

Keys Found

A set of church keys were found in the outside fellowship hall door after our church picnic a month or so ago. If you've been looking for a set of church keys, see Ramona Trubey.

Daily Prayer Team Schedule

The monthly distribution of the Daily Prayer Schedule is now available on the table across from the pastor's office. We appreciate your dedication!

Prayer Thoughts

One night the Lord said to Paul in a vision, "Do not be afraid, but speak and do not be silent; for I am with you, and no one will lay a hand on you to harm you, for there are many in this city who are my people" *Acts 18:9-10*

"Do not let rejection silence your truth. Do not let fear shut your mouth."

Rick Warren

Pray for courage to share your faith regardless of opposition or fear

Pray for a hedge of protection—physically, emotionally and spiritually—over yourself, your loved ones, and other believers who are actively standing for truth

Pray for mourners to express their sorrow, cry out to you, and share their pain—assuring your presence is constant and unfailing

Ask God to whisper words of courage to those who are afraid—when the earth shakes, when floodwaters rise and when the heat is overwhelming, remind them that they are not silent and they are not alone

*Dear Lord, We are so grateful your presence shields us and gives us strength to stand firm.
In Jesus name, Amen.*

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 June 30, 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	\$13,806	\$111,605	\$95,086
Media Ministry	\$20,500	\$1,708	\$453	\$10,270	\$9,590

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



July 4, 2026

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 and youth classes, please ask a greeter for directions.

Worship Service – 11:00 a.m.

Welcome & Announcements	Art Miller
Praise through Singing	
Worship through the Written Word	David Currier
2 Corinthians 3:17	
Garden of Prayer	David Currier
Children's Story	Kendra Knudson
Shine & Share	
Worship through Giving	Art Miller
Church Budget	
Music for Meditation	Brandon Cain
Worship Through the Spoken Word	Dean Carlisle
"Real Freedom"	
Closing Hymn	#304
Faith of Our Fathers	

Sunset tonight at 9:16 p.m.

Sunset next Friday at 9:13 p.m.

Announcements

Welcome

Welcome to worship at Cicero! Our speaker today is Dean Carlisle, son of Aurora Hufnagel. We look forward to his message for us today.

With Sympathy

We're sad to announce the passing of Jim Thompson. Please keep his family in your prayers. His memorial service will be held at the Cicero SDA Church on Saturday, July 18. Visitation with the family will take place from 3-4:00 p.m., followed by the memorial service at 4:00 p.m.

New Cicero Senior Pastor

We are pleased to announce that after much prayer, the church board offered the job of senior pastor to Scott Haakenson and his family. They have prayerfully accepted and should be starting around the first part of August. Keep them and our church in your prayers during this transition.

Fundraising Opportunities

We have several different funding needs to focus on this summer. We invite you to give to them as you are moved. Thanks in advance for your support!

Barnabas Project – Support the funding of our summer pastoral intern program. Andrews University matches the funds raised. **Goal: \$3,100 Raised: \$308**

Pathfinder/Adventurer Needs – help support our Pathfinder club with the costs of their trip to the NAD Bible Experience, or help support our Adventurer club's need to repair their trailer. **Pathfinder goal: \$4,500 Raised: \$1,500. Adventurer goal: \$1,500 Raised: \$1,150**

Timber Ridge Summer Camp Scholarships – help send kids to camp this summer by giving to the TRC Opportunity Camper Fund. **Goal: \$1,800 Raised: \$630**

July Social Event

Make a note on your calendars to join your church family for our July church social on July 12. We're planning a pitch-in picnic and different games again this month. Location and exact time to be determined next weekend, based on the weather, but plan for late afternoon/early evening.

Prayer Retreat

The Indiana Conference is holding a retreat on prayer titled "Forgiveness" on July 25 at the Kokomo SDA Church, from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Registration is required to attend, but there is no charge. See the bulletin insert for how to register, or talk to Pastor Jesus or an elder for assistance in registering.

Thrift Store Volunteers Needed

Our Thrift Store Ministry is looking for at least 10 additional volunteers who can serve 4 hours per week. We are especially seeking 1-2 individuals with an interest or experience in hardware, tools, and related items. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Monique Hines at 847-778-8305.