#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Midland Church Centennial Celebration August 15. Make your plans, send invitations to family and former members, and be there! Don't miss Sabbath School beginning at 9:20 AM with old-time hymn singing. Experience a 1915 Sabbath School lesson and mission story, along with music by the Strong Tower Quartet.

Following the picnic lunch, the 3:00 PM afternoon program will feature the SDA church in 1915, and also present the history of our church, Pathfinder Club, Community Services, and Tri-City School.

Please consider bringing ready-to-serve picnic-style items such as salads, raw veggies, or finger foods for the potluck lunch. Veggie hotdogs will be provided. Questions - contact David Moll, (989) 832-3835 or djmoll@aol.com.

Centennial Day Parking. On Sabbath, August 15, we are expecting an overflow parking situation. Please consider parking on the south side of the Carol Court or on Abbott Road. This will allow more convenient parking for our guests.

Call for Historical Artifacts. As part of the church centennial history we would like to display historical artifacts related to the original church itself, Pathfinders, and Tri-City School. We solicit your help please in obtaining any such items. If you have anything that may be of interest from the above places and would be willing to share them for that special day, please call Hope Mwemba at 631-9691 as soon as possible. You may bring them to church this Sabbath or August 8th at the latest. If you want to bring them during the week days of August 1st call her to make arrangements. If your item is large and you need help, let her know that also. We will make every effort to secure your treasures so they are not lost or damaged. We will take a photo of each person's items and ID them carefully with tags, etc. Two items of interest that will be there is a pew and the communion table from the original Midland SDA Church. Thank You, Chris Rickel and Hope Mwemba.

Fowler's Annual Corn Roast (4245 Lyle Road; Coleman, MI) will held on Sunday, August 16th beginning at 1:00pm. There will be delicious sweet-corn provided by the Leuenberger's as well as a host of other yummy morsels, fun games & activities for all ages, and wholesome fellowship! We look forward to seeing you there! If you have questions, please contact Dick Schell or Tony Khalil.



#### Time is running out to sign up for the fair booth begin-

ning August 16th! Empty slots mean an empty booth! Our fair passes will be at the Nadane's house again at 1301 Harwood Ct Midland, MI 48640. They will be located on the front porch. please make sure you return them when you are done! You will be blessed meeting people in our community and sharing the gospel through literature and promoting the radio station. Don't miss out!.

District 6 Retreat at Camp Au Sable will be held from Thursday, August 20 - Sunday, August 23 this year. Pastor Justin Ringstaff will be the speaker. More details will be forthcoming soon. Make plans now to join your church family, as well as our sister churches for this annual outing.

Online Computer Class. This week's installment is Exploring Windows 10–Printing. Just go to http://CarolsComputerClass.wordpress.com. Email any computer or iPad questions to Carol at Carol.Lanfear@zoho.com.

The bumpers in the parking lot at the Adventist Community Services Center are falling apart and need to be replaced. Please consider contributing to the ACS fund for this pressing need.

Pastor's Schedule. Pastor Herthel will be out of town from Wednesday, August 5 to Wednesday, August 12. Any pastoral care needs may be directed to one of our local elders during that time.

Senior Camp 2015. Attention all Seniors 55 years old and up! We are now taking reservations for this year's Senior Camp at Camp Au Sable. The dates for this event are September 13-17. To register or for more information, please call your Planned Giving and Trust Services Department at (517) 316-1520.

Lost and Found. There is now a Lost and Found box located in the paper supply closet in the foyer. Items left in the church will be put there for a period of a month or so. If not reclaimed they will be sent to the Community Service Center. If you have lost something you perhaps may find your item in that box.

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"... he was afraid; and beginning to sink he cried out, saying, "Lord, save me!" Matthew 14:30

### AUGUST 8, 2015

# **SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**

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#### WELCOME

The image on the cover depicts the marvelous story of Jesus found in Matthew 14:22-33. Jesus was walking on the stormy sea, and bold Peter attempted to do the same. When Peter took his eyes off Jesus he began sinking into the water. Peter cried frantically, "Lord, save me," and Jesus immediately stretched out his hand and rescued Peter.

Our lives are often buffeted by the waves of trials, stress, and uncertainty. Jesus readily offers his hand to rescue us, just like He rescued Peter. 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 instructions for living rich, fulfilling lives, including observing a Sabbath of rest, healthful living, loving and forgiving others, and much more. To learn more about our beliefs, please visit www.adventist.org/beliefs.



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	<b>WE STUDY</b> 9:30 AM	
Lesson Study	"Esther and Mordecai"	
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WE MINISTER TO OTHERS		
	10:30 AM	
	WE SING	
	10:50 AM	
	WEWORSHIP	
Welcome	11:00 AM David Moll	
Welcome	David Woll	
<b>Preparation</b> O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go • Arr by Don Phillips		
Call to Worship	"Praise the Lord, O My Soul" • 711	
Hymn of Praise	It May Be at Morn • 207	
Family Prayer	Wilbur Rickel	
Giving of GiftsDavid MollOfferingOakwood, Andrews, Loma Linda UniversitiesLamb's OfferingTri-City School SubsidyOffertoryHe Will Carry You• Scott Wesley Brown		
Children's Story	Dorothy Dalton	
Scripture	1st Thessalonians 5:1-6 • Eric Moll	
Sermon "Get Ready, Get Ready, Get Ready!" • Leroy Barnes		
Hymn of Response	Hail Him the King of Glory • 202	
Benediction	David Moll	
Postlude	A Mighty Fortress Is Our God (Psalm 46) • Martin Luther	
EL DEP: Davi	d Moll • DEACON: Robert Marsh	

ELDER: David Moll · DEACON: Robert Marsh CHORISTER: Michelle Cloutier • PIANIST: Kathy Johnson

	THE COMING WEEK	
Today	Fellowship Meal following the service	
	Sunset 8:52 PM	
Sunday	Church Board Meeting 6:00 PM	
Monday	Community Services 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM	
Tuesday	Prayer Meeting 7:00 PM	
Wednesday	Bulletin material due by 8:00 PM to bulletin@midlandsda.org	
Friday	Sunset 8:44 PM	
Sabbath	Don Livesay: Midland Centennial Celebration Offering: Local Church Budget Fellowship Picnic following the service	

# **FUTURE EVENTS**

August 16	Corn Roast 1:00 PM
August 20	Elders Meeting 6:30 PM
August 20-23	District 6 Retreat
August 29	Pastor Herthel
September 5	Dorothy Dalton
September 12	Pastor Herthel
Sept 13-17	Senior Camp at Camp AuSable
September 17	Elders Meeting 6:30 PM
September 19	Dan Chase
September 26	Pastor Herthel