



New Perspectives

Collaboration 3.0

OUR MISSION

To REACH everyone in the North-American Division with the Christ-centered message of Hope and Wholeness.





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- "Hope & Wholeness" Theme
- 'REACH Values'

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- Strategic Plan
- Guam/Micronesia

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- Oakwood University
- PPPA

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'Mission-driven Church'

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- C.R.S.
- Church Planting

OUR PATH 2011 - 16



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New
NAD
Home

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Coordinated mission
approach: NAD Offices and
entities.

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Coordinated
mission-driven
approach:
Unions, Conferences,
Higher Ed, Health Care

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Focus: Churches, Schools &
other Institutions

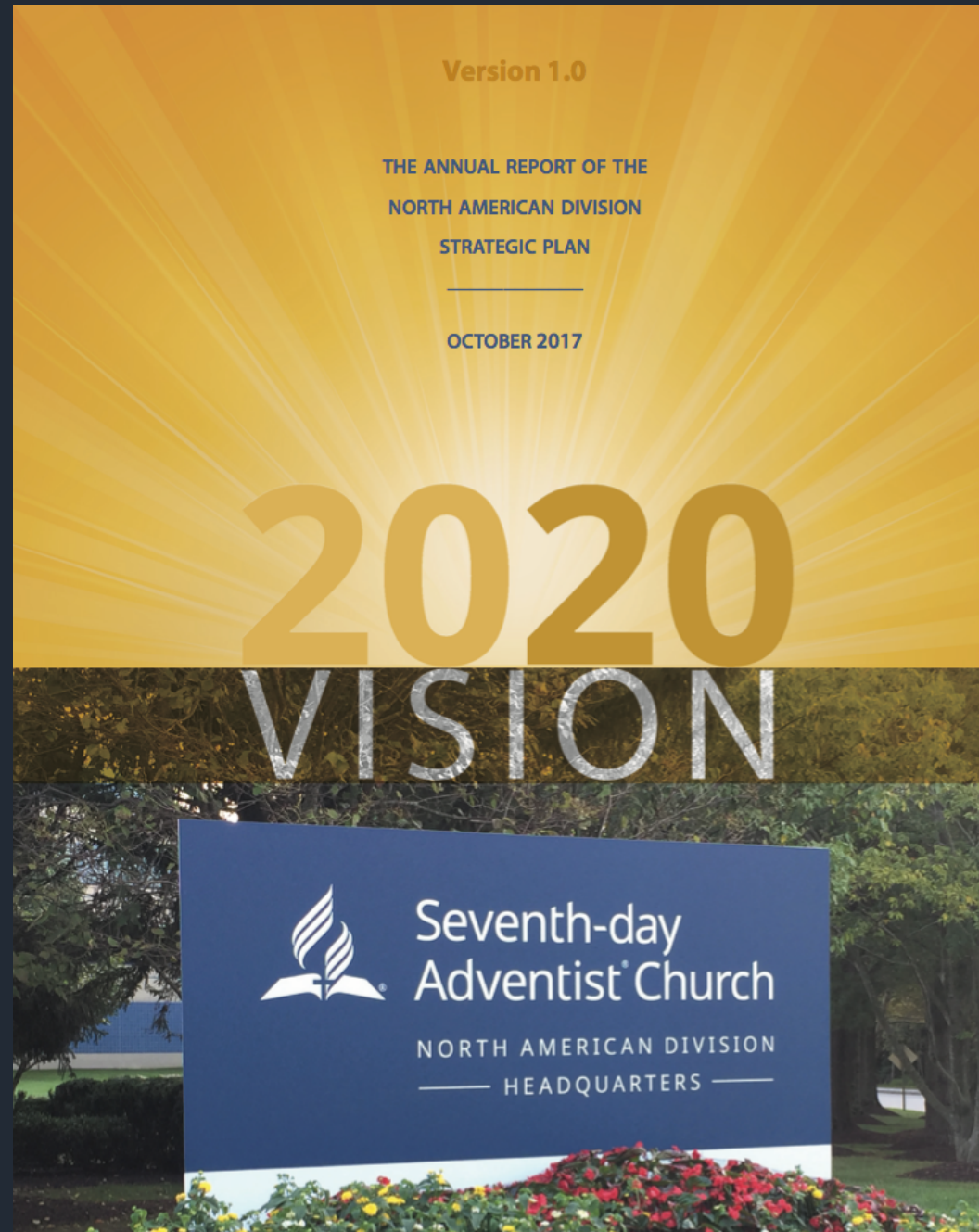
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2020
Visions
Realized

OUR PATH 2017 - 2020

**Three Strategic
Imperatives**
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Offices**
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In Ministry**
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Where do we go from
here?

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Our Strengths

- A GREAT GOD
- Great human resources
- Excellent Facilities
- Active laity
- Able youth
- Generous constituencies





We keep running the race!

“Another said, ‘I will follow you Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home.’ Jesus said to him, ‘No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.’” (Luke 9:61-62)



Our Current Outreach Initiatives

CHURCH PLANTING

OUR GOAL

1000 New Congregations within the next five years.

- 2016 Approx. 250 new congregations at a cost of \$1,000,000.
- To date in 2017 we have processed and/or are processing 130 new congregations.
- One Example of a unique plant: Assisting the Ontario Conference with the Toronto Church for the Blind.



Our Current Outreach Initiatives



EVANGELISM

- \$14.7 million budget investment.
- Thousands of campaigns conducted throughout the NAD in 2016/17
- Evangelist Ron Smith, Alex Bryant, Jose Cortes Jr. "Caravan" (305 baptisms).

Our Current Outreach Initiatives

COMPASSION 10 Million

- Churches across the NAD involved in implementing the ministry of compassion. One example: Church in the Valley
- Houston and Florida Hurricanes. Expenditures of \$1,000,000. NAD, Unions and Conferences working together. 'The World Harvest Outreach Center. S.D.A. Church in South Houston – Major Distribution Center.



Our Current Outreach Initiatives

CENTERS OF INFLUENCE

- GOAL: 50 Centers of Influence by 2021 in collaboration with GC, Unions and Conferences.
- The Urban Center of Influence in Minneapolis, Minnesota ministers to the large Somali refugee community.
- Since August we have approved funding for 3 Life-Hope Centers.



Our Current Outreach Initiatives

EDUCATION

Our Number #1 soul-building and soul-winning outreach in the North American Division is our system of education

- K-12 System that stretches from Bermuda through Guam/Micronesia. \$24,000,000 annual appropriation
- 14 Institutions of Higher Education. Many great stories to tell. Oakwood/AU/La Sierra





THE WORK OF OUR DEPARTMENTAL LEADERSHIP

At the heart of the work of the NAD Office is the outstanding work of our Departments. Our departmental leaders and associates are ***dedicated to the mission of developing and sharing*** materials, training and programs that are designed to be indispensable to the work of Unions, Conferences and Local Congregations. approaches of Nurture, Training and Outreach.

THE IMPACT OF OUR HEALTH SYSTEMS

- We need to recognize, appreciate and value the impact that each of the health systems in the North American Division has upon the work of God in our Cities and Communities. Every day, throughout 4 Health Systems and hundreds of hospitals, nursing homes, care centers and urgent care centers throughout our territory, there is a constant witness - a constant testimony to the healing touch of a gracious God.



Our PROPOSED Initiatives



A) 2020 Strategic Imperatives

- Communication – Adventist Journey
- Youth – Youth Department/Sabbath School
- Leadership – On-going training

Our PROPOSED Initiatives



B) Missional Initiatives

- Transformational Evangelism
- Young Adult Life
- Women in Pastoral Ministry
- Emerging Immigrant Populations
- Stewardship
- Social Media

FULFILLING OUR MISSION

We praise God for the privilege of serving Him in the lands of the North American Division. From Guam to Georgia, from Alaska to Alberta and Alabama. From Bermuda to British Columbia our members in every state, province and protectorate are committing their time, talents and resources to fulfilling the call of God to reach into every community with the message of Hope and Wholeness.

