

## WELCOME

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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

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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](http://Adventist.org/beliefs).

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Hours

10:00 AM to 3:00 PM on Mondays

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## THE COMING WEEK

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**Today** Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor  
Offering: Combined Budget  
Fellowship Meal  
Pathfinder Sunshine Band at Swanhaven 3:00 PM  
Sunset: 5:10 PM

**Sunday** Health and Lifestyle Classes: 3:00 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](mailto:bulletin@midlandsda.org)

**Next Sabbath** Sermon: Daniel Goodin, Local Elder  
Offering: Michigan Advance Partners  
No Fellowship Meal  
Sunset: 5:04 PM

## FUTURE EVENTS

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**November 30** Sermon: Stacey Mapes  
No Fellowship Meal

**December 6** Vespers Drama *Your Great Love* presented by the  
Aerokhanas team at 7:00 PM

**December 7** Sermon: Aerokhanas team  
Fellowship Meal

**December 8** AMEN Free Clinic: 8 AM to 4 PM

**December 9** Elders' Meeting: 6:30 PM

**December 12** Church Board Meeting: 6:15 PM

**December 14** Sermon: Music and Testimony Service  
No Fellowship Meal

**December 15** Health and Lifestyle Classes: 3:00 PM

**December 16** School Board Meeting: 7:00 PM

**December 21** Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor  
Fellowship Meal  
Pathfinder Sunshine Band at Swanhaven: 3:00 PM



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

**NOVEMBER 16, 2024**

## SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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## WE STUDY

9:30 AM

### Bible Study

“Blessed Are Those Who Believe”

## WE SING

10:35 AM

## WE WORSHIP

10:45 AM

### Welcome

Tony Khalil

### Preparation

“Power of the Cross” • Fountainview Academy

### Hymn of Praise

“The Wonder of It All” • 75

### Family Prayer

Tony Khalil

### Giving of Gifts

Tony Khalil

Offering  
Lamb’s Offering  
Offertory

Combined Budget  
Tri-City SDA School  
“His Way, Mine” • Dick Baker

### Children’s Story

Pastor Mabio Coelho

### Scripture Reading

Exodus 6:2 • Tony Khalil

### Sermon

Series: “Lessons for the Last Days”  
Sermon: “Lessons from Your God and His Promises” •  
Pastor Mabio Coelho

### Hymn of Response

“I Gave My Life for Thee” • 281

### Benediction

Tony Khalil

### Postlude

“When We All Get to Heaven” • Kaleb Brasee

ELDER: Tony Khalil • DEACON: Don Mapes  
PIANIST: Tania Smoler-Coelho  
CHORISTERS: Maresa Goodin and Michelle Cloutier

## FAMILY MATTERS

**For Reflection:** “The Hebrews had expected to obtain their freedom without any special trial of their faith or any real suffering or hardship. But they were not yet prepared for deliverance. They had little faith in God, and were unwilling patiently to endure their afflictions until He should see fit to work for them. Many were content to remain in bondage rather than meet the difficulties attending removal to a strange land; and the habits of some had become so much like those of the Egyptians that they preferred to dwell in Egypt. Therefore, the Lord did not deliver them by the first manifestation of His power before Pharaoh. He overruled events more fully to develop the tyrannical spirit of the Egyptian king and also to reveal Himself to His people. Beholding His justice, His power, and His love, they would choose to leave Egypt and give themselves to His service. The task of Moses would have been much less difficult had not many of the Israelites become so corrupted that they were unwilling to leave Egypt. *Patriarchs and Prophets*, p. 260

### Future Special Events (see [MidlandSDA.org](http://MidlandSDA.org) for details)

- Aerokhanas Vespers and Worship Service, December 6, 7
- AMEN Free Medical/Dental Clinic at Midland High, December 8
- MindFit Mental Health Clinic, December 9-12
- GYC at Columbus OH, December 27-31
- Teen Snow Outing at Camp Au Sable, January 10-12
- Man Camp at Camp Au Sable, January 24-26

**Lonely at the Holidays?** Join DivorceCare or GriefShare for free. Both are presented November 17 at 12:30 PM at St Peters Lutheran Church in Hemlock. Call (989) 642-8188 for more information

**Support Tri-City Seventh-Day Adventist School** by purchasing one or more scripture calendars. A sign-up sheet and sample calendar are in the church foyer. The proceeds go directly towards activities for our students. Thank you so very much!

### 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 8 elementary students — \$2036.00 still needed
- Pathfinder ministry

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## FAMILY MATTERS (CONTINUED)

**“I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people!” 1 Timothy 2:1 ESV**

- Larry Truax — frequent migraines, back pain, chest pain, pain in both legs
- Doug Hasso, Michelle Cloutier’s brother — prayers for healing after multiple surgeries and no more complications
- Graycee Cloutier — 14 Yr old child, heart surgery recovery
- Dan Cloutier — recovery from cancer treatment
- Hilary’s mother, Terri Felsing — cancer treatment
- Kristina Knopic — healing from Bell’s palsy and resolution of custody of her son
- People suffering natural disaster, persecution or war

**Want to Volunteer at the AMEN Free Medical/Dental Clinic?** It is easy to do. Just go to the website [AMENFreeClinic.org/upcoming-clinics](http://AMENFreeClinic.org/upcoming-clinics) and fill out the forms. Volunteers are needed on Friday, December 6 for set up at Midland High School and for the Free Clinic itself on December 8 from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

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

- **How to Access Your History.** A local history society director takes our listeners on a journey of how to research this Sunday at 5:00 PM, Monday at 10:00 AM, and Wednesday at midnight.
- **What Is Positive About Judgement?** What is positive about the investigative judgment? Find out on Friday, Nov. 22, at 1:00 PM, and Saturday, Nov. 23, at 5:00 PM.
- **The Priesthood of Believers.** Professor Alan Parker explains the Protestant’s priesthood of believers’ doctrine on Friday, Nov. 22, at 1:30 PM, and Saturday, Nov. 23, at 5:30 PM.
- **Visit with the Jackson Center.** Visit the Jackson Adventist Community Center this 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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**Having Trouble Hearing?** Portable hearing assistance units are available at the AV booth.