



News and Information from the North American Division

# **NEWSPOINTS**

October 31, 2019



On Oct. 18-20, experts came to equip the membership of the Manitoba-Saskatchewan Conference in the practical details of running a health ministry. The training course is offered by the NAD Health Ministries Department. This training provided practical tips on how to bring together all the pieces available at the conference and local church level in order to have a power-filled health ministry. MORE



It Is Written, a media evangelism ministry of the Seventh-day Adventist Church, will host a grand opening of its new ministry headquarters in Collegedale, Tenn., on Friday, Nov. 22, from 12 to 3 p.m. The event will feature a dedication, a ribbon cutting, an open house, ministry tours, giveaways, and refreshments. MORE



As NAD vice president for Multilingual Ministries, Tony Anobile works with 15 different language groups — and counting. But he wasn't always in multilingual ministry. In fact, the majority of his time serving the church, almost 34 years, has been in youth ministry. CLICK HERE to read this interview.



The 2019 North American Division Year-End Meeting starts this week, on Oct. 31, and goes through Nov. 5. Watch the morning worships, business sessions, Friday evening program, and Sabbath morning church service from the YEM by clicking here, or on Facebook or YouTube. You can also follow the discussion on Twitter, using #NADYEM19.

# **ADVENTISTS IN THE NEWS**

Keene Adventist Senior Pastor Named Chamber's Citizen of the Year (Texas)

"There's a Need There": Area Doctors Wrap Up Medical Mission to Contested Caucasus Region (Calif.)

Clearwater Seventh-day Adventist Church Dedicated Oct. 12 (B.C.)

Southwestern Adventist University to Host Screening of "The Dig" (Texas)

Local Christian School Goes Door to Door in Fundraising Initiative (Mich.)

U.S. Marine Researches Family Roots in Okinawa Medical Mission Work

<u>Parkview Adventist Academy Governance Transfers from Burman University to Alberta</u> <u>Conference of the Seventh-day Adventist Church</u>

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS & RESOURCES**



The NAD All-Night Prayer Call is Nov. 7-8, from 10 p.m. to 5 a.m. Eastern Time. NAD prayer leaders will serve as "prayer hosts" throughout the night. Let's give thanks; let's share needs; let's pray together! Call 404-891-6338; access code is Prayer# (772937#).



The first NAD Church Planters Bootcamp
West will take place at Pine Springs Ranch,

Calif., from Nov. 7-10. This three-day experience has been created exclusively for church planters, pastors, volunteer lay pastors, church planting core teams, and conference/union leaders currently involved in church planting or planning to plant a church between now and 2020. <u>Click here</u> to register and get more information.

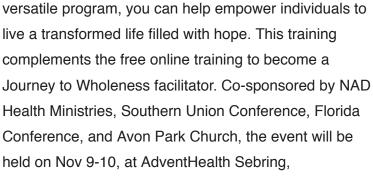


Join young adults and those young at heart Dec. 15-22 for a journey through the Caribbean while serving the local communities. Cruise With A Mission provides young adults from all walks of life opportunities to authentically connect with God and with others in Christian community. Register for the 2019 Cruise With a Mission here.

Addiction Recovery Facilitator Training: help others with their addictions and addictive behaviors by becoming a facilitator for the Journey to Wholeness addiction recovery program. Through this







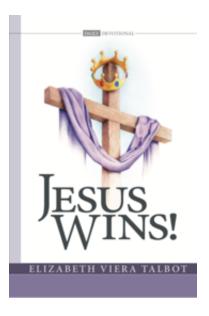
Florida. More info: <a href="https://nadhealth.org/events/">https://nadhealth.org/events/</a>

# NAD Adventist Community Services invites you to join the 4Q Leadership Development program, a series of online courses designed to enhance four distinct aspects of leadership: Academic Leadership Intelligence (IQ), Emotional Intelligence (EQ), Social Intelligence (SQ), and Cultural Intelligence (CQ). Earn continuing education credits, and learn how to serve more effectively in God's redemptive work.



FREE treats for you to share! (No tricks.) When kids knock on your door looking for a treat, include a *real* treat! Hand them a LifeTalk sharing card so they can enjoy adventure and Bible stories for kids on LifeTalk. Order your FREE sharing cards at <a href="LifeTalk.net/sharing-cards">LifeTalk.net/sharing-cards</a>. This year, be ready to share your faith with your Halloween visitors, and at Fall church and community events.

Pacific Press and Jesus 101 Release the 2020
Daily Devotional Book, Jesus Wins! Elizabeth
Talbot, speaker/director for the Jesus 101 Biblical
Institute, has authored the newly released 2020 daily
devotional book for adults entitled Jesus Wins! published
by Pacific Press. Revisit the stories of Jesus and His
followers in this life-changing daily devotional. This book
helps readers to view the circumstances around them
through the lenses of faith, and draws them to the foot of
the cross, to see Jesus more clearly. Available now



## **EVENTS CALENDAR**

# **November**

2 <u>Stewardship Sabbath</u>

2 Offering: Local Church Budget

**2-30** Native Heritage Month

3-9 Week of Prayer

9 <u>Offering:</u> World Budget (Emphasis: Annual Sacrifice Global Mission)

National Philanthropy Day

16 Welcome Home Sabbath

16 Offering: Local Church Budget

23 <u>Offering: Local Conference Advance</u>

30 Offering: Union Designated

#### **November Focus:**

**Prayer** 

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# **ADVENTIST JOURNEY**

Feature: "'Chosen' in Oshkosh" by Kimberly Luste Maran & contributing

authors, pp. 04-09

NAD Update: "'Put a Pin in It" by Mylon



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NAD News Briefs: "Media Centers Collaborate in International Cross-Media Project;" "NAD Honors Promotion of an Adventist Chaplain in the U.S. Air Force," pp. 14

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# **VIEWPOINTS**



**Curtain Maker, Or Light Control Company?** 

<sup>&</sup>quot;If you're in an industry of making curtains, do you want to define yourself as a curtain-

maker; or do you want to define yourself as a light control company where, as the technology moves on, [you're] putting liquid crystals inside glass and having a remote that turns clear glass into dark, opaque class? If you define yourself as just a curtain-maker, you are stuck with just making curtains, and when curtains are not in fashion anymore you're [finished]. It's extremely important to rebrand yourself into something much longer term. . . . Be future-proof."

Daryl Gungadoo, Adventist Review Ministries Media Lab director, during the keynote
 address at the Society of Adventist Communicators convention on Oct. 18, 2019

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