

Pastor Appreciation

Traditionally, Cicero observes pastor appreciation month in December instead of October. If you would like to give a gift to our pastors this holiday season in appreciation for all they do for us, mark your tithe envelope "Pastor Appreciation".

I.A.'s Annual Leaf Raking Sunday

Hello Cicero Church Family — On Sunday, November 16, our academy students and staff will again be working together to rake many of our Cicero lawns as a free community service. Please let us know if you would like us to stop by your yard to rake! You may call Armando at 317.984.6585 or Diane at 317.984.0074 to leave a message. Don't forget to include your address!

Prayer Thoughts and Requests

Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

Pray for the sick and shut-ins, check on them as time permits
Pray for our church, city, nation & spiritual and civic leaders
Pray for those that suffered unexpected loss this week, that they may be comforted
Pray for your loved ones and neighbors

Pray for those seeking Christ
Pray for the good things of the day, with thanksgiving
Pray for increased attendance to Journey to Bethlehem and that all preparation goes smoothly

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 November 1, 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	\$4,289	\$188,870	\$192,972
Media Ministry	\$20,500	\$1,708	\$55	\$17,380	\$16,805

*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%)



November 8, 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 a greeter for directions.

Worship Service – 11:00 a.m.

Announcements	Lidia Lopez
Welcome	Diana Bautista
Praise through Singing	
Worship through the Written Word	Cing Lek
	<i>Philippians 4:6-7</i>
Garden of Prayer	Raul Carillo
Children's Story	Jeya Bodi and Yaneli Bonilla
Shine & Share	Allan Smith & Steve Arany
Worship through Giving	Isaac Dickerson
	<i>World Budget</i>
Music for Meditation	Jayla Slade
Worship Through the Spoken Word	Lorvens Pubien
	<i>"Peace Through the Storm"</i>
Closing Hymn	#526
	<i>Because He Lives</i>

Sunset tonight at 5:34 p.m.

Sunset next Friday at 5:30 p.m.

Announcements

We Love Our I.A. Seniors

Today is Senior Recognition Sabbath at Cicero, a time where we focus on the senior class at Indiana Academy. Members of their class will be taking part in the worship service today. Let the seniors know we see and care about them.

Church Directory Updates

There is a draft directory on the greeter's table in the lobby (do **NOT** take this draft out of the lobby area). Please take a look at your information and mark any changes that may be needed. If you are not listed and should be, please write your info on the back of any page. Today is the last day to make changes – until the next directory is produced.

Senior Class Fundraiser

The I.A. class of 2026 invites you to a Thanksgiving Cultural Dinner fundraiser tonight at 7:00 p.m. in the I.A. cafeteria. See the bulletin insert for more information. Come support our seniors as they raise funds for a mission trip.

Shoeboxes

It's that time of year again when we have an opportunity to give back to those with less than we have: through Shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child, sponsored by Samaritan's Purse. Boxes are available in the lobby and are due back to the lobby no later than November 15. If you have questions or would like to give a donation in lieu of filling a box, see Betty Reutebuch.

With Thanks

The Brewer, Griffin and Byrd families would like to express their deep gratitude to the Cicero Church for the support they received during this season of loss in their lives. The many prayers and cards were a comfort and continue to sustain us along with the hope we have in the soon coming of Jesus.

Auntie Social

Our next Auntie Social is scheduled for November 16 at 12 noon. Please contact Colleen Lay to RSVP.

Sri Lanka Mission Trip

We'll be presenting a short video and some basic information on the upcoming mission trip during Shine & Share today. If you are interested in going and would like more details, please contact Steve Arany (sgarany@gmail.com). Don't forget to support our mission outreach through your giving too! You can give to *Reach Out Sri Lanka - Trip* or *Reach Out Sri Lanka - Construction*.

James L. Engle Memorial

There will be a memorial service for James "PeeWee" Engle on Sabbath November 15 at the Cicero church. Visitation will be from 3-4:45 p.m. with the service following at 5:00 p.m. More info at hartleyfuneralhomes.com.