

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Baptism.** We invite our church family to join us as we celebrate Aidan's decision to be baptized on Sabbath July 23<sup>rd</sup> at 5 PM. Aidan has chosen to be baptized in the river behind the Khalil's home at 1042 E. Pine River Rd. Afterward a picnic supper will be provided. Please bring lawn chairs and wear comfortable shoes for the walk down to the riverbank. A golf cart will be available to transport those for whom walking is difficult. You are welcome to park anywhere in the driveway, the yard, or along the sides of the road.

**Vespers today at 7:00 PM.** With Marilyn Winters (Academy friend of Marilyn Butcher and Bob Rau). 'What I have Learned in 75 Years' – Marilyn will explain how a study of the book of Revelation has changed her thinking and given her a new perspective of her Father in Heaven that she has learned to love and treasure.

**FLAG Camp this week, July 18-22.** Day summer camp where children between the ages of 5-13 can have Fun Learning About God (FLAG). Starting Monday July 18-22 from 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM. Please keep this new ministry in your prayers. Questions may be directed to Pedro Osorio or Aaron Cloutier.

**Music.** Ladies–Interested in joining our ladies' choir? We are planning to activate our ladies' choir which has been much appreciated by our church family. This is an opportunity for you to sing praises to the Lord and to cultivate Christian friendships. Please contact Hope Mwemba or Chris Rickel for details.

Church family–If you know members of your family, church members, or visiting family or friends who might be willing to share their musical talents during the worship service, we'd appreciate your suggesting their names to Ardith Tait, Michelle Cloutier, or Chris Rickel.

**Adult Sabbath School Classes.** Locations and teachers for 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter classes: Activity Center with Mwemba Mwemba and Ardith Tait; Sanctuary with Dan Chase, Aaron Cloutier, and Dorothy Dalton; Basic Beliefs in the library with Pastor Herthel, John Bartolo, Kevin Horn, and David Moll. May God bless us as we study His word this quarter.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONTINUED)

**Bible Study Seminars.** Our Hebrews Seminar led by Pastor Quillin has completed its study of all 13 chapters. Audio will still be available online at <https://UnlockHebrews.wordpress.com> Pastor Quillin will begin a new chapter-by-chapter weekly seminar series on the Book of Revelation on August 4<sup>th</sup>. These seminars will be held at our church on Thursday evenings at 6:30 PM.

**Tri-City Learning Center.** Please consider attending the following upcoming events at our Tri-City School (3955 Kochville Rd. Saginaw).

**Bible Questions & Answers (Pastor Quillin)**  
Wednesdays, 5:30 -7:00 PM - 5 Meetings beginning August 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**Gospel of John (Pastor Quillin)**  
Tuesdays, 6:30 PM – Weekly meetings beginning August 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**Video: Waldensees of the Alps**  
Saturday, 2:30 PM, July 30<sup>th</sup>.

**Pastor's Schedule:** Pastor Herthel will be away from Sunday, July 10<sup>th</sup> to Sunday July 17<sup>th</sup> and Friday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> to Monday, July 25<sup>th</sup>. You may contact one of our local elders for any pastoral care needs during that time

**Summer Fellowship Meals.** We would like to encourage you to bring salads, sandwiches, fruits, and in general more summer picnic type of foods.

**Audio CD Recordings** of today's church service are available at the AV booth at the rear of the sanctuary following the service.

**Having Trouble Hearing?** Portable hearing assistance units are available at the AV booth.



“. . . Then he calls his friends and neighbors together and says, 'Rejoice with me; I have found my lost sheep.'"  
Luke 15:6

**JULY 16, 2016**

**SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**  
2420 East Ashman Street • Midland, Michigan 48642

## WELCOME

The image on the cover depicts the marvelous lost sheep parable of Jesus found in Luke 15:3-7. The church leaders were muttering that Jesus spent time with sinners. Jesus responded with the story of a shepherd who has 100 sheep, but loses one of them. With great urgency, the shepherd hunts for the lost sheep. When he finds it, he rejoices with his friends and neighbors that the sheep has been rescued.

Jesus then states that heaven rejoices greatly when one sinner repents and entrusts his life with God. 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 the love of Jesus, along with instructions for living rich fulfilling lives, observing a Sabbath of rest, living healthfully, 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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### Tri-City Seventh-day Adventist School

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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** "Just and Mercy in the Old Testament: Part 1"

## WE MINISTER TO OTHERS

10:30 AM

**Outreach Program** "Health Ministries"

## WE SING

10:50 AM

## WE WORSHIP

11:00 AM

**Welcome** Dorothy Dalton

**Preparation** "Seekers of Your Heart" • *Tunney and Darnell*

**Call to Worship** "Psalm 89:8-11, 13-15" • 855

**Opening Hymn** "We Gather Together" • 8

**Family Prayer** Yasmin Osorio

**Giving of Gifts** Dorothy Dalton  
Offering Local Church Budget  
Lamb's Offering Tri-City School Subsidy  
Offertory "He Leadeth Me! O Blessed Thought"  
• Arr. by Jeff Bennett

**Children's Story** Kamil Metz

**Special Music**

**Scripture** Matthew 5:16 • Christine Rickel

**Sermon** "P.U.S.H." • Kamil Metz

**Hymn of Response** "My Hope is Built on Nothing Less" • 522

**Benediction** Dorothy Dalton

**Postlude** " My Heart Ever Faithful" • J. S. Bach

ELDER: Dorothy Dalton • DEACON: Don Ervick  
PIANIST: Kathy Johnson • CHORISTER: Bob Rau

## THE COMING WEEK

**Today** Kamil Metz  
No fellowship meal  
Vespers with Marilyn Winters 7:00 PM

**Monday** Community Services 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM  
FLAG Camp 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

**Tuesday** No Prayer Meeting  
Board meeting 6:00 PM  
FLAG Camp 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

**Wednesday** Bulletin material due by 8:00 PM to  
[bulletin@midlandsda.org](mailto:bulletin@midlandsda.org)  
FLAG Camp 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

**Thursday** FLAG Camp 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

**Friday** Sunset 9:10 PM  
FLAG Camp 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

**Sabbath** Speaker: David Moll  
Offering: Local Conference Advanced  
Fellowship meal

## FUTURE EVENTS

**July 26** Elders' Meeting 6:30 PM

**July 30** Aaron Cloutier

**August 4** Advanced Revelation Series with Pastor Quillin  
6:30 PM

**August 6** Pastor Herthel

**August 11** Advanced Revelation Series with Pastor Quillin  
6:30 PM

**August 13** Dorothy Dalton

**August 18-21** District Six Retreat at Camp Au Sable

**August 27** Pastor Herthel

**September 3** Hope Mwemba