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THIS WEEK

AROUND THE UNION



What has God called you to do?

He did the usual round of meetings and visits, but the highlight for him was when he got to meet Johnny Barnes.

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When God stirs something in us

In December, the Center for Youth Evangelism hosted the 2021 Cruise With a Mission to Mexico. This is a trip for young adults that combines vacation with mission trip to provide a unique experience that is like no other. Here, Cruise with a Mission director Nathaniel Sevilla gives a personal account of the 2021 cruise.


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THE MASTER'S METHODS

PASTOR MARK FINLEY

Broadcasting Saturday

January 22 at 11:30am

 Premieres in 42 hours
January 22, 11:30 AM

 Set reminder



Mark Finley to guest speak at virtual rally this Sabbath

Join the Indiana Conference for a message this Sabbath, January 22 at 11:30 am (EST) from Pastor Mark Finley. Finley will encourage us to follow Christ's method of meeting the needs of our brothers and sisters in the greater Indianapolis area.

[Watch Here](#)

ADDITIONAL NEWS & INFORMATION

GENERAL CONFERENCE

Special General Conference Session Delegates Approve Constitutional Amendment

New section allows for [virtual world church sessions in the future](#) as needed.

The Blind Can Read Too

[Adventist Possibilities Ministries Donates Sets of Braille Bible](#)

Researchers have found that [COVID-19 patients who are obese struggle with long-term effects](#) of the infection compared to those with a lower Body Mass Index (BMI).

NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION

Fourth Graders from Adventist School in Massachusetts Help Kentucky Tornado Victims

[The South Lancaster Academy fourth grade class collect supplies for children impacted by recent tornadoes.](#)

La Sierra University STEM Summer Program Shepherds New Students, Plans Expansion

[The two-week program was launched as a pilot in August 2021.](#)

ADVENTHEALTH

Endometriosis 101: What to Know

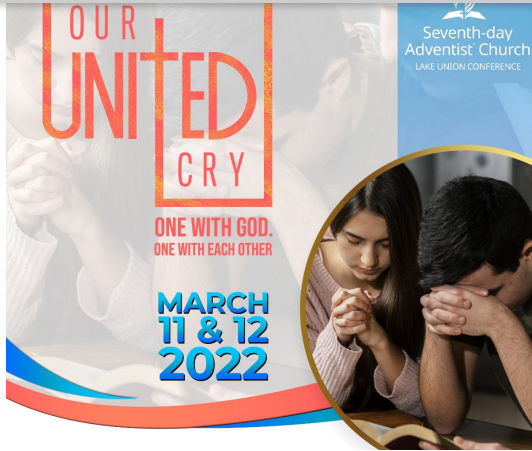
[Anyone can develop endometriosis.](#) However, there are some risk factors that increase the chances of developing it

EVENTS AND RESOURCES

Are you seeking revival in your prayer experience?

Join the Lake Union Conference for our annual prayer conference **March 11-12, 2022** with speakers Mark Finley, G. Alexander Bryant, Deeann Bradgraw, Jerry Saraun, and Chanda Nunes.

Register now for \$65 before




ADVENTIST ENGAGED ENCOUNTER

FEBRUARY 18-20, 2022
 Are you Dating with Purpose, Engaged, or recently Married?
 Adventist Engaged Encounter can help you take your #COUPLEHOOD to the next level! Learn the skills to build your future! You and your #SWEETHEART deserve it! Weekend Workshop Feb. 18-20.

Register now!

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Are you dating with purpose, engaged, or recently married? **Adventist Engaged Encounter this Feb. 18-20, 2022 on the Andrews University campus** can help you take your #COUPLEHOOD to the next level! Learn the skills to build your future! You and your #SWEETHEART deserve it! **REGISTER TODAY**

All authority in Heaven and earth has been given to me. Therefore go... MATTHEW 28:18-20



Unstoppable

Youth Evangelism Congress 2022

Every two years, senior youth & young adults ages 16-35 in the Lake Union Conference gather to be empowered and receive resources for local evangelism.

WHAT: Youth Evangelism Congress
WHEN: Feb. 18-20, 2022
WHERE: Shipshewana, Indiana

REGISTER TODAY


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

Give back to an under-served community by sharing the love of God and providing physical, mental, and spiritual needs.


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Volunteers Needed



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Save the Date: June 3-4, 2022

This year marks the 150th anniversary of Battle Creek Academy.

BCA will combine Alumni Weekend to mark this monumental celebration.

You are invited to the "Life in the Blender: Cultivating Resilience in Families" conference on July 21-23, 2022.


Keynote speakers include Ron L. Deal, Rhonda Spencer-Hwang (DrPH, MPH, CWP), and Dr. Elizabeth Viera Talbot, PH.D.

For more information or to register, visit acfrp.org.


Life in the Blender

CULTIVATING RESILIENCE IN FAMILIES


**KEYNOTE
SPEAKERS 2022**



RON L. DEAL
Ron L. Deal is President of Smart Stepfamilies™ and Director of Family(Re)Blended®, a division of FamilyLife®. He is a family ministry consultant and conducts marriage and family seminars around the country, he specializes in marriage education and stepfamily enrichment. He is a leading national expert and the most widely read author on blended families in the country. Ron is author of the bestselling book, *The Smart Stepfamily: Seven Steps to a Healthy Family* (and DVD series), his newest book is *The Smart Stepfamily Guide to Financial Planning*.






RHONDA SPENCER-HWANG, DPH, MPH, CWP
Rhonda Spencer-Hwang, DPH, MPH, CWP is an Associate Professor and Epidemiologist in the Center for Innovation and Strategy within the School of Public Health at Loma Linda University (LLU). Dr. Spencer has been conducting groundbreaking research over the past eight years studying Adventist centenarians and is one of the first to identify a community of resilient members despite their tremendous burden of adverse childhood experiences (ACEs)—a Resiliency Capital region. She has her debut book *Raising Resilient Kids*, published in 2021 with Tyndale Publishing House.



DR. ELIZABETH VIERA TALBOT, PH.D.
Dr. Elizabeth Viera Talbot, Ph.D., is the Speaker/Director for the Jesus 101 BibleInstitute, a media ministry of the North American Division of SDA, designed to offer in-depth Christ centered biblical studies resources. Elizabeth is regularly featured on Hope Channel and Esperanza TV (LLEN, ROKU Jesus 101 channel), and on several international TV channels and other social media venues, as well as radio stations throughout the world. Elizabeth wrote the 2020 NAQ devotional book entitled: "JESUS WINS!"

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www.asfcp.org	service@adventsource.org	Professionals	\$49	\$69
		Student	\$25	\$35
		CEU	\$10	\$10

JULY 21-23, 2022



Medallions are available to those who dedicated their lives to full-time gospel or educational ministry in the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

For more information, please contact Vicki Thompson at Vicki.Thompson@lakeunion.org or call 269-473-8221.



Do you belong to a Pathfinder Club? The North American Division wants to know how they can best support Pathfinder Club leaders. Please fill out this survey to let your voice be heard.

[Start the Pathfinder Club Survey](#)

Pathfinder Club Survey

Project Safe Church exists to train leaders to take action in response to the systemic crisis

PROJECT SAFE CHURCH

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.



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 [website](#) for a list of conference representatives.

What's inside the *Herald*

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JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2022



'I will go!'

Living Out Our Faith Wholeheartedly

ILLINOIS MEMBERS
ILLINOIS FOCUS
INSIDE

As the pandemic continues to cause production and delivery delays, we continue to work diligently to bring you news and stories from across the Lake Union. If you haven't received this month's Herald, you can access all digital content on our website.

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