### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Second Reading and Vote.** Transfer of membership for Remnant Mwanahiba from the Midland SDA Church to the Kalamazoo SDA Church.

Adventist Today Sabbath Seminar. Each Sabbath afternoon at 1:30 PM via Zoom. The Zoom link and password will be posted on the AToday.org website on Sabbath. Join in the discussion after the presentation. Future presenters include Jodi Washburn Daniel Duda, Matthew Korpman and Bill Cork.

**Church Leadership Workshop.** Greetings elders, deacons and deaconesses. This workshop is designed especially for YOU. Topics range from the Ministry of Hospitality to Conflict Resolution. Please join us!

Date: April 28-30, 2023

Location: Camp Au Sable, Grayling MI

Visit www.misda.org/clw to purchase tickets and register.

The deadline to register is April 17, 2023.

How to Join. Of course we consider you a part of our church family after attending a few times. But we would like you to make it official. If you would like to officially join the Midland SDA Church by having your membership transferred, it is as easy as sending an email to clerk@midlandsda.org and requesting a transfer. If you would like to join by profession of faith or baptism, send an email to pastor@midlandsda.org

**New Email Alert for Barbara Franklin.** If you wish to contact her at her new email address, it has changed to bvn2bfranklin@gmail.com Her old email address is no longer working.

**Want to Sing?** For those Sabbaths that we have a fellowship meal, choir rehearsal is after the meal. For the other Sabbaths it is the Friday evening before from 6:30 to 7:30 PM.

**For Reflection.** "And every creature which is in Heaven, and on the earth, and under the earth, and such as are in the sea, and all that are in them, heard I saying, Blessing, and honor, and glory, and power, be unto Him that sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb forever and ever." [Revelation 5:13.] GC88 678.2

The great controversy is ended. Sin and sinners are no more. The entire universe is clean. One pulse of harmony and gladness beats through the vast creation. From Him who created all, flow life and light and gladness, throughout the realms of illimitable space. From the minutest atom to the greatest world, all things, animate and inanimate, in their unshadowed beauty and perfect joy, declare that God is love. GC88 678.3

## **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

- Raymond & Dan Cloutier --- serious health issues.
- Barb Franklin --- multiple health issues
- Survivors of the earthquake in Turkey and Syria
- 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

GriefShare is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk along-side 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.

**ADRA** needs funds to help earthquake survivors with basic needs.

**Yet More Urgent Technology Updates.** Now Google has found critical security vulnerabilities in its Android operating system. Be sure to update any phones or tablets to the newest operating system. If you have questions, contact Carol Lanfear.

**Funds Needed.** Please remember to donate to the 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.

**The Midweek Service** has transitioned to the church. The book, As We Go, will be provided to all who attend.

**Audio and Video Recordings** of today's and prior services are available online at midlandsda.org and at facebook.com/midlandadventist or midlandsda.org/blog

**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

March 18, 2023

# 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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**Adventist Community Services Center (ACS)** 

1113 E Carpenter (989) 835-3675 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 STUDY**

9:30 AM

**Bible Study** "Managing in Tough Times"

**WE SING** 

10:35 AM

#### **WE WORSHIP**

10:45 AM

Welcome Gary Minnick

Preparation "I Pledge Allegiance to the Lamb" •

Fountainview Academy

**Hymn of Praise** "Soldiers of Christ, Arise" • 616

Family Prayer Gary Minnick

Giving of Gift Gary Minnick
Offering Combined Budget
Lamb's Offering Tri-City SDA School
Offertory "Take Time to Be Holy" •

Mennonite Hour Men's Quartet

**Children's Story** Pastor Mabio Coelho

**Scripture Reading** Ephesians 6:12 • Gary Minnick

Sermon Series: "God in Search of Mankind" Sermon: "The King Has Another Move" • Pastor Mabio Coelho

**Hymn of Response** "The Wonder of It All" • 75

**Benediction** Gary Minnick

**Postlude** Bem Aventurado

ELDER: Gary Minnick • DEACON: Matthew Bell

PIANIST: Tania Smoler-Coelho CHORISTER: Michelle Cloutier

### THE COMING WEEK

Today Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor

Offering: Combined Budget

Fellowship Meal Choir Rehearsal Sunset: 7:46 PM

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

**Tuesday** Midweek Service (at the church) 6:00 PM

**Wednesday** Email bulletin materials by 8:00 PM to

bulletin@midlandsda.org

Thursday Cooking School 6:30 PM

Grace Dow Library Community Room 6:30 PM

Friday Choir Rehearsal 6:30 -- 7:30 PM

Next Sabbath Sermon: Gary Minnick, Local Elder

Offering: Michigan Advance Partners

No Fellowship Meal Sunset: 7:55 PM

# **FUTURE EVENTS**

April 1 Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor

Fellowship Meal Choir Rehearsal

April 7 Choir Rehearsal 6:30 – 7:30 PM

April 8 Sermon: Hilary Hall, Local Member

No Fellowship Meal

April 10 School Board Meeting 7:00 PM

April 13 Church Board Meeting 6:15 PM

April 15 Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor

April 21

Fellowship Meal Choir Rehearsal

Choir Rehearsal 6:30 - 7:30 PM

April 22 Sermon: Andrei Coelho, Local Attendee

Common: / march Coomo, Ecoar / teterra

No Fellowship Meal