ANNOUNCEMENTS

Annual School Constituency Meeting. January 16 at 5:00 PM.

Children's Sabbath School. <u>Suspending Children's Sabbath School.</u> (Beginners and Kindergarten) for at least the month of January. We are hopeful to start back at the beginning of February. Keep watch for future announcements!

Covid 19 Protection. For your safety, we are reminding each one to sit in every other church pew and to keep your distance from each other. Wearing masks will help reduce the transmission of the virus. We don't want to let our guard down while this pandemic is still going on. Free vaccines are available at most pharmacies.

Fellowship meals have been put on hold until January 15.

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-olderthan-15-years/

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

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

Thank You. Bobby Galovics and Kathy Johnson wish to thank their Midland Church family for all their support during this time of grief with the passing of Bobby's father, John Galovics. Thank you for the many cards and prayers. Thank you for the beautiful plant and thanks to all those who were able to attend the funeral.

EGW Quote. Every worker who follows the example of Christ will be prepared to receive and use the power that God has promised to His church for the ripening of earth's harvest. Morning by morning, as the heralds of the gospel kneel before the Lord and renew their vows of consecration to Him, He will grant them the presence of His Sprit, with its reviving, sanctifying power. As they go forth to the day's duties, they have the assurance that the unseen agency of the Holy Spirit enables them to be "laborers together with God." Acts of the Apostles, p. 56



"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

- Ardith Tait praises for her being released from hospital, but continued prayers for healing.
- Barb Franklin's granddaughter Destiny emotional and spiritual concerns
- Barb Franklin's son in law's mother, Norma health issues
- Clifford Ervick failing health
- Dorothy Dalton's friend serious medical problem
- Jeff and Gerri Kohtz's granddaughter, Amelia healing from thyroid cancer
- Kathy Johnson's husband Steve serious medical problems
- Kendra Pelletier serious medical issues
- Larry Truax—serious medical issues
- Madonna Swider multiple serious health issues
- Mary Bukowiec's niece Kaitlyn ongoing mental health issues
- Michelle Cloutier recovery from surgery and ongoing health issues
- Todd Bissonnette multiple serious health issues
- Wisdom for us and our leaders in dealing with COVID-19
- Health and safety of our members and their loved ones

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 face-to-face, or virtually at https://fb.me/e/4gMXY88tR

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. 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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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!



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	"Deuteronomy in the New Testament"			
	WE SING 10:35 AM			
WE WORSHIP 10:45 AM				
Welcome	Aaron Cloutier			
Preparation "S	weet Little Jesus Boy" • Robert MacGimsey			
Hymn of Praise	"I Gave My Life for Thee" • 281			
Family Prayer	Michelle Cloutier			
Giving of Gifts Offering Lamb's Offering Offertory Music	Aaron Cloutier Combined Budget Tri-City School Subsidy Kathy Johnson			
Children's Story	Pastor Mabio Coelho			
Scripture Reading	Acts 1:8 • Amelia Jean Cloutier			
Sermon	Series: "Following Jesus at Any Cost" Sermon: "Waiting" • Pastor Mabio Coelho			
Hymn of Response	"Breathe on Me, Breath of God" • 265			
Benediction	Aaron Cloutier			
Postlude	Kathy Johnson			

ELDER: Aaron Cloutier • DEACON: Rich Murphy PIANIST: Kathy Johnson • CHORISTER: Michelle Cloutier

THE COMING WEEK

Today	Sermon: Pastor Mabio Coelho Offering: Combined Budget No Fellowship Meal Sunset: 5:01 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
Next Sabbath	Sermon: Aaron Cloutier Local Elder Offering: Michigan Advanced Partners No Fellowship Meal Sunset: 5:05 PM
	FUTURE EVENTS
December 29	Community Bible Study: 6:00 PM
January 1	Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor
January 5	Community Bible Study: 6:00 PM
January 8	Sermon: Ethan Booms, Saginaw Church Member
January 12	Community Bible Study: 6:00 PM
January 13	Church Board Meeting: 6:00 PM
January 15	Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor Fellowship Meal
January 16	Annual School Constituency Meeting 5:00 PM
January 19	Community Bible Study: 6:00 PM
January 22	Sermon: Neil Michaels, Mt Pleasant SDA Church Member
January 26	Community Bible Study: 6:00 PM
January 29	Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor No Fellowship Meal
February 2	Community Bible Study: 6:00 PM