## **ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

**Vespers Today.** Please join us today at 4 PM to enjoy our first vespers of the new year. It will be presented by Neil Michaels and Margaret Lott from the Mt Pleasant SDA Church and David Moll from our congregation. The topic is the history of some of our favorite hymns.

Anneriet Aerts has a new email adress: annerietaerts@gmail.com Her old address at aaerts@charter.net is no longer valid. Her mailing address until the end of January is

2346 Bexley Drive, Tavares, FL 32778.

**Strong Tower Radio's** 10th Birthday was December 23. Consider giving a gift to grow this ministry at StrongTowerRadio.org

**Mission Building Project.** To contribute to new church buildings in El Salvador, please use an offering envelope marked "Mission Building Project." AdventistGiving.org users can find this offering by clicking on "More Offering Categories" under Local Church.

**Tri-City School Constituency Meeting** at the school on January 19 at 6:00 PM.

Maghreb Mission Project. A new letter from our missionary family has been posted on the foyer bulletin board. As of the end of November you have generously contributed \$12,713.50 to this Northern Africa mission project.

**Academy Student Assistance.** Our church board voted to support another Great Lakes Adventist Academy student financially, so we are now helping two students. To contribute, mark your offering envelope "Student Aid - Academy".

**Adventist Giving.** To give online, visit AdventistGiving.org; download an Adventist Giving mobile device app from Apple App or Google Play Stores; or go to MidlandSDA.org, and click on Online Giving in the menu at the top of the home page.

**Young Family Summit.** January 25 in the Activity Center. More details in the future.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

I am praying to you because I know you will answer, O God. Bend down and listen as I pray. Psalm 17:6

- Faith Gray recovery from hip surgery
- Marilyn Butcher loss of brother
- Don Ahrens cancer
- Mary Reilly
- · Harmen and Maria Aerts
- Claudette Thompson
- Bible study interests
- Bob Shortt's family and friends grieving his loss
- Madonna Swider health and housing issues
- Stacey Mapes's Aunt Diane cancer
- Gary Minnick health concerns
- Mary Bukowiec's great niece emotional problems
- Jay Bukowiec heart procedure recovery
- Todd & Cheryl Bissonnette housing issues
- Wilbur Rickel health concerns
- Chris Reagan, April Ward's son multiple health problems
- April Ward hip surgery recovery
- Larry Truax additional melanoma procedures
- Rosemarie Ayers recovery from back surgery
- Michelle Cloutier's Aunt Lou cancer

Jesus on Prophecy Video and Audio are available at:

https://jesusonprophecy.wordpress.com (audio) and https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLEV9MIHOne-lqzRUQyFH31r-CTanqAriO (video)

Or go to YouTube and enter Midland SDA into the search field then click on the church logo and then on Playlists in the menu.

**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

**JANUARY 4, 2020** 

## 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 PRAY

9:00 AM South-West Side Room

### **WE STUDY**

9:30 AM

**Bible Study** "From Reading to Understanding"

WE SING

10:35 AM

### **WE WORSHIP**

10:45 AM

Welcome Tony Khalil

Church Life "Tri-City School Constituency"

**Preparation** "At the Cross" • Fountainview Academy

**Hymn of Praise** "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" • 334

Family Prayer Tony Khalil

Giving of Gifts Tony Khalil

Offering Combined Budget
Lamb's Offering Tri-City School Subsidy
Offertory "Nearer, Still Nearer" • Calvary Chorale

Children's Story Herbert Nelson

Scripture Reading John 16:7-14 • Aidan Khalil

**Sermon** "Who Is the Holy Spirit? Part 3" • Herbert Nelson

**Hymn of Response** "I Surrender All" • 309

**Benediction** Tony Khalil

**Postlude** "Draw Me Nearer" • Kaleb Brasee

ELDER: Tony Khalil • DEACON: Don Mapes
PIANIST: Brenda Khalil • CHORISTER: Michelle Cloutier

### THE COMING WEEK

Today Sermon: Herbert Nelson

Offering: Combined Budget

No Fellowship Meal Sunset: 5:17 PM

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

Tuesday Mid-Week Meeting: 7:00 PM

**Wednesday** Email bulletin materials by 8:00 PM to

bulletin@midlandsda.org

Next Sabbath Sermon: Pastor Rod Thompson

Fellowship Meal

Assisted Living Ministry 2:30 PM

Sunset: 5:24 PM

## **FUTURE EVENTS**

January 18 Sermon: Nathan Hall

Fellowship Meal (Note Change)

January 19 Tri-City School Constituency Meeting 6:00 PM

January 25 Sermon: Mwemba Mwemba

Young Family Summit in Activity Center No Fellowship Meal (Note Change)

**February 1** Sermon: To Be Assigned

No Fellowship Meal

**February 8** Sermon: Pastor Rod Thompson

Fellowship Meal

Assisted Living Ministry 2:30 PM

**February 15** Sermon: Aaron Cloutier

No Fellowship Meal

February 22 Sermon: Dr Norman McNulty

Fellowship Meal

February 29 Sermon: Pastor Rod Thompson

No Fellowship Meal