

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Reflection. The character of the Christian is shown by his daily life. Said Christ, “Every good tree bringeth forth good fruit; but a corrupt tree bringeth forth evil fruit” (Matthew 7:17). Our Saviour compares Himself to a vine, of which His followers are the branches. He plainly declares that all who would be His disciples must bring forth fruit; and then He shows how they may become fruitful branches. “Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit of itself, except it abide in the vine; no more can ye, except ye abide in me” (John 15:4). *The Sanctified Life*, p 80.

Dow Garden Passes. We again have 8 passes for the Dow Gardens. Just mention Seventh-day Adventist Church at the entrance.

Choir Rehearsal Update. There will be no choir rehearsal during camp meeting.

Hymns in the Park. Join the Mt Pleasant Church for inspirational music and praise at Island Park, 331 N Main St, Mt Pleasant, 5:00 – 7:00 PM on Sabbath, Jun 24, 2023. If you are interested in performing through voice or instrument, please contact Debbie Blosser at (989) 330-7747. Free refreshments. Bring your lawn chairs. Everyone is welcome.

Sooner Than You Think. Camp meeting will start Friday evening, June 9. Our church will livestream the Sabbath services for your convenience if you are unable to attend in person. Speakers this year will include Jim Micheff, Stephen Bohr, Randy Skeete, Shawn Boonstra, Tim Rumsey, and Mark Howard. Information can be found at <https://www.misda.org/camp-meeting>

Livestreaming for camp meeting can be accessed here <https://www.youtube.com/@miconf/streams> or <https://www.misda.org/camp-meeting/livestream>

Starting Soon. The camping season at Camp Au Sable will soon be starting. They have everything from family camping to camps for pre-teens. Check out their website to see what they have for your family at <https://www.campausable.org>

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

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

- Susan Moutsatson and family — grieving the death of her husband, Pete
- Dora Cupp and family — grieving the loss of Jan Cupp, Dora’s sister
- Faith and Steve Fowler — grieving the death of their son
- Cheryl and Todd Bissonnette — upcoming surgery for both
- April Ward — recovery from neck surgery
- Raymond & Dan Cloutier — serious health issues
- Barb Franklin — multiple health issues and recovery from broken ankle
- Survivors of recent natural disasters worldwide and shootings nation wide
- Prayers for members and families with ongoing health concerns

Experiencing Grief? You may find comfort in talking with others who are also experiencing grief. There are two organizations dedicated to this service.

- **Michigan Department of Health Stay Well Counseling Team:** Register at <https://bit.ly/3C4AXDk> or call their hotline at (888) 535-6136 and press 8.
- **GriefShare.org:** Both online and in-person groups are available. Just put in your zip code to find groups near you.

Weimar University has a variety of job openings from handyman to business faculty. See Carol Lanfear for more information.

NEWSTART 5 Day Retreat. June 21-26. Enjoy five days of rest, relaxation and education while getting a taste of the NEWSTART Life-style program at Weimar University in beautiful California. Price: \$729 for single occupancy. Register at <https://www.newstart.com/newstart-5-day-retreat-registration-form>

Urgent Need. Church expense provides for heat, cooling and electricity for the church building as well as snow removal and janitorial expenses, etc. Please consider increasing your giving to church expense so we can pay our church’s operating costs.

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

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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 “Satan’s Final Deceptions”

WE SING

10:35 AM

WE WORSHIP

10:45 AM

Welcome Gary Minnick

Preparation “Abide with Me” • Fountainview Academy

Hymn of Praise “Praise to the Lord” • 1

Family Prayer Gerry Eurich

Giving of Gifts Gary Minnick
Offering Combined Budget
Lamb’s Offering Tri-City SDA School
Offertory “Wonderful Words of Life” •
Dallas Christian Concert Choir

Children’s Story Pastor Mabio Coelho

Scripture Reading Acts 11:25-26 • Gerry Eurich

Sermon “What It Is to Be a Christian” • Pastor Mabio Coelho

Hymn of Response “Leaning on the Everlasting Arms” • 469

Benediction Gary Minnick

Postlude “Crown Him with Many Crowns” • Kaleb Brasee

ELDER: Gary Minnick • DEACON: Robert Marsh
PIANIST: Brenda Khalil • CHORISTERS: Praise Team

THE COMING WEEK

Today Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor
Offering: Combined Budget
Fellowship Meal
Choir Rehearsal
Sunset: 9:12 PM

Monday Community Services: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
School Board Meeting: 7:00 PM

Tuesday Midweek Service: 6:00 PM

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

Thursday Church Board Meeting: 6:15 PM

Next Sabbath Sermon: Stephen Bohr, Livestream from Camp Meeting
Offering: Women’s Ministries (NAD)
No Fellowship Meal
Sunset: 9:17 PM

FUTURE EVENTS

June 15 Cooking School: 6:30 PM
Grace A Dow Library Community Room

June 17 Sermon: Shawn Boonstra, Livestream from Camp Meeting

June 23 Choir Rehearsal: 6:30 PM

June 24 Sermon: Stacey Mapes

July 1 Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor
Fellowship Meal
Choir Rehearsal

July 3 Tri-City School Board Meeting: 7:00 PM

July 6 Elders Meeting: 6:30 PM

July 7 Choir Rehearsal: 6:30 PM

July 8 Sermon: Herbert Nelson, Elder at Mt Pleasant SDA Church