

Welcome!

December 27, 2025



SABBATH SCHOOL

SONG SERVICE

John Rorabeck

WELCOME & PRAYER

Carolyn Hurst

SPECIAL FEATURE

LESSON STUDY

"Choose This Day!"



Church Operating Budget



Year-to-Date: \$278.012 out of \$257.754

Adventist Education



Year-to-Date: \$72.587 out of \$69.804

Building Improvements



Year-to-Date: \$24,940 out of \$10,416

Media Ministry



Year-to-Date: \$95,300 out of \$98,205

Welcoming All Seasons piping + paving campaign

\$336,835 out of project total of \$925,000

Offerings as of December 9, 2025, reflect the year-to-date total for 2025. We have much to be thankful for, including our Pioneer members who consistently give with cheerful hearts. The amounts shown above reflect the generosity of the Pioneer family, and we feel truly blessed.

SUNSET TODAY

5:21

SUNSET **NEXT FRIDAY**

5:27

OFFERING

12 • 27

Michigan Advance Partners

12 • 03

Pioneer Operating Budget









PIONEER PULPIT

01 • 03

Jacob Gibbs

Communion Service

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Erhard Gallos

WORSHIP

11:45 AM

OPENING MUSIC

"Shepherd's Pipe Carol" • Dale Wood "What is This Fragrance" • Paul Manz

WELCOME & PRAYER

Prescott Khair, Associate Pastor

OPENING HYMN

"To God Be the Glory" • 341

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

"Near to the Heart of God" • 495, st. 1 & refrain Prescott Khair, Associate Pastor

BAPTISM

Steven Izak with John Glass

OFFERTORY

"In Dulci Jubilo" • Dale Wood

CHILDREN'S STORY

Prescott Khair, Associate Pastor

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 2:1-2 NIV Merarie Doyle, Pioneer Member

WORSHIP IN MUSIC

"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" Traditional / arr. by Jason Webb

MESSAGE

"Wise Men Still Seek Him" John Glass, Associate Pastor

HYMN OF COMMITMENT

"O Come, All Ye Faithful" • 132

BENEDICTION

John Glass, Associate Pastor

CLOSING MUSIC

"I Saw Three Ships" • Richard Elliott

Organ: Douglas Macomber

Worship in Music: Zachary Randolph, tenor; Saharsh Dass, guitar



MAY THE GOD OF
HOPE FILL YOU WITH
ALL JOY AND PEACE
AS YOU TRUST IN HIM,
SO THAT YOU MAY
OVERFLOW WITH HOPE
BY THE POWER OF
THE HOLY SPIRIT.

ROMANS 15:13

PIONEER FAMILY

Fellowship Dinner

There will not be a fellowship dinner this Sabbath.

Pioneer Office Closure

The Pioneer church offices will be closed from December 22 to 26 and December 29 to January 2, reopening on January 5. Church services will continue with Sabbath School at 10:30 AM and a service at 11:45 AM on December 27 and January 3. Wishing you a blessed Christmas and a happy New Year!

Year-End Giving

Thank you for your charitable giving in 2025! The last worship service to return tithes and offerings will be December 27. Online contributions at pmchurch.org/giving must be completed by 11:59 PM EST, December 31; postal donations must be postmarked by December 31 to be counted on your 2025 tax-deductible receipt. Contribution Statements for 2025 will be emailed by the end of January 2026. Please email claudia.sowler@pmchurch.org if you will need a printed copy of your contribution statement.

Communion Service

On Sabbath, January 3, 2026, we will celebrate the Communion service together during the 11:45 AM service, as there will be only one service that day. Associate Pastor Jacob Gibbs will be speaking.

2026 First Quarter SS Lessons Overview

JANUARY 17, 2026 • 4:00-5:30 PM PIONEER COMMONS

Dr. Cedric Vine, a seminary professor, will present an overview of the Sabbath School quarterly. He'll share insights on the Sabbath School guarterly, "Uniting Heaven and Earth: Christ in Philippians and Colossians." Everyone is warmly invited! For details, please contact Melchizedek Ponniah at 269.876.7476 or melponniah@gmail.com.

Something in Common

SABBATH MORNINGS • 10:30-11:30 AM PIONEER BOARDROOM

Join us for the Vertical Marriage video series through January 17! This small-group study features humorous video sessions led by Dave and Ann, followed by discussions to help couples strengthen their marriages on a foundation of faith. Don't miss out on this engaging experience!

- December 27: "Fight Me Like a Man"
- January 3: "To Cheer and to Cherish"

Study Helps for the Adult SS Quarterly

Study aids for the Adult Sabbath School Quarterly are available at the James White Library. You can use the Ellen G. White Notes and Teacher's Edition of the Adult Bible Study Guide in the library, and commentaries on Philippians and Colossians can be checked out. Visit the Circulation Desk for these items from December 29, 2025, to January 9, 2026.

Pray Unceasingly

Pioneer has partnered with "Michiana Pravs." a collaboration of 31+ churches dedicated to continuous prayer throughout 2026 for guidance and revival. Pioneer will cover 24 hours of prayer on the 3rd Wednesday of each month. For guestions, contact Erin Dockerty at 269.487.8313 or erinldockerty@gmail.com.

Pioneer Youth Missions Team to Honduras

The Pioneer Youth Missions team will be heading to Honduras from January 2 to January 12 to run a camp for approximately 100 children from the Hogar de Niños and the local community. Activities will include worship sessions, recreation. and projects at the children's home. We appreciate your support and prayers. For more information, contact Glenn Russell at glenn@andrews.edu.

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