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THIS WEEK

The Communication Team will be out at the North American Division Headquarters for this year's Society of Adventist Communicators from October 12-16. Look for your next Lake Union eHerald on October 20, 2022.

AROUND THE UNION



Academy leadership camp bounces back after two-year hiatus

Ninety-five students from various Lake Union academies gathered at Camp Au Sable from Sept. 29 – Oct. 2, for leadership training and team-building activities. This was the first time meeting since the Covid lockdowns forced a pause in 2020 and 2021.

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Standing up for the Sabbath

Upon hearing about Lusanni Acosta's beliefs, and her determination to do what she knew to be right, Western Michigan University administrators held a special graduation ceremony—just for her.

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Youth summit encourages participants to dig 'deeper roots'

On Sunday, September 11, the Lake Region Youth and Young Adult Leadership Summit was held on the campus of Andrews University. The newly elected Lake Region Conference Youth Ministries team led out for the day of training which comprised of general sessions and breakout meetings.

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With community and church family

You don't have to look too far in most communities to see someone who is unhoused, hungry, or otherwise in need of help. We also are surrounded by people who haven't yet heard of or accepted Christ.

When Mia Erdman, a member of the Madison East Seventh-day Adventist Church, became a new mom and made the decision to stay home with her baby, she wanted to find a way to give back to her community and connect deeper with her church family.

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ADDITIONAL NEWS & INFORMATION

GENERAL CONFERENCE

[Adventists Committed to Reaching Large Tribe in PNG](#)

Volunteers Johnson Dialope and Siro Waida, who have been sponsored for three years with the specific mission of reaching the tribe, have already started to take the gospel to the people of Dome village this year.

[Adventist Church in Central Visayas Convenes to Reinforce the Importance of Adventist Education](#)

More than 300 registered delegates from different church schools all over Central Visayas responded and attended the first-ever CVC-wide Church Education Secretary and School Board Convention, with the theme "Adventist Education for Eternity."

[Researchers Analyze Fossil Remains in Peru and Compare with Biblical Account](#)

Scientists, Adventist Church leaders, and students from all over South America participated in the fourth Meeting of Faith and Science.

NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION

[California Camp Reopens After Wildfire Damage](#)

Leoni Meadows summer camp in California's Sierra Nevada mountains has reopened this summer after a 2021 wildfire caused significant damage.

[Walla Walla University Students Make Top 10 in National Podcast Challenge](#)

Two sophomore students at Walla Walla University finished among the top 10 finalists in the 2022 National Public Radio Student Podcast Challenge.

[Oakwood Adventist Academy Sabbath Accommodation Suit Settled, Written Policy Terms Agreed Upon by High School Athletic Association](#)

On Sept. 27, 2022, the Oakwood Adventist Academy's case against the Alabama High School Athletic Association (AHSSA) was resolved with a promise by AHSAA that moving forward it would reschedule all games that conflict with the Sabbath.

[The 2022 Do It Together Sabbath School Virtual Conference Provides Training](#)

More than 200 attend the three-day event, themed around journeys of hope, grace, and community.

[A DINO-mite Night: Johnson County Jurassic Night Attracts 253 Children](#)

This is the second year the Cleburne Railroaders and Southwestern Adventist

[Historic Autograph Collection on Display in Southern Adventist University's McKee Library](#)

The display is open to the public and includes 75 autographs spread across 24 frames, each of which include historically significant objects. The collection belongs to alum Rahn Shaw (class of 1978), M.D.

EVENTS AND RESOURCES



**AdventHealth Mission Clinic:
Oct 8, 9am - 2pm**

The clinic is free and open to the public and is intended to help those who cannot afford their healthcare. Families and children are welcome! [Learn more.](#)



Looking to plan for retirement?

Join the Adventist Retirement seminar on ZOOM on Thursday, Oct. 20 from 5-8 pm (EST). **This free seminar will feature three tracks:** Financial Wellness, Healthcare (SHARP), and Defined Benefit Pension.

This seminar is for denominational employees participating in the Adventist Retirement Plan.

[To learn more or to register, click here.](#)

 **PURE DESIRE
CONFERENCE**



Pure Desire Conference: Oct 21-22. This two-day conference equips and mobilizes the church to provide hope and freedom from sexual trauma and unwanted sexual behaviors like watching pornography. [Learn more or register today.](#)

Society of Adventist Communicators

Columbia, Maryland
October 13-15, 2022



Society of Adventist Communicators is designed for university students, volunteers and communication professionals to network, learn and experience spiritual renewal. You will hear from experts in the fields of corporate communication, public relations, graphic design, photography, video/audio production, and journalism. Learn more at adventistcommunicator.com

It Is Written will present Grounded from October 19 to 22. Grounded is a revival series focused on leading viewers into a deeper, more meaningful relationship with God. Presented by John Bradshaw, Grounded will broadcast live from



Facebook, and YouTube. Churches and small groups are encouraged to sign up to stream the series. Register and find free promotional materials at grounded.study.



Who: Center for Youth Evangelism
What: Children's Leadership Conference: Garden of Faith
When: October 29, 2022 from 8:30 am - 7 pm
Where: Andrews University Chan Shun Hall
Register: cye.org

NAD Certification Track 2 - Teaching Children (English & Spanish)



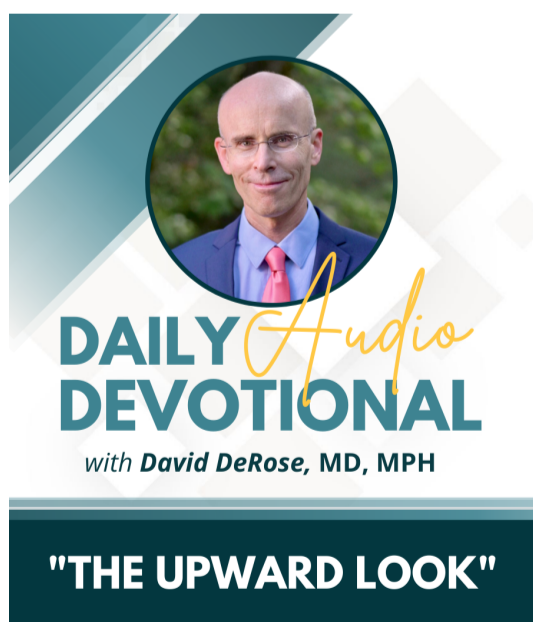
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Join Dr. David DeRose for a daily audio devotional from Ellen G. White's devotional, "The Upward Look."

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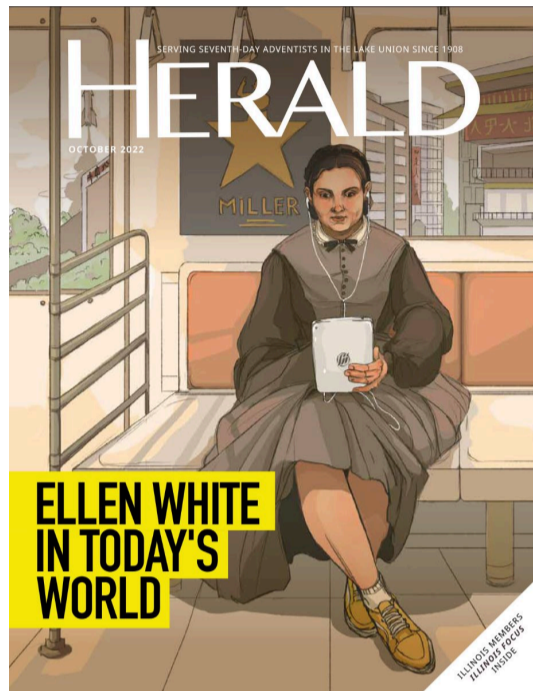
Project Safe Church exists to train leaders to take action in response to the systemic crisis of abuse in the Seventh-day Adventist church. The Project involves training pastors and church leaders to create a visible

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trained practitioners.

Visit the [Project Safe Church website](#) for more information.

What's inside the *Herald*

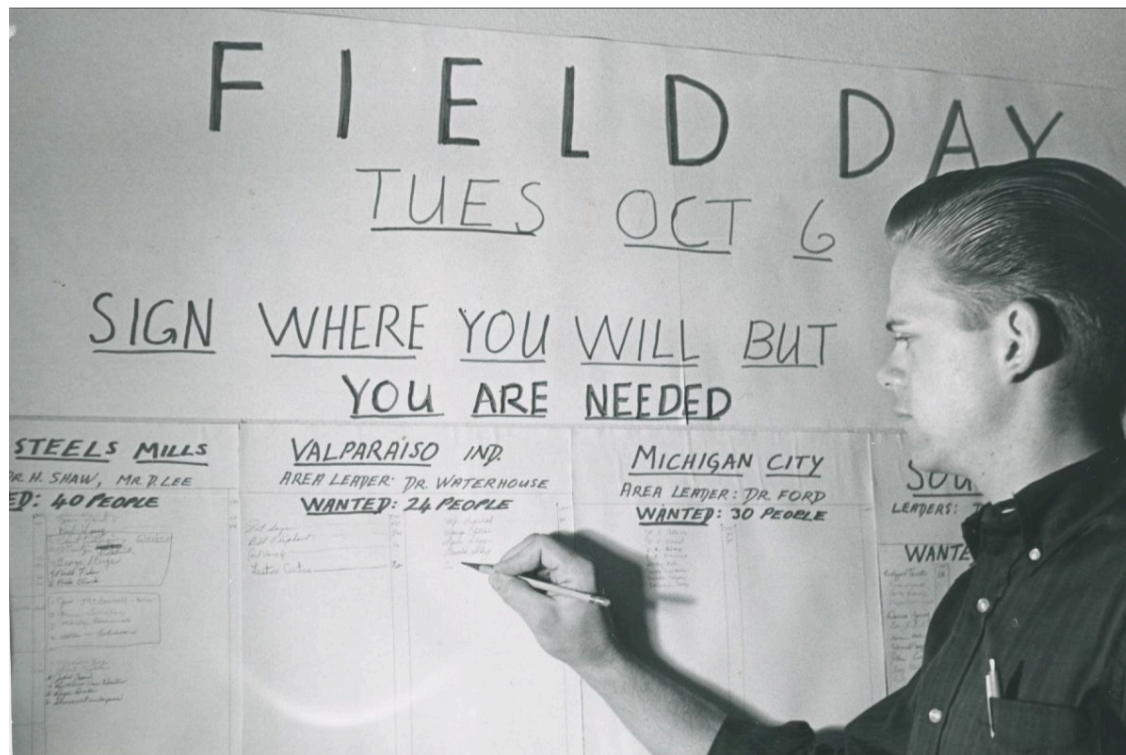


October 2022

Ellen White in today's world is featured in the latest *Herald*.

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This Month in Adventist History



October long served as ingathering season for Seventh-day Adventists in the Lake Union. During the crisp days of early autumn, church members of all ages gathered in bands to travel door to door in their communities, handing out evangelistic literature and collecting canned goods for the needy or monetary donations for ministry. In this photograph from 1964, a student registers to ingather with a band in Valparaiso, Indiana. His other options include Michigan City, South Bend, or the northern Indiana steel mills. In the October 4, 1922 issue of the *Lake Union Herald*, William Guthrie inspired church members to ingather for ministry, saying 'The word of the Lord to us is that one dollar now will be worth as much as ten dollars at some

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