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THIS WEEK

NEWS AROUND THE UNION



Lake Union responds to Kenosha shootings

We are deeply distressed about what happened in Kenosha, Wisconsin. In just one week, we witnessed the horrific police shooting of Jacob Blake and violent unrest devolving into mayhem, including the tragic shooting resulting in the death of two men during a protest. Those of us who love this country are pained to see the racial fractures splitting our nation and the increased tensions in our communities. As Seventh-day Adventists, we long to see inequities addressed and we long to see the Bible teaching "[loving your neighbor as yourself](#)" lived out, as the overriding guiding principle in our society.



Kenosha pastor leaves his comfort zone

"Last week was anything but normal in Southeastern Wisconsin. Death and destruction, injustice and intolerance: these evils plagued our city of Kenosha. I felt moved that we had to do something different. Everything is different right now, so I wondered what "different" even looked like. I wondered if different would be appreciated or supported or understood. But I felt burdened so strongly to meet this crisis head on, rather than shy away from it. Finally, I made the announcement: 'I'm calling an audible. We're closing our churches this Sabbath.'" [READ MORE](#)



Wilson Church members worship in new building

After a fire three years ago heavily damaged the Wilson Church building, members of the Michigan Upper Peninsula church worshiped in their new permanent home for the first time on Sabbath August 29.

"To have this building complete is significant," said Wilson Church Pastor, Tom Hubbard. "We're thrilled at the opportunity to labor for the Lord and use it as a tool for outreach in our community and beyond." [READ MORE](#)

IN THE NEWS



Local Mexican artist brings hope to Chicago through aerosol wall art

[A local Chicano artist is using his passion for aerosol painting](#) to remember the lives of the passing, bringing hope and guidance to the next generation of youth in his community.

Mexican artist and founder of Street Art Ministry, **Milton Coronado**, 40, began drawing at five years old after the passing of his mother as a form of therapy and picked up aerosol art by airbrushing t-shirts during his adolescence.

(Source: *The DePaulia*)

Seventh-day Adventists gather in Kenosha to pray, volunteer

"This is an opportunity for us to come and be there for a community that's hurting," explained Racine resident **Zack Payne**, head network pastor for Wisconsin Southeastern Network Seventh-day Adventist churches in Kenosha, Racine and Raymond. ["We want to be a light. We want to be a positive presence and able to help."](#) (Source: *The Journal Times*)

Fifty year anniversary of storied revival on Andrews campus nears

This is an [eyewitness account of the extraordinary revival](#) that took place on the campus of **Andrews University** exactly fifty years ago this October.

(Source: *Ministry* magazine archives)

ADDITIONAL NEWS & INFORMATION

GENERAL CONFERENCE

In Cuba, Adventist Church Mourns Sudden Death of 16-Year-Old Pathfinder

Friends and members of the 10 de Octubre Adventist Church in Ranchuela, Villa Clara, in central are [mourning the sudden loss of a 16-year-old member of the church's Pathfinder Club](#) on August 25. Kendry Diaz Negrin was walking through his neighborhood to see damage left by Tropical Storm Laura when he was electrocuted by a downed powerline. He died almost instantly, witnesses said.

Solidary drive-in brings together more than seven thousand

people in Brasília

The Seventh-day Adventist Church in the Federal District of Brasilia, Brazil, held [one of the largest solidarity events in the country](#) in the form of a drive-in Church event.

Adventist church in Fiji rehabilitates members in prison

The Fiji Corrections Service (FCS) has signed a memorandum of understanding that will allow the Seventh-day Adventist Church to play a more [active role in rehabilitating its members back into society](#).

NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION

Warehouse Management and Mobile Distribution

Adventist Community Services to provide supply storage and donation distribution in Louisiana after [Hurricane Laura leaves residents without homes, power, and food](#).

Personalizing God's Promises

[Profile of an Adventist essential worker](#) during COVID-19 response

Sermonview and Chesapeake Conference Team up to Present Online Fall Evangelistic Series

With the coronavirus pandemic impacting everyone's lives, and economic instability breaking down the securities many rely on, the [Bible has become the focus of curiosity to a new generation](#).

Digital Strategy for Reaching Young Professionals

Humanity has been asking existential questions forever. [We're wired for purpose, constantly seeking to answer the big question, "Why?"](#) Although a record-breaking number of believers are leaving brick-and-mortar churches in America, every month, over 100,000 people go on Google and type into the search bar, "Is God Real?"

EVENTS AND RESOURCES



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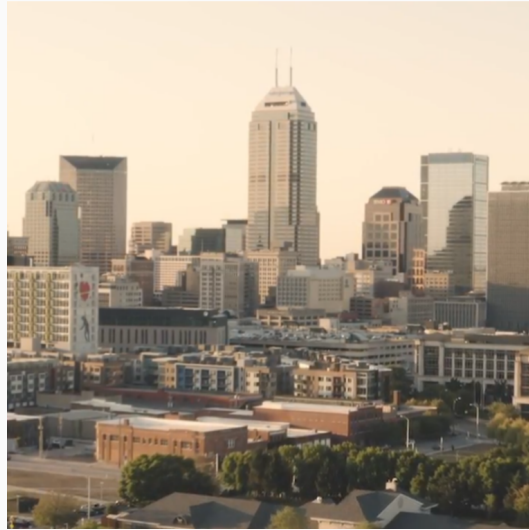


PROJECT
SAFE
CHURCH

Project Safe Church exists to train leaders to take protective action in response to the systemic crisis of abuse in the Seventh-day Adventist church. These helpers will support victims and assist them in telling their stories to appropriate civil and/or church leaders. Check with the [Project Safe Church website](#) or your local conference office for more information about this program and getting involved.



Adventist Young Professionals aims to connect, engage, and equip Adventists transitioning from college into their careers. Founder Tim Kowasaka was inspired by the statistics of how many young adults are straying from not only Adventism, but Christianity in general. He shared about growing networks and friendships with like-minded people during the ASI Young Professionals Virtual Conference.



ONE YEAR IN MISSION PLUS is an initiative in the Lake Union and an expansion of the C.A.M.P.U.S. Missionary Training Program. If you know of committed Seventh-day Adventist young people with a desire to take the 2020-2021 year off from school to make a difference in the lives others, please contact: www.campushope.com/oyim



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Bearing Witness: Ministry in Zones of Conflict

Saturday, September 5 at 6:00 PM EDT



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You'll want to join us this Sabbath afternoon, September 5 @ 5 & 6 p.m. EDT on the *Lake Union Herald* Facebook page and YouTube channel to hear from some of the people featured in this month's magazine and a special livestream on Bearing Witness: Ministry in Zones of Conflict.

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