

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome. We welcome Pastor Leroy Bruch and his wife, Diana, to our services today. Pastor Bruch, who will present today's sermon, has served as the Treasurer of the Michigan Conference since 2001. Diana is the Director for Adventist Community Service for the Michigan Conference.

Fellowship Meal. Please join us following the church service for a wonderful vegetarian fellowship meal in the activity center. Today's menu will feature picnic-style food.

Sad News. We received news that Myrtle Siewert passed away approximately one week ago. Myrtle was the wife of Pastor Don Siewert who pastored our Midland church in the 1980s. If you would like to send a card or message of condolence to Pastor Siewert, his address is: 1017 Sinnock Ave, Moberly, Missouri 65270.

The Annual Faith Fowler Corn Roast will take place this year on August 20, 2017 at 2 PM. Faith's address is 4245 Lyle Rd Coleman, MI, 48618. Please bring a dish to pass, a lawn chair, and a swimsuit if you like. We hope to see you all there!

The Tittabawassee Turtles Pathfinder Club invites all interested children ages 10-16 to the first club meeting and registration on Thursday, August 24, 2017, at 6:30 PM at the Midland SDA Church. Parents, please plan on attending the first meeting to register your child. There is a \$30 non-refundable uniform fee. For questions, contact Glen Zimmerman at Zimmerman@gmail.com or (989) 640-5784.

Loons on the Lawn. The church family is going to go to a Loons game on Aug 16, 2017 and we would like everyone to join us! Everyone has to pay their own way and bring a lawn chair. The game starts at 7:05 PM but come early to get a lawn seat. We are all going to sit on the lawn right near the playground. We hope to see you there.

Fundraising - Arabs of the Maghreb. Michée Badé and his family are beginning a new North African Muslim mission project. Please consider helping with these goals: 1) raise \$32,000 cash for project launching, and 2) receive pledges totaling \$2,000/month for three years. To pledge, complete the form and place in the offering plate or give to Nathan Hall. Donations can be made using offering envelopes marked "Arabs of the Maghreb". Both launch fund and pledge goals must be met by August 19 if the project is to launch as scheduled.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONTINUED)

"I remember you in my prayers night and day," 2 Tim 1:3b

- Dick and Lois
- Pastor Thompson -- re-locating
- Derald Marsh
- Active Bible studies
- Unlock Revelation preparations & participation
- Fair Booth planning
- Those needing employment
- Our guests today
- Our speaker
- District 6 weekend activities
- Cheryl Bissonette -- thanks for healing of leg
- Members of the Wilson church in UP -- hit by lightning burning it to the ground

District 6 Retreat at Camp Au Sable. August 17-20. See the brochure for more details. Contact Jerry Sundberg for more information at (989) 621-7729.

Prayer Meeting. Weekly we will be meeting at the church one half hour before Sabbath School to join our hearts and voices in prayer with a focus on our upcoming Unlock Revelation meetings. Come and join us as we lay the groundwork for a successful evangelistic outreach

The Tri-City School is looking for a part-time teacher's aide for the upcoming school year starting August 21, 2017. For more information please contact the principal (Esther Nanasi) at (530) 592-8468 or via email at TriCitySDASchool@gmail.com.

Do you know someone who is musically talented? Maybe it's you, a family member or a close friend. Our Midland SDA Church is in need of people who are willing to share their musical talents for the Lord. Our needs include special music and leading congregational singing. Even if you don't like to lead, we can pair you with someone else to lead as a team. Please contact Hilary and Nathan Hall with any recommendations you have at (402) 770-0842 (Nathan) or (616) 634-5193 (Hilary).

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

AUGUST 12, 2017

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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Tri-City Seventh-day Adventist School

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Adventist Community Services Center

1113 E Carpenter 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM on Mondays
Director: Gerri Kohtz • (989) 835-3675

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

10:30 AM

Lesson Study

"The Road to Faith"

WE MINISTER TO OTHERS

11:30 AM

Outreach

Mission Sonlight -- Mark Yates

WE SING

11:50 AM

WE WORSHIP

12:00 AM

Welcome

David Moll

Preparation

"Sweet Hour of Prayer" • *William Bradbury*

Hymn of Praise

"'Tis Almost Time for the Lord to Come" • 212

Family Prayer

Ardith Tait

Giving of Gifts

David Moll

Offering

World Budget

Lamb's Offering

Tri-City School Subsidy

Offertory

"Like a River Glorious" • *James Mountain*

Children's Story

Pastor Leroy Bruch

Ordination Service

Pastor Leroy Bruch

Scripture

Isaiah 60:1-3 • Cheryl Bissonnette

Sermon

"When the Lights Go Out . . ." • Pastor Leroy Bruch

Hymn of Response

"Let Every Lamp Be Burning" • 595

Benediction

David Moll

Postlude

"He Keeps Me Singing" • *Luther Bridgers*

ELDER: David Moll • DEACON: Greg Leuenburger

PIANIST: Eric Moll • CHORISTER: Bob Rau

THE COMING WEEK

Today

Pastor Leroy Bruch
Fellowship Meal
Sunset 8:47 PM

Monday

Community Services 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Wednesday

Bulletin material due by 8:00 PM to
bulletin@midlandsda.org
Loons on the Lawn 7:05 PM

Thursday

District 6 at Camp AuSable Starts
Registration 3:30 to 5:00 PM

Friday

District 6 at Camp AuSable Continues
Louis Torres at Camp AuSable 7:00 PM

Sabbath

Sabbath School at Camp AuSable 9:15 AM
Louis Torres at Camp AuSable 10:45 AM
Video Sermon at Midland
Offering: Local Combined Budget
No Fellowship Meal at Midland
Louis Torres at Camp AuSable 7:00 PM
Sunset 8:37 PM

FUTURE EVENTS

August 20

District 6 at Camp AuSable Ends
Fowler Corn Roast 2:00 PM

August 21

Tri-City School Starts

August 24

Pathfinders 6:30 PM

August 26

Pastor Thompson

September 2

Pastor Thompson

September 9

Pastor Thompson

September 16

Pastor Thompson