

Welcome!

August 9, 2025



SABBATH SCHOOL

SONG SERVICE

Carol Macomber

WELCOME

Melchizedek Ponniah

MISSION FEATURE

Seth Miller

BIBLE STUDY

Glenn Russell

CLOSING PRAYER

Glenn Russell



Unlocking Health

Join us this afternoon for a lecture that will explore the scientific reasons behind Ellen G. White's statement that "sugar clogs the system." Tim Howe, MD, will present the lecture, which will take place at 4:00 PM in the Pioneer Youth Chapel. We hope to see you there!









WELCOMING ALL SEASONS: PIPING + PAVING CAMPAIGN

The Pioneer Memorial Church building is 66 years old. For one set of very important hidden utilities, the heat and cooling pipes, an urgent change is required. The heating and cooling pipes have corroded to the point of catastrophic failure which would lead to water damage to the entire basement of the church and its contents.

In addition, the church parking lot has deteriorated to the point of being hazardous.

The Pioneer Church Board voted to replace the pipes and repave the parking lot this spring. The work on the pipes has begun which is why we are meeting at the Howard Performing Arts Center and the Andreasen Center for Wellness. The combined cost of the two projects is \$925,000 with the majority of that amount going towards the pipes restoration.

Please consider how you might join with other members of Pioneer Memorial Church to support these two important restoration projects.

Let us together keep Pioneer a welcoming place in every season.

SUNSET TODAY

8:53

SUNSET NEXT FRIDAY

8:43



VEC Report



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Ministries

OFFERING

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Christian Record Services for the Blind

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Pioneer Operating Budget

PIONEER PULPIT

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Shane Anderson

"The Three 'Be's"

08 • 23

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"3, 2, 1: The Biblical Art of Starting Well"

WORSHIP

9:00 AM

OPENING MUSIC

"Rock of Ages", "What a Friend We Have In Jesus" John Purifoy

WELCOME & PRAYER

Ben Martin, Associate Pastor

HYMN OF PRAISE

"To God Be the Glory" • 341

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

"Sweet Hour of Prayer" • 478, st. 1 Jess Swackhamer, Ruth Murdoch Elementary Faculty

WORSHIP IN MUSIC

"I Cast All My Cares Upon You" • Jamison T. Moore

OFFERTORY

"Tell Me the Story of Jesus" . Cindy Berry

CHILDREN'S STORY

Rosemary Bailey, Ruth Murdoch Elementary Faculty

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER

Hans Miranda Chavez, Associate Pastor

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Thessalonians 5:23, 24 Velsa Nishimura, Pioneer Member

HYMN OF PREPARATION

"I Will Follow Thee" • 623, st. 1,2,4.

MESSAGE

"Are Righteousness and Health Both by Faith?"

HYMN OF COMMITMENT

"Lord, I Want to Be a Christian" • 319

CLOSING MUSIC

"Rejoice, the Lord Is King!" . Dan Forrest

Piano: Brenton Offenback

Worship in Music: Jamison T. Moore, cello, Carlos Lugo, piano

11:45 AM

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"Praise"

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Praise: Guimel Gonzalez, Violetta Matskiuk, Ayana Le Blanc, Fiorella Oudri, Brianna Arroyo, Yulian Tinoco, vocals; Philip Wekesa, keyboard; Opeyemi Adesina, cajon; Juan David Benavides, violin; Franck Robinson, bass, Narda Herimalala, keyboard; Claudius Nigel Emilaire II, acoustic guitar; Noah Chung, electric guitar

PIONEER FAMILY

Fellowship Dinner

There will not be a fellowship dinner during the month of August 2025.

Summer Worship Location and Schedule

Pioneer worship services will be held at the Howard Performing Arts Center for the remainder of the month, and we will be back at Pioneer on September 6!

Calling All Families: Sabbath Delight Challenge

Pioneer Children and Family Discipleship is excited to embark on a special journey of intentionally experiencing the delight of the Sabbath during the 2025-2026 school year. Please sign up for occasional notices about Pioneer-sponsored Sabbath Delight events as well as ideas for things you and your family can do to cultivate a deeper appreciation for Sabbath. We will also look forward to hearing from you about what you and your family are doing each week to call the Sabbath a delight. All are welcome. To sign up for the challenge, please text "SABBATH" to 269.281.2345.

Teacher Dedication Sabbath

The 2025-2026 school year is about to begin! All teachers, whether in the public school system, private sector, or homeschool, are invited to attend a special dedication service on Sabbath, August 16, 2025, during either worship service.

Adventist Seniors of Michiana Meeting

AUGUST 10 • 1:00 PM
ANDREWS UNIVERSITY GROVE SHELTER

Seniors 55+ are invited to the Adventist Seniors of Michiana Corn Roast on Sunday, August 10, at 1:00 PM in the Andrews Grove Pavilion. Please bring a dish to share and enjoy the corn.

Meet new officers and register for the 2025-2026 membership year with dues of \$20 per person. For questions, contact Cheryl Doss at 269.277.0767.

GROW Groups

It's time to prepare for our small group ministry! GROW Groups begin the week of September 12. Have you considered leading one? Think about the type of group you'd like to lead, and watch for the sign-up page next week. The deadline to submit your group for the printed GROW Group catalog is August 25. For questions, contact Rebecca Burton at rburton@pmchurch.org.

Help Us Welcome New Students

Many new faces will soon join us as they begin their academic journey at Andrews University. We are excited to welcome them with our traditional Welcome Picnic on Sabbath, August 23. You can support the BELONG program by signing up to be a table host, preparing food, becoming a general volunteer, or even doing all of the above! We still need volunteers—specifically, 115 total! This includes 55 table hosts and 20 individuals to guide students to their tables. To sign up, text the word "PICNIC" to 269.281.2345.

With This In Mind...

Stress is a silent killer so pay attention to the signals your body sends you indicating that there is tension or system overload. Some preventative actions you can take to manage incoming or current stressors are: 1) exercise regularly, 2) take up a hobby or learn a new skill, 3) have some fun or be creative, 4) relax, relax, relax, 5) get balanced sleep, 6) help and connect with others, 7) refrain from substance use, 8) help others. 9) practice self-compassion and 10) trust in God. Try to do 50% of these this coming week and share your experience with someone.

To submit or read more announcements visit pmchurch.org/announcement