

## Focused Prayer

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

### Health Needs

Praise God that "Poverty or wealth; sickness or health, simplicity or wisdom—all are provided for in the promise of His grace"

Pray for all those who received and provided treatment at Pathways to Health, as well as those who couldn't, that the Holy Spirit bring health to all

Pray for health and relief of pain for all who suffer from spinal injury conditions

Pray for mercy and relief for those with eating, digestive, and/or sleep disorders

### Community & Country

Pray that God will strengthen the relationships and water the seeds of truth planted in our neighbors' hearts

Pray for those in our community, and ourselves, to have a hunger and thirst for the Righteousness of Christ

Cease not to pray for all men, especially those in authority—at every level of local, state, and national government

Pray for the families not to be separated

### Our Church – Local and World-Wide

Today is day 37 of 100 days of prayer for the upcoming General Conference Session ([backtohealtar.org](http://backtohealtar.org)) please pray, and seek the Lord as never before

Pray for the preparation of hearts to receive the early and latter rain experience of the Holy Spirit

We need each other's prayers, locally, for the world field, and for church leaders, to be faithful to God and duty

### Other Requests

Pray for God's providential leading and protection for all who are in transition to new posts of duty in the service of God

Pray for the Holy Spirit to give discernment to all who are seeking guidance in making major life decisions

Pray to be willing to be one who will submit to be used by God during this 11th hour of earth's history (Isaiah 6:8)

## 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 April 26, 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	\$3,916	\$72,964	\$58,457
Media Ministry	\$20,500	\$1,708	\$799	\$6,715	\$3,034

\*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%)



May 10, 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	David Currier
Praise through Singing	
Worship through the Written Word	Randy Griffin
<i>Proverbs 31:30-31</i>	
Garden of Prayer	Randy Griffin
Children's Story	Art Miller
Worship through Giving	David Currier
<i>World Budget</i>	
Music for Meditation	Indiana Academy Keynotes
Worship Through the Spoken Word	Pastor Aaron
<i>"Far Above Rubies"</i>	
Closing Hymn	#469
<i>Leaning on the Everlasting Arms</i>	
Special Gift to the Ladies	

Sunset tonight at 8:48 p.m.

Sunset next Friday at 8:54 p.m.

## Announcements

### Welcome to Cicero

Happy Sabbath, we're so glad to see each of you here this morning for worship. If you're visiting with us today, we offer a warm Cicero welcome and we also invite you to join us for lunch after the service. We meet in the fellowship hall.

### We Love You, Mothers

We want to especially honor our mother's this weekend. They give so much love and care to their families and we want to acknowledge this in a special way today. Even if you don't have children of your own, you help to mother our church family and we are grateful to God for you. We will be giving you a special gift during the service, and the men are taking care of hosting duties for the fellowship meal today.

### Upcoming Events

#### Today

Pentecost 2025 Training Rally at Glendale Church, 3:00 p.m.  
Indiana Academy Spring Concert

#### May 14

No Prayer Meeting  
Adventurer/Pathfinder Investiture in the sanctuary, 6:00 p.m.

#### May 22

CAES Graduation

#### May 23-25

I.A. Graduation Weekend (church service at Cicero will be the Baccalaureate service for graduation)

### Bonfire Vespers

Next Sabbath evening, starting at 6:30 p.m., our church family is invited to come to the Trubey's house for a time of food and fellowship as we close out the Sabbath. There will be a vespers program and a bonfire. Please bring your own hot dogs and buns and a light side dish to share. We hope to see you there! (If it is raining, the event will be cancelled.)

### Church Workbee

Mark your calendars please! Our deacon team will be leading a work bee to clean up our landscaping and campus in preparation for camp meeting. Please plan to come and help out from 9-11:30 a.m. on June 1.

### Pastor Aaron Office Hours

Pastor Aaron has regular office hours *by appointment only* Wednesday from 9:00 a.m.–noon and Friday from 8:30–11:30 a.m. (you can email, call or text him to make an appointment).