

ANNOUNCEMENTS

First Reading. Maresa Goodin as second treasurer. Ardith Tait as interim Adventist Community Services director. Hilary Hall as Adventurers leader. Nathan Hall as Adventurers assistant leader.

Non-Perishable Food Drive. Join the Tittabawassee Turtles Pathfinder club as we do the most good for our community. Bag drop off; Sabbath, October 10 from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM. Bag pick up; Sunday, October 18 from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM. All welcome to assist as we need walkers and drivers. Please meet at Freeland High School at 1:30 PM each date. For questions contact Glen at: GlenZimmerman@gmail.com or (989) 640-5784.

Tri-City Seventh Day School. The Midland Church Board and The Tri-City Seventh Day School Board have been meeting to evaluate the mission of the school, and to look at options for the future. We have tried to look at how the school can help support the mission of the church. We invite church members and constituents of the school, as well as other interested individuals, to a meeting to review the results of these meetings, including plans for future directions for the school. We will be looking to get input from you on these plans. We will be meeting Saturday night, October 17 at 7 PM. There will be a short vespers at 6:30 PM before the meeting.

Harvest Gathering. Mt. Pleasant Church invite you to their annual Harvest Gathering. It will be October 31 at 6:00 PM; at the Clare's heated shop (3815 E. Walton Rd, Shepherd, MI 48883, the second driveway on the north side of the road. If you can't find it, call (989)980-2004. So, come out for a fun evening of fellowship, games and the famous leaf ride (weather permitting), as well as soups and goodies galore. Any questions ask the Cloutier Family. Face masks are optional.

Student Aid. Our church has committed to help two Great Lakes Adventist Academy students from our church family. We need to raise \$2,625 this school year. These funds, through the Project Assist program, will be doubly matched by the MI Conference and GLAA. This will help both students significantly. Give to "Student Aid - Academy" if you would like to help.

Sabbath School. One in-person adult Sabbath School class will restart next Sabbath. It will be held in the sanctuary with social distancing. Children's Sabbath School will restart November 7.

Registration is open for the "End It Now Virtual Summit on Abuse", which will be held November 13, 2020. For more information or for free registration, visit the following website: enditnownorthamerica.org/summitonabuse.

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

- Denny Franklin – respiratory problems
- Wisdom for us and our leaders in dealing with the COVID-19 Virus.
- Todd Bissonnette's great nephew Jared who has COVID-19

Losses. During this time of pandemic, you may have lost a loved one or know of a friend or neighbor who has lost someone. This can be especially tough when funeral services have size limitations, when no one is allowed in the hospital to be with the loved one, and when other necessities get in the way of normal good-byes. Or perhaps you have suffered a divorce or loss of all your possessions with the flood. There is an excellent resource to help you come to grips with your loss. The Yeagley Grief Seminar is still very valuable, though it lacks modern videography. Go to our YouTube channel at

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q-3Nsj82cR8&list=PLEV9MIHOne-lKaCwQpDsuQGSOKdRs2dXa>

Or, go to YouTube.com, enter Midland SDA in the search field, and click on the church icon. You will see a picture of our church. Then click on playlists in the menu and choose Grief Recovery. There are 5 episodes. This is the wonderful program that Pastor Quillin used for many years in Saginaw to start many people on the path to healing their grief. We have permission from Larry Yeagley and the producer Roger Morton to use the materials they have produced. You may even want to find others to watch with and discuss as a group.

Save Your Memories. If you can't play your family videos on VHS, they can be changed into DVDs or digital files on a flash drive. Contact Carol at Carol.Lanfear@zoho.com



“. . . Then he calls his friends and neighbors together and says, 'Rejoice with me; I have found my lost sheep.'"
Luke 15:6

OCTOBER 10, 2020

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
2420 East Ashman Street • Midland, Michigan 48642

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.

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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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

9:20 AM

Bible Study Mt Pleasant YouTube Channel

WE WORSHIP

11:00 AM

Introit "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" • Kaleb Brasee

Welcome Gary Minnick

Church Life Mission Spotlight

Preparation "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" •
Fountainview Academy

Family Prayer Gary Minnick

Giving of Gifts Gary Minnick
Offering World Budget
Lamb's Offering Tri-City School Subsidy

Children's Story Maresa Goodin

Special Music Nicole Bell

Scripture Reading 2 Corinthians 4:16-18 • Gary Minnick

Sermon "Tunnel Vision" • Daniel Goodin

Benediction Gary Minnick

Postlude "In Times Like These" •
Blue Rock Mennonite Youth

ELDER: Gary Minnick • DEACON: Dennis Nadane

THE COMING WEEK

Today Sermon: Daniel Goodin
Offering: World Budget
No Fellowship Meal
Sunset: 7:01 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: Bill Blond
Offering: Combined Budget
No Fellowship Meal
Sunset: 6:49 PM

FUTURE EVENTS

October 24 Sermon: Tony Khalil

October 31 Sermon: Nathan Hall

November 7 Sermon: Jeremy Hall

November 14 Sermon: Pathfinders

November 21 Sermon: Mwemba Mwemba

November 28 Sermon: To Be Determined

December 5 Sermon: Jose Antonio Lopez

December 12 Sermon: To Be Determined

December 19 Sermon: Shondie Essig