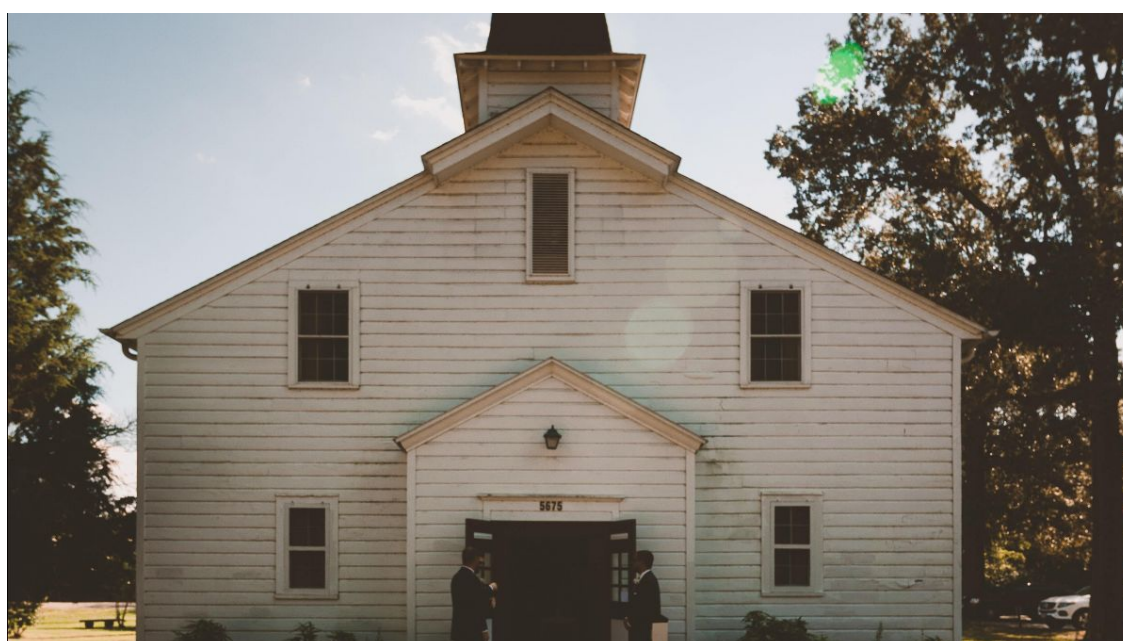




Lake Union HERALD

THIS WEEK

AROUND THE UNION



'This is the church for me'

Our family was all out on the beach a few weeks ago when I got the phone call telling me that I had been elected as president of the Lake Union Conference. Right there in the sand we held a "family council." The next day I accepted the invitation to serve in this great territory. Pat and I are delighted to be returning to our "home" in the Midwest.

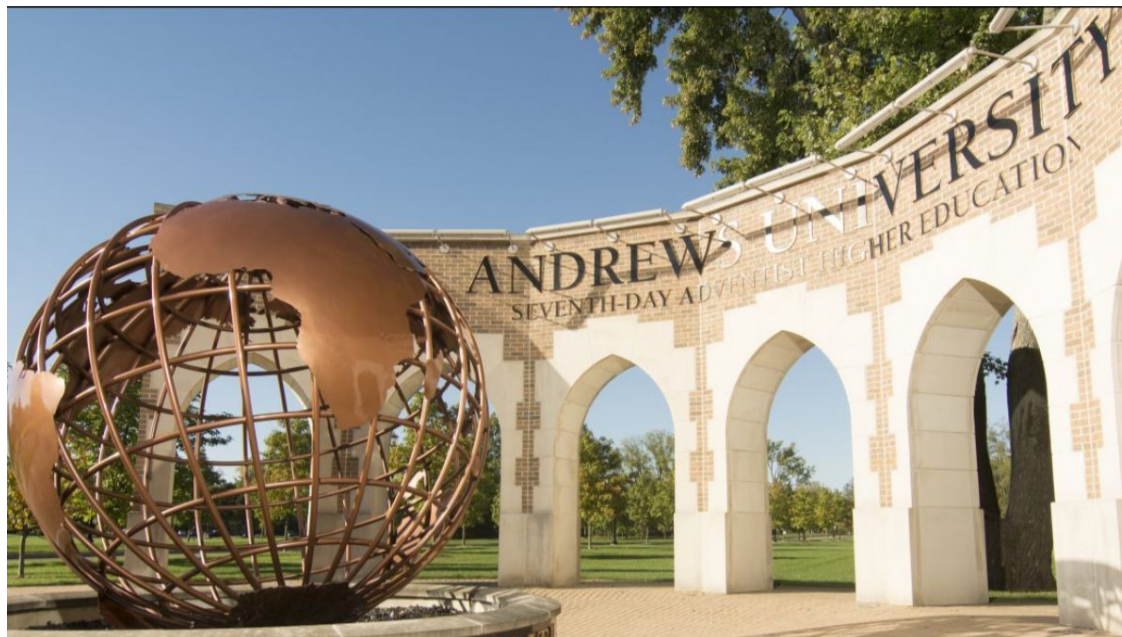
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volunteers

Historic Adventist Village in Battle Creek, Mich., is looking to add volunteering power to their team to help with tour guides, housekeeping, maintenance, office receptionist, and their Heritage Shop.

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Andrews University launches a certificate in Global Leadership

BERRIEN SPRINGS, Mich.— The Andrews University Department of Leadership is offering a new certificate aimed at nurturing professionals, students, entrepreneurs and organizational leaders into world changers with a spiritual mission.

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IN THE NEWS

Andrews University professor interviewed on new book

Heather Thompson Day, who will be returning to the Department of Visual Art, Communication & Design this fall, was recently interviewed about her new book, "it's not your turn." [FOX2 DETROIT]

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2021 LAKE UNION CAMP MEETINGS

We know you are excited to get back to your annual camp meeting traditions. Here's a quick glance at this year's upcoming Camp Meeting dates and details.

[Illinois Conference](#)

- Family Camp Meeting, Camp Akita, July 28-31, 2021

[Indiana Conference](#)

[Lake Region Conference](#)

- Hispanic: Camp Wagner, September 3–6, 2021

[Michigan Conference](#)

- Upper: Camp Sagola - September 2-6, 2021

[Wisconsin Conference](#)

- Hispanic: Camp Wakonda, August 11-15, 2021

ADDITIONAL NEWS & INFORMATION

GENERAL CONFERENCE

July 20 was declared National Day of Mourning in Belgium in honor of the victims and missing persons of the severe floods that hit the country.

According to reports, Belgium received extreme rainfall starting from July 12 to 15, which [left a trail of devastation to populated areas.](#)

Germany and Belgium Hit by Devastating Floods, Killing More than 160 People

[More than 160 people are dead, and hundreds more remain missing](#) after catastrophic flooding hit large parts of Western Europe.

ADRA Vegetable Gardens Feed Families in Madagascar During COVID-19 Pandemic

In Madagascar, the Adventist Development and Relief Agency (ADRA) is [training people to grow successful vegetable gardens, raise poultry, and make handcrafts](#) to supplement lost income during the COVID-19 pandemic.

NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION

Allegheny East Conference President and Wife Die in House Fire

Henry J. Fordham III and wife, Sharon, [die in tragic fire](#) on July 18, 2021.

It Is Written Announces New Online Prayer Series to Start August 9

Starting August 9, It Is Written will air Connect, a [new online series on the subject of effective prayer.](#)

North Pacific Union Students Dig Up Dinosaur Bones in Wyoming

The North Pacific Union sponsored academy students and teachers to go on a [hunt for dinosaur bones.](#)

EVENTS AND RESOURCES

The Lake Union Herald and Adventist Young Professionals invite you to join them for, "A Musical Summer Celebration" with host Kelly Gabriel, Midwest Director for Adventist Young Professionals. **Musicians will be**

Summer Celebration
with host Kelly Gabriel, Midwest Director for Adventist Young Professionals

Sponsored by **THE LAKES HERALD** **YP**

Join us for music and testimonials!

WEDNESDAY @ 6 PM (EST)  
@LAKEUNIONHERALD & @YP.SDA



Michelle Odinna
July 7



Kenric Rimoni
July 21



Emily Jurek
July 28

Watchmen
August 4



Wednesdays at 6 pm (EST).

July 28: Emily Jurek
August 4: Watchmen



Joy of Eating

Designed for Good
NADhealth.org/HealthSabbath

NAD Health Sabbath is July 24!

Does how you eat impact your mental health? What did Christ teach us about the purpose of food? This year, discover the "Joy of Eating," and the surprising benefits that come from eating together. All churches are invited to host their own Health Sabbath, in person, online, or both! [CLICK HERE](#) for a free sermon, resources for youth/young adults, and an afternoon presentation on the gut microbiome. Savor the joy!

Starting August 9, 2021

Get more out of prayer **TODAY!**



with Pastor John Bradshaw


Connect

iiwconnect.com

Starting August 9, It Is Written will air Connect, a new online series on the subject of effective prayer. Presented by Pastor John Bradshaw, Connect will livestream on It Is Written TV, Facebook, and YouTube. Viewers are encouraged to register for Connect at iiwconnect.com.

SABBATH SCHOOL
3RD QUARTER

Study with authors of the Sabbath School quarterly, *Rest in Christ*.



HOST:
Pastor Eric Flickinger



GUEST:
Dr. Gerald Klingbeil



GUEST:
Dr. Chantal Klingbeil

VIEWING TIMES (EDT)

Friday: 8:30 p.m.
Saturday: 7:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.

The It Is Written Sabbath School program has launched new content for the third quarter!

Host Eric Flickinger, It Is Written associate speaker, is joined by Rest in Christ quarterly authors Drs. Gerald and Chantal Klingbeil as they discuss each lesson study. The half-hour, weekly program is posted at the beginning of each week on It Is Written TV (on demand) and airs on Fridays and Saturdays on the It Is Written TV livestream. A short, daily lesson review is also available on It Is Written TV. [View Sabbath School](#) or [learn more about Sabbath School](#).



All Pathfinders are welcome to upcoming in-person visits of the Cam-Plex facilities which will host the international Camporee:

- **August 24, 2021: 9am-4pm**
- **September 6, 2021: 9am-4pm**

If you have any questions, please contact [Vern Byrd](#). We hope to see you there!

The Youth Evangelism Congress

Unstoppable

Lake Union Conference Youth Evangelism Conference
Feb 18-20, 2022 Shipshewana, IN congress@lucyouth.org lucyouth.org

young adults ages 16-35 in the Lake Union Conference gather to be empowered and receive resources for evangelism back in their local churches and communities. **This coming year, it will be hosted in Shipshewana, Ind., on Feb. 18-20, 2022.** [Click here to learn more.](#)



BURIED TREASURE™
DIG DEEP INTO GOD'S WORD

21-day Children's Evangelism Program

AVAILABLE NOW!

IT IS WRITTEN.

It Is Written is pleased to announce a brand-new children's evangelism resource: *Buried Treasure*. The comprehensive 21-day program is specially designed to minister to children up to 12 years of age during an evangelistic series, Vacation Bible School, Sabbath school, or similar event. *Buried Treasure* is produced by My Place With Jesus, It Is Written's ministry for children. [Learn more.](#)



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Cruise With a Mission Mexico

DECEMBER 12-19, 2021

CYE.ORG/CWM

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.](#)



SAVE THE DATE!

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

[See website for more information.](#)



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

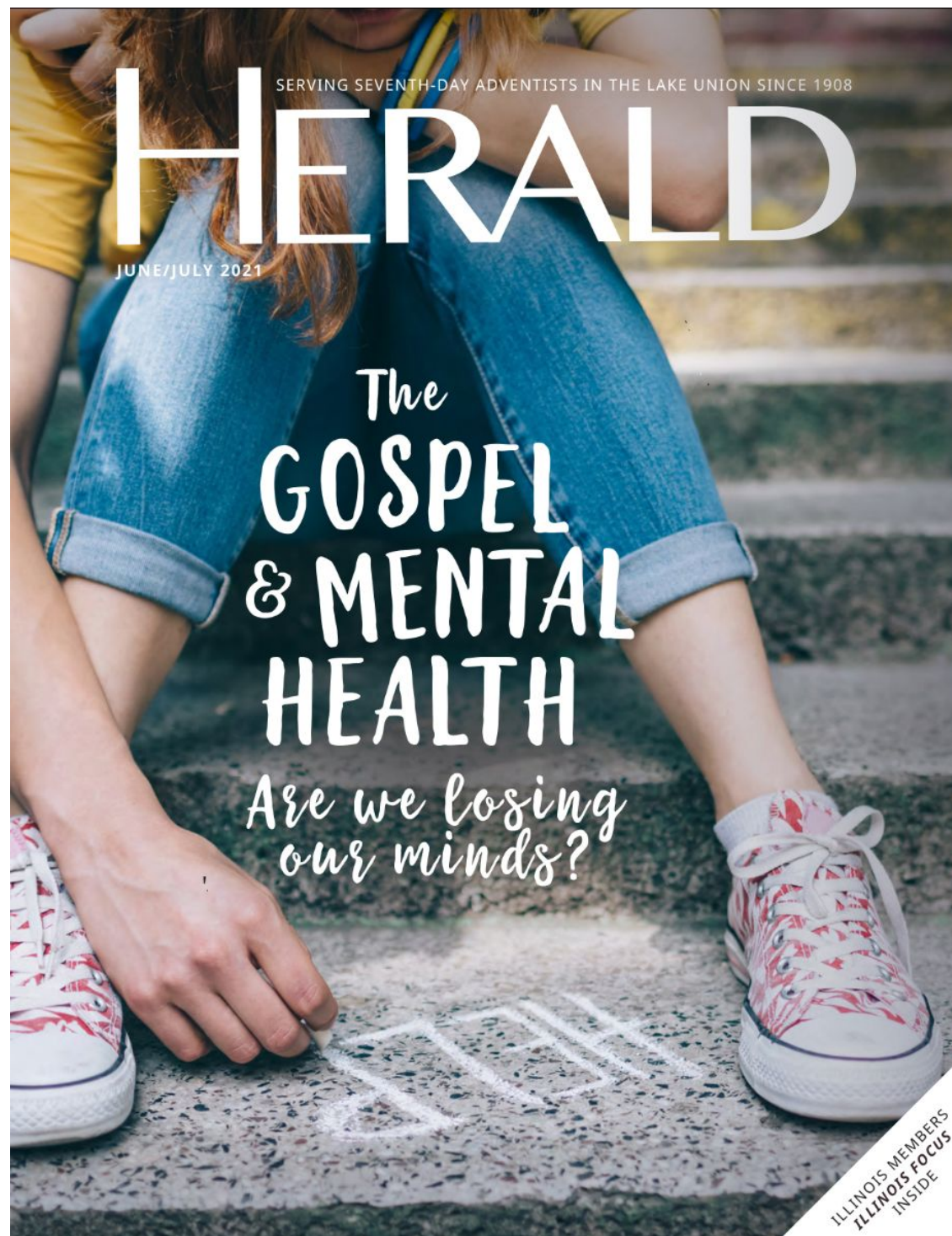
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PROJECT SAFE CHURCH

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 [Project Safe Church website](#) for more information.

What's inside this month's *Herald*



PICTURE OF THE WEEK



A generous donor gave \$100,000 to Hinsdale Adventist Academy (HAA), which was matched by the Illinois Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, HAA Home and School Association, Class of 2020, and others. Holding the check is departing Principal Fawn Scherencel who leaves HAA completely debt free.

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