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AROUND THE UNION



We are sorry your *Lake Union Herald* is delayed

We are working closely with our printer to deliver your October issue of the Herald during this global pandemic. They are experiencing a shortage of workers so it will take slightly longer for your copy to reach you, hopefully by next week. Thank you for your patience.

Read the Digital Herald



Wisconsin gives Afghans a warm welcome

The desperate airlift out of Kabul had barely kicked into gear last month when a call went out to the State of Wisconsin's Volunteer Organization Active in Disaster group. The sudden collapse of the Afghan government meant there was an urgent need for clothing to help the displaced Afghans arriving with only what they had on them.

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Free of charge

It was a bright sunny day on May 26, 2021, as Gilbert Poole Jr walked through the doors of a Jackson, Michigan prison and threw his hands in the air, signaling he was no longer chained but free.

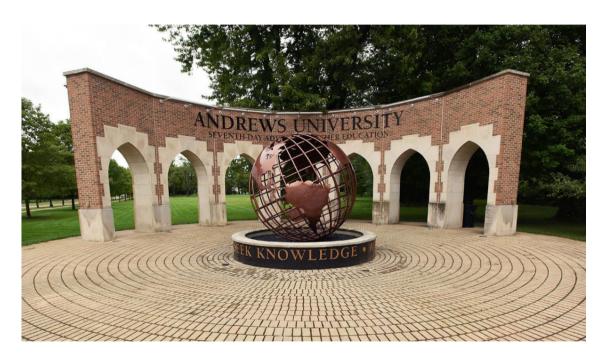
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Andrews University students awarded for outstanding presentations

Two groups of Andrews students received awards at the Mathematical Association of America (MAA) national MathFest conference from Aug. 4–7, 2021, for outstanding student presentations.

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Healthy eating is on the menu at Andrews University

Most people associate college dining halls with the freshman 15, weight gain that comes with unhealthy options and endless buffets. Andrews University, a Seventh-day Adventist school in Berrien Springs, Mich., is an exception. [reprinted from the *Herald-Palladium*]

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GENERAL CONFERENCE

The Adventist Church Release a New Way to Capture, Commemorate, Understand and Celebrate our Adventist heritage

The <u>Journal of Adventist Archives</u> is launched by the General Conference Office of Archives, Statistics, and Research.

Check On Your Pastors

Observing Church Adaptation to Worshiping in Isolation

Using AI and Innovative Technology in the Adventist ChurchAdapting to the modern mission field with AI technology

NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION

Southern Adventist University Celebrates Grand Opening of Bietz Center for Student Life

On Oct. 1, 2021, Southern Adventist University held a ribbon-cutting ceremony to mark the <u>formal opening of the Bietz Center for</u> Student Life.

After Evacuating from Hurricane Ida, Louisiana Woman Delivers Baby at AdventHealth Winter Park

<u>Preparing for a new baby is stressful.</u> So is planning for the approach of a dangerous storm. Lindsay Friedmann recently had to do both — at the same time.

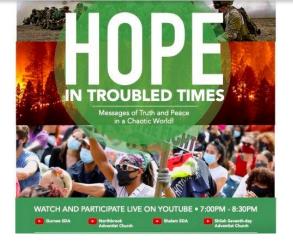
Adventist Health Appoints Two New Leaders for System Board of Directors

John Freedman, president of the North Pacific Union Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, and Bradford Newton, the new president of the Pacific Union Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, have joined the <u>System Board of Directors</u>.

ADVENTHEALTH

FAQs About Hospice Care

Having a loved one in hospice care is an emotional experience. At the same time, <u>you're doing your best to make sure they are getting the best care and comfort possible</u> as you work through your own feelings.



THE LAND FINDING GOD IN DIFFICULT TRANSITIONS

WEEK OF SPIRITUAL RENEWAL OCTOBER 11 - 15, 2021

Advent Health

Church Senior Pastor, LIVE for "Hope in Troubled Times: Messages of Truth and Peace in a Chaotic World," October 1-23 at 7-8:30 PM (EDT).

Watch and participate LIVE online at <u>Gurnee</u>, <u>Northbrook Adventist Church</u>, <u>Shalem</u>, and <u>Shiloh Adventist</u> Church YouTube pages.

You're invited to be a part of

AdventHealth's fall Week of

Spiritual Renewal, October 5-11.

Each year, the AdventHealth family sets aside special time for worship, prayer and spiritual renewal. This fall's theme is "The Land Between: Finding God in Difficult Transitions."

Join us by signing up to receive daily emails with video messages by speaker and author Jeff Manion, where he draws insights from the Bible's story of the Israelites as they wandered the desert for years after leaving Egypt. To sign up, click here.



Join the Association of Adventist Women for a hybrid event called "What does God's Justice Look Like?", October 8, 16, 23, and 29 for conversations on racial justice, poverty, women pastors, and access to healthcare.

Programs will be available worldwide on demand at 6 p.m. each Sabbath on associationofadventistwomen .com. This event is requiring vaccination and masks if attending in person.



It Is Written Announces Online Evangelistic Series Revelation Today: The Great Reset

Beginning **October 8**, It Is Written will air Revelation Today: The Great Reset. Pastor John Bradshaw, It Is Written president, will present the full-length evangelistic series from the Chattanooga First Church. Viewers may register and watch at revelationtoday.com.



person Alumni Weekend will be

October 8 & 9. To view details,
please visit our facebook page.

Honor classes this year will also
include honor classes from last year.

Visit their Facebook page for more.

To schedule a reunion location,
please email Jimmy Arnett.

The annual Golf Outing for Indiana Academy is **Friday, October 8**, at 8 am at the Tipton Golf Course. <u>To register for this event, please visit iagolfclassic@gmail.com</u>.



Join the NAD PARL for their webinar "Vaccine Mandates: Overreaching or Responsible?" on **Sabbath, October 9, 2021, 5-6:30 pm (EDT)**. Hosts include Dr. Angeline Brauer, Attorney Orlan Johnson, Attorney Bettina Krause, Dr. Nicholas Miller, and Attorney Alan Reinach. View the live stream and participate in the conversation at <u>LibertyMagazineSDA YouTube Channel</u> or <u>NARLAFreedom Facebook Page</u>.



Cicero Church and Elementary School celebrates 100 years!

The Cicero Seventh-day Adventist Church and Elementary School would like to invite you to celebrate with them on their **100th year anniversary, October 16, 2021**, starting with Sabbath School at 9:30 am and ending with potluck and an afternoon program. For more information regarding this event, please call the church office at (317)984-4860.



Society of Adventist Communicators

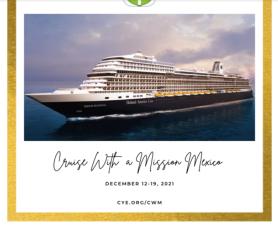
Virtual Convention | October 17–19, 2021

Registration for the 2021 Virtual SAC Convention is now open!

Whether you're a communication professional, freelancer, student, teacher, pastor, or local church communication volunteer, Society of Adventist Communicators 2021 will have something for you.

Registration is \$49 for professionals and this year it's FREE for students. Sign up: adventistcommunicator.com/

Cruise With A Mission :: Center for Youth Evangelism is planning



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.



Every two years, senior youth & 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. The Youth Evangelism Congress will be hosted in Shipshewana, Ind., on Feb. 18-20, 2022.

Click here to learn more.



The Milwaukee Adventist School has had to postpone their 50th anniversary celebration scheduled for October 8-9, 2021.

They are rescheduling for the weekend of April 22-23, 2022.



SAVE THE DATE!

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

See website for more information.



Next year marks the 150th anniversary of Battle Creek Academy! To celebrate this monumental achievement, BCA will combine Alumni Weekend with the celebration.







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.



If you know of a student about to attend or is already on a public university campus in the Lake Union, you should reach out to the conference representative for help in providing an anchor in the young person's faith journey.

Visit our <u>website</u> for a list of conference representatives.



VIDEO OF THE WEEK



Are you getting excited for the International Camporee? Follow along with Pastor Ron and Harmony as they meet with the local Gillette, Wyoming airport director, Todd Chatfield.

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