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THIS WEEK

AROUND THE UNION



Singer and Pastor T. Marshall Kelly Passes at 92

T. Marshall Kelly passed to his rest on February 6, 2023, at the age of 92. In a career that has spanned over 70 years in the gospel ministry, Kelly served the Seventh-day Adventist Church as a pastor, Bible teacher, and singing evangelist. Twenty-five of those years were spent in the Lake Region Conference.

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Kent Nichols to Serve as Lake Region Treasurer

On Thursday, February 2, 2023, Lake Region Conference Executive Committee voted Kent Nichols to serve as chief financial officer/treasurer, effective March 1, 2023.

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The Man at the Heart of Adventism's First Black Family

William Hardy is credited with two important firsts. In 1857, William J. Hardy and his wife, Eliza Watts, became the first black family to join the Seventh-day Adventist Church. In 1872, William Hardy was the first Black elected to public office in the state of Michigan.

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ADDITIONAL NEWS & INFORMATION

GENERAL CONFERENCE

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[Message of Hope Leads Over 300 to Baptism](#)

The Seventh-day Adventist Church in Chile celebrated the baptism of over 300 individuals during their week-long evangelistic series held in the Central South Chile Conference.

[By Beholding We Are Being...Rewired?](#)

Introducing the Back to the Altar Initiative

NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION

[Breath of Life Speaker Leads Week of Prayer at Andrews University](#)

The theme was "Get Unrealistic," named after his most recent book about how faith frees us from life's limitations. Hundreds of students gathered daily to get a spiritual boost as the spring semester began.

[Capitol Hill Counseling and Resource Center: Building a Bridge from the Church to the Community](#)

In 2016, when Emil Peeler became lead pastor of the Capitol Hill Seventh-day Adventist Church, he asked God, "How can I best serve this community?"

[Famous For . . .](#)

Could the church become famous for the wonderful healing works of God?

Pacific Union College Community

Nearly 60 years later, Sarah Collins Rudolph, the little girl who survived one of the darkest days in Civil Rights history, told her story to Pacific Union College (PUC) students at a special Community on Thursday, Jan. 12, 2023, to commemorate Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

Evangelist Jim Gilley Passes to His Rest

“If there's one thing that's perfectly clear about Jim, it's that his life was anchored in the hope of Christ,” said Shawn Boonstra, current speaker/director of the Voice of Prophecy.

EVENTS AND RESOURCES



Join the International Center for Worship & Music for their **20th Annual Music & Worship Conference on Feb. 16-18**. This is a forum for scholarly and professional dialogue, the advancement of knowledge, and the promotion of best practices in Christian worship and music. Featured presenters include R. Clifford Jones, Lester Ruth, Gennifer Brooks, and David Trim. [Register today.](#)



What if people flocked to your church for healing from physical, emotional, or mental problems? Are you resourced to help them? **Join us for the NAD Health Summit, April 2-8, 2023, in Lexington, KY to learn best practices for having a meaningful impact on your community.** Our theme, “Power to Heal”, considers our need of the Holy Spirit to guide us, particularly with our renewed emphasis on health evangelism.

[Register here](#)



SAVE THE DATE

What: ASI Lake Union
When: April 28-29, 2023
Where: Tinley Park Convention Center in Tinley Park, IL
Guest Speaker: Neil Nedley, M.D., President, Weimar Institute

For more information, visit www.asilakeunion.org.



March 25, 2023 is Safety Sabbath. Churches across North America (and beyond) will hold fire drills on Safety Sabbath to help their congregation be equipped in case of a fire or other emergency. When you register for Safety Sabbath, Adventist Risk Management, Inc. (ARM) provides drills and actionable resources as well as flyers, videos, and graphics to reach out to others.

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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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Lake Union Conference
7th Bilingual Youth Congress

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MAIN SPEAKER:
PR. ARNALDO CRUZ

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 Project Safe Church website for more information.



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Adventists and the Sojourner Truth Legacy

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