

NEWSPOINTS

October 18, 2023



On Tuesday, Oct. 17, AdventHealth for Children opened the SMILE with Stella Tremonti Down

Syndrome Clinic, the medical home for the health system's new lifespan program caring for children and adults with Down syndrome. [MORE](#)



Community members joined Southern Adventist University's Board of Trustees along with

students, employees, alumni, and donors to break ground for the new Ruth McKee School of Business facility on Sept. 29 in Collegedale, Tenn. [MORE](#)



The Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary at Andrews University is launching three new initiatives impacting the Master of Divinity program. With a new concentration, another dual degree and a cohort offered entirely in Spanish, the Seminary is opening even more doors for training opportunities. [MORE](#)



Corría el año 1874 cuando Jaime White, junto a un grupo visionario, decidió fundar la Pacific Press, la segunda casa editora de la Iglesia Adventista. Tenían un objetivo claro y ambicioso: imprimir una revista que hablara de las señales de los tiempos. Lo que no sabían era que estaban a punto de dar inicio a una historia legendaria que trascendería fronteras y tiempos. [MÁS](#)

ADVENTISTS IN THE NEWS

[Benefield: Decades-Old Flag Football Tournament Brings Seventh-Day Adventist Schools From Across U.S. to Tiny Healdsburg Campus \(Calif.\)](#)

[Adventist Health Marks 5 Years With Tulare Hospital Celebration \(Calif.\)](#)

[YK Adventist Church Partners to Offer Fund for Evacuees \(Canada\)](#)

[An Activist Ministry: Pastor Corey Johnson of the Germantown Seventh-Day Adventist \(Pa.\)](#)

[Adventist Health Bakersfield to Host Drive-Thru Flu Shot Clinic \(Calif.\)](#)

ANNOUNCEMENTS & RESOURCES



NAD NewsPoints will not be published next week while our team is involved in

communication advisory meetings and the annual [Society of Adventist Communicators](#) convention. Please feel free to [check out Adventist Journey magazine](#), which includes, in each edition, a video cover story; and list our [NAD news page](#) for new content each week.



On Sunday, Oct. 22, at 7 p.m., [Breath of Life TV](#) is hosting 'Celebration of Hope,' a night of

testimonies, worship and praise! Pastor Debleaire Snell will share a powerful message of hope and Gospel. Recording Artist, Smokie Norful, will minister with songs of encouragement. Recording Artist Stephen Manders and Decree and the renowned First Church Inspirational Choir will also share in song! Join us in person or online for this worship experience at the Oakwood University Church in Huntsville, AL.



enditnow® North America to host free training on Nov. 12-13 on the campus of Andrews

University. This free, in-person training will provide ministry leaders, volunteers, and safety officers with pertinent information on abuse prevention and response. Following this training, attendees will be able to define relational abuse and identify its key elements, identify the prevalence of abuse in the church, recognize the signs and dynamics of an abusive relationship, explain the barriers that prevent victim/survivors from moving toward safety, give examples of preventative strategies for adults and children, and respond appropriately to abuse disclosure. For more information, please email enditnow@nadadventist.org.



Creation Sabbath is coming October 28!

Register your church, download [resources](#) (posters, bulletin inserts, videos, social media graphics, and more) and [promote](#) this special day. This is a global initiative that brings together Christian communities to recognize the wonders of creation and reaffirm our commitment to caring for the environment. In your church service, set aside a few minutes to highlight Creation, present a sermon on the theme of Creator God, or plan meaningful content/activities around the subject. For ideas and resources in other languages, go to CreationSabbath.net.



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available for free on the Jesus 101 mobile app, Apple Podcast, Google Play, and www.Jesus101.tv.

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sellers: *Surprised by Love*, *Radical*

Discipleship, *Revelation: The Fifth Gospel*, and more

titles by Dr. Elizabeth Talbot.



In 2024, Breath of Life Ministries will celebrate 50 Years of Ministry!

In honor of this milestone and rich legacy, Breath of Life will host the 50th Anniversary Legacy Cruise, Sept. 12-23, 2024. This historic cruise not only celebrates our past, but allows attendees to partner with us as we move into the next 50 years, carrying out the great commission of Jesus Christ. We'll follow in the evangelistic footsteps of the apostle Paul, starting in Rome, Italy, and exploring Santorini, Ephesus, Mykonos, and Naples. Act Fast! There are only 200 spots! Click [here](#) to get more information and reserve your cabin as we set sail together in 2024!



Radio Evangelism - If you've ever thought about having your own local radio station now

is the time to act! The FCC has announced a new station application filing window from November 1-8, 2023. This is for low power FM (LPFM) new station construction permits. This is a great opportunity for you, your church or organization to acquire a station license for your community. Once you have a station LifeTalk Radio can provide all the programming 24/7 plus you can include your own local programs anywhere in the daily or weekly broadcast schedule. LifeTalk Radio can provide guidance in your application process and set up. For more information please visit: lifetalk.net.



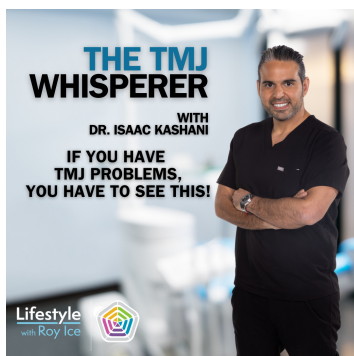
Attention kids and adults: We're looking for a few good volunteer anchors and reporters to

complete our on-camera cadre for the Discovery Mountain Broadcast Pavilion at the International Pathfinder Camporee. Are you the perfect fit to join our team in Gillette, WY the summer of 2024? [Learn more and submit your audition here.](#)



Breath of Life is releasing an audio children's devotional called, Evie's Treehouse!

Lively stories with practical lessons will thrill children of all ages and help them face life's challenges and understand God's love from a Bible-based perspective. [Breath of Life](#) is excited to introduce this new, original content created specifically for children. Stay tuned for the release of Evie's Treehouse!



Did you wake up with an ache or a pain this morning? This week's guest, Dr. Isaac Kashani,

has a heart for the healing process. So much so that he's treated other doctors dealing with their own conditions. Specializing in pain relief, we'll find out how he's learned to treat TMJ/TMD, a debilitating condition, often mistreated. He is joined by his previous patient, Elodia Sosa, who shares her story. [WATCH IT HERE!](#)



Discovery Mountain listeners, did you know that there are even more programs to help you exercise your faith? Join the Discovery Mountain Club and become a Mountaineer! Listen to Jake's Take, Creation Nuggets, Bedtime Bible Stories and more! Learn more [here](#).



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VIEWPOINTS



Offer Hospitality

"Offer hospitality to one another without grumbling. Each one should use whatever gift he

has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms."

— 1 Peter 4:9, 10, NIV

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