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Lake Union HERALD

AROUND THE UNION



Youth Evangelism Funding Opens Door to Innovative Ways to Share Christ

Youth evangelism throughout Lake Union has flourished as a result of the Lake Union’s bi-annual Youth Evangelism Congress, which provides a dollar-for-dollar match for youth evangelism projects approved by local church boards.

Since the first Youth Evangelism Congress in 2013, a total of 107 Youth Evangelism Congress-funded initiatives have received a total of \$535,871 dollars in total funding including all matching funds.

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Lake Union's Top Ten Web Stories of 2023

As we look back at 2023, we witnessed triumph in every trial as we shared God's stories in the lives of our members. So, get ready for a roller coaster of inspiration as we count down the top ten web stories from Lake Union Herald.

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EVENTS AND OTHER LISTINGS



10 Days of Prayer :: January 10-20, 2024

“He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?”
MICAHAH 6:8, ESV

[Join at Tendaysofprayer.org](http://Tendaysofprayer.org)



SAVE THE DATE!

Lake Union Conference Youth Evangelism Congress
February 16-18, 2024
Chicago
congress@lucyouth.org
www.lucyouth.org

WORSHIP

IN TRANSITION

A forum for scholarly and professional dialogue, the advancement of knowledge, and the promotion of best practices in Christian worship and music.

21st Annual Music & Worship Conference

February 22–24, 2024
Andrews University

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icwm@andrews.edu

Music & Worship Conference
“Worship in Transition” -
February 22-24, 2023

Worship together, be equipped, and connect with others through practical workshops, scholarly presentations, and dynamic worship experiences. Featuring pioneering leader and homiletics expert, Frank Thomas; worship leader and scholar, Constance Cherry, author of the best-selling book, *The Worship Architect*; recording artist, Deah Love; and songwriter, Nicholas Zork. The concert, Blackventist Praise, culminates the event. Learn more at andrews.edu/icwm/conference.

EARLY PIONEERS AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

APRIL 5–6 2024

SPEAKERS

Claudia Allen
Outreach & Communications Manager, Howard County, Maryland

Kevin Burton
Director, Center for Adventist Research, Andrews University

Michael Campbell
NAD Director of Archive, Statistics & Research

Orland Johnson
NAD Director of Public Affairs and Religious Liberty

Dwight Nelson
Retired pastor, Pioneer Memorial Church

ADVENTIST HISTORIC VILLAGE BATTLE CREEK

lakeunionparl.org
Sponsored by Lake Union Public Affairs and Religious Liberty

Early Pioneers and Civic Engagement

This 2-day Union-wide PARL event will look at how our church’s founders viewed the work of civic engagement- how did they see this work as tied to our mission and ministry? And, more importantly it will look at how we can continue to be engaged in the issues of our day.

When: April 5-6, 2024
Where: Adventist Historic Village, Battle Creek
Register: lakeunionparl.org

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January 2024

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