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THIS WEEK

AROUND THE UNION



NAD Year-end Discussions Seek to Move Mission Forward

The North American Division Year-end Meetings concluded on Tuesday, Nov. 1 with a recap of suggestions on how to move mission forward in three areas of focus: Multiply, Mentorship and Media. Here are some of the discussions and observations as presented by the Lake Union leadership.

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Former Lake Union Education Superintendent Passes

Fred Stephan faithfully served the Church for 40 years; was Michigan Superintendent and North American Division Director of Education.

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Fall 2022 Andrews University Enrollment and Rankings Report

Andrews University has tied for Top Diverse National University and Ranked as Top Private, Christian and Small University in the State of Michigan.

As is the case each fall semester on its Berrien Springs campus, Andrews University is once again taking the measure of current enrollment trends and is also reviewing and celebrating some of its remarkable recent national (and Michigan) university rankings.

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Giving Thanks for Every Breath

While at work on a job site on Lake Michigan in early 2021, electrical contractor Don Starlin knew he was in trouble. “I was carrying tools and ladders from the main house on the bluff down 88 steps to the lake house on the beach,” Don recalls. “I noticed I was short of breath. I said to myself, ‘This is not good. I need to do more cardio and start walking again.’”

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ADDITIONAL NEWS & INFORMATION

GENERAL CONFERENCE

[Adventist University Educators Earn Silver in Japan, Lifestyle Medicine Takes Center Stage](#)

The International Society of Hypertension (ISH) just ended its competition in Kyoto, Japan, on October 13, 2022, and the Adventist University of the Philippines (AUP) took home the silver medal.

[New Avondale Course for Career Changers Who’ve Been Called](#)

A new postgraduate degree at Avondale University will better prepare career changers who feel called to enter the ministry.

[Fifteenth Annual Seeds of Hope Celebration Focuses on Youth Mental Health](#)

Donors and supporters gathered on October 13 at the 15th Seeds of Hope fundraiser, an annual event to provide scholarships for Loma Linda University Behavioral Health patients in need.

NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION

[2022 NAD Year-End Meeting Video and News Coverage](#)

The Seventh-day Adventist Church in North America streams its first business session; links to articles from each session also included.

[Intentionality in All Things: Sabbath at the 2022 NAD Year-End Meeting](#)

“In the early years of Adventism, our leaders — who were, you’ll remember, in their 20s — saw printing as a medium to advance the gospel, and were not afraid to take advantage of this new tool,” commented G. Alexander Bryant, NAD president. “Neither should we today be afraid to take advantage of modern tools to advance the gospel.”

[NAD President Tells Church Leaders to Step Out in Faith and Be Bold](#)

During the NAD Year-End Meeting Sabbath worship service, G. Alexander

[Secretary's Report, Education, AdventSource Reports Presented on Second Day of NAD Year-End Meeting](#)

The North American Division's 2022 Year-End Meeting (YEM), themed "Together in Mission: I Will Go," used its second day to receive the executive secretary's report covering the statistics of the church that provide the foundation on which planning can take place.

[At Year-End Meeting, NAD's First In-Person Executive Committee Meeting Since 2019 a Joyful Reunion](#)

The excitement in the air was palpable as 188 delegates (of 306) from Bermuda, Canada, Guam-Micronesia, and the United States gathered for the first in-person year-end meeting since 2019.

EVENTS AND RESOURCES



Three Angels Natural Foods and Christian Books Holiday Sale | Nov. 1 - Dec. 31

October is Spirit of Prophecy month! 25% off of most Ellen White books. Plus, sales on canned and frozen veggie meat. To order, call 317-984-5393.

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JOB POSTING

Lake Region Conference is looking to fill the position of an **Elementary School Teacher for grades 5-8 at the Chicago SDA Elementary School.**

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Project Safe Church exists to train leaders to take 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.

What's inside the *Herald*

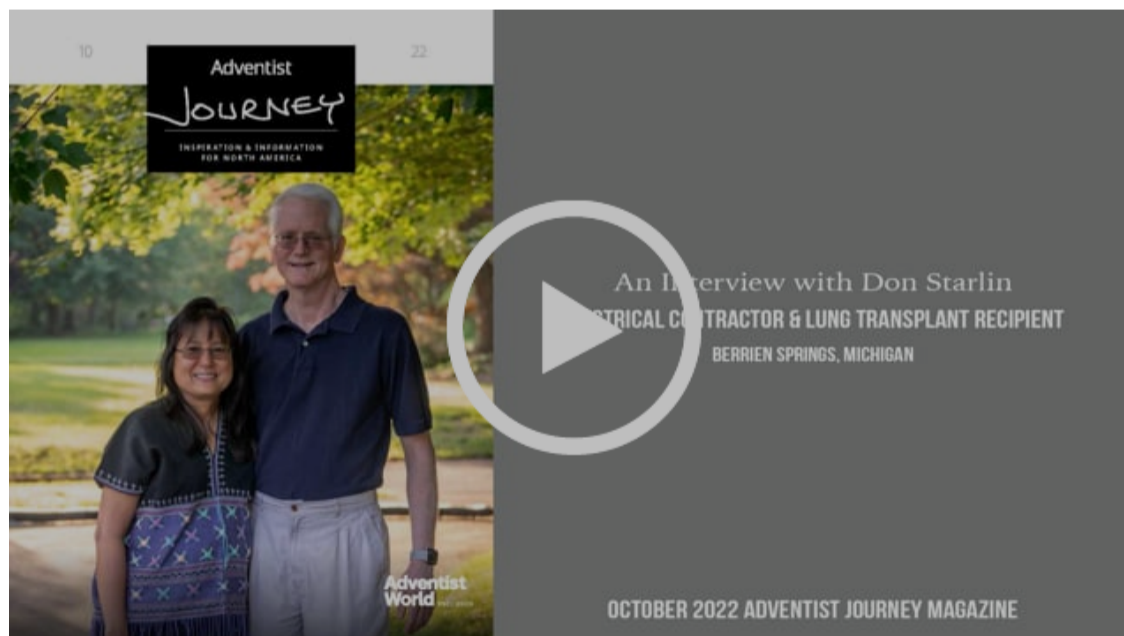


Nov/Dec 2022

Food, Faith and Family.

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Video of the Week



Don Starlin, an electrical contractor and former president of Adventist World Aviation, lives in Berrien Springs, Michigan, with his wife Trudi, who has worked for Adventist Frontier Missions. Less than a year ago, Don received a double-lung transplant after being diagnosed and hospitalized with pulmonary fibrosis. In this video, Don tells his story, and how he was able to share his faith with others before, during, and after his surgery. The Starlins, who involved in refugee ministries, are on the cover of the October 2022 Adventist Journey magazine and featured in the [November/December 2022](#) issue of the Lake Union Herald.

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