driving me to my doctor appointments and the grocery store and other places. May God keep you in His hands until He comes again. With blessings and love. Faith

**M-DOT.** A very special thank you for all who turned out, rain or its threat did not deter you, it was a record turnout and it was 9:01 when we completed the task. Another special thank you to Anneriet and Lois for the waffle breakfast enjoyed by all. Dick Schell

**Tracing the Footsteps of Jesus.** This past Tuesday evening we began a new Blu-Ray video series for Prayer Meeting. There are 28 presentations in total for this series which outline the life, ministry, crucifixion, resurrection, and second coming of Christ. The entire program is filmed in the holy land, highlighting the places spoken of in Scripture. Plan on coming out and joining us each Tuesday night at 7:00 PM!

**HELP NEEDED:** The Community Service Center annual coat give away is Thursday, October 15 from 8:30 to 3:00. Set up day is Wednesday, October 14, 9:00- 12:00. If you can spare time to help set up or help on the day of the give-away it really will be appreciated! Please contact Gerri Kohtz if you are able to help or if you aren't sure but on the day have some free time just drop by for an hour or two. Thanks

## ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONTINUED)

**Deacon/Deaconess Seminar:** Elder Royce Snyman will be at our church and will present a seminar for all past, present and future deacons and deaconesses. This will occur on Sabbath afternoon, October 31 from 2 to 4 PM. Your presence is desired. Area district churches are invited. I believe we will all be blessed and be better qualified to serve our congregation and guests who come to visit our church. Hope to see all there. We will also have a **planned fellowship lunch of soup and sandwiches**, as Elder Snyman will be speaking for church service that day also. There is a sign-up sheet on the kitchen island counter for what you would like to contribute to the meal. God Bless, Chris Rickel

**Online Computer Class.** This week's installment starts a series on El Capitan, Apple's newly released operating system for Macs. This lesson is about how to prepare for and install El Capitan. Just go to <http://CarolsComputerClass.wordpress.com> Any questions can be emailed to Carol at [Carol.Lanfear@zoho.com](mailto:Carol.Lanfear@zoho.com).

**Women of the church.** You are invited to a baby shower for Janelle ( Mark's wife) Kohtz on November 1 at 3:00 PM in the church activity center. Please RSVP to [Amanda.Kohtz@gmail.com](mailto:Amanda.Kohtz@gmail.com) or [GerriannK@aol.com](mailto:GerriannK@aol.com) by October 20th. More information is on the bulletin board. Hope to see you there. Gerri Kohtz

**Sabbath School Lessons.** Do you want to go deeper into the Sabbath School lessons for this quarter? The church library can help. We have Heschel's *The Prophets* (221.92 Hes), Keil and Delitzsch's *Commentary vol 8* (to be used in the library) and of course *Prophets and Kings* (229 Whi).



“. . . he was afraid; and beginning to sink he cried out, saying, “Lord, save me!”  
Matthew 14:30

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## WELCOME

The image on the cover depicts the marvelous story of Jesus found in Matthew 14:22-33. Jesus was walking on the stormy sea, and bold Peter attempted to do the same. When Peter took his eyes off Jesus he began sinking into the water. Peter cried frantically, "Lord, save me," and Jesus immediately stretched out his hand and rescued Peter.

Our lives are often buffeted by the waves of trials, stress, and uncertainty. Jesus readily offers his hand to rescue us, just like He rescued Peter. We hope you find Jesus, His love, and His desire to rescue you during our services today. Welcome to the Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church!

## WE BELIEVE

As a church family, we believe God loves us and wants us to spend eternity with Him. We take God's Word, the Bible, seriously. We study it diligently because it is filled with messages of hope and instructions for living rich, fulfilling lives, including observing a Sabbath of rest, healthful living, loving and forgiving others, and much more. To learn more about our beliefs, please visit [www.adventist.org/beliefs](http://www.adventist.org/beliefs).

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### Radio and TV Ministry

Strong Tower Radio 90.7 FM

3ABN TV Over-the-Air Channels 24-1 to 24-7  
Charter Channel 150  
Dish Network Channel 9393

## WE STUDY

9:30 AM

### Lesson Study

"The Crisis (Within and Without)"

## WE MINISTER TO OTHERS

10:30 AM

## WE SING

10:50 AM

## WE WORSHIP

11:00 AM

### Welcome

Dick Schell

### Preparation

"Jesus, My Friend" • *arr. by Phillip Kevern*

### Call to Worship

Baptism • 759

### Hymn of Praise

"Lift High the Cross" • 362

### Baptism of Mary Yates

Pastor Herthel

### Family Prayer

Dan Chase

### Giving of Gifts

Dick Schell

#### Offering

Offering: Voice of Prophecy -  
La Voz de la Esperanza

#### Lamb's Offering Offertory

Tri-City School Subsidy  
"Crown Him With Many Crowns" •  
*Matthew Bridges and Godfrey Thring*

### Special Music

"We will Glorify" • *Twila Paris*

### Scripture

Matthew 28:18-20 • Dick Schell

### Sermon

"Ministry Macros" • Pastor Herthel

### Hymn of Response

"The Wonder of it All" • 75

### Benediction

Pastor Herthel

### Postlude

"Medley of Praise" • *arr. by Phillip Kevern*

ELDER: Dick Schell • DEACON: John Bartolo

SPECIAL MUSIC: Ladies Chorus

CHORISTER: Hope Mwemba • PIANIST: Christal Herthel

## THE COMING WEEK

### Today

Pastor Herthel

Fellowship Meal

Sundown 7:02 PM

### Monday

Community Services 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

### Tuesday

Prayer Meeting 7:00 PM

### Wednesday

Bulletin material due by 8:00 PM to  
[bulletin@midlandsda.org](mailto:bulletin@midlandsda.org)

### Friday

Sunset 6:52 PM

### Sabbath

Russell Murnighan

Offering: Local Church Budget  
No Fellowship Meal  
Vespers – Marilyn Butcher

## FUTURE EVENTS

### Oct 22

Elder Meeting 6:30 PM

### Oct 23-25

Family First Camp AuSable

### Oct 24

Robert Marsh

### Oct 31

Royce Snyman

### Nov 13-15

Crystal Mountain Marriage Retreat