

Illinois Conference Department Calendar 2025

Date	Ministry Opportunity	Department	Location
January 6	School Resumes	Education	
January 8-18	10 Days of Prayer	Ministerial	
January 14-24	MAP Testing Window	Education	
January 17-20	Youth Winter Retreat	Youth	Camp Wakonda
January 24	AC Retreat	Youth	Camp Akita
January 25	Church Ministries Training	Hispanic Ministries	Bolingbrook Hispanic SDA Church
January 26-29	Pastor's Winter Retreat	Ministerial	
January 29-30	Parent/Teacher Conference	Education	
February 1	Hispanic Elder's Retreat	Hispanic Ministries	HAA
February 1	Southern Area Mega Weekend	Youth	
February 1	Area Level Bible Experience	Youth	
February 9	Northern Area Honors Academy	Youth	
February 9	Master Guide Training	Youth	ILC Office
February 10	PLC's	Education	
February 20	Pre-ordination Training	Ministerial	ILC Office
February 21-23	PCM Winter Retreat	Youth	
February 23	Northern Alive in Jesus S.S Training	Youth	
February 24	Pastor/Teacher Meeting	Education/ Ministerial	
February 26	Executive Committee Meeting	Administration	ILC Office
February 28-Mar 2	Spouse's Retreat	Administration	Camp Akita
March 1	Conference Level Bible Experience	Youth	Richland Bridge SDA Church
March 6-8	Choir Festival	Education	HAA
March 15	Global Youth Day	Youth	
March 19	Science Fair	Education	
March 12	Board of Education Meeting	Education	North Shore Academy
March 20	Parent/Teacher Conference	Education	ILC Office
March 22-23	Southern CM Training/VBS Live/Alive in Jesus	Youth	
March 24-28	School Spring Break	Education	

March 29	Union Level Bible Experience	Youth	
April 5	Education Sabbath	Education	
April 9	Executive Committee Meeting	Administration	ILC Office
April 10	Elementary Track and Field	Education	Mooseheart in North Aurora
April 12	Education Sabbath	Education	
April 13	Northern CHM Training/VBS	Youth	
	Training/Live		
April 14	PLC's	Education	
April 14-25	MAP Testing Window	Education	
April 18-20	Spring Camporee	Youth	Camp Akita
April 25-26	Division Level Bible Experience	Youth	Battle Creek, MI
April 26	Hispanic Women's Retreat	Hispanic Ministries	
April 27	Master Guide Training	Youth	
May 3-10	Colombia Mission Trip	Hispanic Ministries	
May 3	Northern Area Re-Ignite Elder's Training	Ministerial	ILC Office
May 4	Northern Area Lay Training	Ministerial	
May 5-9	Mental Health Awareness Week	Education	
May 15	Pre-ordination Training	Ministerial	ILC Office
May 16-18	Adventurer Family Camp	Youth	Camp Akita
May 17	World Adventurer Day	Youth	
May 23	Last day of School	Education	
May 27-30	Post-School Week	Education	
May 28	Board of Education meeting	Education	
June 4-11	Mission Akita	Youth	Camp Akita
June 5-8	Homecoming 25 th Anniversary Celebration	Youth	Camp Akita
June 11-15	CASA Retreat	Youth	
June 8	Soccer Tournament	Hispanic Ministries	McCook Athletic & Exposition Center
June 14	One Day Youth Rally	Youth	
June 15-22	Certification Week	Youth	
June 18	Executive Committee Meeting	Administration	ILC Office
June 22-29	Base Camp	Youth	Camp Akita
June 22	AYM Training – Youth/Young Adults/ PCM/ Master Guide Training	Youth	
June 26-July 7 OR Aug 7-18	Mission Trip	Youth	

June 29- Jul 6	Cub and Junior Camp	Youth	Camp Akita
July 3-12	General Conference Session		St. Louis, MO
July 6-13	Tween Camp	Youth	Camp Akita
July 13-20	Teen Camp and Specialty Camp	Youth	Camp Akita
July 23-27	Family Camp	Youth	Camp Akita
July 27-30	Pastor's Family Retreat	Ministerial	Camp Akita
July 30- Aug 2	Family Camp Meeting	Administration	Camp Akita
Aug 3-7	Camp Strike	Youth	Camp Akita
-	Back to School Bash	Education/	
August 3-10		Youth	
August 4	Teacher Start Date	Education	
August 6-10	NAD Master Guide Camporee	Youth	West Virginia
August 7-18 OR June 26-Jul 7	Mission Trip	Youth	
August 17	Faith and Art	Youth	
August 18	First day of school	Education	
August 20	Executive Committee Meeting	Administration	ILC Office
August 28	Pre-ordination Training	Ministerial	
August 29-Sept. 1	Hispanic Camp Meeting	Hispanic Ministries	
September 5-7	Empower Leadership Training	Youth	
September 6-20	Pentecost 2025	NAD	
September 8-19	MAP Testing Window	Education	
September 12-14	PCM Fall Retreat	Youth	
September 13	Re-Ignite Southern Elder's Training	Ministerial	
September 14	Southern Lay Training	Ministerial	
September 15	PLC's	Education	
September 16	Town Hall Meeting – Area 1	Administration	
September 17	Town Hall Meeting – Area 2	Administration	
September 19-21	Pathfinder Fall Skills Camporee	Youth	Camp Akita
September 20	World Pathfinder Day	Youth	
September 22	Town Hall Meeting – Area 3	Administration	
September 23	Town Hall Meeting – Area 4	Administration	
September 27	Chicagoland Convocation	Administration	Yellow Box Church
September 29	Town Hall Meeting – Area 5	Administration	
September 29- Oct. 2	Outdoor Ed	Education	Camp Akita
September 30	Town Hall Meeting – Area 6	Administration	
October 3-5	Prayer Retreat	Ministerial	Camp Akita
October 5	Adventurer Fun Day	Youth	
October 10-12	Master Guide Camporee	Youth	Camp Akita

October 15-22	Mission Akita	Youth	Camp Akita
October 17-19	PCM Weekend	Youth	
October 18	NAD Public Campus Ministry Day	Youth	
October 18-25	Hispanic Evangelism	Hispanic Ministries	
October 8	Executive Committee Meeting	Administration	
October 22	Sports Day – Alpine School	Education	
October 24-26	CM Retreat	Youth	
October 31-Nov. 2	Young Adult Retreat	Youth	
November 3-7	Anti-Bullying week	Education	
November 6	Pre-ordination Training	Ministerial	ILC Office
November 13	Evangelism Celebration and Training	Ministerial	ILC Office
November 15	High School 1DYR		
November 15-22	Hispanic Evangelism Caravan	Hispanic Ministries	
November 22	Hispanic Celebration	Hispanic Ministries	
November 27 - Dec 7	Dominican Republic: Maranatha Family Mission Trip	Administration	Dominican Republic
December 7	Youth Dept. Gala Dinner	Youth	
December 17	Executive Committee Meeting	Administration	ILC Office