

ANNOUNCEMENTS

July 28th will be a Personal Ministries Sabbath. Kameron DeVasher, the new personal ministry director and Sabbath School Coordinator for the Michigan Conference, will be here. He will conduct the Adult Sabbath School in the Sanctuary, will have the message during the worship hour and will hold personal ministry training after lunch. Please plan on attending this important training.

VBS is still in need of some items: bales of straw (about 10), orange construction type cones (6), sacks (large enough for a children's sack race). If you can provide any of these items, please let Sabrina know.

We are also looking for people to help build some of the décor items. The items needed are posted on the bulletin board outside of the library. If you can provide one of these items, please let Sabrina know.

STR Radio 'TODAY.' This week's interview explores the opioid crises. Tune in Monday at 10 AM, Wednesday at midnight, or next Sunday at 5 PM only on Strong Tower Radio.

Sabbath School Classes. Classes for the new year will be as follows: Beginner/Kindergarten with Maresa Goodin and Hilary Hall; Primary/Junior with Brenda Khalil and Stacy Mapes; Earliteen/Youth (age 13 through High School) with Mwemba Mwemba and Tony Khalil; Adult Class in Sanctuary with Dan Chase, Daniel Goodin, Don Mapes and David Moll; Adult Class in Activity Center with Aaron Cloutier, Brad Merrills and Ardith Tait; Basic Beliefs Class in Library with John Bartolo, Dorothy Dalton, Kevin Horn and Pastor Thompson. We are looking forward to good discussions in our classes this next year. If you have new ideas for our Sabbath School or changes you would like to have made, please let Marilyn Butcher know.

New Email Address. Bea Green's new email address is BGreen4718@gmail.com

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

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

Coming Soon to a Camp Near You. District 6 Retreat: Aug 16-19

ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONTINUED)

"May my prayer be set before you like incense; may the lifting up of my hands be like the evening sacrifice." Psalm 142:2 NIV

- Ruthella McDonald – recovery from ankle surgery
- Harmen Aerts
- Claudette Thompson
- Safety for those traveling
- Dick & Lois
- Clifford Ervick – cancer
- Michelle's Aunt Lou – cancer
- Bible study interests
- Jakee Osborn – mission trip to Africa
- Vacation Bible School Planning and preparation

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. We hope you will be able to enjoy God's nature as it unfolds in the Dow Gardens.

Handy Email Addresses.

pastor@midlandsda.org Goes to Pastor Thompson

bulletin@midlandsda.org Goes to all the bulletin typists

clerk@midlandsda.org Goes to the clerks

deaconesses@midlandsda.org Goes to all the deaconesses

deacons@midlandsda.org Goes to all the deacons

facebook@midlandsda.org Goes to all Facebook administrators

info@midlandsda.org Goes to the webservant to be answered or distributed to the appropriate persons

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

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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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Adventist Community Services Center (ACS)

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

"You Will Be My Witnesses"

WE SING

11:35 AM

WE WORSHIP

11:45 AM

Welcome

David Moll

Church Life

Preparation "His Strength Is Perfect" • *Stephen Curtis Chapman*

Hymn of Praise

"Blest Be the Tie That Binds" • 350

Family Prayer

David Moll

Giving of Gifts

David Moll

Offering

Local Church Budget

Lamb's Offering

Tri-City School Subsidy

Offertory

"Create in Me a Clean Heart" •

arr. by Mark Hayes

Children's Story

Pastor Thompson

Special Music

Esther Nanasi

Scripture

Genesis 3:15 • Aidan Khalil

Sermon

Series: "The 7 Phases of the Atonement"
"An Attempt to Restore" • Pastor Thompson

Hymn of Response

"Blessed Assurance" • 462

Benediction

Bob Rau

Postlude

"Redemption Draweth Nigh" • *Gordon Jensen*

ELDER: David Moll • DEACON: Dan Chase
PIANIST: Kathy Johnson • CHORISTER: Mary Ann Walker

THE COMING WEEK

Today

Sermon: Pastor Thompson
No Fellowship Meal
Offering: Local Church Budget
Sunset 9:21 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

Thursday

Church Board Meeting 6:30 PM

Sabbath

Sermon: Pastor Thompson
Offering: NAD - Women's Ministries
Fellowship Meal
Assisted Living Ministry 3:30 PM
Sunset 9:17 PM

FUTURE EVENTS

July 21

Sermon: Pastor Thompson
No Fellowship Meal

July 28

Personal Ministry Sabbath
Sermon: Kameron DeVasher
Fellowship Meal
Afternoon Presentation: Kameron DeVasher

August 4

Sermon: Pastor Thompson
No Fellowship Meal

August 11

Sermon: Pastor Thompson
Fellowship Meal
Assisted Living Ministry 3:30 PM

August 18

District 6 Retreat at Camp Au Sable
Midland: Video Sermon
No Fellowship Meal

August 25

Sermon: Pastor Thompson
Fellowship Meal