

*Welcome to the
Cicero Seventh-day Adventist Church
April 9, 2011*

We welcome you to the blessed privilege of worship this Sabbath day. It is here in God's sanctuary through the experience of singing, praying, giving, listening, and studying God's Word that our faith has opportunity to grow.

Today during our worship hour we will observe our quarterly communion service. We practice an open communion and all are welcome and encouraged to join in all parts of the program.

General Church Potluck

Following our worship service we will be having our general church potluck & fellowship meal over in the elementary school gymnasium. Please come and join in the food and fellowship.

Memorial Service

Please join us this afternoon at 3:00 p.m. as we come together with the Smith and Richard's families in remembering Art Richards, who passed to his rest on March 13. The service will be held here at the church. The flowers today are in his memory.

Membership Transfers – First Reading

From Cicero:

Samara Bolin from Cicero to Irvington Seventh-day Adventist Church, Indianapolis, IN

To Cicero:

Denise D. Chwast from Carmel Seventh-day Adventist Church, Carmel, IN

Ana Flavia Lewkowicz from Dallas Brazilian Seventh-day Adventist Church, Irving, TX

Jeremy and Donna Hall from Cedar Lake Church, Cedar Lake, MI

Thank you

The IA Junior Class wishes to thank each of you who attended our recent "Taste of Italy" event. We truly appreciated your presence and your willingness to support our class as we prepare for our senior year.

Web News!

If you want the latest news of things happening in our church, be sure and check the church website on a daily basis. We try to post new announcements regularly and Pastor Kelly is writing a blog every few days. Don't miss out, and tell your friends to go to sdachurch.com.

Nominating Committee Meeting

Our nominating committee will be meeting tomorrow at 9:00 a.m. in the fellowship hall.

Baby Shower

Cherri DeYoung and Lori Yensho will be hosting a baby shower for Stephanie Cain on Sunday, May 1st at 2:00 p.m. at the home of Lori Yensho. Light sandwiches and snacks will be served. The gender of the baby is going to be a surprise to all (including Geoff and Stephanie), however they are requesting that you register your guess in the form of gender specific baby items. Please RSVP to Lori Yensho at 765-210-4073.

Prayer Requests

Nickolas Johnson, Kurt Johnson, Sharon Thompson, Sibyl Richards, Mary Ann Smith and family, Donna Custer, Betty Lawson, Muriel Wilson, Duane Hershberger.

Recovering From Hip Surgery

I want to thank those who sent cards, flowers, food, visits and prayers.

Bonnie Wolfe

Sabbath School Council - Potluck Hosts

Next Sabbath, April 16, all Sabbath School teachers, leaders, secretaries, anyone involved in the Sabbath School departments, is asked to join in a fellowship meal and Sabbath School council meeting following our worship service. The Sabbath School Council will be hosting the fellowship meal and will conduct the meeting following the meal.

Something To Ponder . . .

God would have our families symbols of the family in heaven. Let parents and children bear this in mind every day, relating themselves to one another as members of the family of God. Then their lives will be of such a character as to give to the world an object lesson of what families who love God and keep His commandments may be. Christ will be glorified; His peace and grace and love will pervade the family circle like a precious perfume.

Adventist Home, Pg. 17

"A new commandment I give unto you," Christ said, "That ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another." John 13:34. What a wonderful statement; but, oh, how poorly practiced! In the church of God today brotherly love is sadly lacking. Many who profess to love the Saviour do not love one another. Unbelievers are watching to see if the faith of professed Christians is exerting a sanctifying influence upon their lives; and they are quick to discern the defects in character, the inconsistencies in action. Let Christians not make it possible for the enemy to point to them and say, Behold how these people, standing under the banner of Christ, hate one another. Christians are all members of one family, all children of the same heavenly Father, with the same blessed hope of immortality. Very close and tender should be the tie that binds them together.

Acts of the Apostles, Pg. 550

Elementary School Teacher Appreciation Week

If you can read this, thank a teacher! Next week we would like to honor our elementary teachers and let them know how much we appreciate all they do for our children. Let's each one, do something to let those who faithfully care for our young people, know that we appreciate all their efforts and the blessing they are to our church and school.

The Church in Study

9:20 A.M.

Song Service	Jeremy McIntyre
Welcome	Rita McVey
Scripture & Prayer	Alan Ingold
“Trip to Honduras”	John Taylor/Academy Students
Class Study	“From Exalted to Cast Down”

The Church in Worship

10:50 A.M.

Educational Minute	Randy Griffin
Evangelistic Minute	Toni Minikus
Praise Sing	
Introit	Congregation
	“Open Our Eyes Lord”
Invocation	Pastor Kelly
Call to Worship	Larry McConnell
	John 1:12
Hymn of Praise	#101
	“Children of the Heavenly Father”
Offering	Rich Uphus
	World Budget – Christian Record Services
Offertory	
Scripture	Pastor Aaron Clark
	Responsive Reading
Prayer	Pastor Aaron Clark
Special Music	
Sermon	Pastor Ron Kelly
	“Who’s on First? How To Resolve An Identity Crisis”
Ordinance of Humility	
The Lord’s Supper	
Hymn of Dedication	#602
	“O Brother, Be Faithful”
Benediction	Pastor Kelly
Postlude	

The Church At A Glance

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Today	11:00 a.m.	Pastor Kelly
	1:00 p.m.	Potluck at elementary school gym
	3:00 p.m.	Art Richards memorial service
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Nominating Committee
Tuesday:	8:00 p.m.	<i>Bulletin Information Due</i>
Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	Adventurers
	6:50 p.m.	Prayer Meeting
Friday:	8:24 p.m.	Sunset
Sabbath	11:00 a.m.	Pastor Kelly
<i>Offering:</i>		Church Budget
<i>Elders on Duty:</i>		Bartlett & Gusky
<i>Deacons/Ushers:</i>		Ingold team
	1:00 p.m.	Sabbath School Council Potluck/ Meeting
	9:00 p.m.	I.A. S.A. Talent Show

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