Upcoming Speakers

Sabbath November 14 - Nicole Paradis-Sydenham
Sabbath November 21 - Pastor Liviu Tilihoi
Sabbath November 28 - Pastor Ghena Girleanu

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

November 14 - Women's Ministry Sabbath
November 19 - Elders / Church Board Meeting
November 21 - Church Family Movie Night
November 29 - Men's Ministry Sports Night

Sunset Today ~ 5:51 pm / Next Week ~ 5:50 pm

Next Week

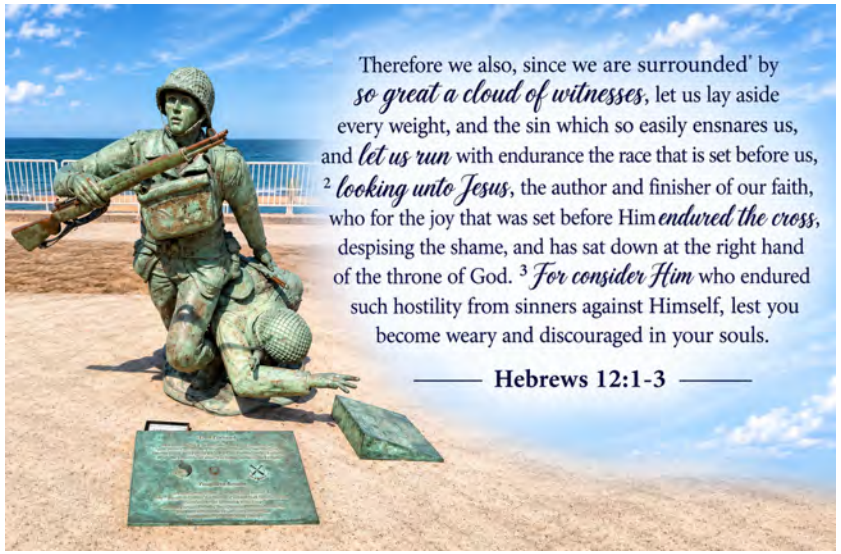
Elder: Women's Ministry
Worship Co-ordinator: Penny Dubuc
Greeters: Wilma / Anthony
Deacon: Roman Lefter
Audio: Fillip Shekhovtsov
Visual: Hosie Fesshaye
Live Stream: Anna & Vadym Tepfer
Offering: Alberta Advance

Calgary Central Seventh-day Adventist Church

Sabbath, November 7, 2026

Ever Forward

Pastor Ghena Girleanu



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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 Prophetic Writings
Sanctuary Teacher	Azariah Mwenya

The Church at Worship

10:30 am

Praise time		Iryna, Kateryna & Grace
Education & Inspiration		Public Affairs and Religious Liberty
Praise time		Iryna, Kateryna & Grace
Church Life		Pastor Ghena Girleanu
Invocation		Song & Prayer
Opening Song	"Onward, Christian Soldiers!"	No. 612
Prayers of the People		Pastor Ghena Girleanu
Offertory		Beatrice Girleanu
Tithes And Offering		Church Family Budget
Scripture Reading	Hebrews 12:1-3	Brayden Bazinet
Special Music	"My Shepherd Will Supply My Need"	Justin Lee and Scott Yuan
Sermon	"Ever Forward"	Pastor Ghena Girleanu
Closing Song	"Tell Me the Story of Jesus"	No. 152
Benediction		Pastor Ghena Girleanu
Postlude		Deacons Usher Out

Worship Pianist: Beatrice Girleanu

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

Thank You Church Family - A big thank you to all our church family for blessing us with your kindness, words of encouragement, cards and gifts during Pastor Appreciation Month! We are truly grateful for each and every one of you. May God bless you and your families - *The Pastoral Staff & Families.*

Vespers - Everyone is warmly invited to join us for our final Vespers of 2026, taking place today at 5:00 pm! We are privileged to welcome Blessed Melodies for a special concert. Come and experience an inspiring evening of worship and spiritual growth as we gather together in faith and praise. After the concert we will replay the final version of the Pastors Appreciation video. We look forward to sharing this beautiful evening with you. We hope to see you there!

Bags of Love - Calgary Central SDA Church's Chapter of "It's My Very Own Bags of Love" provides a handmade quilt, personal hygiene items, toys and other life necessities to children who are removed from their home. We work with several local agencies and the need has increased. Your help is urgently needed to sew quilt tops and bags, if you sew, we can teach you. TEXT Val McMaster 587-573-3156, or contact Ken Elkow 403-804-5628 for more information.

Church Office Closed - Please note the church office will be closed on Wednesday, November 11, in observance of Remembrance Day. Regular office hours will resume on Thursday, November 12.

Pickleball Mondays - Pickleball continues every Monday from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm in our church gym. You are invited to join the fun and fellowship!

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS - *Second Reading*

Transfers In:

1. Delores Hamilton Mckenzie, **from** Cornerstone Community SDA Church, AB

Transfers Out:

1. Bruno Lopes Bacelar, **to** Abbotsford SDA Church, BC
2. Geisa de Sousa Campos Bacelar, **to** Abbotsford SDA Church, BC
3. Carol Loberg, **to** Okotoks SDA Church, AB

CHURCH BUDGET As at Oct. 31, 2026	**2026**	**OCT**
Need to maintain our facility and support our programs	$276,525	$23,044
Received so far this year/this month	$240,885	$25,977
Building Fund Donations this Month		$720

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.

Women's Day

Blooming Together

Colour Theme : Green

Speaker: Nicole Paradis Sydenham

November 14

Potluck Lunch
Bring your favorite dish

Afternoon Session
About 1½ hours

CALGARY CENTRAL SDA

NOV 14

6:30PM - 8:30PM



GYM NIGHT

YOUTH & EARLITEEN

- OPEN GYM
- TEAM CHALLENGES

REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED

WEAR COMFY CLOTHES & SHOES

INVITE A FRIEND

COME JOIN US FOR MOVIE NIGHT!

A FUN EVENING FOR EVERYONE!



Popcorn and juice will be provided

DATE: NOVEMBER 21, 2026
TIME: 6:30 PM
LOCATION: CHURCH GYM

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

Free Entry

FACE

Free **A**frican **C**hildren thru **E**ducation

The Lobamba SDA Primary School is asking for your assistance.

Are you willing to help FACE complete this project that began in 2019 through the volunteer efforts and financial assistance of members of Calgary Central Church to give children a Christian education?

Your donation will allow us to complete construction of the grade 7 classroom at this Seventh-day Adventist school. Initial construction has begun, but in order to complete the project we need to raise $15,000 CDN to finish the work.

From now until November 28th, a generous donor has offered to get this started by matching all donations up to $5,000. If total donations exceed $15,000, additional amounts will be put toward our school building projects in Uganda.

You can donate on our website: facecharity.net or by using a Calgary Central Offering Envelope, and mark it 'Lobamba'.



Photo of the grade 6 classroom under construction last year. It was completed in December.

FACE is a Supporting Ministry of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Canada.

A History of the Lobamba School and How It Came To Be

In 2019, 11 members from Calgary Central Church traveled to Swaziland (now known as Eswatini) in South Africa as part of an ADRA Canada/ADRA Eswatini project to construct the grade 1 and 2 classroom buildings for a new Seventh-day Adventist primary school, located in an area where no other schools existed. At the time there was only a building for kindergarten students.

We raised our own funds for the project and were also supported by many members of this church who helped make construction of the grade 2 classroom possible.

A year later, ADRA Eswatini informed us that the school was facing closure. The parents who supported the school through school fees had lost their jobs due to the pandemic lockdowns, and ADRA Canada informed us that they had no plans to construct any more classrooms. At the time there were 51 students enrolled in the school.

For those of us who went on the trip, this was a disappointment. We had not only invested our time and finances to build the school, but we also felt that we had an obligation to those members from Central Church who had invested in the project, as well as to the many children who would benefit from an Adventist education.

Thankfully, God had an answer - FACE. Two of the participants on the trip were members of FACE. We contacted ADRA Eswatini and after some discussion and budget proposals, we formed a partnership to construct additional classroom buildings.

In 2021, FACE provided funding for construction of the grade 3 building. Over subsequent years we have completed the grade 4, 5 and 6 classroom buildings. As the school grows, enrolment increases each year, as well. There are currently 125 students at the school.

Construction of the grade 7 classroom building has begun, and when completed in early 2027 it will provide a complete K – 7 primary education for children living in the area.

Thank you to all our generous donors who have made this possible!