

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Special Music Vespers: Please join your church family for a special music vespers tonight at 5:00 PM. Mac McDonald, Matt Mwemba, Aidan Khalil, David and Eric Moll, Maressa Goodin and Esther Nanasi and Nathan and Hilary Hall will be sharing their musical talents with us. Come and enjoy the music and fellowship with your church family.

Training on giving Bible studies will take place here at Midland Church today at 2:30 PM. Have you sensed the Holy Spirit leading you to study with someone, but just felt ill-equipped? Pastor Herthel will be offering tips and tools on how to guide a Bible Study, lead others to making a decision for Jesus, answer objections, and more! Michigan Conference just recently rolled out the statewide BibleStudyOffer.com and we need as many of you as possible to be ready to receive the new interests that God will surely lead to us through this endeavor. If you've signed up to be a Bible Study Leader or have interest in doing so, please plan to attend this training.

Board Meeting: Tuesday, December 13th at 6:00 PM

Baptism of Kendra Pelletier will be held on Thursday evening, December 22nd at 7:00 PM.

40% is a Heavy Responsibility- Strong Tower Radio (STR) now covers 40% Michigan's population at the cost of **10 cents a person** but it adds up to **\$416,000 per year**. Please **remember STR in your Christmas Giving!** Give at StrongTowerRadio.org, by calling 231-468-2087 or mailing PO Box 567, Cadillac, MI 49601

Have you had losses? Job loss, death, divorce, a life-changing illness, loss of friends because of a major move? Maybe the Grief Recovery Seminar is for you. Discussion with others who are also in grief can be helpful. The Grief Recovery Seminar is designed to take 1.5 hours per week for 5 weeks. If you are interested, see Carol Lanfear about scheduling.

Juletide Concert. This year's Juletide Concert will be **tomorrow**, Sunday, December 4 at 2:00 PM at CMU's Staples Family Concert Hall in the music building. Enjoy the various university choirs and musical ensembles as they perform seasonal music from different countries and centuries. From Mission Street turn west onto Preston Street then immediately turn south onto East Campus Drive.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Pray without ceasing, 1 Thessalonians 5:17

- Lois Schell
- Todd Bissonnette -- sister Joanne cancer diagnosis
- Sherry Skym and family -- grieving after loss of Gary
- Esmaraldo Saez -- cancer
- Caleb Boone (Tucker) -- 7 year old with kidney cancer
- Kendra -- cancer
- Andy Morley -- lung teratoma surgery
- Lori -- breast cancer (Stacey Mapes sister)
- Helen newly diagnosed breast cancer
- Health Expo on December 11 -- planning
- Breke -- Head injury, in rehab
- Bible study participants
- Baptismal candidates
- Kathy Johnson -- cancer
- Ellen Zeroff - cancer
- Holiday travelers

American Red Cross is seeking volunteers willing to help with Disaster Services and/or deploy for the current ongoing relief efforts in Louisiana, Florida, Georgia, North and South Carolina. Contact Victoria Fryer 517-702-3338 Victoria.fryer@redcross.org

Parenting Seminar. Sabbath, December 10 from 2:00 till 6:30 PM, Scott Ritsema will offer a Parenting Seminar at the Grace A Dow Memorial Library.

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

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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.

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Radio and TV Ministry

Strong Tower Radio 90.7 FM

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Charter Channel 150
Dish Network Channel 9393

WE STUDY

9:30 AM

Lesson Study

"The Wrath of Elihu"

WE MINISTER TO OTHERS

10:30 AM

Outreach Program

Esther Nanasi

WE SING

10:50 AM

WE WORSHIP

11:00 AM

Welcome

Greg Leuenberger

Preparation

"In Christ Alone" • Carol Tornquist

Call to Worship

"Shout Joyfully to the Lord" • 701

Hymn of Praise

"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" • 12

Family Prayer

Nathan Hall

Giving of Gifts

Greg Leuenberger

Offering

Local Church Budget

Lamb's Offering

Tri-City School Subsidy

Offertory

"10,000 Reasons" • Carol Tornquist

Children's Story

Pastor Royce Snyman

Scripture Memorization

Ana Osorio

Scripture

Revelation 3:17-21 • Matthew Mwemba

Sermon

"Can You See?" • Pastor Royce Snyman

Hymn of Response

"O Brother, Be Faithful" • 602

Benediction

Greg Leuenberger

Postlude

"Shout to the Lord" • Carol Tornquist

ELDER: Greg Leuenberger • DEACON: Dennis Nadane
PIANIST: Brenda Khalil • CHORISTER: Bob Rau

THE COMING WEEK

Today

Pastor Royce Snyman
Fellowship Meal
Bible Study Training 2:30 PM
Musical Vespers 5:00 PM
Sunset 5:00 PM

Monday

Community Services 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Wednesday

Bulletin material due by 8:00 PM to
bulletin@midlandsda.org

Thursday

Advanced Revelation Series with Pastor Quillin
6:30 PM

Friday

Sunset 5:00 PM

Sabbath

Pastor Herthel - Communion
Offering: World Budget - Adventist Community
Services
Fellowship Meal
Parenting Seminar at DOW Library
2:00 PM to 6:30 PM

FUTURE EVENTS

December 13

Board Meeting 6:00 PM

December 11

Health Expo at Midland Community Center
8:00 AM to 5:00 PM

December 15

Advanced Revelation Series with Pastor Quillin
6:30 PM

December 17

Drew Weaver

December 22

Baptism of Kendra Pelletier

December 24

Stacey Mapes

December 31

Greg Leuenberger