

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fellowship meals have returned to the first and third Sabbaths of the month and will continue in traditional fashion except that deaconesses will be responsible for serving the food. As far as possible have the food you bring ready to serve.

Thank you to our wonderful church family for your love, fellowship and baby gifts during our Triple Baby Shower brunch. We are all so grateful for your support and prayers as we embark on a new adventure of adding another baby blessing to each of our families. Love — Ashley, Maresa, and Hilary

Offerings. Please remember the following two ministries in your offerings: Student Aid - Academy (provides Project Assist support to our student at Great Lakes Adventist Academy), and Church School Operation (supports our church school's day-to-day operating expenses).

Community Bible Study. Tired of the media's and popular publications' speculative and outlandish theories? Do you want to understand what the book of Daniel means for us in the twenty-first century? This study series will teach you how to extract real-life lessons from each chapter of the book. The service will be from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM on Wednesdays. Pastor Mabio Coelho will be alternating the broadcast of this series between Midland and Mt Pleasant. You can attend virtually at <https://fb.me/e/4gMXY88tR> or face-to-face, starting November 10, 2021

Furnace Replacement Program. Midland County Habitat for Humanity has partnered with Consumers Energy in the Emergency Furnace Replacement program. We wish to help homeowners replace their inefficient furnaces. This includes furnaces 15 years old or older, furnaces with pilot lights (non electric), or furnaces that need to be repaired or replaced. Details of the program can be found at <https://midlandhabitat.org/2021/10/31/is-your-furnace-older-than-15-years/>

None need fail in this work of self-renunciation. God will give help to every earnest seeker.... If we sincerely seek His grace, our life will correspond with our profession of faith.... He knows whether our hearts are wholly devoted to His service, or given to the things of the world. We may profess what we will, but unless our life corresponds with our profession, our faith is dead. The rule given by the apostle Paul is the only safe rule for our guidance in all the affairs of life. "Whether ... ye eat, or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God." 1 Corinthians 10:31. In the selection of our food, we should not seek merely to please the taste, but should choose that which is most healthful. In dress, we should seek that which is simple, comfortable, convenient, and appropriate. *Our High Calling* p. 270

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"Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need."
Hebrew 4:16

- Michelle Cloutier — recovery from surgery and ongoing health issues
- Wisdom for us and our leaders in dealing with COVID-19
- Health and safety of our members and their loved ones
- Larry Truax — serious medical issues
- Todd Bissonnette — multiple serious health issues
- Madonna Swider — multiple serious health issues
- Mary Bukowiec's niece Kaitlyn — ongoing mental health issues
- Kendra Pelletier — serious medical issues
- Kathy Johnson's husband Steve — serious medical problems
- Jeff and Gerri Kohtz's granddaughter, Amelia — healing from thyroid cancer
- Clifford Ervick — failing health
- Barb Franklin's son in law's mother, Norma — health issues
- Barb Franklin's granddaughter Destiny — emotional and spiritual concerns
- Bobby Galovics and family — loss of Bobby's father, John

Man Camp is coming January 28-30, 2022 at Camp Au Sable. All registration will be done online at www.misdadadventist.org. If you have any questions, you can contact Cathy Oliver at coliver@misda.org or call (517)316-1500.

Save the Dates for CMU's musical events at Staples Family Concert Hall.

- December 4 at 7:30 PM--Juletide (tickets \$10/\$7). Masks required.
- December 5 at 3:00 PM--Juletide (tickets \$10/\$7). Masks required.

Call for tickets at (989) 774-3045

Media Conversions. Can't play your media? Don't wait for your media to degrade. See Carol Lanfear at Carol.Lanfear@zoho.com about having it converted.

- VHSs to DVDs or MP4 digital files
- Cassette tapes to CDs or MP3 digital files
- Vinyl records to CDs or MP3 digital files

Audio and Video Recordings of today's and prior services are available online at midlandsda.org and at [facebook.com/midlandadventist](https://www.facebook.com/midlandadventist).

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

DECEMBER 4, 2021

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 to God's care. 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: 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 • StrongTowerRadio.org or STR.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

“Remember, Do Not Forget”

WE SING

10:35 AM

WE WORSHIP

10:45 AM

Welcome

Nathan Hall

Preparation

“Coventry Carol” & “The First Noel” Medley

Hymn of Praise

“Until Then” • 632

Family Prayer

Nathan Hall

Giving of Gifts

Nathan Hall

Offering Combined Budget

Lamb's Offering Tri-City School Subsidy

Offertory “Go Tell It on the Mountain” •

Traditional Spiritual

Children's Story

Pastor Mabio Coelho

Scripture Reading

John 8:31-32 • Nathan Hall

Sermon

Series: “Following Jesus at Any Cost”

Sermon: “Live” • Pastor Mabio Coelho

Hymn of Response

“In Our Work and in Our Play” • 591

Benediction

Nathan Hall

Postlude

“Sing We Now of Christmas” • French Carol

ELDER: Nathan Hall • DEACON: John Bartolo

PIANIST: David Moll • CHORISTER: Stacey Mapes

THE COMING WEEK

Today

Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor

Offering: Combined Budget

Fellowship Meal

Vespers: “The Chosen” 5:00 PM

Sunset: 5:00 PM

Monday

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

Wednesday

Community Bible Study 6:00 PM

Email bulletin materials by 8:00 PM to bulletin@midlandsda.org

Thursday

Church Board Meeting: 6:00 PM

Next Sabbath

Sermon: David Moll, Local Treasurer

Offering: Adventist Community Services (NAD)

Sunset: 5:00 PM

FUTURE EVENTS

December 15

Community Bible Study: 6:00 PM

December 18

Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor

Fellowship Meal

December 22

Community Bible Study: 6:00 PM

December 25

Sermon: Aaron Cloutier, Local Elder

December 29

Community Bible Study: 6:00 PM

January 1

Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor

Fellowship Meal

January 4

Community Bible Study: 6:00 PM

January 8

Sermon: Ethan Booms, Saginaw Church Member

January 11

Community Bible Study: 6:00 PM

January 13

Church Board Meeting: 6:00 PM

January 15

Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor

Fellowship Meal

January 18

Community Bible Study: 6:00 PM