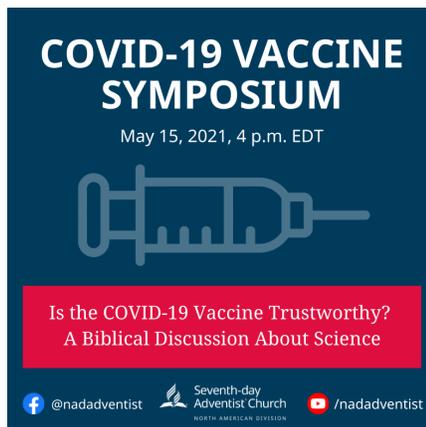
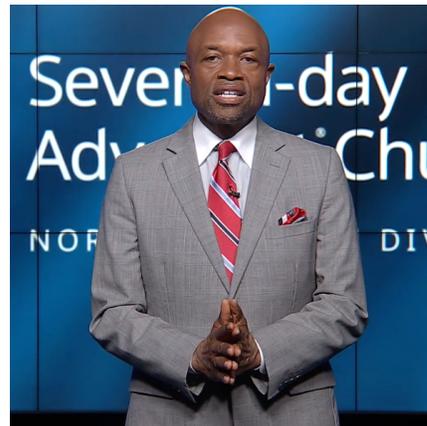


NEWSPOINTS

May 12, 2021



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May is Asian/Pacific Islander Heritage month; we celebrate the rich contributions of our Asian/Pacific Islander brothers and sisters to the North American Division and beyond through a video message of solidarity and support from the NAD president G. Alexander Bryant. [WATCH](#)



ADRA is preparing to airlift critical medical supplies and several oxygen generation systems to ease India's coronavirus health crisis. The humanitarian agency is partnering with the



It started with a mistake. Alicia Gutierrez-Romine, La Sierra University assistant history professor, arrived at the California State Archives in May 2015 to research her

Seventh-day Adventist World Church, including its Health Ministries Department, and Adventist Health International (AHI), to expand relief operations in the South Asian nation. [MORE](#)

dissertation topic, but discovered she did not have the required authorization for certain records. Eventually, though, the professor would end up with a major book deal. [MORE](#)

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[High Schoolers Return to Paradise Adventist Academy Campus Almost Two and a Half Years After Camp Fire \(Calif.\)](#)

[Paradise Adventist Academy Students Get a Day Back on Campus for First Time Since the Camp Fire \(Calif.\)](#)

[Attleboro Seventh-day Adventist Church, with Glomom.org, Sponsors Baby Shower for New and Expectant Mothers \(Mass.\)](#)

[Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine Event May 16 at Collegedale Seventh-day Adventist Church \(Tenn.\)](#)

[Chico Locals Celebrate 100-Year-Old's Birthday on Mother's Day \(Calif.\)](#)

[As Latest COVID Surge Cripples India, D.C. Area Residents Feel Helpless as Loved Ones Die \(Md.\)](#)

[SDA Elementary School Students Learn About Palau's Reef](#)

[Lake Union Conference Vice President Details His Weight Loss Journey](#)

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What is Alzheimer's Disease? What happens to our brains due to plaque buildup? Why are minority groups disproportionately affected? What happens after a diagnosis is made? What is the role of the nurse, Church, and community? Join NAD Health Ministries and AAFCN for this FREE webinar tomorrow, May 13. Contact hours available for Nurses. [Learn more and register.](#)



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Register for the Adventist Virtual Global



Campmeeting! The worldwide event features more than 400 programs/seminars, and 110+ exhibitors. Programming includes keynote presentations from global Adventist church leaders, other seminars on the main stage, and seminars on six different tracks. This camp meeting runs May 19-23. [CLICK HERE](#) to register and check the schedule in your region on our website.



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Jesus 101 has just launched “The Exodus Journey,” a new television series airing on Hope Channel beginning April 2021. In this twelve-part series, special guest Ty Gibson joins Dr. Elizabeth Talbot, Jesus 101 speaker/director. This series, based on the book of Exodus, is about learning to choose trust over anxiety on our way to the Promised Land. For more information visit: www.Jesus101.tv.



Thank You! In a video message, Seventh-day Adventist Church leaders from the General Conference and the North American Division thank members for their faithful support of tithe. They also remind members of the importance of helping to support the Mission Offering, which helps to fund mission work around the world. [WATCH](#) the video.



The Bible Lab Online is back! Roy Ice, speaker/director of Faith For Today, is leading a study on the gospel of Luke titled “The Least, Last and Lost”. Dr. Elizabeth Talbot, speaker/director of Jesus 101, joins the team. Adding her to these discussions increases the fun and depth of discovery as the loving characteristics of God are investigated. These programs are streamed live each Sabbath from 10:30-11:30 a.m. PDT. For information and to join the discussion go to TheBibleLab.com.

Want to "Cruise With a Mission?" From Dec. 12-19, participants depart San Diego, Calif., with stops in Cabo San Lucas, Mazatlan, and Puerto Vallarta, Mexico, before returning back to San Diego. The Center for Youth Evangelism's Cruise With a Mission provides young adults from all walks of life



opportunities to connect with God and others in Christian community — and experience genuine joy as you engage in serving others both on and off the ship. More information can be found at cye.org/cwm.

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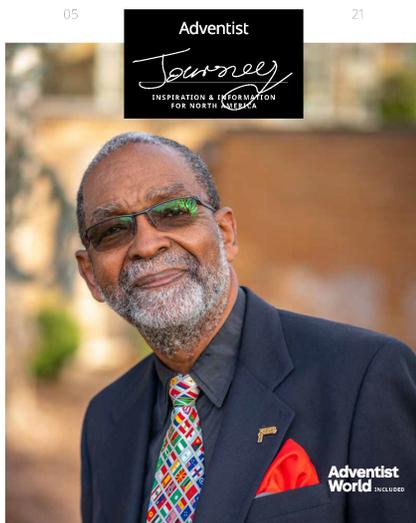
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“Find rest of spirit in the beauty and quietude and peace of nature.”

— Ellen G. White, *The Adventist Home*, p. 131

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