

# STAND FAST



## Welcome!

February 14, 2026



**PIONEER**  
MEMORIAL CHURCH

# SABBATH SCHOOL

## SONG SERVICE

Ruben Rothermel

## PRAYER & WELCOME

Sabeulah Bates

## SPECIAL FEATURE

"Rich Yet Poor" • Winston Nwoke

## LESSON STUDY

"A Heavenly Citizenship"

## PASSION PLAY

Join us April 4 at Andrews University for the Passion Play—a community event retelling Christ's final days. We need volunteers of all ages to act, help with costumes, greet guests, assist with hospitality, manage logistics, take photos, and more. Scan the QR code below to sign up for this campus-wide event!

## SUNSET TODAY

6:15

## SUNSET NEXT FRIDAY

6:24



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## OFFERING

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## PIONEER PULPIT

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Pathfinder Sabbath

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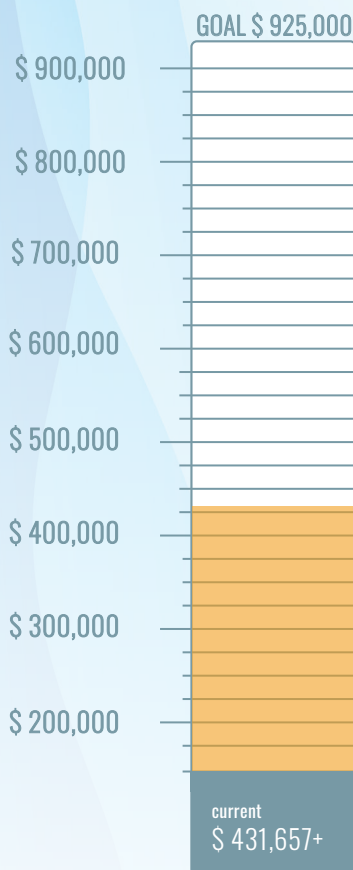
Shane Anderson

"The Ticking of the  
Prophetic Clock—Part 3:  
Clock, Dagger and Dawn"



## WELCOMING ALL SEASONS

*pipin + paving campaign*



# WORSHIP

9:00 AM

## OPENING MUSIC

"Three American Folk Hymns" • Michael Burkhardt

## WELCOME & PRAYER

John Glass, Associate Pastor

## OPENING HYMN

"A Shelter in the Time of Storm" • 528

## CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

"Just As I Am" • 314

Duane Ferguson, Pioneer Member

## PASSION PLAY

Bryan Von Dorpowski, Pioneer Co-Head Elder

## OFFERTORY

"Though I May Speak" • Emma Lou Diemer

## CHILDREN'S STORY

Llona Chapman, Pioneer Member

## SCRIPTURE READING

Deuteronomy 6:6-9 NIV

Kaleb Burt, Pioneer Member

## WORSHIP IN MUSIC

"A Shelter in the Time of Storm"

## MESSAGE

"Stand Fast"

Michael Ryan, Assistant to the President,  
General Conference of SDA

## HYMN OF COMMITMENT

"My Hope is Built on Nothing Less" • 522

## BENEDICTION

Michael Ryan, Assistant to the President,  
General Conference of SDA

## CLOSING MUSIC

"Now Thank We All Our God" • Paul Manz

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Organ: Douglas Macomber

Worship in Music: Men's Ensemble

11:45 AM

## OPENING MUSIC

"On Jordan's Story Banks"

Arr. Jerry Westenkuehler

## WELCOME & PRAYER

John Glass, Associate Pastor

## OPENING HYMN

"O Zion, Haste" • 365, st. 1-4

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## WORSHIP IN MUSIC

"A Shelter in the Time of Storm"

## OFFERTORY

"O Rest in the Lord"

Mendelssohn / Arr. Jonathan Willcocks

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## SCRIPTURE READING

Deut. 6:6-9 NIV • Kaleb Burt, Pioneer Member

## PRAISE

"Days of Elijah" • "Holy Spirit" (You Are Welcome Here)

"The Blessing"

## MESSAGE

"Stand Fast"

Michael Ryan, Assistant to the President,  
General Conference of SDA

## HYMN OF COMMITMENT

"We Have This Hope" • 214, st. 1

## BENEDICTION

Michael Ryan, Assistant to the President,  
General Conference of SDA

## CLOSING MUSIC

"Gottes sohn ist kommen" • Heinrich Buttstedt

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Organ: David Williams

Offertory: Seminary Chorus, David Williams, conductor; Aiyana Ybarra, accompanist

Worship in Music: Men's Ensemble

Praise: Seminary Praise Team—Jillian Lawrence, London Acquah, Jordane Smith, Paulo Silas, Janet Bulla, vocals; Jamison Moore, piano

# PIONEER FAMILY

## Fellowship Dinner

There will be a fellowship dinner this Sabbath in the Commons. Visitors are welcome!

## VEC—First Reading

Shabekie Vyphius - Fellowship Dinners Member

## Pioneer Giving Statement

This year, nearly all Pioneer Memorial Church 2025 Giving Statements were sent by email instead of regular mail. The statements were distributed on January 28, 2026. If you haven't received yours, check your junk or spam folder. Still missing it? Contact the church office at 269.471.3133 to confirm your email address, and we'll send another copy. To receive a hard copy in the future, let the office know. Thank you for your faithfulness to Pioneer!

## Pioneer Office Closure

The offices of Pioneer Memorial Church will be closed on Monday, February 16, in observance of the holiday.

## Care for Cuba

Cuba is facing a critical shortage of essential supplies. Partner with Care for Cuba now to provide urgently needed food, medicines, and support for places of worship. Please donate today at [careforcuba.org](http://careforcuba.org) or mark your envelope "Cuba." Your immediate generosity can make a life-saving difference.

## With This in Mind . . .

Forgiveness, a key aspect of the Christian experience, promotes mental and physical well-being. Research shows it reduces emotional tension, psychological conflict, and even psychosomatic pain. Dr. Karen Swartz of Johns Hopkins notes that anger triggers the body's fight-or-flight response, raising heart rate, blood pressure, and disease risk. Forgiveness, by contrast, fosters peace and lowers

depression, anxiety, and stress. As Scripture reminds us, "Judge not, and you will not be judged; condemn not, and you will not be condemned; forgive, and you will be forgiven" (Luke 6:37). Go ahead! Enjoy peace of mind.

## Something in Common

SABBATH MORNINGS • 10:30–11:30 AM

Join us for "Resolving Everyday Conflict" by Peacemakers Ministries! Everyone is welcome! Upcoming Schedule:

- February 21: Get Real About Yourself

## Ruth Murdoch Elementary School Visitor's Day

MARCH 3

Students entering first through eighth grades next school year are invited to attend Visit Day at Ruth Murdoch Elementary School on March 3. Meet teachers, make new friends, and enjoy fun activities! Parents, please call 269.471.3225 to register. (A special Kindergarten Visitors' Day is planned for April 8.)

Schedule:

- Grades 1–6 – 8:15–11:30 AM

- Grades 7–8 – 8:15 AM–3:30 PM

## Academy Day

MARCH 3 • ANDREWS ACADEMY

Eighth graders are invited to Academy Day at Andrews Academy on Tuesday, March 3, 2026. Explore our programs, join worship, attend classes, and play games. Lunch, T-shirts, and prizes are included. Register in the gym at 7:30 AM. Activities run from 8:00 AM to 3:15 PM. RSVP or ask questions at 269.471.3138. Students from NAS, RMES, VAES, and Eau Claire SDA are already registered. Drop-off and pick-up: 8833 Garland Ave, Berrien Springs.

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