

## Prayer Requests and Praises

Please continue your earnest prayers for those who are seriously ill and/or in the hospital—remember their families too

Pray for the healing of broken relationships within families

Pray for the Holy Spirit to give us repentance toward God and faith in Jesus Christ so that we all can be used by God

Pray for those whose hearts are breaking, physically or emotionally, that they experience more of God's healing love

Pray for those who must work in spite of injury and/or chronic pain, that God will sustain them and that they will know it

Please pray regularly, and especially on Sabbath, for all the Sabbath School teachers in every division and their students

Pray for mercy for those in the path of the hurricane on the east coast, as well as for those in the path of the fires out west

Please pray daily for the spiritual, physical, mental, and emotional protection of all the teacher's and students at all the schools in our community, and in our nation

Pray for a first-love experience with the Truth as it is in Jesus, to be our motivating power (see 2 Corinthians 5:14-21)

Pray for those in assisted living or nursing homes /re-hab facilities, as well as those ministering to their needs, that they realize the value of each life in God's eyes

Continue to pray for those we were able to serve in El Salvador, as well as those planning the mission outreach to Sri Lanka

Praise God for live-streaming of the church service and Zoom Sabbath School—pray for all those who must participate in those ways

Pray for the homeless, and those who are seeking to minister to them, as well as for those serving, and those being served by the Hope Clinic

Pray for all the Indiana Academy students and their families as they will be traveling tomorrow to begin the new school year

"Now unto Him that is able to keep you from falling, and to present you faultless before the presence of His glory with exceeding joy. To the only wise God, our Savior, be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and ever. Amen." (Jude 24-25)

## 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 August 9, 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	\$4,093	\$137,360	\$122,409
Media Ministry	\$20,500	\$1,708	\$47	\$12,640	\$5,965

\*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%)



August 16, 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	Art Miller
Praise through Singing	
Worship through the Written Word	Leanna Miller
<i>Psalm 90:12-17</i>	
Garden of Prayer	Jocias Diaz
Children's Story	Philip Byrd
Worship through Giving	Art Miller
<i>Church Budget</i>	
Music for Meditation	Barbara Davis, Jim & B'Jay Currier
Worship Through the Spoken Word	Pastor Aaron
<i>"The Universal Language: Key To The Soul"</i>	
Closing Hymn	#38
<i>Arise My Soul Arise</i>	

## Announcements

### Ministry Management Team – First Readings

In your bulletin, as an insert, you'll find a list of church officers being recommended by the MMT. We still have a few more ministries to finish for our Group A - and we should have those ready for vote in the next two weeks.

### Pentecost 2025 Training Event

This afternoon there will be another training event in preparation for 2025 evangelistic outreaches. It will be at the Glendale church from 3-6:00 p.m. and will be hosted by NADEI. All are welcome, even if you haven't attended yet.

### Church Social Event

There will be a church social this evening at 6:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall. Bring a snack and your knowledge of the Bible, as we will have a Bible bowl game available. You won't have to play the game, but do come and enjoy a time of fellowship with your church family.

### Adventurer Registration

Are you in grades K-4? Do you like to spend time in nature and learn more about God's creation? Come join us Wednesday August 20 at 6:30 p.m. at the elementary school for our Adventurer Club registration. This year we will be going camping, learning about animals from the forest to the farm and much more. Bring your parents and get signed up. See you there. Any questions, please call Jimmy and Annette McLamb at 765-552-3113.

### Teresa Clark Memorial

There will be a memorial service for Teresa on August 23 at 4:00 p.m. here at the church. A meal will be served after the service and all are welcome to come and visit with the family.

### Potluck Schedule for August

We will not have our usual potluck on August 23, due to the memorial service for Teresa Clark. We encourage you to attend the memorial service and join us for a pitch-in style meal after the service (the meal will be coordinated by our deaconess team, but will be provided by church members).

### Forecasting Hope Evangelism Meetings

We need volunteers to be a part of the team that will help host the Forecasting Hope Prophecy Series and the Buried Treasure Children's Meetings, which will begin September 13<sup>th</sup>. We will need assistance in the following areas: registration, parking, ushers, materials coordinator, prayer team, visitation team, set up & tear down, and children's meeting volunteers. To sign up to volunteer for the Forecasting Hope meetings, please contact Pastor Clark or to sign up to volunteer for the children's meetings, please contact Sarah Clark.