

Focused Prayer

As you pray this week, consider the general points below to help guide your requests and praises.

Health Needs

Praise God for the progress, despite the difficulty in recovery, for those for whom we are praying
 Praise God for those who have returned home from hospital care, and for those who are receiving needed health care
 As we pray for the health of the teachers and students in our schools, pray for all who have missed school to get fully well
 Please remember to pray for God's mercy and protection over older and younger among us, as both are most vulnerable to injury and illness

Community & Country

Pray the Comforter for those grieving the loss of loved ones in our church family, our community, and our nation
 Pray that the shut-ins, as well as those with transportation needs, be helped by the Lord in the providence of God

Our Church – Local and World-Wide

Praise God for the guidance by the Holy Spirit of our Indiana Conference officers and pastors during their recent meetings
 Please remember to pray daily for the Three Angels Bookstore and the thrift store as they minister to the many in our community
 Continuing prayers for the work and the workers in El Salvador is appreciated
 Keep AWR and ADRA in prayer, that those served by them will be open to God's love and truth

Other requests

Praise God for those who faithfully help by using their musical talents in worship
 Please continue to pray for those seeking housing, and/or employment, that they experience God's providence

Giving Guide

We thank you for supporting our local and global church through your giving. You may place a tithe envelope in any of the locked boxes at the sanctuary entrance doors or scan the QR code in the box below to give online.

Financial Report through January 25, 2025

To financially support any of our church ministries, please mark your tithe envelope accordingly.
 Any undesignated contributions turned in by tithe envelope will remain in the local church



	Yearly Budget	Monthly Budget	Rec. this month	Budget to date	YTD Rec.
Church Budget*	\$223,200	\$18,600	\$9,253	\$17,170	\$9,253
Media Ministry	\$20,500	\$1,708	\$90	\$1,580	\$90

*Church Budget consists of: Christian Education (41%), Church Expense (30%), Operating Reserves (Working Capital) (4%), Evangelism (3.5%), Building Maintenance (3%), Media Ministry (3%), Personal Ministries (3%), Sabbath School (3%), Contingency (2%), Youth/YA (2%), Community Services (2%), Adventurers (1%), Pathfinders (1%), Worthy Student (1%), and Social Committee (0.5%)



Welcome
 WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE

February 1, 2025

Happy Sabbath and Welcome to the Cicero SDA Church

Sabbath School – 9:45 a.m.

There are adult Sabbath School classes located in the church sanctuary and in the fellowship hall – please feel free to join either class. For the location of children, youth, and young adult classes, please ask the greeter for directions.

Worship Service – 11:00 a.m.

Announcements & Welcome	Bob Bartlett
Praise through Singing	
Worship through the Written Word	Eden Clark
	<i>Psalm 133:1-3</i>
Garden of Prayer	Khloe Dougherty
Children's Story	Sarah Clark
Worship through Giving	Bob Bartlett
	<i>Church Budget</i>
Music for Meditation	Ruby & Jadelyn Dickerson
Worship Through the Spoken Word	Pastor Aaron
	<i>"Pentecost: The Latter Rain"</i>
Closing Hymn	#195
	<i>Showers of Blessings</i>

Announcements

Weekly Church Email

If you do not currently receive the weekly church email and other occasional updates that Pastor Aaron sends out, and if you wish to be included, please let Jennifer Currier or Pastor Aaron know your email address and they will get you added.

Lost & Found

We have a lost & found area by the outside church entrance near the Primary S.S. room (check with a greeter if you're not sure where this is). We have collected quite a number of items there. Please check and see if any of them belong to you and claim them. **Any unclaimed items will be donated next week.**

Vespers & Games

We want to invite you to join your church family on February 15th at 5:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall to close the Sabbath with a vespers program. After vespers we'll be having some games and fellowship. Please bring a soup, some sandwiches, or chips and a favorite table game and enjoy a good evening of fellowship.

Men's Retreat

This February 28 to March 2 at Timber Ridge Camp we will be having a power-packed men's retreat! If you want to be spiritually revitalized and better equipped to be the leader that God wants you to be and connect with more brothers in Christ, please plan to attend this event. Registration, meals and lodging is \$75 if staying in a cabin and \$100 if staying in a lodge. This includes 5 meals and 2 nights lodging. Visit <https://www.jotform.com/indysdayouth/men-retreat> to register for the event. Contact Thomas Clark at 812-521-6867 with any questions or for help registering.

Calling Indiana Musicians

The Indiana Conference Choir and Orchestra is inviting musicians throughout our Conference to be a part of a new music association that will premiere at camp meeting on June 7, 2025. The choir and orchestra will be performing for the main worship service as well as a choir festival on Sabbath afternoon. Interested musicians are asked to contact Pastor Ramon Ulangca at rulangca@indysda.org with your name, phone number and email address so he can follow up with you.