

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: Mabio Coelho, Pastor
Offering: Combined Budget
Fellowship Meal
Pathfinder Sunshine Band at Swanhaven: 3:00 PM
Sunset: 5:30 PM

Sunday Health and Lifestyle Classes: 3:00 PM

Tuesday Mid Week Service: 6:00 PM

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

Next Sabbath Sermon: Aaron Cloutier, Local Member
Offering: Michigan Advance Partners
No Fellowship Meal
Vespers: 5:30 PM
Tri-City School Constituency Meeting
Church Social

FUTURE EVENTS

February 1 Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor
Fellowship Meal

February 3 School Board Meeting: 7:00 PM

February 8 Sermon: Herbert Nelson, Mt Pleasant SDA Church Elder
No Fellowship Meal

February 10 Elder's Meeting: 6:30 PM

February 13 Church Board Meeting: 6:15 PM

February 15 Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor
Fellowship Meal
Pathfinder Sunshine Band at Swanhaven: 3:00 PM

February 16 Health and Lifestyle Classes: 3:00 PM

February 22 Sermon: Tony Khalil, Head Elder
No Fellowship Meal

March 1 Sermon: Mabio Coelho, Pastor
Fellowship Meal

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



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

JANUARY 18, 2025

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
2420 East Ashman Street • Midland, Michigan 48642

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WE STUDY

9:30 AM

Bible Study

“To Be Pleasing to God”

WE SING

10:35 AM

WE WORSHIP

10:45 AM

Welcome

Stacey Mapes

Preparation

“Nothing but the Blood” with “At the Cross” •
Robert Lowry

Hymn of Praise

“Praise to the Lord” • 1

Family Prayer

Brenda Khalil

Giving of Gifts

Stacey Mapes

Offering

Combined Budget

Lamb’s Offering

Tri-City SDA School

Offertory

“The New 23rd” • by Ralph Carmichael

Children’s Story

Pastor Mabio Coelho

Scripture Reading

Gen 2:23-24 • Stacey Mapes

Sermon

Series: “Lessons for the Last Days”
Sermon: “More Lessons from the Beginning” •
Pastor Mabio Coelho

Hymn of Response

“May the Grace of Christ Our Savior” • 659

Benediction

Stacey Mapes

Postlude

“Sweet, Sweet Spirit” • Doris Akers

ELDER: Stacey Mapes • DEACON: Matthew Bell

PIANIST: Kathy Johnson

CHORISTERS: Kids and Parents

FAMILY MATTERS

For Reflection: I was shown that although a couple were married, gave themselves to each other by a most solemn vow in the sight of heaven and holy angels, and the two were one, yet each had a separate identity which the marriage covenant could not destroy. Although bound to one another, yet each has an influence to exert in the world, and they should not be so selfishly engrossed with each other as to shut themselves away from society and bury their usefulness and influence.
Letter 9, 1864.

Second Reading and Vote. Transfer of membership for Susan Erickson from the Midland SDA church to Ridgetop SDA Church in Ridgetop, TN.

Health Ministry Retreat. The 2025 R.I.G.H.T. Arm Evangelism Retreat at Camp Au Sable will be held from February 28 to March 2. REGISTRATION IS OPEN NOW! Join us for a transformative weekend with our health ministry team as we explore powerful ways to support Christ’s method of ministry: preaching, teaching, and healing. Discover practical tools and strategies to enhance your personal ministry, your church’s health ministry, and the pastor/health provider blended message partnership to bring hope and healing to your community while also strengthening your own skills for making a lasting impact. We hope to see you there

Register here:

<https://www.misda.org/departments/health-ministries/right-arm-evangelism-retreat>

Coming Soon. “Do It Together” Sabbath School Conference Training. February 7 from 7:30 to 9:00 PM and February 8 from 4:30 to 9:15 PM
Registration: <https://oneteamplaybook.org/register/2025-do-it-together-sabbath-school-february>

Future Special Events (see MidlandSDA.org for details)

- Man Camp at Camp Au Sable, January 24-26
- Tri-City School Constituency Meeting January, 25 at 5:30 PM.
- CAMPUS Winter Retreat at Camp Au Sable, February 14-17
- Teen Impact at Camp Au Sable, February 21-23
- Spring Youth Summit, March 9
- Faith Identity Trip, March 16-23

Areas of Financial Need.

- Pathfinder ministry
- Church Expense — to pay operating costs
- Tri-City School operation
- Student aid for an academy student

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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

- Graycee Cloutier –health issues.
- 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
- Hilary’s mother, Terri Felsing — cancer treatment
- People suffering natural disaster, persecution or war

Health and Lifestyle Class. Tomorrow at 3:00 PM. Don’t miss it.

Church Social. After the school constituency meeting next Saturday evening, we will have a game night. Please bring a favorite game and snack to pass.

Missional Study Tour. If you are interested in an educational tour of the Galápagos Islands, this is your chance. Highest Education under the direction of Pastor William Hurtado is inviting anyone interested to come with them on this adventure. Tour dates are May 15-27, 2025. For more information visit their website at highesteeducation.com/ecuador

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- **AU President Walk.** Walk the Andrews University (AU) campus with the president this Sunday at 5:00 PM, Monday at 10:00 AM, and Wednesday at midnight.
- **Ron Price in Person.** Ron Price, of Strong Tower Radio's "Relationship CPR," gives his signature seminar this Friday at 1:00 PM and next Saturday at 5:00 PM.
- **Mission Wings #2.** Hear a new plan to extend mission planes' lives on Sunday at 3:30 AM, Monday at 4:00 PM, Wednesday at 9:00 PM, and Thursday at 1:00 PM. **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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