

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Reflection: “Satan well knows that all whom he can lead to neglect prayer and the searching of the Scriptures, will be overcome by his attacks. Therefore, he invents every possible device to engross the mind. There has ever been a class professing godliness, who, instead of following on to know the truth, make it their religion to seek some fault of character or error of faith in those with whom they do not agree. Such are Satan's right-hand helpers. Accusers of the brethren are not few, and they are always active when God is at work and His servants are rendering Him true homage. They will put a false coloring upon the words and acts of those who love and obey the truth. They will represent the most earnest, zealous, self-denying servants of Christ as deceived or deceivers. It is their work to misrepresent the motives of every true and noble deed, to circulate insinuations, and arouse suspicion in the minds of the inexperienced. In every conceivable manner they will seek to cause that which is pure and righteous to be regarded as foul and deceptive.”
Great Controversy, p. 519.

Nominating Committee will meet right after potluck today.

Nathan Green Vespers. On March 23 at 5:00 PM, Nathan Green (artist of “The Blessed Hope” and many other famous paintings) will be at the Saginaw SDA Church for vespers. He will speak of his journey through his art work, have paintings on display, and have prints available to purchase and for signing.

Upcoming Events. See our website (midlandsda.org) for information on the following list of other events. Included are:

- Emmanuel Institute Intensive — March 24 to 30 at the Conference Office.
- Youth RUSH Summit — March 29 to 31 at Camp Au Sable
- Church Leaders Workshop — April 26 to 28 at Camp Au Sable. Deacons, deaconesses, and elders welcome. Register online by April 15 at www.misda.org/clw

Areas of Financial Need.

- Church Expense — to pay operating costs
- Support for academy student — for winter term expenses
- Support for Tri-City School students — for winter term expenses

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“First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people.”

1 Timothy 2:1 *ESV*

- Destiny Franklin — healing from car accident injuries
- Millie Jupe — hospitalized following a stroke
- Mark Gerow — grieving the death of his mother, Madonna Swider
- Yoko Hasegawa — grieving the death of her husband, Nori
- Jane — grieving the death of her daughter
- Cheryl Bissonnette — ongoing cancer treatment
- Todd Bissonnette — healing for his legs
- Prayers for members and families with ongoing health concerns
- Prayers for those in areas of conflict around the world

Save the Date. AMEN free medical, dental, and vision clinic will be coming on May 19 at Midland High School. Plan to volunteer.

Strong Tower Radio. Tune in on-air on STR stations (locally at 90.7 FM), via Apple & Android apps, & *STR.fm*

- **Your Story Hour Turns 75.** Your Story Hour hosts will tell their 75th birthday stories at 3:30 AM Sunday, 4:00 PM Monday, 9:00 PM Wednesday, and 1:00 PM Thursday.
- **Resurrection Then and Now.** Pastor Jay Gallimore leads a discussion on what the resurrection meant then and now weekdays at 6:00 AM and 6:00 PM.
- **Gallimore on Galatians Finale.** Hear Pastor Jay Gallimore's Galatians finale on Strong Tower Radio today at 5:00 PM.
- **A Fun Garden Guy Episode.** Get the inside edge on the March Garden Guy this Sunday at 5:00 PM, Monday at 10:00 AM, and Wednesday at midnight.
- **Point, Click, and Give.** Give to Strong Tower Radio via the *STR.fm* giving page, with your smartphone, or mailing a check to P.O. Box 567, Cadillac, MI 49601



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“ . . . 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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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 “Longing for God in Zion”

WE SING

10:35 AM

WE WORSHIP

10:45 AM

Welcome Tony Khalil

Preparation “Never Give Up” • Fountainview Academy

Hymn of Praise “In the Garden” • 487

Family Prayer Tony Khalil

Giving of Gifts Tony Khalil
Offering Combined Budget
Lamb’s Offering Tri-City SDA School
Offertory “Take My Life and Let It Be” • Kaleb Brasee

Children’s Story Pastor Mabio Coelho

Scripture Daniel 6:27-28 • Tony Khalil

Sermon “When Praying Is Dangerous” • Pastor Mabio Coelho

Communion Pastor Mabio Coelho

Hymn of Response “Because He Lives” • 526

Benediction Tony Khalil

Postlude “Moment by Moment” • Kaleb Brasee

ELDER: Tony Khalil • DEACON: John Bartolo
PIANIST: Tania Smoler-Coelho
CHORISTER: Michelle Cloutier

THE COMING WEEK

Today Sermon: Pastor Mabio Coelho
Offering: Combined Budget
Fellowship Meal
Choir Rehearsal
Nominating Committee Meeting
Pathfinder Sunshine Band at Swanhaven 3:00 PM
Sunset: 7:45 PM

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

Tuesday Mid Week Service: 6:00 PM

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

Friday Choir Rehearsal: 6:30 PM

Next Sabbath Sermon: Pastor Robert Dulay, Adventist World
Radio Director for Southeast Asia
Offering: Michigan Advance Partners
No Fellowship Meal
Sunset: 7:53 PM

FUTURE EVENTS

March 25 Elder’s Meeting: 6:30 PM

March 29 Choir Rehearsal: 6:30 PM

March 30 Sermon: Neil Michaels, Mt Pleasant Elder
No Fellowship Meal

April 6 Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor
Fellowship Meal
Choir Rehearsal

April 11 Church Board Meeting: 6:15 PM

April 12 Choir Rehearsal: 6:30 PM

April 13 Sermon: Matt Romasko
No Fellowship Meal

April 15 School Board Meeting: 7:00 PM

April 20 Sermon: Pastor Mabio Coelho
Fellowship Meal
Choir Rehearsal
Pathfinder Sunshine Band at Swanhaven 3:00 PM