

## Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church

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Sabbath, April 23, 2011

### The Church at Study (9:30-10:25 a.m.)

Lesson Study "The Coat of Different Colors" Classes

### Outreach (10:30-10:45 a.m.)

### Worship in Song and Praise (10:50-11:00 a.m.)

### The Church at Worship (11:00 a.m.)

Welcome and Announcement	Reid Tait
Preparation "God So Loved The World"	John Stainer
Invocation	Pastor Bentley
Call to Worship Psalm 57:9-11, NKJV	Reid Tait

\* Opening Hymn "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" #229  
Family Prayer Ardith Tait

Giving of Gifts	Michigan Advance Partners	Reid Tait
Lambs Offering	Tri-City SDA School	
Offertory "Thine Is The Glory"	George Frederick Handel	

Children's Story	Pastor Bentley
Jay Hickman "O Glorious Love!"	John W. Peterson
Scripture Lesson	Matthew 25:6-9
Sermon "Borrowed Oil"	Pastor Bentley

Closing Hymn	"Christ the Lord is Risen Today" #166
Benediction	Reid Tait
Postlude "Great Is The Lord"	Michael W. & Deborah D. Smith

\* Denotes congregation standing to sing

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## Welcome to Worship Today

"It's in Christ that we find out who we are and what we are living for. Long before we first heard of Christ and got our hopes up, he had his eye on us, had designs on us for glorious living, part of the overall purpose he is working out in everything and everyone." Ephesians 1:11-12, The Message.

## Events This Week

<b>Today</b>	<b>Fellowship Meal</b> <b>Vespers</b> Maryanne & Jesse Walker 7:00pm <b>Sunset</b> 8:30 pm
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>M-Dot</b> 8 am
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Community Services</b> 9-3 pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Pathfinders/Adventurers</b> 4:30-6 pm <b>Prayer Meeting</b> 7 pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Choir Rehearsal</b> 6:30 pm <b>Bulletin Material</b> Submit to Mary Bukowiec gidgeeballs@localnet.com by <b>8 pm</b> .
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Prayer Group</b> 7 pm at Faith Gray's home <b>Sunset</b> 8:37 pm
<b>Sabbath</b>	<b>Drew Weaver</b> <b>Offering</b> NAD Outreach Project <b>Vespers</b> Reid & Ardith Tait

## Future Worship Services and Events

<b>May 7</b>	<b>Tony Khalil</b>
<b>May 14</b>	<b>Pastor Bentley</b>
	<b>Investiture</b> 2 pm
<b>May 21</b>	<b>Ann Ratcliff</b>
<b>May 28</b>	<b>Marcus Peters</b>

## **Announcements**

**Visitors:** We welcome you to join the Midland Church Family at our fellowship luncheon right after the service. Everyone is welcome.

**Thank you.** The family of Grethel Moll is thankful for the support, prayers, and sympathy shown to us by the church family during this past week. We also appreciate the wonderful luncheon following the funeral service. The church family was very important to our mother. She treasured everyone's visits, cards, and friendship.

**Special thank you** to my ladies that help in the kitchen and are always there for me! And to all who helped by bringing food and some doubled up on dishes for me to make this work. I couldn't do this job without all your help. Thank you much. Linda.

**M-DOT:** There will be an M-Dot pick up on Sunday morning at 8 AM on M-20 at 9 mile road south west corner. We need everyone's help. God made us the care-taker of this earth. This is one way that we all can help by picking up paper and other trash. Contact Reid Tait and Don Ervick if you have any questions

**Church Board** will meet next on the 3rd Sunday of May on the 15th to avoid conflicts with Mother's Day. It is important for all board members to attend when at all possible. Please have agenda items to Ann Ratcliff by Wednesday the 11th.

We have **new carpet** in our Activity Center. A big thank you to all who helped move the furniture and closet items around for the installers. Many hands made light work

**Friendship Camper:** We have 7 friendship campers who will be helped to attend Camp AuSable this summer. The Midland Church will pay about \$770.00 and the Michigan Conference about \$840.00. If you would like to help defray the cost, please mark you tithe envelopes Youth Fund #716. If you have a non-Adventist friend that you would like to see attend Camp AuSable this summer, contact Reid Tait.

**Directory Update:** Florence Conklin's new phone number is 989-486-3584.

## **Radio/TV Log**

Sunday 1:30 pm	It Is Written, TBN (Trinity Broadcasting)
Tuesday 7:30 a.m.	It Is Written, Ch. 69 (Court TV)