

ANNOUNCEMENTS

February Fellowship Meals will be held on February 20, and 27. The meal today will be followed by the End of Life Issues health seminar at 2:00 PM

End of Life Issues : Please join us **this afternoon, at 2:00 PM** for a live discussion on "**End of Life Issues**" pertaining to: durable power of attorney, living will, durable power of attorney for health care, palliative care, hospice, caregiver support, grief counseling, planned giving & trust services, and so much more, with Pastor Joel Nephew from the Seventh-day Adventist Church Michigan Conference and Abby Zukauskys, licensed (masters) medical social worker from Mid Michigan Health–Midland. We will have a potluck this Sabbath even though it is not our scheduled potluck Sabbath, so please plan to stay and be a part of the discussion! Questions? Contact Hope Mwemba

Nominating Committee Meeting: Sunday, February 21st at 3:00 PM.

Church Board Meeting: Sunday, February 21st at 6:00 PM.

Planetarium Show: We learned from the survey conducted last fall, that many of you had an interest in going to a planetarium show together as a church outing. We have planned just such an outing for Thursday evening February 25 at 7:00 PM. The show, *Mysteries of the Great Lakes*, explores the health of the Great Lakes, highlights the importance of this fresh water resource to North America, and shows us the need for preservation and conservation all while showcasing the regions amazing geography, ecology, science, and history. The event will be at the Delta College Planetarium, 100 Center Avenue, Bay City, MI 48708. Tickets are \$7 for adults or \$5 for Delta College students, children, military, & seniors.

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We will be closing the Sabbath on February 27 with a vespers program at 6:00 PM. The theme of our program is Kindness. Three of our members will be telling how an act of kindness or unkindness affected their life and Mac McDonald will be singing some songs for us. Come and close another beautiful Sabbath day with your church family.

Cedar Lake Camp Meeting this year will be June 10-18, 2016. Registration will be March 4-15. To register online during those dates, go to <http://www.misda.org> and click on the Camp Meeting link or complete the Camp Meeting application which will be in the March issue of the Michigan Memo. Paper applications must be postmarked by March 15 to be in the first random selection. If you have any questions, please contact Jody Murphy at 517-316-1581 or email her at jmurphy@misda.org

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

FEBRUARY 20, 2016

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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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WE STUDY

9:30 AM

Lesson Study

"Comrades in Arms"

WE MINISTER TO OTHERS

10:30 AM

WE SING

10:50 AM

WE WORSHIP

11:00 AM

Welcome

Dorothy Dalton

Preparation

"Jesus Loves the Children Medley"

Call to Worship

"Psalm 89:8-11, 13-15," TEV • 855

Opening Hymn

"Gleams of the Golden Morning" • 205

Family Prayer

Jeff Kohtz

Giving of Gifts

Dorothy Dalton

Offering

Local Church Budget

Lamb's Offering

Tri-City School Subsidy

Offertory

"For the Beauty of the Earth" • *Conrad Kocher*

Children's Story

Pastor Joel Nephew

Scripture

Matthew 27: 51 • Dorothy Dalton

Sermon

"A Temple, A Tomb, or Just an Empty Room"
• Joel Nephew

Hymn of Response "Tis Almost Time for the Lord to Come" • 286

Benediction

Dorothy Dalton

Postlude

"Benediction Medley"

ELDER: Dorothy Dalton • DEACON: Dennis Nadane

PIANIST: David Moll • CHORISTER: Hope Mwemba

THE COMING WEEK

Today

Fellowship Meal
End of Life Issues Presentation 2:00 PM
Sunset 6:12 PM

Sunday

Nominating Committee Meeting 3:00 PM
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 6:20 PM

Sabbath

Pastor Herthel
Offering: Michigan Advance Partners
Fellowship Meal
Vespers 6:00 PM

FUTURE EVENTS

March 5

David Moll

March 12

Pastor Herthel

March 11-13

Marriage Commitment Retreat Camp Au Sable

March 19

Pastor Quillin

March 26

Pastor Herthel