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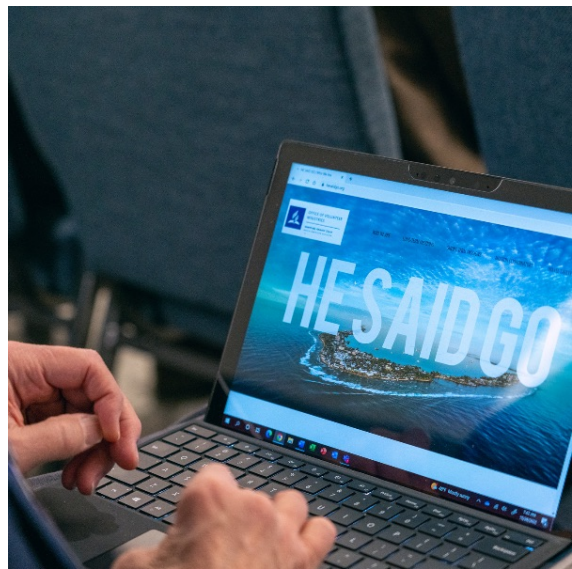
The North American Division's 2022 Year-End Meeting, themed "Together in Mission: I Will Go," opened on Oct. 27 with a song. As NAD administrators G. Alexander Bryant, president, Kyoshin Ahn, secretary, and Randy Robinson, treasurer, sang the chorus for "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus," a proven trick for quieting a crowd, the voices in the room shifted from lively chatter to a harmonious choir. [MORE](#)



"Built for this Moment" — On day one of the 2022 NAD Year-End Meeting, G. Alexander Bryant, NAD president, talked about God moving in the church, and how the Seventh-day Adventist Church was "designed for a mission and a message for the times we are living in." [MORE](#)



"NAD President Tells Church Leaders to Step Out in Faith and Be Bold" — During the NAD Year-End Meeting Sabbath worship service, G. Alexander Bryant tells church leaders that "if you don't have doubters, your vision is not bold enough." [MORE](#)



The North American Division's 2022 Year-End Meeting, themed "Together in Mission: I Will Go," used its second day to receive the executive secretary's report covering the statistics of the church that provide the foundation on which planning can take place. [MORE](#)



On day two of the NAD's Year-End Meeting, executive secretary Kyoshin Ahn and his team built upon president G. Alexander Bryant's opening presentation by casting a vision for disciple-making in North America via the secretariat. [MORE](#)



In 2021, leaders of the NAD voted on three strategic focus areas for the church's mission: multiply, media, and mentorship. These three areas were the theme of the vespers program on Friday night during the NAD's year-end

meetings at the NAD headquarters in
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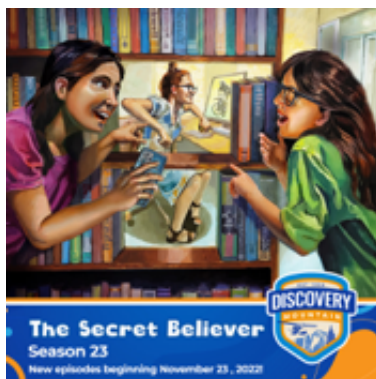
[Adventhealth and Chick-fil-A of Calhoun To Host Free Veterans Lunch \(Ga.\)](#)

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Give donations for Ukraine through AdventistGiving. The NAD has made it possible for you to provide financial support through the website or app. After first clicking on donate and selecting your local church, you can find the "Ukraine" offering button in the listings under the "World" offering tab. The offering category is a clickable field under "More Offering Categories."

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The Promises of God

"What do you do when you have prayed and fasted and things still don't turn out well? Live by faith, don't focus on the bad, and claim the promises of God!"

— *Pierre Omeler, Atlantic Union Conference president, during the Oct. 30, 2022, morning worship at the North American Division Year-End Meeting*

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