

# *Welcome to the Cicero Seventh-day Adventist Church*

*August 20, 2011*

We welcome each one who has come to Cicero today to worship and praise God on His holy Sabbath day, and to fellowship with one another in prayer and Bible study. If you are visiting, please return often as we value and enjoy your presence! May we all receive the blessing God has for us from the study and worship services.

We want to extend a special welcome to our Indiana Academy dorm students that are back with us today for a new school year. We hope you feel that Cicero is your church family while you are here at IA!

## **Fellowship Dinner**

Our fellowship dinner today will be hosted by the deacons, and we invite all our visitors and guests to join us after the worship service for a nice meal together. Our meal next Sabbath will be hosted by the childrens S.S. division leaders and members.

## **Thank You Very Much!**

Thank you very much for the prayers, love and support while Lloyd was in the hospital. We really enjoyed all your visits while he was there.

*Ingrid & Lloyd Jacobs*

## **All Ladies Are Invited to a Fall Retreat**

The 2011 Women's Ministries fall retreat will be held October 14 – 16 at Swan Lake Resort. Keynote speaker is Jill Schwirzer. See the table in lobby for flyers or you may call Tammy Begley at 317-919-5318 or email her at: tammy.begley@gmail.com for more information.

## **Mid-Week Study and Adventurers**

Remember our Wednesday evenings are on our school schedule now with adventurer's meeting beginning at 6:30 p.m. and prayer meeting at 6:50 p.m.

Accompanist: *Andrew Lay*

## **Church Board Meeting**

Just a reminder to all our church board members that we will have a meeting this Tuesday evening at 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

## **Thank you**

We want to thank all those who have been involved in our Indiana State Fair Evangelism. All those who manned the booth, all our builders and seamstresses who used their talents to make the sanctuary, can know that you have done something to help direct people's hearts and minds to Jesus and His sacrifice for us. You are a blessing. And we thank our entire church family for your support, and prayers in this evangelistic outreach we have conducted at the fair.

## **Open Gym Night**

Indiana Academy would like to invite all church members to come and join them for a combination church/academy open gym on Saturday night, September 10, beginning at 8:10 p.m. You are welcome to bring board games. Basketball, volleyball, and other activities will be available. Please come out for a fun night with our Indiana Academy students!

## **With Appreciation**

Pastor Kelly would like to express his deep gratitude for all the cards and gifts of appreciation that were recently shared with him. They were very timely. Words of encouragement make us strong for the Lord and keep us brave for the battles we must face. Please continue to pray that the Holy Spirit will lead us to victory in Jesus.

## **Project 58**

Don't forget you can help the IA students with Project 58.... See the bulletin board for things you can contribute. We applaud IA in their mission of outreach and ministry. We are fortunate to have this academy, faculty, staff and students as part of our church and conference.

## **Prayer Is the Key In the Hand of Faith That Unlocks Heaven's Storehouse...**

Please remember in your prayers: Joyce Summers, (Lisa Tinsley's mother); Julie Pullen, Lorraine Tyner and Elynn Gaffney (Barbara Robertson's niece). Also remember our students, teachers and staff at our elementary school and academy; and our pastors and church staff as they deal with on-going church needs and issues. We have many unspoken requests that prayers for would be very much appreciated. Prayer brings us closer to Jesus!

## *Something To Ponder . . .*

Men's Weakness to Find Supernatural Strength—Our Lord is cognizant of the conflict of His people in these last days with the satanic agencies combined with evil men who neglect and refuse this great salvation. With the greatest simplicity and candor, our Saviour, the mighty General of the armies of heaven, does not conceal the stern conflict which they will experience. He points out the dangers, He shows us the plan of the battle, and the hard and hazardous work to be done, and then lifts His voice before entering the conflict to count the cost while at the same time He encourages all to take up the weapons of their warfare and expect the heavenly host to compose the armies to war in defense of truth and righteousness. Men's weakness shall find supernatural strength and help in every stern conflict to do the deeds of Omnipotence, and perseverance in faith and perfect trust in God will ensure success. While the past confederacy of evil is arrayed against them He bids them to be brave and strong and fight valiantly for they have a heaven to win, and they have more than an angel in their ranks, the mighty General of armies leads on the armies of heaven. As on the occasion of the taking of Jericho, not one of the armies of Israel could boast of exercising their finite strength to overthrow the walls of the city, but the Captain of the Lord's host planned that battle in the greatest simplicity, that the Lord alone should receive the glory and man should not be exalted. God has promised us all power; for the promise is unto you and your children, and to all that are afar off, even as many as the Lord our God shall call

*Letter 51, 1895*

## **Pathfinder Club Registration**

The new Pathfinder year begins Sunday, August 28, with registration at 5:00 p.m. in the elementary school gym. Young people who love the Lord, like to have fun and share that fun with others are encouraged to join.

## **Training for Elders**

Sabbath, September 17, from 3:00 – 6:00 p.m., an Elders training seminar will be held at the Carmel SDA Church, 14535 Carey Road, Carmel, IN. We encourage all Elders to attend but need you to register with Sheri DeWitt at the conference office, 317-844-6201 or email her at sdewitt@indysda.org.

## **Vespers Musical Concert**

*My name is Mary Grace, this is my story: I was born with a handicap. My right arm is a "stump" and my right leg is small and 8 inches shorter than my left leg, with only three toes.*

For the rest of her story, come to vespers on September 2 and listen to her play the piano and share her triumph over these difficulties. You WILL be blessed.

## The Church in Study

9:20 A.M.

Song Service	Sam Zacharias & Kathy Griffin
Welcome & Prayer	Rita McVey
Remarks on Worship	Rita McVey
Class Study	“Conformity, Compromise, and Crisis in Worship”

## The Church in Worship

10:50 A.M.

Welcome & Announcements	
Educational Minute	Rich Uphus
Evangelistic Minute	Toni Minikus
Praise Sing	
Introit	Congregation
	“Open Our Eyes Lord”
Invocation	Pastor Kelly
Call to Worship	Toni Crumley
	Isaiah 28:5-6
Hymn of Praise	#618
	“Stand Up! Stand Up! For Jesus”
Children’s Story	Pastor Kelly
Offering	Rich Uphus
	Church Budget
Offertory	
Scripture	Gary Macomber
	Responsive Reading
Prayer	Gary Macomber
Special Music	Taylor & Sarah Fruth
Sermon	Pastor Ron Kelly
	“The Ungame: Capture the Flag”
Hymn of Dedication	#509
	“How Firm a Foundation”
Benediction	Pastor Kelly
Postlude	

## The Church At A Glance

August 20, 2011 - August 27, 2011

<b>Today</b>	11:00 a.m. Pastor Kelly 1:00 p.m. Fellowship Luncheon
<b>Tuesday</b>	7:00 p.m. Church Board Meeting
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>8:00 p.m. Bulletin Information Due</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	6:30 p.m. Adventurers 6:50 p.m. Mid-week Study
<b>Sabbath</b>	Pastor Kelly
<i>Offering:</i>	Indiana Advance
<i>Elder on Duty:</i>	Griffin
<i>Deacons/Ushers:</i>	Neal Team
<i>Potluck:</i>	Childrens S.S. Divisions

The blessings of the Sabbath end tonight at 8:34 p.m.  
and begin again next Friday at 8:24 p.m.

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