

## The Church at Study

9:20 am

### Sabbath School

Musical Prelude	Kadin and Buddy Houghtaling
Welcome and Prayer	Aileen Hyde
Mission Feature	Pastor Werlei Gomide

### Lesson Study:

### Adult Sabbath School Classes:

Sanctuary	Jerry Finneman Jeff Kellogg
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### Annex-Seminar Room

New Believers

Pastor Holland

### Annex-Fellowship Room

Steve Walker  
Garth Stoltz

### Annex 2nd Floor

Reflectors

Rick Barrett

### Youth Sabbath School Classes:

#### Church Lower Level:

Cradle Roll (Ages 0-4)  
Kindergarten ( Grades K-1)  
Primary (Grades 2-4)  
Junior (Grades 5-8)

### Annex 2nd Floor

Youth (Grade 9 and Up)

## The Church at Worship

10:30 am

Welcome & Announcements	Wayne Johnson
Call to Worship	Wayne Johnson
Praise Sing	
Invocation*	Pastor Chris Holland
Opening Hymn*	122 <b><i>Hark! the Herald Angels Sing</i></b>
Giving of Gifts	Pastor Chris Holland
Congregational Prayer	Brian Metcalf
Closing Hymn*	125 <b><i>Joy to the World</i></b>
Benediction*	Pastor Lovinel Junior Vertus
Postlude*	Handbell Choir <b><i>Hallelujah Chorus</i></b>

\*Please Stand

## Church Giving

Systematic giving is part of being a faithful steward. When we return tithe, we are recognizing that God owns everything. Giving offerings expresses our gratitude for what God has done for us. God loves a cheerful giver.

### Ways to give:

- During church service
- Mail to Church office:  
264 W. Michigan Ave  
Battle Creek, MI 49037
- Online: [AdventistGiving.org](http://AdventistGiving.org)  
or use the QR Code below



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### Upcoming offering schedule

Today- Adventist Community Services(NAD)  
December 20 - Local Church Budget  
December 27 - Michigan Advanced Partners

### Church Contact Information:

**Phone:** 269-968-8101 **Email:** [taboffice@bctab.com](mailto:taboffice@bctab.com)  
**Address:** 264 W. Michigan Ave., Battle Creek, MI 49037  
**Office Hours:** M, W, Th 9-12

### Tabernacle Media

Radio – WGPG-LP, FM 92.9  
Television – Channel 16 AccessVision or  
[www.accessvision.tv/live-16](http://www.accessvision.tv/live-16)  
YouTube – [www.youtube.com/@bctabernacle](http://www.youtube.com/@bctabernacle) for  
livestream and all past sermons

Youth Chapel

## Announcement

**Happy Sabbath and Welcome.** We are very happy that you have chosen to worship with us during our special Christmas program. We pray that you will be blessed. Please join our church wide potluck beginning at 1:30 at the Battle Creek Academy at 480 Parkway Drive.

**First Reading** for Pastor Lovinel Vertus to transfer from the Wyoming Michigan church to the Battle Creek Tabernacle.

**Devotional Books** for 2026 may be ordered by calling the church or by going to the ABC website at:

[AdventistBookCenter.com/devotionals.html](http://AdventistBookCenter.com/devotionals.html). The deadline for ordering through the church is December 31. Please leave your name and book or books you want to order.

**Historic Adventist Village** is open Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Weekday tours are given at 10:00 am and 2:00 pm. Sabbath tours are given at 2:00 pm. Reservations are appreciated especially for large groups in order to ensure availability of guides. Please call 269-965-3000 or 269-967-5067.

**Tabernacle Sacred Free Concert Series 2026:** **January 17** - Musician Steve Martin, **February 14** - Singer and songwriter Buddy Houghtaling, **March 14** - Singer and violinist Margie Salcedo Rice, **April 4** - Contemporary Christian Music singer.

**WGPG-LP, FM 92.9** is now playing Christmas Music in between their regular programming.

**There will not be** a midweek Bible study group or the Home Bible study group on **December 24 and December 31**. The **Home Bible** study group will meet on **Thursdays** at 7:00 pm beginning January 7. The Midweek Bible study group will resume meeting in the Seminar room on Wednesday, January 7.

**To Stay Informed** about Church announcements and event cancellations please make sure the church office has your current phone number and email address. This will allow you to be added to the notification list. Call the office at 269-968-8101 or email us at: [office@bctab.com](mailto:office@bctab.com).

**Pathfinder Induction** will be this evening at 5:00 pm in the Pathfinder room.

**The Visitation Group** meets the first and third Sabbath at 3:15 in the Annex.

**Intercessory Prayer** - Please join us immediately following the church service for intercessory prayer in the Junior Room the first through fourth Sabbaths of each month.

**Vespers** - There will not be Vespers this evening.

## Calendar of Events

### Today, December 13

10:30 am - Divine Service -*The Fullness of Joy*  
1:30 pm - Potluck lunch at BCA gym  
5:00 pm - Pathfinder Induction in the Pathfinder room  
5:08 pm - Sunset  
6:30 pm - Marshall Christmas program  
(Marshall SDA Church)

### Sunday, December 14

11:30 am - AccessVision Broadcast of the Tabernacle service  
5:30 pm - Women's Tea to be held in the Seminar Room.  
All Ladies are invited to come.

### Tuesday, December 16

10:00 am - Mommy and Me meets outside the Mother's room. Contact Samantha Mori for details.  
12:00 - 2:30 pm - Adventist Community Service Center is open. Bring your lunch and enjoy the fellowship.

### Wednesday, December 17

7:00 pm - Midweek Bible Study meets in the Seminar Room (1 Corinthians)  
7:00 pm - Home Bible Study group. Contact Steve Walker at 269-275-4675

### Friday, December 18

6:00 pm - AccessVision broadcast of the Tabernacle  
5:08 pm - Sunset

### Sabbath, December 20

10:40 am - Divine Service Pastor Chris Holland  
5:08 pm - Sunset

## Upcoming Events

December 21 - Christmas Workshop (11:00 am - 1:00 pm) in the Seminar room at the church.

# Battle Creek Tabernacle

## Seventh-day Adventist Church

December 13, 2025



