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AROUND THE UNION



'How do we not waste this crisis?'

The questions came from Bolingbook residents who stood in disbelief that a church would rent a taco truck to provide free food to their community.

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Desire to help drives Kenosha pastor to feed construction workers

Any time a resident or motorist approaches a road construction crew, it tends to not be for delivery of good news.

But when Kenosha Pastor George Andrews III made the short walk from his house on 30th Avenue to the crews from A.W. Oakes & Son in Racine doing work in the 5100 block there Monday, he had something completely different in mind.

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Andrews University Graduate Student Association launches scholarship

While graduate students enjoyed the festivities in a socially-distanced Gala on April 4th, 2021, the leaders of the Andrews University Graduate Student Association (AUGSA) announced the launch of its first ever scholarship.

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Andrews University Press releases

BERRIEN SPRINGS, Mich.— Evidence for a designed creation and a worldwide flood is the focus of a new, popularly-oriented book from Andrews University Press intended for the college classroom and general readership.

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ADDITIONAL NEWS & INFORMATION

GENERAL CONFERENCE

SPUC Constituency Votes to Divide Mindanao Territory

On 22 April 2021, at a special constituency meeting of the South Philippine Union Conference (SPUC) the <u>constituents voted to split</u> the Mindanao territory into two distinct union organizations.

The Psychology of Vaccine Hesitancy: Could the Church Help?
One of the most negative components of how the pandemic has been managed has to do with psychological factors.

The Digital Era Calls for Greater Empathy

On Tuesday, April 20, 2021, <u>GAIN 2021 occurred online</u> (still due to the current pandemic).

NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION

Southern Adventist University Enactus Team Places Third in National Competition

Southern Adventist University's Enactus team <u>placed third in the</u> nation at the Enactus United States National Exposition.

After 57 Years of Service on One Academy Campus, Adventist Educator Retires

Evan Swanson, at age 80, finally retires his dry erase markers after

Office of Volunteer Ministries Reinstates International Mission Deployments

The ministry declares that, for the safety of those involved, <u>listed</u> <u>prerequisites must be met</u> for deployment outside the North American Division.

EVENTS AND RESOURCES



The Youth Evangelism Congress is an event unlike any other.

Every two years, senior youth & young adults ages 16-35 in the Lake Union Conference gather together with pastors, youth directors, ministerial directors, conference presidents, and Union Administrators to be empowered and resourced for evangelism back in their local churches and communities. Their goal is always the same: to bring the gospel to their local church community. Click here to learn more.



After evaluation of current state health department policies regarding Covid-19, it was unanimously decided to postpone the 2021 Lake Union Camporee to 2022.

Click here to read more.

10 Things for Churches: If you haven't discovered eAdventist's "church management" tools, check out this short tour of the top 10 - email, text messaging, maps, graphs, and more.





Save the Date :: June 4-5, 2021

Conectate: Bridge the Gap

The Hispanic Youth Congress, a bi-annual evangelism event.

More details to come.



Cruise With A Mission :: Center for Youth Evangelism is planning a December cruise

Experience beautiful new places with amazing people, fun activities and a unique way to serve! The Mexico Riviera Cruise will depart San Diego, California, on December 12-19, 2021 with stops in Cabo San Lucas, Mazatlan, and Puerto Vallarta, Mexico before returning back to San Diego. Learn more.

Attend Andrews University while in high school! Enrich your high school experience and get ahead with University Credit for High School Students. Enjoy small classes taught by Christian faculty in a diverse environment. Open to grades 10-12. Take one or two classes per semester and

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SAVE THE DATE!

Your Best Pathway to Health Mega Clinic is coming to Indianapolis, April 14-21, 2022.

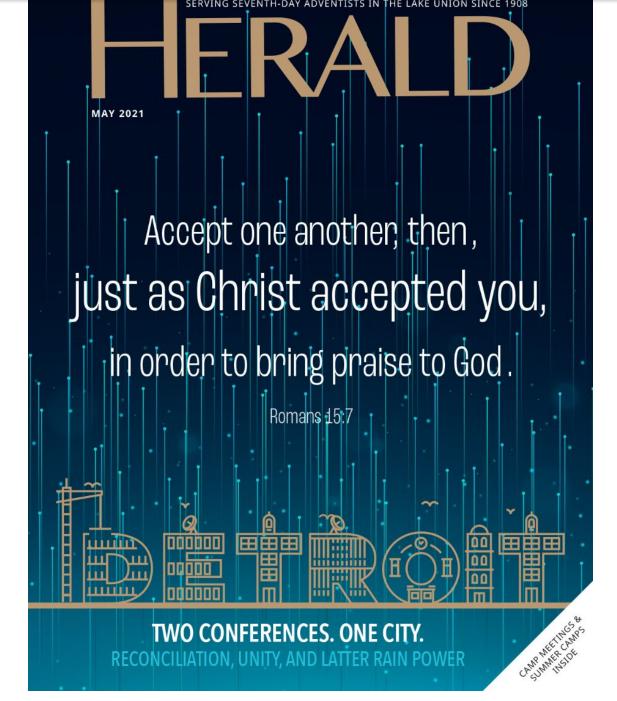
See website for more information.



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. The Project involves training pastors and church leaders to create a visible reporting mechanism, as well as the ability to connect victims with trained practitioners.

Visit the <u>Project Safe Church</u> website for more information.

What's inside this month's Herald







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