

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 family!

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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THE COMING WEEK

Today	Sermon: Reuben Mwangi Offering: Michigan Advance Partners No Fellowship Meal Sunset: 7:22 PM
Monday	Community Services: 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM
Tuesday	Mid Week Service: 6:00 PM
Wednesday	Email bulletin materials by 8:00 PM to bulletin@midlandsda.org
Thursday	Elders' Meeting: 6:30 PM
Next Sabbath	Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor Offering: Combined Budget Fellowship Meal Sunset: 7:09 PM

FUTURE EVENTS

October 10	Church Board Meeting: 6:15 PM
October 12	Sermon: John Boldt No Fellowship Meal
October 14	School Board Meeting: 7:00 PM
October 19	Sermon: Richard Hall, Retired Pastor from Arkansas Fellowship Meal Pathfinder Sunshine Band at Swanhaven 3:00 PM
October 20	Health and Lifestyle Classes: 3:00 PM
October 24	Elders' Meeting: 6:30 PM
October 26	Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor No Fellowship Meal
November 2	Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor Fellowship Meal
November 4	School Board Meeting: 7:00 PM
November 9	Sermon: Children's Division No Fellowship Meal



“... Then he calls his friends and neighbors together and says, ‘Rejoice with me; I have found my lost sheep.’”
Luke 15:6

SEPTEMBER 28, 2024

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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WE STUDY

9:30 AM

Bible Study

“The Risen Lord”

WE SING

10:35 AM

WE WORSHIP

10:45 AM

Welcome

Tony Kahlil

Preparation

“As the Deer” • Martin Nystrom

Hymn of Praise

“He Leadeth Me” • 537

Family Prayer

Tony Khalil

Giving of Gifts

Tony Khalil

Offering
Lamb’s Offering
Offertory

Michigan Advance Partners
Tri-City SDA School
“In Christ Alone” •
Stuart Townend & Keith Getty

Children’s Story

Reuben Mwangi

Scripture

Acts 15:36-41 • Tony Khalil

Sermon

“God of the Second Chances” • Reuben Mwangi

Hymn of Response

“Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus” • 524

Benediction

Tony Khalil

Postlude

“God and God Alone” • Phill McHugh

ELDER: Tony Khalil • DEACON: Gerry Eurich
PIANIST: David Moll
CHORISTERS: Kids & Parents

FAMILY MATTERS

Work Bee. There will be a work be at the church tomorrow morning starting at 9:30 AM. Most jobs are light work. Breakfast will be provided.

Church Social. Linda Andrews is inviting everyone to an outdoor game night at her home on October 12 around 6:30 PM at 2720 E Wheeler St. in Midland. Additional parking is available on Congress Dr or Trotter's Point. Worship will close the Sabbath, followed by a variety of activities -- kids games, table games, basketball, and a bonfire. Donuts will be provided, but you are welcome to bring apple cider. Dress warmly for the outside.

Future Special Events (see MidlandSDA.org for details)

- Public Hi-C Retreat, November 1-3
- Crystal Mountain Marriage Retreat, November 8-10
- Aerokhanas Vespers and Worship Service, December 6, 7
- AMEN Free Medical/Dental Clinic, December 8
- MindFit Mental Health Clinic, December 9-12

Tri-City School Tuition Assistance Needed. The church is currently supporting 8 elementary students with partial tuition assistance to attend our school. You can sponsor a student for approximately \$825 per school year or ten monthly installments of \$82. Please designate your gift to the Student Aid Fund--Elementary. This aid makes it possible for students to attend who otherwise could not afford to do so. Any amount is helpful.

Award. For the 2024 Alumni Awards this year, Southern Adventist University has chosen Boaz and LaRae Papendick to be recipients of the Distinguished Service Award. Boaz and LaRae were members of our church several years ago before leaving for mission service. Boaz is currently the Field Vice President for West Central Africa for Outpost Centers International. Before going to West Africa both Boaz and LaRae received masters degrees in public health from Loma Linda University. Boaz and LaRae currently live in Senegal and have two teenagers and two younger children.

The Tittabawassee Turtles. Did you know it is a great club for kids ages 10 and up? Did you know it can be life-changing for its members?

Areas of Financial Need.

- Church Expense — to pay operating costs
- Tri-City School operation and financial assistance for its students
- Student aid for an academy student
- Student aid for elementary students
- Pathfinder ministry

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FAMILY MATTERS (CONTINUED)

“Let my prayer come before you; incline your ear to my cry!”

Psalm 88:2 NKJV

- Dan Cloutier — kidney cancer
- Hilary’s mother, Terri Felsing — cancer treatment
- Kristina Knopic — healing from Bell’s palsy and resolution of custody of her son
- Cheryl Bissonnette — ongoing cancer treatment
- Prayers for those in areas of conflict around the world

Health Classes. Dr Daniel Goodin will present ongoing health and lifestyle classes at 3:00 PM in the Activity Center on the third Sunday of each month starting October 20. Don’t miss this opportunity to improve your health.

Aerokhanas Will Be Coming. The Aerokhanas gymnastics team from GLAA will be here on December 6 and 7. For Friday night vespers they will present a play entitled, *Your Great Love*. On Sabbath, December 7, they will have our worship service. This is something that you can invite your friends to, so be planning. You really won’t want to miss this.

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

- **“From Islam to Christianity”.** “From Islam to Christianity- An Iranian Pastor’s Story,” hear this powerful story on Friday, October 4 at 1:00 PM and Saturday, October 5 at 5:00 PM.
- **Protestant Reformation Month.** Strong Tower Radio's Protestant Reformation Month kicks off with our flagship program "STR TODAY." this Sunday at 5:00 PM, Monday at 10:00 AM, and Wednesday at midnight.
- **Free Clinic After One-Year.** The Adventist Medical Evangelism Network (AMEN) Free Clinics' one-year look-back airs Sunday at 3:30 AM, Monday at 4:00 PM, Wednesday at 9:00 PM, and Thursday at 1:00 PM.

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