

UPCOMING SPEAKERS

Sabbath October 17 - Young Adult Sabbath
Sabbath October 24 - Pastor Ghena Girleanu
Sabbath October 31 - Pastor Romando Carey

WEEKLY MEETINGS

Mondays: 7:00 pm - Pickleball
Wednesdays: 7:00 pm - Prayer Meeting
Fridays: 7:00 pm - Youth Bible Study
Sabbaths: 8:00 am - Praying Parents
Sabbaths: 4:30 pm - Young Adult Bible Study

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 17 - Vespers
October 22 - Elders / Church Board Meeting
October 24 - Pastor's Appreciation Potluck
October 24 - Bridge Program
October 25 - Central's Seniors Event

SUNSET Today ~ 6:55 pm / Next Week ~ 6:41 pm

NEXT WEEK

Elder: Marlon Cliffe
Worship Co-ordinator: Naomi Mwenya
Greeters: Young Adults / Victoria
Deacon: Valeriu Titica
Audio: Jade Vandergaast
Visual: Hayden Vandergaast
Live Stream: Milan & John Minkov
Offering: Church Family Budget

Calgary Central Seventh-day Adventist Church

Sabbath, October 10, 2026

The One Who Was Thankful

Pastor Liviu Tilihoi



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Senior Pastor: Ghena Girleanu

Associate Pastor: Liviu Tilihoi

Youth Pastor: Romando Carey

THE CHURCH AT STUDY

9:30 am

SABBATH SCHOOL LESSON

The Call of a Prophet

SANCTUARY TEACHER

Keith Dubuc

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

10:30 am

PRAISE TIME

Lillian, Cheryl & Margareta

EDUCATION & INSPIRATION

Health Nuggets

PRAISE TIME

Lillian, Cheryl & Margareta

CHURCH LIFE

Pastor Ghena Girleanu

INVOCATION

Song & Prayer

OPENING SONG

"Marvelous Grace"

No. 109

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Pastor Ghena Girleanu

TITHES AND OFFERING

Alberta Advance

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 17:11-19

Jennifer Foster

SPECIAL MUSIC

"I Am Thankful"

Lefter Family

SERMON

"The One Who Was Thankful"

Pastor Liviu Tilihoi

CLOSING SONG

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

No. 100

BENEDICTION

Pastor Liviu Tilihoi

POSTLUDE

Deacons Usher Out

WORSHIP PIANIST: May Lynn Lee

WORSHIP ORGANIST: Scott Yuan

Our services are broadcast via live stream and digital recording. Church areas NOT shown during live streaming are on the balcony.

If you are a non-adventist visitor please connect with one of our Pastors after the service to receive a WELCOME GIFT.

Visit the Welcome Center if you require assistance with a meal for today or a three day food hamper.

WELCOME

A HEARTFELT THANK YOU FROM GAIL AND THE RICHTER FAMILY - Thank you to everyone who attended Felix's Celebration of Life and surrounded our family with so much love and support. Thank you also for the beautiful cards, flowers, gifts, food, prayers, and every act of kindness. Your thoughtfulness meant more to us than we can express!

CHILDREN'S CHOIR - Does your kid enjoy singing, making new friends, or being part of something fun and meaningful? Then the Children's Choir is the perfect place for them. We are excited to announce that the children's choir will begin rehearsals on Friday, October 23 at 6:45 pm. We'd love for your child to join us!

HANDMADE CHRISTMAS CARDS - It's that time of year again! Calling all crafters who like to make handmade Christmas cards to bless and uplift our Seniors and Shut-ins with Christmas cheer. Please deposit your cards (with the correct size envelope), into mailbox #86 by November 21st. Thank you for participating in this ministry!

A CENTURY OF GOD'S GOODNESS - The Red Deer Church will be celebrating its 100th anniversary on December 12! Whether you are a current member, former member, or friend of the Red Deer Church, you are warmly invited to join them as they celebrate 100 years of God's faithfulness. Please spread the word and come reconnect, share memories, and be part of this special milestone.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE - Second Reading

1. School Board Representatives: Grace Trconic and Rita Shimonov

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS - First Reading

Transfers In:

1. Alexandre Garcia, **from** Portuguese Adventist Church, Toronto, ON
2. Taiana Kezia Mendes Pereira Garcia,, **from** IASD Jose Walter, Fortaleza, BR

CHURCH BUDGET

As at Sep. 30, 2026

	2026	SEP
Need to maintain our facility and support our programs	\$276,525	\$23,044
Received so far this year/this month	\$214,548	\$21,399
Building Fund Donations this Month		\$641

Note: Tithe money does not fund the amount needed each month to operate the local church and its ministries

Donors, Please Note: If donations received for a particular fund or project exceed those needed, the Church Board reserves the right to reallocate excess funds to other similar projects or to where most needed without further notice to the donor.



PASTORS APPRECIATION *Potluck*



OCT | 24



Please bring your best recipe for:



ENTRÉE

SALAD WITH DRESSING
BUTTERED BUNS / BREAD

DESSERT

JUICE

APPRECIATION FOR PASTORS & THEIR FAMILY

Single or Family: please bring enough for yourselves
and another family of the same size.

Salads: should be ready to serve, with the
appropriate dressing.

Entrée: should be precooked, hot and ready to serve.

Label dishes: clearly with ingredients to aid those
with restrictive diets. ie. gluten-free, dairy free,
contains nuts.

Desserts: cut and ready to serve.



REMINDER: we serve only vegetarian
food in our church kitchen.

Please remember to name your dishes,
container, towels and pick them up after
the meal.



Offering of Thanks!

On behalf of the staff at Calgary Central Church, I wanted to take this opportunity to wish you and your families a wonderful Thanksgiving Season. Without a doubt, we could spend much time focusing on the many things going wrong in our world today, but I want to remind us of the tremendous importance and calling we have to be a people of Thankfulness!

Thanksgiving is a time when we make an extra effort to show our appreciation to the Lord for His bountiful blessings and provision in our lives. In this spirit of thankfulness, we would like to encourage you to participate in a **Special Thanksgiving Offering for Church Family Budget** during the month of October. As you think of different ways by which you can bless others during this Thanksgiving Season, we ask that you prayerfully consider this special offering for the Church Family Budget as one of them. Your generous donations towards the church make it possible for us to share God's blessings with others.

1 Chronicles 16:34 says, "Oh, give thanks to the LORD, for He is good! For His mercy endures forever."

Blessings,
Pastor Ghena





connect now

A CALGARY CENTRAL SDA CHURCH MINISTRY
OCTOBER 24TH | 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Ready to build meaningful relationships that can shape your future? Join us for a speed networking event designed to connect youth and young adults with experienced mentors. We will also host a how-to workshop, focused on biblical principles of mentorship, leadership, and personal growth.

**Pr. Ghena Girleanu | Calgary Central SDA Church
Mentorship Workshop**

RSVP



Here, our youth and young adults will have the chance to cultivate meaningful intergenerational relationships rooted in mentorship, discipleship, practical support, and faith.

1 PETER 5:2-3 & EPHESIANS 4

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A MENTOR?

If you are a professional, elder, or leader and are willing to share opportunities, advice, and encouragement with our Youth & Young Adults, we would love to have you join as a mentor!

This ministry aims to foster spiritual growth, ignite interest in multiple fields both in and outside of the church, and cultivate meaningful intergenerational relationships rooted in mentorship, discipleship, practical support, and faith.

"to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ." Ephesians 4:12-13



If you are interested in being a Mentor, please scan this QR code to sign up!

SMSOIRRAB@GMAIL.COM

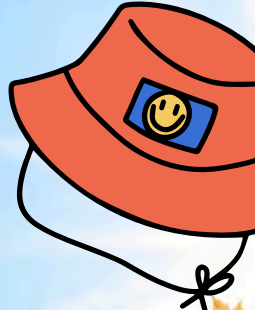


Hats off to Central's Seniors

**Wear a Hat - plain or decorated
(if you can't wear a hat, bring a toonie
for our project)**



**OCTOBER 25
1:00pm - 3:00pm
at Central Church**



PROGRAM:
Light Lunch (provided)
Trivia
Music
DIY project demo
Fellowship

REGISTRATION NEEDED.
Call the office
by October 21.



You Are Invited To

Fall Festival

Join us for a memorable family-friendly
celebration filled with joy, laughter, and
the beauty of the season

Music – Games – Snacks

OCTOBER

SATURDAY

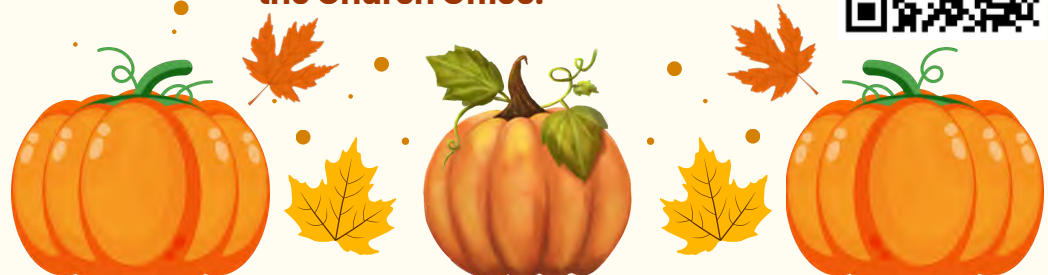
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AT 6 : 00 PM

CALGARY CENTRAL
CHURCH GYM

**Volunteers Needed. Please contact Pastor
Romando at romandocentral@gmail.com or
the Church Office.**

**Register by
Oct 26**





Statement on Reverence in the Sanctuary

Reverence in the sanctuary is a vital expression of our love and respect for God. When we come to worship, we are entering God's sacred presence, and our actions can help create an atmosphere where everyone can feel His peace. Any idle conversation or unnecessary movement during worship not only dishonors God but distracts others who are seeking to commune with Him. By maintaining a respectful and attentive spirit, we open the way for the Holy Spirit to work among us, enriching our own experience and blessing others.

Statement on Parental Supervision of Kids

Dear parents, we are grateful for your families and for the joy and life your children bring to our church. Your little ones are a cherished part of our church family, and we love watching them grow in faith. As we worship, please help them show respect for God's house by keeping their voices down, avoiding writing on the pews, and keeping the sanctuary clean and orderly. Thank you for helping us create a peaceful, reverent place of worship for all and for teaching your children the importance of caring for God's house.