

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Reflection. A revival of true godliness among us is the greatest and most urgent of all our needs. To seek this should be our first work. There must be earnest effort to obtain the blessing of the Lord, not because God is not willing to bestow his blessing upon us, but because we are unprepared to receive it. Our Heavenly Father is more willing to give his Holy Spirit to them that ask him, than are earthly parents to give good gifts to their children. But it is our work, by confession, humiliation, repentance, and earnest prayer, to fulfill the conditions upon which God has promised to grant us his blessing. A revival need be expected only in answer to prayer. While the people are so destitute of God's Holy Spirit, they cannot appreciate the preaching of the word; but when the Spirit's power touches their hearts, then the discourses given will not be without effect. Guided by the teachings of God's word, with the manifestation of his Spirit, in the exercise of sound discretion, those who attend our meetings will gain a precious experience, and returning home will be prepared to exert a healthful influence. RH March 22, 1887, par. 1

Dishes/Kitchen. The more fellowship meals we have, the higher the mound of dishes that are mistakenly left behind. Please stop by the kitchen to see if any might belong to you. Thank you.

NEWSTART residential programs and videos..

- October 2 – 20 or October 30 – November 17, register at <https://www.newstart.com/sign-up>.
- Health videos at <https://www.youtube.com/c/NEWSTARTNOW>

Support Our School with Amazon Smile. Did you know that you can now support Tri-City School each time that you make purchases from Amazon? Just go to smile.amazon.com and look for our school name. It will be some version of Tri-City SDA School. Please be careful when choosing from the list because there is also a Tri-City Adventist School in Pasco, WA. Once you make your choice, it will remain your default choice each time you login to smile.amazon.com or until you choose a different charity. Amazon will donate 0.5% of the value of your purchases to our school.

Upcoming Retreats/Events. See the church website for information and registration at [MidlandSDA.org](https://www.midlandsda.org)

- Lake Union Pathfinder Camporee at Berrien Springs: Sept 15-18
- Public Campus Ministries Retreat at Camp Au Sable: Sept 16-18
- Family First Family Retreat at Camp Au Sable: Sept 23-25
- Flip Flops and Friends Mother Daughter Retreat at Camp Au Sable: Oct 7-9

District 6 Archived Videos. To see the sermons by Tim Aka go to the church website, scroll down to FOLLOW US, and click on the red YouTube Sermons icon.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONTINUED)

“So we fasted and petitioned our God about this, and he answered our prayer..” Ezra 8:23 NIV

- Dan Cloutier — mass on his kidney
- Paul Mercy — recovery from health issues
- April Ward — recovery from serious medical problems
- Kathy Johnson’s husband Steve — serious medical problems
- Kendra Pelletier — serious medical issues
- Larry Truax — serious medical issues
- Madonna Swider — multiple serious health issues
- Michelle Cloutier — healing for heart related health issues
- Mary Yates’s Father — George Rabe, treatment for Hodgkin’s Lymphoma
- Sylvia Johnson — inoperable stage 4 abdominal cancer
- Ardith Tait and Family — unexpected death of Ardith’s sister Corrinne (Coe) Hurt.
- Reid Sladek — work accident with concussion
- Lesley Hager — recovering from sepsis with only one kidney, now has COVID

From Stay Well Counseling Team. If you lost a loved one during the COVID-19 pandemic, you may find comfort in talking to others who are also grieving. Join a virtual support group, hosted by the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services Stay Well counseling team. FREE one-hour sessions are offered on Tuesdays at noon and Fridays at 6:00 PM. You may attend as many sessions as you wish. Register at <https://bit.ly/3C4AXDk>
Stay Well counseling team also offers a free hotline for people dealing with any pandemic-related emotional distress
Call (888) 535-6136 and press 8. The service is available 24/7.

From the GriefShare Website. [GriefShare.org](https://www.griefshare.org)
GriefShare is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life’s most difficult experiences. You don’t have to go through the grieving process alone. Thousands of GriefShare support groups meet weekly around the world. Visit or join a group at anytime. Attend as many meetings as you like. Both in-person and Zoom groups are available.

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

SEPTEMBER 10, 2022

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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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 STUDY

9:30 AM

Bible Study

“Waiting in the Crucible”

WE SING

10:35 AM

WE WORSHIP

10:45 AM

Welcome

Aaron Cloutier

Preparation

“Beneath the Cross of Jesus” • Frederick Maker

Hymn of Praise

“Sweet Sweet Spirit” • 262

Family Prayer

Andrei Coelho

Giving of Gifts

Aaron Cloutier

Offering

World Budget

Lamb's Offering

Tri-City Seventh-day Adventist School

Offertory

Praise Him! Praise Him!” • Chester Allen

Children's Story

Pastor Mabio Coelho

Scripture Reading

John 14:16-17 • Amelia Jean Cloutier

Sermon

“Our Greatest Need” • Pastor Mabio Coelho

Hymn of Response

“Now Let Us from This Table Rise” • 404

Benediction

Pastor Mabio Coelho

Postlude

“Praise Ye the Father” • Friedrich Flemming

ELDER: Aaron Cloutier • DEACON: Matthew Bell
PIANIST: David Moll • CHORISTER: Michelle Cloutier

THE COMING WEEK

Today

Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor
Offering: World Budget
No Fellowship Meal
Sunset: 7:56 PM

Monday

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

Tuesday

Discover Bible Study Class: 6:00 PM
Gerry Eurich's house

Wednesday

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

Friday

Enter Into His Rest Vespers 6:30 PM

Next Sabbath

Sermon: Herbert Nelson, Mt Pleasant Elder
Offering: Combined Budget
Fellowship Meal
Sunset: 7:43 PM

FUTURE EVENTS

Sept. 23-25

Family First – Family Retreat

September 24

Sermon: Daniel Goodin, Local Member
No Fellowship Meal

October 1

Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor
Fellowship Meal

October 8

Sermon: Richard Hall, Retired Pastor
No Fellowship Meal

October 13

Church Board Meeting: 6:15 PM

October 15

Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor
Fellowship Meal

October 22

Sermon: Stacey Mapes, Local Elder
No Fellowship Meal