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## AROUND THE UNION



# **Arnaldo Cruz is Featured Speaker for Hispanic Youth Congress**

Cruz is known as an accomplished digital evangelist with a large social media following. He recently held an online evangelistic campaign that had 5.2 million views on YouTube and Facebook and resulted in 6,700 baptisms across Cuba, Puerto Rico, Columbia, and Venezuela.

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# **Changing the World Right Next Door in Southwest Michigan**

During the past few years, as Andrews University freshman Nicholas Gunn looked around his southwest Michigan community, his first response was to find ways to serve.

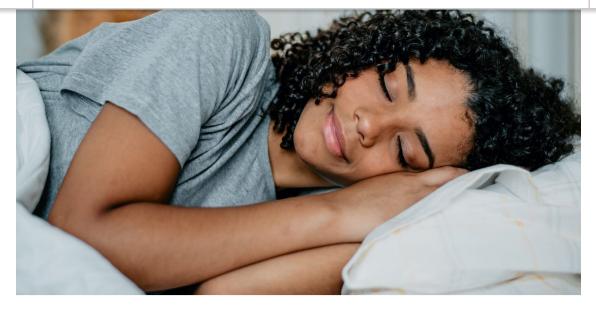
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# **New Student Missionary Program Makes Strides in Michigan**

Student missionaries use their training to help members in Lansing (English and Spanish), Grand Ledge and Williamston churches learn how to give effective Bible studies. They also participate in local church ministries such as cooking schools, nursing home ministries, and Adventist Community Services.

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### A Time to Heal

When a person has a chronic illness, they often focus on treating the symptom rather than treating the underlying cause. After doing a thorough health and lifestyle examination on a guest at Lifeline Wellness Institute, we learn that one of the primary factors contributing to their ailment is lack of sleep.

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### ADDITIONAL NEWS & INFORMATION

### **GENERAL CONFERENCE**

#### The Case For Growth in Adventist Leaders

Leaders are essential to communities, and acknowledging this it is also a great need in the Adventist church should not be surprising.

### SSD Prayer Network Stands in the Gap Between Church and Community

Themed "Stand in the Gap," the Prayer Network of the Adventist Youth Ministries (AYM) of the Southern Asia-Pacific Division (SSD) conducted its first onsite convention since the pandemic.

### In Uman, Young Adventists Distributed Christian Literature

The winter literature camp began its work on January 2 in Uman, Ukraine, and included young people from different parts of the Dnipro region

## **NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION**

# <u>Hands-on Evangelism Class Takes Students to the Streets of San</u> <u>Francisco</u>

The hands-on class ultimately resulted in nine baptisms.

# NAD Adventist Ministries Convention Exhibit Hall Inspires and Equips Attendees for Mission

The heart of the exhibit hall was the 45 ministries represented, including NAD departments, ministries of the global Seventh-day Adventist Church, and independent ministries.

# Ministry Leaders Across the North American Division Worship and Replenish at the 2023 Adventist Ministries Convention

At the convention themed "Replenish," general sessions are geared toward filling church leaders' needs for rest and renewal.

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It's not too late to register for the Indiana Conference Virtual Prayer Summit, taking place this Sabbath (January 21) from 3:00-4:30 p.m. This special time of prayer and testimonies will strengthen our faith as we connect with members from around the state.

**Please visit our conference website to register:** <a href="https://www.indysda.org">www.indysda.org</a>. You will then receive the Zoom videoconference link for the event.



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# 10 Days of Prayer | "Back to the Altar"

When: Jan. 11-21, 2023.

"But the hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth; for the Father is seeking such to worship Him." JOHN 4:23, NKJV

Join at tendaysofprayer.org



Man Camp is a men's ministry event where fathers and sons, brothers or just buddies can come together for a weekend of food and fun where the focus is on Christ and our relationship with Him and each other. Watch a promo clip: vimeo.com/766093650

When: Jan. 27-29, 2023 Register: www.misdayouth.org



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### **A Call for Papers**

**What:** 43rd annual conference of the Association of Seventh-day

Adventist Librarians
When: June 27-29, 2023
Where: Adventist University of
Africa campus in Nairobi, Kenya.

### For more information, contact:

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### Conectate :: June 2-4, 2023

Join main speaker Pr. Arnaldo Cruz on June 2-4, 2023 for Lake Union Conference's 7th Bilingual Youth Congress, Conectate. The congress will be held at the Howard Performing Arts Center on the campus of Andrews University.

Catch the early bird registration rate through Feb. 28 at conectateluc.com.

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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.

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

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# Jan/Feb 2023

Adventists and the Sojourner Truth Legacy

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## Picture of the Week



Andrews University was a co-sponsor of the celebration to honor the legacy of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. The weeklong program featured music by Andrews University's Deliverance Mass Choir and The Watchmen. Pictured at Monday's prayer breakfast are, left to right, Andrews University Chemistry Prof. Desmond Murray, Andrews University Dean of Libraries Paulette Johnson, Andrews University Provost Christon Arthur, Andrews University Vice President Michael Nixon, Andrews University President Andrea Luxton, Andrews University Graduate Student Christopher Langston, and Andrews University Undergraduate Student Nicholas Gunn.

Gunn, a student at Andrews University majoring in secondary education and political science, was recognized with the Spirit of MLK Student Spotlight.



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