

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

New Email Address. The new email address for Pastor Thompson is rthompson@misda.church

Marriage Commitment Retreat. March 8 – 10 at Camp Au Sable. Love in Bloom is the theme for the weekend. There will be 5 seminar sessions presented by Elder Royce and Laurie Snyman. See poster on bulletin for registration information, etc.

Free PC Repair Clinic. Delta College students will analyze and repair your PC from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM in room K-110 on the following dates: March 15 and 22.

Welcome. We welcome our new interim Principal/Teacher, Carli Towner, to our Tri-City Seventh-day Adventist School. Her phone number is (248) 515-1180.

Church Passes Available. Our church has eight passes to Dow Gardens and Whiting Forest (with its new canopy walk and children's playground attractions). No in hand tickets are needed; just use "Seventh-day Adventist Church" for admittance. We feel you will be blessed by attending this local nature preserve.

Ladies' Book Study and Lunch Bunch at Olive Garden. Note change of date. Join us on Thursday, March 14 at 10:00 AM as we begin discussing the first two chapters of The God-Shaped Heart by Timothy R. Jennings, MD. We will meet at Tricia Hall's home, 6206 Siebert in Midland. Books can be purchased on Amazon. Immediately following the discussion we will gather at Olive Garden (11:30). Come for one or both! Please feel free to bring a friend. We pay individually but if you need assistance, please make arrangements with Mary Anne Walker at (989)430-7570 by Wednesday, March 13.

2019 District 6 Retreat Committee. We are looking for volunteers for this year's District 6 Retreat Committee. We are looking for people for the Chair, Treasurer and Secretary. The new people would be trained by the ones holding these positions now. Please contact Sabrina for more info if you are willing to help on this committee.

New address for Mary Reilly.
1100 Nantucket Drive, Bay City, MI 48706

ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONTINUED)

"Let us therefore come boldly before the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need."

Hebrews 4:16.

- Don Arenn -- cancer
- Mary Reilly
- Mark Yates -- macular degeneration
- Clarence Kennedy -- Bell's palsy
- Harmen Aerts
- Claudette Thompson
- Dick & Lois
- Bible study interests
- Pregnancy -- Stephanie and Maresa
- Barb & Denny Franklin -- health issues
- Emily -- long term, severe, undiagnosed illness
- Bob Shortt -- recovering from heart surgery
- Michelle's Aunt Lou -- cancer
- Tiffany -- multiple issues
- Rosemarie Ayers -- health issues
- Joyce Ervick -- recovery from broken shoulder
- Charles and Ruthella McDonald
- Madonna Swider -- health and housing issues

Today's Piano Music. The preparation, offertory, and postlude music are based on African-American Spirituals. You are probably familiar with "Deep River" and "Give Me Jesus", but the postlude, "Sit Down, Servant" may not be well known. This powerful spiritual tells about the experience of reaching heaven. After being told to "Sit down, servant, and rest a while", the chorus responds, "Oh, I can't sit down, I can't sit down, I just got to heaven and I can't sit down." The spiritual then continues with, "I'm gonna walk all over heaven singin', shoutin' the good news. I'm gonna march to the throne and lay me right down. I'm gonna give my ever-lovin' Jesus my new crown!"

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

MARCH 9, 2019

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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Tri-City Seventh-day Adventist School

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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 PRAY

10:00 AM South-West Side Room

WE STUDY

10:30 AM

Bible Study

“God's Everlasting Gospel”

WE SING

11:35 AM

WE WORSHIP

11:45 AM

Welcome

Tony Khalil

Church Life

Glow Tract Ministry • Aaron Cloutier

Preparation

“Deep River” • *African-American Spiritual*

Hymn of Praise

“Tis Love That Makes Us Happy” • 579

Family Prayer

Aaron Cloutier

Giving of Gifts

Tony Khalil

Offering

World Budget

Lamb's Offering

Tri-City School Subsidy

Offertory

“Give Me Jesus” • *African-American Spiritual*

Children's Story

Pastor Thompson

Scripture

Ephesians 4: 25-29 • Larry Truax

Sermon

“Healthy Families” • Pastor Thompson

Hymn of Response

“Love at Home” • 652

Benediction

Tony Khalil

Postlude

“Sit Down, Servant” • *African-American Spiritual*

ELDER: Tony Khalil • DEACON: Mark Yates

PIANIST: David Moll • CHORISTER: Hope Mwemba

THE COMING WEEK

Today

Sermon: Pastor Thompson
Offering: World Budget
Fellowship Meal
Assisted Living Ministry 3:30 PM
Sunset: 6:35 PM

Monday

Community Services 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Tuesday

Mid-Week Meeting: Tracing the Footsteps of Jesus 7:00 PM

Wednesday

Bulletin material due by 8:00 PM to bulletin@midlandsda.org

Thursday

Ladies' Book Study
Tricia Hall's home at 10:00 AM
Lunch Bunch
Olive Garden at 11:30 AM

Sabbath

Sermon: Pastor Richard Hall
Offering: Local Church Budget
No Fellowship Meal
Sunset: 7:43 PM

FUTURE EVENTS

March 23

Sermon: To Be Assigned
Fellowship Meal

March 30

Sermon: Pastor Thompson
No Fellowship Meal

April 4

Women's Book Club
Trisha Hall's home 10:00 AM

April 6

Sermon: Tony Khalil
No Fellowship Meal

April 13

Sermon: GLAA Symphony
Fellowship Meal