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Announcements

1. We're starting **Sabbath School** earlier this month at **9:30 AM**. There's a lot happening here at IU, and this adjustment helps us keep everything running smoothly. Let's keep the spark alive and ignite our faith through study and fellowship each week.
2. Start your day with a fresh spark of hope. Join us for united prayer on Mondays and Thursdays, from 5:30 to 6:00 AM on Zoom. Zoom ID: 963 4323 3440
3. **Last Chance Viewing - For His Name Sake - Dec - 20.** Tonight at 6:00 p.m. we will be screening Kevin Cameron's movie For His Name Sake. This will be **the last screening**, so let's pack the house for a night of fun, entertainment and support of Christian filmmaking. It's a free event but we want you to register by scanning the QR code or visiting Event Brite and to register. This is a great night for family, friends and even a date night. You don't have to see Avatar this weekend, hangout with your church family and enjoy the film.
4. **HOPE** (This is the Southern Union Conference Initiative with Roger Hernandez)-- **Tomorrow morning at 10AM: Daniel Hall** - Will be providing training on Service Evangelism - Compassion Training. This is an open invitation to all ministry leaders and the entire church congregation.
5. **Communion Sabbath--On December 27**, we will hold our Communion and Consecration Service titled "Covered," based on John 6:54. This sacred service will include foot washing, anointing, prayer, leadership recognition, and an Agape Feast. All ministry leaders and clergy—pastor, elders, and deaconate—are asked to wear all white, representing purity and consecration. The congregation and guests are invited to wear red, symbolizing the blood of Christ that covers us.
6. **A Red and White Affair - Dec 27.** We've been invited to a banquet! The youth at Salem SDA invite you to join them for a night of elegance at their Red and White Affair on Dec 27 from 7:30 - 11:30PM. The dress code is Gala attire and tickets are being sold for \$80. Contact Junie @ (813) 420-1433 for details. You have until Friday to make your purchase, if you wait any longer, ticket prices increase by an additional \$17. You can pay via Zelle 8138501656
7. **Year At A Glance - New Years Eve, "Covenant Renewal" Service-- Wednesday December 31st 6pm - 7pm.** Join us on Wednesday, December 31, from 6:00 to 7:00 PM, for our "Covenant Renewal" New Year's Eve service. This reflective, uplifting hour of worship blends scripture, testimony, praise, and recommitment as we close 2025 with gratitude and step into 2026 with renewed faith and unity.
8. **Our annual 21 Days of Prayer returns in January.**
9. **A Message from Community Service (Junia LaFleur).** As we close out 2025, I want to express my deepest gratitude for your time, dedication, and hearts of service throughout all of our outreach events this year. Each of you has played a vital role in touching lives, strengthening our community, and sharing God's love in meaningful ways. Your willingness to show up, serve with compassion, and work together has truly made a difference. Thank you for every hour you gave, every smile you shared, and every effort you poured into our mission. We could not have done any of this without you. I am excited for the new outreach opportunities that 2026 will bring, and I cannot wait to continue ministering alongside each of you in the coming year. May God bless you abundantly for all you've done and all we will continue to do together.

December 20th, 2025

11:00 AM | Sanctuary

Call to Worship | Elder Wiclef Desamour

Welcome & Announcements | Sis. Michael Burrell

Ministry Spotlight | Mental Wellness Mission Highlights

Membership Reading | Sis. Chedeline Dorelus

Silent Praise Dance & Special Song | Divine Grace Praise Dancers

Worship in Giving* | Elder Wayne Scantlebury

****Please, no movement during collection***

Tithe Song- Christmas Eve in Bethlehem | Children's Choir

Intercessory Prayer | Elder Wiclef Desamour

Testimonies | Sis. Michael Burrell

Praise Dance | Sis. Deborah Charles

Worship in Song

This is the Day

Lord, You Are Good

King of My Heart/ You Keep On Getting Better

Jesus is the Reason for the Season

Skit/Sermon

"The Fullness of Time"

Scripture Reference: Galations 4:4-5 (NKJV)

Youth Ministries

Appeal | Pastor Georges Fleurimond

Benediction / Final Announcements | Elder Wayne Scantlebury

Sunset

Saturday, December 20th: **5:39PM**

Friday, December 26th: **5:42 PM**