

## September 2018 Edition 'Building a New Station'

### Strong Tower Radio Ministry News

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#### Coming Events:

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Coming Events:

##### September 8th, 9:30 am

Speaking Tom Mejeur  
STR Marketing Director  
Sault Sainte Marie Seventh-day Adventist Church 501 W. Easterday Avenue,  
Sault Sainte Marie, MI 49783

##### September 8th, 6pm

The 15th 'Old Time Radio Variety Hour' Seventh-day Adventist Church  
206 W. 5th Street  
Gaylord, MI 49735

##### September 15th, 11:00 am

Speaking David Bolduc  
STR Founder-President  
Marion Seventh-day Adventist Church  
801 West Main Street  
Marion, MI 49665



**Strong Tower Radio needs a snowmobile and trailer to maintain a tower in the Upper Peninsula in a remote area inaccessible during heavy snow.**

**Please call us about this at 231.468.2087**

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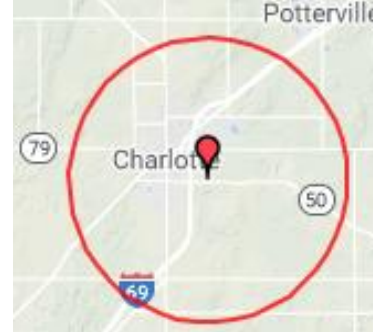
# STRONG TOWER RADIO

**Where God's Character Is Proclaimed**

# Ministry News

89.7-Grand Rapids 90.7-Harrison  
90.9-Escanaba 91.3-Ironwood 93.9-Mio  
91.3-Decatur 91.9-Cadillac TV23-Cadillac  
97.9-Newberry 102.7-Alpena 104.7-Lansing  
1540-Okemos 92.3-Charlotte

## Building A New Station



**New Charlotte Station**

After many months of waiting and several setbacks, Strong Tower Radio began broadcasting on AM 1540 KTGG and FM 104.7 on Nov. 8, 2016 in the Lansing area. But because of terrain issues, we soon heard from many of our listeners in the Charlotte area that they could not hear either of the Lansing stations. In 2017, the FCC invited all AM radio stations that shut down at night, or ran at greatly reduced power at night, to apply for a spot on the FM dial.

The FCC limited those AM stations to only apply to build one FM station. Our engineers found that we could build a radio station on 92.3 FM in Charlotte. So, we made application for 92.3 and were granted permission to build the FM station. We have accumulated several pieces of equipment to build this station, but we still need \$10,000.00 to finish the project and \$1500.00 to cover yearly expenses. \$10,000 opens the door for 10,000 more potential listeners but 'Covenant Partners' help sustain the programming on the radio. Likewise, it takes \$450,000 a year to sustain Strong Tower Radio to one half of Michigan!

The circle on the map shows the primary coverage area. Radios without a good antenna, like a digital clock radio, should be able to receive the station without any problem within the circle. Car radios should be able to receive the station well beyond the circle. I always look forward to driving to our many radio stations to see just how far out the signal really gets. I am rarely disappointed by the coverage. In fact, I am amazed at how the Lord has blessed us!

Just this morning, my boys and I were reading their Sabbath School lesson and I noticed I had put a note beside Isaiah 40:9 – "O Zion, You, who bring good tidings, Get up into the high mountain; O Jerusalem, you who bring good tidings, Lift up your voice with strength, Lift it up, be not afraid; Say to the cities of Judah, 'Behold your God!'" NKJV. Together, we claimed this promise not only for Charlotte but for other cities where we are not currently reaching. Our goal at Strong Tower Radio is to proclaim the character of God to Michigan and beyond from high places saying, "Behold Your God; He loves you!"

-David Bolduc

# From the President



**David Bolduc**

Dear Strong Tower Radio Family,

**Thank you!** Many times, you may hear us say, “We are grateful for your prayers and financial support.” But what are we really saying?

Strong Tower Radio is your listener supported ministry. You, our listeners and supporters, keep this ministry on the air and growing.

In a business model, Strong Tower Radio would simply not exist, yet it does because of the blessings of God with your prayers and gifts. The monthly operating costs to keep Strong Tower Radio on the air are almost \$40,000.00.

Ps. 50:10 says, the cattle on a thousand hills are the Lord’s. He provides the grass to feed the cattle; He also sends the rain to nourish the grass and the cattle. He even provided the soil for the cattle to stand on and the grass to grow in. Nothing escapes His detailed attention! He is the God of multiplication, and He provides for all our needs!

As I look out my window, I see a monarch caterpillar hanging by a small bud to the deck railing slowly becoming a chrysalis. In a few days, that humble caterpillar will become a beautiful monarch butterfly and will begin its journey from northern Michigan to central Mexico. Only a God of love could be so wise to engineer every detail of biology, chemistry, and aerodynamics into such a small package and then bless it to reproduce after its own kind to continue the beautiful cycle of life.

We cling to His promises that He will provide, and He does! We praise God for your prayers and gifts to Strong Tower Radio that keep it going and growing. So, on behalf of the Strong Tower Radio Board, the Advisory Committee, and the staff, I want to thank you for doing all you have done to support Strong Tower Radio. May the Lord richly bless you!

## George Corliss Memorial

Coming next month, read about the George Corliss Memorial that celebrates transformed lives and baptisms because of Strong Tower Radio.

# STR Changing Lives



**Log Scale-House Listener**

## Listener Story #1:

A truck driver from Manistique pulled into the scale station in Newberry to have his logs measured. He happened to be listening to Strong Tower Radio. The operator, Stacy, in the scale-house also had been listening to Strong Tower Radio. As she came to the truck to measure the logs, she heard the familiar message and asked, “Are you listening to Strong Tower Radio?” As the driver confirmed, they struck up a conversation and the woman asked for directions to the local Seventh-day Adventist Church nearest to her. She has been attending the McMillan-Northwoods Seventh-day Adventist Church for about 6-weeks.

## Listener Story #2:

The Sault Sainte Marie Seventh-day Adventist Church participates in ‘Lakerpalooza’, an event for new students for Lake Superior State University (LSSU) in which local vendors promote their services to the new students. The Sault Sainte Marie church member attendants wore T-shirts with a large, bold, red ‘7th Day’, printed on them advertising the local church. While walking around the venue, Pastor Genson was approached by a gentleman. “Are you a 7 dayer?” he asked. Pastor Genson answered in the affirmative. At this the gentleman told him how much he enjoyed listening to Strong Tower Radio. The messages, he said, “were very deep and inspirational--especially Pastor Stephen Bohr and Doug Batchelor.” The two continued their brief conversation, which revealed that this gentleman was a Methodist pastor who invited Pastor Genson to visit him.

## Pastor Genson’s Viewpoint

Strong Tower Radio is invaluable to the ministry in the UP. The radio waves reach where I cannot go! The Lord told us that He would use simple means for reaching the people, and I believe that Strong Tower Radio is one of those means. My church has grown through the ministry of Strong Tower Radio.

-WIHC 97.9 FM Jed Genson, UP Michigan Pastor

# Fall 2018 Strong Tower Radio Schedule

EDST	CDST	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
12:00 AM	11pm	Celebrating Life in Recovery	Emphasis on God	Best of 3ABN Campmeetings	STR Today	Crossroads	Sabbath School Study Hour	Bible Answers Live
12:15 AM	12:15 AM		Mental Spiritual Health					
12:30 AM			Christian Concerns					
1:00 AM	12:00 AM	Anchor of Truth	World Wide Evangelism	World Wide Evangelism	World Wide Evangelism	World Wide Evangelism	World Wide Evangelism	World Wide Evangelism
2:00 AM	1:00 AM	3ABN Today	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	3ABN Today
3:00 AM	2:00 AM	Contending for the Faith	Conflict of the Ages	Conflict of the Ages	Conflict of the Ages	Conflict of the Ages	Conflict of the Ages	Conflict of the Ages
3:30 AM	2:30 AM	By My Spirit	CHIP: Healthy by Choice	Salvation in Signs and Symbols	Gaither Home Coming Radio	Gaither Home Coming Radio	Multitude of Counselors	Joe Crews / Emphasis on God
4:00 AM	3:00 AM	Disclosure	Favorites by Request	Breath of Life	3ABN Family	More Abundant Life	Someone Cares	Best of 3ABN Campmeetings
4:15 AM	3:15 AM					Healthy Foods		
4:30 AM	3:30 AM		Unshackled	Unshackled	Unshackled	Unshackled	Unshackled	
5:00 AM	4:00 AM	Fresh Manna	Money Wise	Money Wise	Money Wise	Money Wise	Money Wise	Fresh Manna
5:30 AM	4:30 AM		Joe Crews	Joe Crews	Joe Crews	Joe Crews	Joe Crews	
5:45 AM	4:45 AM		His Words are Life	3ABN Emphasis on God	His Words are Life	Science Conversations	Focus on Healthy Foods	
6:00 AM	5:00 AM	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations
7:00 AM	6:00 AM	Building Relationships	Ranger Bill	Ranger Bill	Ranger Bill	Ranger Bill	Ranger Bill	Great Controversy
7:30 AM	6:30 AM		Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Mission Stories
8:00 AM	7:00 AM	Your Story Hour	Bible Answers Live	Bible Answers Live	Bible Answers Live	Bible Answers Live	Bible Answers Live	Your Story Hour
8:30 AM	7:30 AM	Discovery Mountain		Pathways of the Pioneers				
9:00 AM	8:00 AM	Ranger Bill		<b>World Wide Evangelism</b>	<b>World Wide Evangelism</b>	<b>World Wide Evangelism</b>	<b>World Wide Evangelism</b>	<b>World Wide Evangelism</b>
9:30 AM	8:30 AM	Unshackled						Steps to Christ
10:00 AM	9:00 AM	Bible Answers Live Replay	STR Today	Joy in the Morning	Joy in the Morning	Joy in the Morning	Joy in the Morning	Sabbath School Study Hour
11:00 AM	10:00 AM	Everlasting Gospel	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	3ABN 2017 Campmeetings
12:00 PM	11:00 AM	Back to our Roots	<b>Discovery Mtn</b>	<b>Discovery Mtn</b>	<b>Discovery Mtn</b>	<b>Discovery Mtn</b>	<b>Discovery Mtn</b>	Voice of Prophecy – Disclosure
12:30 PM	11:30 AM	Gaither Homecoming	YWAM Stories	YWAM Stories	YWAM Stories	YWAM Stories	YWAM Stories	
1:00 PM	12:00 PM	Gospel Melodies	American Indian Living	Exalting His Word	Crossroads	Heart Lift	Tough Questions	Thompsonville SDA Church
1:30 PM	12:30 PM			Heartwise	Ultimate Prescription			
2:00 PM	1:00 PM	Gospel Melodies	STR-AO Music	STR-AO Music	STR-AO Music	STR-AO Music	STR-AO Music	Restful Reflections
3:00 PM	2:00 PM	American Indian Living	Joe Crews	Joe Crews	Joe Crews	Joe Crews	Joe Crews	Restful Reflections
3:15 PM	2:15 PM		His Words are Life	Life Quest Liberty	3ABN Emphasis on God	Science Conversations	Someone Cares	
3:30 PM	2:30 PM		New - Breath of Life	IT IS WRITTEN Canada-TV	Breath of Life	It Is Written	More Abundant Life	
4:00 PM	3:00 PM	Home School Companion	Salvation in Signs and Symbols	Bible Answers	Multitude of Counselors	Freedoms Ring	His Words are Life	
4:15 PM	3:15 PM					3ABN Mental and Spiritual Health	Focus on Healthy Foods	
4:30 PM	3:30 PM	Money Wise Weekend	Money Wise	Money Wise	Money Wise	Money Wise	Money Wise	
5:00 PM	4:00 PM	STR Today	Bible Answers Live Encore	Bible Answers Live Encore	Bible Answers Live Encore	Bible Answers Live Encore	Bible Answers Live Encore	Tough Questions
6:00 PM	5:00 PM	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations
7:00 PM	6:00 PM	Fresh Manna	<b>World Wide Evangelism</b>	<b>World Wide Evangelism</b>	<b>World Wide Evangelism</b>	<b>World Wide Evangelism</b>	<b>World Wide Evangelism</b>	Fresh Manna
8:00 PM	7:00 PM	Visit with Mrs. G	Bible in Living Sound	Bible in Living Sound	Bible in Living Sound	Bible in Living Sound	Bible in Living Sound	Discovery Mountain
8:15 PM	7:15 PM	Bedtime Stories						
8:30 PM	7:30 PM	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour
9:00 PM	8:00 PM	3ABN Today	Urban Report	True Knowledge of Self	Salvation in Symbols and Signs	3ABN Today Live	Sabbath School Study Hour	3ABN Today
9:30 PM	8:30 PM		Perfecting Me	Celebrating Life with Cheri and Friends	The New Journey			
10:00 PM	9:00 PM	Bible Answers LIVE	3ABN Today	3ABN Today	A Sharper Focus	3ABN Today Live	3ABN Sabbath School Panel	Gospel Melodies
11:00 PM	10:00 PM	Voice of Prophecy – Disclosure	Night Sounds	Night Sounds	Night Sounds	Night Sounds	Night Sounds	
11:30 PM	10:30 PM		Night Sounds Encore	Night Sounds Encore	Night Sounds Encore	Night Sounds Encore	Night Sounds Encore	

# Old-Time Radio Behind the Scenes



The most recent 'Old-Time Radio'

The variety hour was born from a love of music, the arts and a desire to give opportunity to budding artists, the novice, the hidden professional and other talented people who may otherwise remain obscure. This led to the concept of including a broad musical talent pool of various ages, instruments and genre to appeal to a wide, diversified audience.

I believe 'Strong Tower Radio Variety Hour' thrives because of the power behind it; not human

power, but God's power. Tim Duman, when asked to take part in putting together the first music concert, was impressed that this program should be more than just a concert, but rather have a higher purpose, that of supporting Strong Tower Radio.

The continued appeal for 'Strong Tower Radio Variety Hour' stems from several sources; the use of local talent, community participation, member involvement, and the opportunity in meeting those who have come to know the Lord through Strong Tower Radio. Getting acquainted with radio listeners strengthens faith and brings to life the inanimate object, radio, making it a reality in the minds of its supporters.

The plan for the next 'Strong Tower Radio Variety Hour,' at this point, is to collaborate with other local churches to create a pool of musicians. There will be many new faces; a seasoned pianist, a budding musician, a new community church body, and a couple of pastors and their families. Also featured will be our performing arts group, 'Proclaim,' bringing to us the story, 'The Boy Who Got What He Didn't Want.'

Come and receive a blessing! See you at the Gaylord Seventh-day Adventist Church, 206 West 5th Street, September 8, 6:00pm.

-Debbie Blosser

# The Covenant Partners' 'Rewards'

- 1) Knowing you are supporting the broadcast in your area, across the State of Michigan, and beyond.
- 2) The blessing of hearing the Strong Tower Radio programming locally yourself and while traveling across half of Michigan.
- 3) Knowing you are cooperating with the Holy Spirit.
- 4) The satisfaction of supporting the spread of the Gospel.

For every \$10 investment made, you give us the ability to reach 100 people with the 'Everlasting Gospel' for an entire year! Currently, about five million people reside within our broadcast footprint. Your gift ensures **programming 24 hours a day, 7 days a week throughout the year!** There is no better financial investment you can make at this time in earth's history.

## How to Make Your Investment...

You can choose to become a monthly 'Covenant Partner' or make a 'One-Time' contribution by a check or money order and **mail it to Strong Tower Radio**, PO Box 567, Cadillac, MI 49601.

If you wish to make a credit card charge or bank account withdrawal, and to keep that **information confidential, either post it on our secure website**, [www.strongtowerradio.org](http://www.strongtowerradio.org) or call **Sandy** at 231-468-2087.

## Investor's Information...

**YES!** We choose to make a one-time investment in Strong Tower Radio of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

**YES!** We choose to become a Strong Tower Radio 'Covenant Partner' and will make a weekly or monthly investment in Strong Tower Radio of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

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