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Indiana Church Feeds Tornado Victims

An F3 tornado struck the small town of Sullivan, Indiana in the dark of night. Over 200 homes were leveled or destroyed in a matter of minutes. Three people lost their lives, and families were devastated. The townsfolk responded with love and a desire to help.

The Lewis Seventh-day Adventist Church and other churches were asked to help the Salvation Army in feeding these people. The Lewis Church fed 300 people. It was a "fish and loaves" experience as only 125 people were expected.

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Southern Illinois School Commemorates 50 Years

Students, faculty, staff and well-wishers marked the 50th anniversary of the Marion Adventist Christian School during a two-day homecoming celebration on April 29–30, 2023.

At the joint program with the Marion Adventist Church, former students, alumni, staff and pastors were recognized. Additionally, the program featured stories about the school's modest beginnings led by members who were supportive of Adventist Christian education.

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Community Needs Ignite Action from Health System

Lack of access to nutritious food has become a growing concern for thousands of residents in DuPage County, Illinois, where an estimated 62,000 individuals are food insecure, according to Feeding America's Map the Meal Gap annual study. The pandemic has only made matters worse, highlighting the need for community support and resources to combat hunger.

Food insecurity, which is a lack of access to sufficient food to live a healthy and active life, can lead to many harmful social and health outcomes. It is often driven by unemployment, poverty, and sudden and unexpected decrease or loss of income.

In response, UChicago Medicine AdventHealth Bolingbrook, located in DuPage County, coordinates a mobile food pantry once a quarter. "People are super appreciative," said Steve Klaus, manager of volunteer services for UChicago Medicine Advent Health Bolingbrook and UChicago Medicine Advent Health GlenOaks. "They really need this and, in some cases, they can't afford to have quality nutritious food for them and their families."

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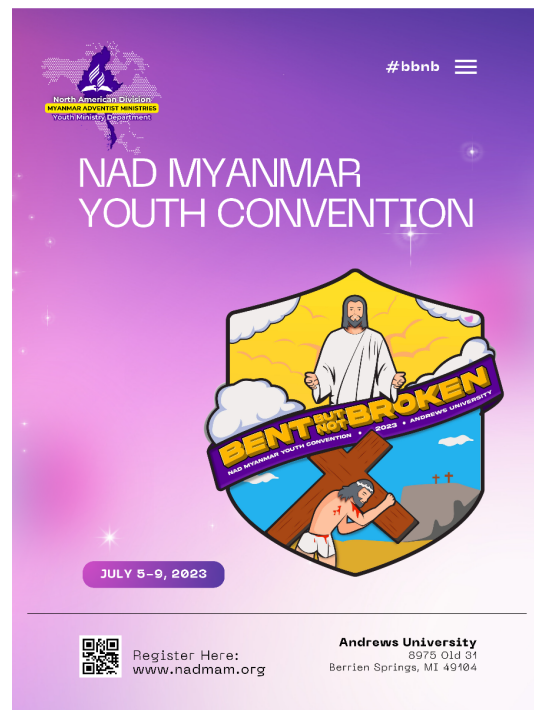
**We are off next week for the July 4th holiday. See you again July 13.
May God bless you.**

IN THE NEWS

[LaSierra graduation speaker Andrea Luxton urges grads to impact others with skills, faith and hope \(Adventist Review\)](#)

[UChicago Medicine AdventHealth named NASCAR Chicago Street Race's official health care partner \(NWI.com\)](#)

EVENTS AND RESOURCES



You are invited to join the NAD Myanmar Youth Convention on July 5-9, 2023.

Where: Andrews University campus at 8975 Old 31, Berrien Springs, MI 49103.

Age 12-17 is \$125.
Adults are \$150.

Register at nadmam.org.



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registration is now open! Join SAC in Springfield, Mass., on Oct. 19-21, as professional communicators attend workshops, meet for worship, and network. They also welcome Adventist college and university students. And after a hiatus, they are planning to bring back the communication awards program and area media tours. Hurry! **The early-bird price of \$349 runs until July 10, 2023.** [CLICK HERE](#) for more info and/or to register.



Who: Adventist Conference on Family Research and Practice
What: Families & Emotional Health
Where: Virtual
When: July 20-22, 2023
Registration: ACFRP.org

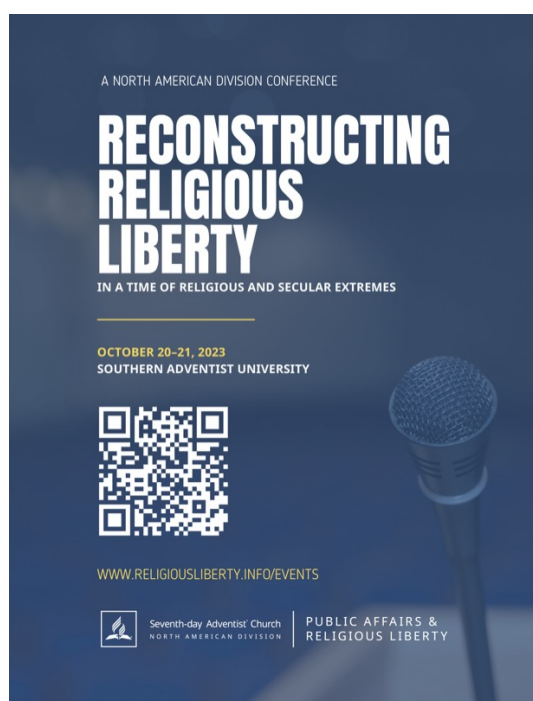
Who should participate? Family Ministries leaders from local churches, conferences, union conferences and divisions, other professionals who work with families, seminary students, graduate students, pastors and lay persons who have an interest in improving their own marriages and families are invited to participate.



CYE invites you to a cruise adventure to Alaska on September 3-10.

Check out the [itinerary](#) and [register](#).

If you have any questions, please send an email to cwm@cye.org.



The NAD Public Affairs and Religious Liberty ministry invites you to "[Reconstructing Religious Liberty in a Time of Religious and Secular Extremes](#)." This two-day event will explore new ways to talk about religious freedom within a culturally and politically polarized America.

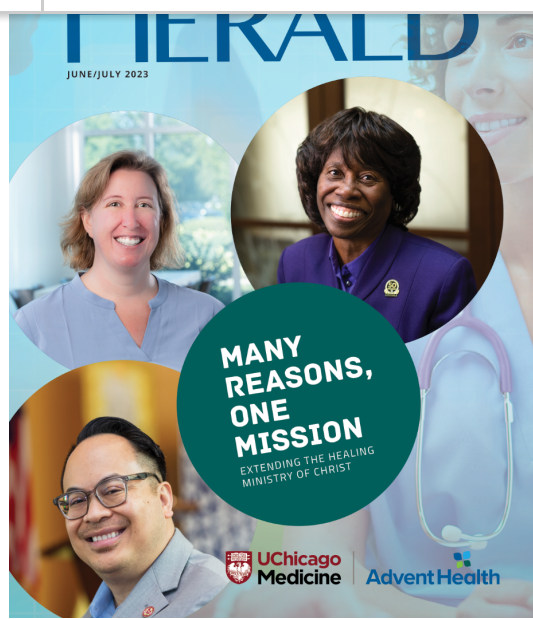
When: October 20-21, 2023
Where: Collegedale Seventh-day Adventist Church

For more information and to register, visit religiousliberty.info/events. **Registration is now open with an Early Bird rate of just \$49.**



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This month's issue features stories from UChicago Medicine AdventHealth.

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Video of the Week



Lake Region Camp Meeting 2023 was incredible as attendees from Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin and beyond came to dig "Deeper Roots In Christ." ❤️🙌
➡️ Take a look at the highlight video from last Friday evening's ordination service.



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