

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Michée Badé Project Matching Funds Update (10/3/17). Praise the Lord! Our church family has contributed an additional \$5,062 to the Michée Badé Adventist Frontier Mission (AFM) project in Africa. This brings Midland's total to \$14,129, including an additional \$5,026 of matching funds from a generous Midland donor. These funds are for the cash launch goal of \$32,000. We are waiting for an update from AFM, but we know at least \$8,495 has been contributed by other churches. The \$32,000 goal is in sight! Michée is hoping to buy plane tickets for departure at the end of October, but additional funds are still needed. Since the matching commitment is still in place, can you help push this fundraising over the goal line?

Halloween Alternative Giveaway. Give away 'Your Story Hour' CDs instead of candy. For a \$30 gift to Strong Tower Radio, you will receive 50 CDs, kids' Bible study post cards, and promo cards. Call 231-468-2087 to order soon!

Camp Au Sable Work Week October 16-19. The Camp Au Sable Staff is looking for volunteers during Fall Work Week, October 16-19, to knock out their long to-do list. They rely heavily on volunteers to keep camp costs low and the camp running smoothly. All housing and meals are provided during the week. Pre-registration is required by calling the camp office at (989)348-5491 or email cas@misda.org.

"Family First" Family Retreat October 27-29, 2017 and **Crystal Mountain Marriage Retreat** November 10-12, 2017: For more information see the church bulletin board. You may also call Alyce at 517-316-1543 or download an application at www.misda.org (Family Life).

Prayer Meeting. We will be meeting weekly at the church one half hour before Sabbath School to join our hearts and voices in prayer with a focus on our continuing Unlock Revelation meetings.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONTINUED)

"Hear in heaven their prayer and their supplication, and maintain their cause." 1 Kings 8:45

- Dick and Lois
- Our guests today
- Las Vegas Massacre – victims and families grieving loss
- Hurricane victims and their families
- Earthquake victims and their families
- Unlock Revelation meetings, leaders, and attendees
- Pastor Quillin, Linda, and the St. Charles Unlock Revelation meetings

New Church Facebook Page. Our new church Facebook page is active and can be found at [Facebook.com/midlandadventist](https://www.facebook.com/midlandadventist) or by searching Facebook for Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church or by clicking on the Facebook icon on the church website. Please 👍 Like our page to stay updated on church news and events as well as expanding the reach to our community by sharing with your friends on Facebook. For suggestions, ideas, or events please contact Eric Moll at edmoll13@gmail.com or send to Facebook@midlandsda.org.

Unlock Revelation. Did you miss a meeting or wish to review what you heard? You can hear the audio of our Unlock Revelation meetings online at <https://UnlockRevelation2.wordpress.com>. You can also subscribe to the podcast through iTunes for putting Unlock Revelation 2 into the iTunes Store search engine. Then just click subscribe then the podcast information comes up.

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

OCTOBER 7, 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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Hours: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM on Mondays

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 Apostle Paul in Rome"

WE MINISTER TO OTHERS

11:30 AM

"Bacteria: Friend or Foe - Part 2" David Moll

WE SING

11:50 AM

WE WORSHIP

12:00 AM

Welcome Dorothy Dalton

Preparation "In the Garden" • *arr. by Martha Mier*

Hymn of Praise "Rock of Ages" • 300

Family Prayer Robert Marsh

Giving of Gifts Dorothy Dalton
Offering Local Church Budget
Lamb's Offering Tri-City School Subsidy
Offertory "God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending"
• *arr. by Michael Larkin*

Children's Story Pastor Thompson

Scripture Luke 22:31-32 • Bob Rau

Sermon "Maybe This Is Good" • Pastor Thompson

Hymn of Response "The Wonder of It All" • 75

Benediction Dorothy Dalton

Postlude "Sweet Hour of Prayer" • *arr. by Martha Mier*

ELDER: Dorothy Dalton • DEACON: Wilbur Rickel
PIANIST: Brenda Khalil • CHORISTERS: Stacey Mapes

THE COMING WEEK

Today Pastor Thompson
No Fellowship Meal
Unlock Revelation 7:00 PM
Sunset 7:08 PM

Monday Community Services 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Unlock Revelation 7:00 PM

Tuesday Unlock Revelation 7:00 PM

Wednesday Church Board Meeting at 6:30pm
Bulletin material due by 8:00 PM to bulletin@midlandsda.org

Thursday Unlock Revelation 7:00 PM

Sabbath Unlock Revelation 12 Noon
Offering: World Budget: NAD Voice of Prophecy
Fellowship Meal
Sunset 6:56 PM

FUTURE EVENTS

October 21 Pastor Thompson
Unlock Revelation
Fellowship Meal

October 28 Pastor Thompson
Fellowship Meal

November 4 David Moll
No Fellowship Meal

November 11 Tony Khalil
Fellowship Meal

November 18 Pastor Thompson
No Fellowship Meal