

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Reflection. “To many minds the origin of sin and the reason for its existence are a source of great perplexity. ... They see the work of evil, with its terrible results of woe and desolation, and they question how all this can exist under the sovereignty of One who is infinite in wisdom, in power, and in love. Here is a mystery of which they find no explanation. “And in their uncertainty and doubt they are blinded to truths plainly revealed in God’s word and essential to salvation.”

Ellen G. White, *The Great Controversy*, 492.

Tonight join us for a chili cook off and bonfire at Don and Stacey Mapes’s house at 5:30 PM. Bring your own camp chair to sit on and your best pot of chili for the cook off. You may also bring corn bread if you wish. See you there!

Festival Chorus. Tomorrow evening at 7:00 PM enjoy Rutter’s Gloria and other pieces by John Rutter at First United Methodist Church 400 S Main St in Mt Pleasant. This is a free concert.

Juletide Concerts. This year’s Juletide concerts will be December 3 at 7:0 PM and again on December 4 at 3:00 PM. Tickets are \$10.00. The concerts will be in the Staples Family Concert Hall in the music building at CMU.

Funds Needed. Please remember to donate to student aid academy fund for the student we support at GLAA and the emergency aid fund as both areas are low. There is an increasing need for our emergency funds.

Parents Who Homeschool. There will be a Home School Outdoor Education program at Camp Au Sable from January 3 to 5. See the church website for more details.

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.

Grounded. If you missed any presentations from the Grounded series, you can access the archived videos on the It Is Written YouTube channel. Just go to <https://www.youtube.com/itiswritten>

Coming Soon. Prepare your taste buds for deliciousness at the next Cooking School. You won’t want to miss it. Details coming later.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONTINUED)

“For the eyes of the Lord are on the righteous and his ears are attentive to their prayer,” 1 Peter 3:12a NIV

- Elaine Kraska — serious Lupus complications
- Kendra Pelletier — blood clot in arm and other medical issues
- Sylvia Johnson — inoperable stage 4 abdominal cancer
- Barb Franklin — compression fracture of the vertebra and other health issues
- Prayers for members and families with ongoing health concerns

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

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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

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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

“The New Testament Hope”

WE SING

10:35 AM

WE WORSHIP

10:45 AM

Welcome

Stacey Mapes

Preparation

“Power of the Cross” •
Fountainview Academy

Hymn of Praise

“Am I a Soldier of the Cross?” • 609

Family Prayer

Stacey Mapes

Giving of Gifts

Stacey Mapes

Offering

Combined Budget

Lamb's Offering

Tri-City Seventh-day Adventist School

Offertory

“Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross” •

The Smucker Family

Children's Story

Pastor Mabio Coelho

Scripture Reading

Revelation 12:7-9 • Stacey Mapes

Sermon

Series: “God in Search of Mankind”
Sermon: “The Cosmic Conflict” • Pastor Mabio Coelho

Hymn of Response

“We Are Living, We Are Dwelling” • 617

Benediction

Stacey Mapes

Postlude

“Like a River Glorious” • Kaleb Brasee

ELDER: Stacey Mapes • DEACON: Robert Marsh
PIANIST: Brenda Khalil • CHORISTER: Stacey Mapes

THE COMING WEEK

Today

Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor
Offering: Combined Budget
Fellowship Meal
Sunset: 5:08 PM
Chili Cook Off at Mapes's House 5:30 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: Michee Bade, Missionary Pastor
Offering: Michigan Advance Partners
No Fellowship Meal
Sunset: 5:03 PM

FUTURE EVENTS

December 3

Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor
Fellowship Meal

December 8

Church Board Meeting: 6:15 PM

December 10

Sermon: Nathan Hall, Local Member
No Fellowship Meal

December 17

Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor
Fellowship Meal

December 24

Music/Testimony/Praise Service
No Fellowship Meal

December 31

Sermon: Gary Minnick, Local Elder
No Fellowship Meal