ANNOUNCEMENTS

The family of Robert Marsh would like to thank everyone for the personal visits, cards, phone calls, plant, and prayers for our family. The promise, "He will swallow up death forever, And the Lord God will wipe away tears from all faces." has more and more meaning as we face the challenges of this world.

Vespers. The Strong Tower Radio Quartet will present a music program at 7:00 PM this evening. Please invite your friends and family, and join us as we close the Sabbath. If you are unable to attend, you can watch the program live on our church Facebook page at http://www.facebook.com/midlandadventist/ beginning at 7:00 PM.

If you missed the "Tell the World" video at vespers, you can watch it online at

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nH2r0J5VbL4&t=1619s

Great Lakes Adventist Academy Music department featuring the Chambers Choir, Bell choir and Wind Symphony, under the direction of David Ballesteros will have a musical performance tonight at 7:00 PM at the Saginaw Seventh-day Adventist Church 2755 Center Road, Saginaw, MI 48603.

Discipleship Class. Each Tuesday evening at 7:00 PM there will be a discipleship class for those interested.

Pathfinder Investiture Vespers. Please join us for our year-end program on Saturday evening, April 21, 2018, at 7:00 PM at the Midland Seventh-day Adventist Church. If you can help with light refreshments please let Glen Zimmerman know by texting (989) 640-5784 or email GlenZimmerman@gmail.com.

Baby Shower. Ladies, please join us to celebrate the birth of Emery Cloutier on Sunday, May 6 from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM. A light lunch will be served at the Hall residence, 5701 Drake St. in Midland. Aaron and Michelle are registered at Target. For more information, please contact Hilary at (616) 634-5193 or Maresa at (317) 941-0826.

Thank you very much for your prayers and love and support surrounding the illness and loss of Marlene Minnick, Brenda Khalil's mom. The family so appreciated the flowers, cards, messages, gifts, food, music, and filling responsibilities for Brenda in her absence. We are grateful to be part of such a loving church family. Maranatha!

The Khalil and Minnick Families

ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONTINUED)

"Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer." Romans 12:12 NIV

- Claudette Thompson
- Sabrina -- healing of fractured ankle
- Albert Yong surgery recovery
- Pastor Quillin's family
- Safety for those traveling
- Dick & Lois
- Clifford Ervick cancer
- Don Ahrens -- melanoma
- Charlotte -- colon cancer
- · Minnick and Khalil families
- Don Urias
- Michelle's Aunt Lou cancer
- Madonna Swider -- back surgery recovery
- Bible study interests
- Harmen
- Linda's cousin Brent -- abdominal surgery
- George Corliss
- Barb Franklin
- April Ward -- heart surgery April 16
- Mark Yates family nephew passed away

Dow Garden passes are being handled differently this year. Under their new system we have paid for eight passes registered under "Seventh Day Adventist." No pass card is necessary—simply registering under our name at the desk will do. The butterfly exhibit is open till April 15. We hope you will be able to enjoy God's nature as it unfolds in the Dow Gardens.

Prayer Meeting. We will be meeting weekly at the church one half hour before Sabbath School to join our hearts and voices in prayer.

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

APRIL 14, 2018

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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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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1113 E Carpenter (989) 835-3675 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

Bible Study "Daniel and the End Time"

WE SING

11:35 AM

WE WORSHIP

11:45 AM

Welcome David Moll

Church Life Nature - Spider Webs • David Moll

Preparation "He Hideth My Soul" • William Kirkpatrick

Hymn of Praise "Day by Day" ⋅ 532

Family Prayer Remnant Mwanahiba

Giving of Gifts David Moll
Offering World Budget

Lamb's Offering Tri-City School Subsidy
Offertory "Faith Is the Victory" • Ira Sankey

Children's Story Pastor Thompson

Scripture Matthew 5:17-20 • Andrew Moll

Sermon "A Transcript of Character" • Pastor Thompson

Hymn of Response "Give Me the Bible" • 272

Benediction David Moll

Postlude "My Faith Has Found a Resting Place" •

Norwegian Melody

ELDER: David Moll • DEACON: Bob Rau

PIANIST: Eric Moll

CHORISTER: Matthew Mwemba & Aidan Khalil

THE COMING WEEK

Today Sermon: Pastor Thompson

Fellowship Meal

Offering: World Budget

Assisted Living Ministry 3:30 PM Vespers: STR Ouartet 7:00 PM

Great Lakes Adventist Academy Music Program at the Saginaw Church 7:00 PM

Sunset 8:19 PM

Monday Community Services 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Tuesday Discipleship Class 7:00 PM

Wednesday Bulletin material due by 8:00 PM to

bulletin@midlandsda.org

Sabbath Sermon: Pastor Thompson

No Fellowship Meal

Offering: Local Church Budget

Vespers: Pathfinder Investiture, 7:00 PM

Sunset 8:28 PM

FUTURE EVENTS

April 28 Sermon: Pastor Thompson

Fellowship Meal

Michee Bade - Benin Project 7:30 PM

May 5 Sermon: Dorothy Dalton

No Fellowship Meal

May 12 Sermon: Pastor Thompson

Fellowship Meal

Assisted Living Ministry 3:30 PM Vespers: Bald Eagles 7:30 PM

May 18 Friday Vespers: Steve Darmody Concert

6:30 PM

May 19 Sermon: Pastor Thompson

No Fellowship Meal