

COME HOLY SPIRIT

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LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear North American Division Executive Committee Members,

I trust this letter finds each of you doing well and placing your complete trust in a very certain God in these very uncertain times. We are living in unprecedented times with a global pandemic, racial injustice, and economic downturn at historic levels. However, God has His hand on His Church and has protected and directed during these troubling times. We thank Him for what He is doing and what He has done. I welcome each of you to this very unusual Year-end Meeting.

We find ourselves making history with our first virtual NAD Year-end Meeting. Who could have imagined? We did not, but God did! He has prepared us for this moment. He has built us for this time, for this season! I marvel at what is happening across this great division. The many virtual outreaches, the evangelistic touches, the thousands of food giveaways, the healing touches of our health systems, and the learning opportunities provided by our educational entities have been simply amazing. We have adapted, been flexible, agile, creative, innovative, and courageous. While we have had to close our churches, we have opened our minds to new innovations and creativity in doing the mission of God! We have had to temporarily suspend in-person teaching yet, we still march on and have been resolute in making sure that “all our children have the opportunity of being taught of the Lord.”

We are asking God to be present with us by Zoom, as we do His work by the means He has provided. It is not what we would have planned for this new quinquennium, but God allowed this, and we look forward to what He will do. We may not be able to shake hands or hug, but we still can encourage each other, vote, share ideas and opinions, and move the work of God forward.

We look forward to our time together over these next few days. Our theme is “Come, Holy Spirit!” Our greatest need is to be filled with God’s Spirit. May God pour out His Spirit on us abundantly.

Blessing to each of you,



G. Alexander Bryant, President
North American Division



NAD OFFICERS

LEFT TO RIGHT:
C. RANDOLPH ROBINSON, TREASURER;
G. ALEXANDER BRYANT, PRESIDENT;
KYOSHIN AHN, SECRETARY

NOTICE

The 2020 North American Division Committee Year-end Meeting is being live streamed on the internet and recorded for internal and archival purposes. Any other recording or transmission is unauthorized.

Kyoshin Ahn,
North American Division Secretary
October 2020

MISSION STATEMENT OF THE NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION

The mission of the **Seventh-day Adventist Church** in North America is: “To reach the North American Division and the world with the distinctive, Christ-centered, Seventh-day Adventist message of hope and wholeness.”

This mission statement is a concise expression of the mission of the Seventh-day Adventist Church, which is: “To make disciples of all people, communicating the everlasting gospel in the context of the three angels’ messages of Revelation 14:6-12, leading them to accept Jesus as their personal Savior and unite with His remnant Church, discipling them to serve Him as Lord and preparing them for His soon return.”

SCHEDULE-AT-A-GLANCE

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29: NAD YEAR-END MEETING BEGINS

2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. **New Member Orientation**
3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. **Business Session:** G. Alexander Bryant/Kyoshin Ahn

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30

7:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. **Vespers:** Kenneth Denslow, Assistant to the President/
José Cortés, Jr., Associate Director, NAD Ministerial Association
Mission in the Pandemic: Evangelism Stories

*SUNSET: 6:09 P.M.

SABBATH, OCTOBER 31

9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. **Sabbath School:** J. Alfred Johnson II, Director, NAD
Adult Ministries
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. **Worship:** G. Alexander Bryant, President
Why Don't We Ask? (Luke 11:13)

*SUNSET: 6:08 P.M.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1

10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. **Prayer Meeting:** James Black, Prayer Coordinator,
North American Division
11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. **Worship:** Bonita Shields, Vice President, North American Division
Bold as a Lion (Acts 4:31)
11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Business Session:** G. Alexander Bryant/Kyoshin Ahn
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. **Spouses' Meeting**
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. **Business Session:** G. Alexander Bryant/Carolyn R. Forrest
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. **Spouses' Meeting**

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2

10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Prayer Meeting: James Black, Prayer Coordinator, North American Division
11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Worship: Roger Hernandez, Director, Ministerial, Southern Union <i>The Jezebel Syndrome</i> (1 Kings 19:1-3)
11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Business Session: G. Alexander Bryant/Kyoshin Ahn
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Business Session: G. Alexander Bryant/Kyoshin Ahn
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Spouses' Meeting

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3

10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Prayer Meeting: James Black, Prayer Coordinator, North American Division
11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Worship: Ivan L. Williams, Sr, Director, Ministerial, North American Division <i>When the Spirit Falls</i> (John 20:19–23)
11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Business Session: G. Alexander Bryant/Kyoshin Ahn
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Business Session: G. Alexander Bryant/Carolyn R. Forrest
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Spouses' Meeting

*Daylight Saving Time on November 1, 2020; clocks turn back at 2:00 a.m.

MEETING SCHEDULE

DATE	MEETING	TIME
Tuesday, October 27, 2020	NAD President's Cabinet	11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
	NAD Union Secretaries' Council	2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
	NAD Treasurer's Council	10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday, October 28, 2020	NAD Officers and Union Presidents	2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
	Nominating Committee	6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Thursday, October 29, 2020	NAD YEAR-END MEETING BEGINS	
	New Member Orientation	2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
	Business Session	3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Friday, October 30, 2020	Vespers	7:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Sabbath October 31, 2020	Sabbath Program	9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Meeting dates/times are subject to change. Please refer to the Daily Schedule for the most current information.

DATE	MEETING	TIME
Sunday, November 1, 2020	Steering Committee	9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
	Worship	11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
	Business Session	11:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
	Spouses' Meeting	11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
	Business Session	2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
	Guam Interview	4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Monday, November 2, 2020	Steering Committee	9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
	Worship	11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
	Business Session	11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
	Spouses' Meeting	2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. .
	Business Session	2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday, November 3, 2020	Steering Committee	9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
	Worship	11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
	Business Session	11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
	Spouses' Meeting	2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. .
	Business Session	2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

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SPOUSES' MEETING SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER 1–NOVEMBER 3 2020

All spouses of the NAD Executive Committee are invited to join the virtual Spouses' Meetings on Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday as designated below.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. **NAD Ministerial Spouses' Meeting**

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. **NAD Ministerial Spouses' Meeting**

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. **NAD Ministerial Spouses' Meeting**

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. **NAD Ministerial Spouses' Meeting**

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MEET THE PRESENTERS



ANGELINE D. BRAUER, DRPH, has served as the Health Ministries Director for the North American Division of Seventh-day Adventists since 2016. She holds a Doctor of Public Health (DrPH) degree in Nutrition from Loma Linda University School of Public Health and a

Master of Health Science (MHS) in Epidemiology from the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health. She previously worked at the Seventh-day Adventist Guam Clinic as wellness director and dietitian, and at Johns Hopkins as a senior research assistant. Her passion is to make nutrition and healthy living practical, understandable, and enjoyable for everyone. She believes that comprehensive health work includes physical, mental, social, and spiritual wellbeing, and that all of us have a vital part to play in ministering hope and wholeness to our communities. She enjoys cooking, reading, doing various crafts, taking long walks, traveling, teaching, and playing with her nephews. She is also happily settling into married life as a newlywed.



DESIREE BRYANT has served in the field of Education for 34 years as classroom teacher, principal, superintendent, associate superintendent, and most recently as project director for NAD Office of Education. Currently, she is serving as Associate Director,

Ministerial Spouses' Leader for the North American Division.



PHILIP RILEY last worked for Discovery Channel and the GC Hope Channel. For the past two years he has worked at the North American Division, where he currently serves as the assistant to the Health Ministries Department. He is married to the former

Anna Oakes and the proud new father of a son named Paul Anderson Riley, as well as a small dog and a big cat. He enjoys garden-fresh tomatoes and produce from his gardens, as well as working on a fixer-upper, which has been a Very. Slow. Process.



EVELYN SULLIVAN, M.ED. is the Director of Early Childhood Education and REACH, for North American Division. "REACH" stands for Reaching to Educate All Children for Heaven, a program that addresses the needs of special children. She spent many years teaching young children

to love to learn. She has combined her passion for teaching and administration to promote the importance of early childhood education.



MIKE TUCKER, is the Speaker Emeritus of Faith For Today Television, and Co-host of *Lifestyle Magazine*. Presenter of seminars: Mad About Marriage; Good Grief; and The Choice. He is the Campus Pastor at Canyon Creek Project,

a new church project in Richardson, TX focused on grace in a tangible way where he and his wife Pam are currently serving.

BUSINESS AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28	THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29	FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30	SABBATH, OCTOBER 31
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	7:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Nominating Committee	New Member Orientation	Vespers	Sabbath School & Divine Worship
	3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.		
	Opening Session		
	President's Report		
	Election		
	Mission Emphasis: Strategic Planning		
	Department Report		

**Business Agenda is subject to change. Please refer to current meeting agendas.*

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1	MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2	TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3
11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Worship: Bonita Shields	Worship: Roger Hernandez	Worship: Ivan Williams
11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
CRS Board Meeting	Pacific Press Constituency	Oakwood University Report
GC President	Treasurer's Report	Department Reports
Ten Days of Prayer Initiative	Department Reports	Mental Health
"I Will Go" Strategy	Supporting Ministries	
Secretary's Report		
Department Report		
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Three Angels' Message	Social Unrest	Sterling Volunteers
GC Representatives	One Humanity and the NAD Addendum	NAD Policy Amendment
GC Session	Department Reports	Church Manual
"Multiply"		Statement of Confidence in the writings of Ellen G. White
Department Reports		Department Reports
4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.		EndItNow
GMM Mission Interview		Consent Agenda

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2020 NAD YEAR-END MEETING

NAD EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS & INVITEES

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Avery Blockman, ACF Public Campus
Student Delegate, University of Tennessee -
Knoxville

Jonathan Wheeler, ACF President.
Stanford University

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President, La Sierra University

Ryan McNulty, Student Association
President, Burman University

Madison Carveth, Student Association
President, Union College

Kyara Samuels, Student Association
President, Andrews University

Filipe Cioni, Student Association President,
Washington Adventist University

Jordain Thompson, Student Association
President, Oakwood University

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Walla Walla University

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David Dennis, President,
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Southern New England Conference

Jerrell Gilkeson, Education Director, Atlantic
Union Conference

Kenneth Manders, President,
Bermuda Conference

Ceasar Gonzalez, Layperson,
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Dwight Hamilton, Layperson, Northeastern
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Mike Hewitt, President,
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Edward Lawaty, Layperson,
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Vince MacIsaac, Pastor,
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William K. Miller, President,
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Maurice Valentine, President,
Lake Union Conference

Vic Van Schaik, President,
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Marc Woodson, President,
Northern California Conference

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Kwasi Ansah-Adu, President,
Quebec Conference

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SDA Church in Canada

Diane Burns, Layperson,
Newfoundland/Labrador Mission

Michael Collins, President,
Manitoba-Saskatchewan Conference

Ken Corkum, President,
Newfoundland/Labrador Mission

Mansfield Edwards, President,
Ontario Conference

Edwin Emerson, Pastor,
Ontario Conference

Hugh French, Layperson,
Alberta Conference

Gary Hodder, President,
Alberta Conference

Mark A. Johnson, President,
SDA Church in Canada

Ngoy Kyala, Pastor,
Quebec Conference

Joan Legair, Layperson,
Quebec Conference

Paul Llewellyn, Secretary,
SDA Church in Canada

Kelly Loxdale, Layperson,
Maritime Conference

Shereen McFarlane, Layperson,
Ontario Conference

David Miller, President,
Maritime Conference

Paul Musafili, Treasurer/CFO,
SDA Church in Canada

Leidamae Muse, Teacher,
Coralwood Adventist Academy

Campbell Page, Ethnic Coordinator,
SDA Church in Canada

Douglas Pereira, Pastor, Manitoba-Saskatchewan Conference

Glyne Thompson, Layperson, Manitoba-Saskatchewan Conference

Alonna Smith, Layperson, British Columbia Conference

Wesley Torres, President, British Columbia Conference

Ida Smith, Pastor, Ontario Conference

Gail Wilton, Teacher, Mamawi Atosketan Native School

SOUTHERN UNION CONFERENCE

Gloria Adi, Teacher, South Atlantic Conference

Lawrence Hamilton, Pastor, South Atlantic Conference

Ernie Boughman, Layperson, Carolina Conference

Edwin Hernandez, President, Adventist University of Health Sciences

Selwyn Carrington, Layperson, Southeastern Conference

Chelsea English, Pastor, Kentucky-Tennessee Conference

Julio Chazzereta, Ethnic Coordinator, Southern Union Conference

Benjamin Jones, Jr., President, South Central Conference

James Davidson, Secretary, Southern Union Conference

Jim Leker, Layperson, Gulf-States Conference

Bryan Danese, President, Gulf-States Conference

Leslie Louis, President, Carolina Conference

David Ferguson, Pastor, Georgia-Cumberland Conference

Allan Machado, President, Florida Conference

Stephen Finney, Pastor, Gulf States Conference

Gregory Mack, President, Southeastern Conference

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Ronald C. Smith, President,
Southern Union Conference

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Shana Taylor, Layperson,
South Atlantic Conference

William Winston, President,
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Texico Conference

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Texas Conference

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Richard Dye, President,
Arkansas-Louisiana Conference

Sherry Fisher, Layperson,
Oklahoma Conference

Gamaliel Gonzalez, Layperson,
Arkansas-Louisiana Conference

Buford Griffith Jr., Secretary,
Southwestern Union Conference

Lily Hernandez, Layperson,
Texas Conference

Larry R. Moore, President,
Southwestern Union Conference

John Page, Treasurer/CFO,
Southwestern Union Conference

Sergio Rodriguez, Pastor,
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Kenneth Shaw, President,
Southwestern Adventist University

Eric Shepperd, Layperson,
Southwest Region Conference

James Shires, President,
Oklahoma Conference

Andrew Spooner, Pastor,
Oklahoma Conference

Calvin Watkins, President,
Southwest Region Conference

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Purpose of the NAD Year-end Meeting

At the Year-end Meeting of the North American Division Committee, members consider budget requests, make appropriations, adopt policies necessary in the operation of the Division, and transact other business as necessary.

Overview of Material Members Received

The e-mail you received contains the agenda for the NAD Year-end Meeting and the backup material for each agenda item where applicable. During the business sessions, the agenda items will be presented via large screen projection. Please note any changes to agenda documents will be distributed in electronic format during the business session.

Importance of Executive Committee Participation

Committee members should not be afraid to speak. When it is appropriate to speak, let the Session Secretary know through the Zoom Chatroom. If you wish to influence a decision, you need to

move that your proposal be adopted. Only then will the chairperson proceed with your motion. It is likely nothing will happen if you simply express your conviction and sit down.

Chairman and Secretaries for Business Sessions

The North American Division President serves as the Chairman of the business sessions. The North American Division Secretary and the Associate Secretaries serve as the Secretary on a rotating basis for the business sessions. Recording secretaries are assigned from Secretariat to record the motions of each session.

Committee Appointments and Functions

The following committees may function during the Year-end Meeting for daily planning: Nominating Committee and Steering Committee.

VIRTUAL MEETING PROTOCOLS

Voting Protocols

Voting is done on Zoom during the meeting. One of the following devices are necessary to vote: Windows, Mac, Linux, iOS, or Android. NOTE: If you are using a phone to attend the Zoom meeting, you will not be able to vote because there are no controls to vote on the phone.

Mute Mics/Phones

Your mics or phones will be muted as soon as you enter the Zoom meeting. You will not be able to unmute until you are unmuted by the host.

Chatroom

The chat room will be turned off during the sessions until directed otherwise by the chair. When the chatroom is opened, please direct your questions to the "Session Secretary."

Zoom Name

Your registered name will appear on Zoom. Please use your First Name and Last Name as your Zoom Display Name using the English alphabet. Individuals attempting to enter the meeting without these required credentials may be delayed or prevented from accessing the meeting. (If you are unsure how to change your Display Name go to: <https://executivecommittee.adventist.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/Changing-Your-Display-Name-in-Zoom.pdf>.)

Cell Phone/Computer Etiquette

Please put your cell phones on silent mode.

GLOSSARY OF MOST FREQUENTLY USED ACRONYMS

AC	Annual Council
ACS	Adventist Community Services
ACM	Adventist Chaplaincy Ministries
ADCOM	Administrative Committee of General Conference
ADMIN	NAD Administrative Committee
AMC	Adventist Media Center
ASTR	Archives, Statistics, and Research
AWR	Adventist World Radio
COMn	Communication Department
CRS	Christian Record Services
GC	General Conference
GCC	General Conference Committee
GCDO	General Conference and Division Officers
GCDOUP	General Conference & Division Officers & Union Presidents GCS General Conference Session
HMn	Health Ministries Department
MINn	Ministerial Department
NAD	North American Division
NADUn&GCO	North American Division, Union & GC Officers
NADCOA	North American Division Committee for Administration
NADCOM	North American Division Committee
NADO	North American Division Officers
NADOUP	North American Division Officers and Union Presidents
NAD&UnPre	NAD President and Union Presidents
NAD&UnSec	NAD Secretary and Union Secretaries
NAD&UnTre	NAD Treasurer and Union Treasurers
PARLn	Public Affairs and Religious Liberty Department
PREn	NAD Presidential
PSI	Philanthropic Service for Institutions
PUBn	Publishing Department
PRev&Dev	Policy Review and Development Committee
SM	Spring Meeting of General Conference
SECn	NAD Secretariat
TREn	NAD Treasury
WHT	Ellen G White Estate Inc.
YE	NAD Year-end Meeting

AGENDA AND MINUTES

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BUSINESS MEETINGS

DATE	CHAIRMAN	SECRETARY	EDITOR	RECORDING SECRETARY
Thursday, Oct. 29				
3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	G. Alexander Bryant	Kyoshin Ahn	Carolyn R Forrest	Sharri Davenport
Sunday, Nov. 1				
11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	G. Alexander Bryant	Kyoshin Ahn	Carolyn R. Forrest	Sharri Davenport
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	G. Alexander Bryant	Carolyn R. Forrest	Carolyn R Forrest	Sharri Davenport
Monday, Nov. 2				
11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	G. Alexander Bryant	Kyoshin Ahn	Sharon Mabena	Sharri Davenport
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	G. Alexander Bryant	Kyoshin Ahn	Carolyn R. Forrest	Sharri Davenport
Tuesday, Nov. 3				
11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	G. Alexander Bryant	Kyoshin Ahn	Carolyn R. Forrest	Sharri Davenport
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	G. Alexander Bryant	Carolyn R. Forrest	Sharon Mabena	Sharri Davenport

AGENDA SUPPORT MATERIAL

EXPLANATION OF CODING AND FORMAT

1. The agenda lists the items of business that are to be considered at the Business Session of the Year-end Meeting. Many of these items were e-mailed to the members in advance of these meetings. Except for a few routine items, almost all have been considered previously at meetings of the North American Division Committee or its standing subcommittees.
2. Many agenda items will be considered first by a standing committee of the Year-end Meeting. Such items are listed on separate pages of your agenda and appropriately designated.
3. The support material will have the titles of the items just as they appear on the agenda. To the right of the title you will find a number which is the item's number in the agenda sequence.
4. Just above the title of the item on the first page of the support material for each item you will find what is known as a reference line. This line identifies the source(s) and traces the history of the item and shows its future routing. The glossary on page 35 will help you discover which organizations and committees have considered a particular item and where it will be considered next. The series of acronyms to the left of the word "to" traces the past history of the item. To the right appear the initials of the North American Division Officer who is responsible for presenting the item. The "N" in the acronym represents the North American Division. Occasionally, its future routing is suggested also.
5. Many of the Policy Agenda items will be voted as a block. However, if there is an item that you would like to discuss then please make the secretary or chair of the business session aware of the item and it will be pulled for individual discussion and vote.

DEVOTIONAL SPEAKERS



MORNING WORSHIP
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2020

**Bonita Joyner Shields, Vice President,
North American Division**

Bonita Joyner Shields has served the North American Division as both associate director and director of the stewardship department, and now as vice president for ministries. Prior to joining the NAD team, Pastor Shields served as a local church pastor, an editor of the *Adventist Review* and *Adventist World* magazines, assistant director of discipleship in the Sabbath school and personal ministries department of the General Conference, and as editor of several Sabbath school publications.

Pastor Shields received her undergraduate degree in theology from Columbia Union College (now known as Washington Adventist University) and her master's in pastoral ministry from Andrews University.

Pastor Shields brings experience in writing, teaching, and preaching in the local church and the world field. She enjoys reading, writing, and taking walks with her husband, Roy, of 36 years. She enjoys racquetball (when she can find a court and a willing partner), performs culinary experiments (some work and some, well, don't), and, along with her sanguine husband, enjoys opening up their home to family and friends to celebrate life together.



MORNING WORSHIP
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2020

Roger Hernandez, Director, Southern Union Conference

Roger Hernandez is a father of four, a husband of one and a pastor to many. He is a third generation Christian Seventh-day Adventist, one of five pastors in his family.

Prolific writer of over 14 books including the *Sharing* book of the year (twice) and the *Discipleship Book of the Year: Everyone Welcome*.

A practical and engaging speaker that has spoken all over the world. His main desire is showing the relevance of Christianity to a world that needs it, especially the young generation. He speaks on leadership, evangelism, accountability and diversity (LEAD). Presently he is the Ministerial and Evangelism Director for the Southern Union. He has an MDiv from Andrews University.



MORNING WORSHIP
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2020

Ivan Williams, Director, North American Division

Ivan L. Williams, Sr. sensed a call from God at the age of thirteen while serving in an evangelistic meeting working as a tent master and singing with a quartet.

After seminary, he had the great privilege to plant a congregation and has had a heart for people since beginning in full-time ministry. Ivan has served as a congregational pastor, military and state capitol chaplain, and conference director. He is passionate about ministry relevance and sustainable ministry beyond personalities.

He's ever grateful for the faithful support of his wife Kathleen and their two adult children, Imani and Ivan, II. Currently, he serves as the director for the Ministerial Association of the North American Division of Seventh-day Adventists.

SABBATH SCHOOL

SABBATH, OCTOBER 31, 2020 | 9:30 A.M. – 10 A.M.

“Sabbath School Is...”

Video Introduction

Greeting and Opening Prayer

Anika Anderson, Administrative Assistant, Adult Ministries Department

Welcome and the Occasion

“Sabbath School Is”

J. Alfred Johnson II, Director, Adult Ministries

“Bible Study and Prayer” Collaboration Cluster

Led by Elder Gerry Lopez, Children’s Ministries Associate Director

“How Churches of Different Sizes Are Using Bible Study and Prayer with Sabbath School”

“Mission: World and Local” Collaboration Cluster

Led by Elder Maitland DiPinto, Hope For Humanity Director

“Mission In The Contexts of COVID 19 and Social Justice”

“Fellowship and Nurture” Collaboration Cluster

“Led by Dr. Pamela Consuegra

“Intergenerational Sabbath School”

Closing Challenge

J. Alfred Johnson II, Director, Adult Ministries

Closing Prayer

Sherri Uhrig, Children’s Ministries Director

DIVINE WORSHIP

SABBATH, OCTOBER 31, 2020 | 10:00 A.M. – 11 A.M.

Prelude

“There Is a Quiet Place”

Take 6

Welcome

Youmi Kim Ahn

Call to Worship

NAD Vice Presidents

Psalm 121:1-8

Invocation

Randy Robinson, Treasurer, North American Division

Introduction

Kyoshin Ahn, Secretary, North American Division

Isaiah 58:13 & 14

Sermonic Meditation

Lloyd Mallory Jr., DMA

“Come Holy Spirit”

Sermon

G. Alexander Bryant, President, North American Division

“Why Don’t We Ask?”

Luke 11:13

Appeal

Anthony Wigham

Benediction

Gordon Pifher, Vice President, North American Division



DIVINE WORSHIP
SABBATH, OCTOBER 31, 2020

Lloyd Mallory, Jr. DMA

A native of Washington, D.C., Lloyd Mallory Jr. currently serves as director of Vocal Choral Activities at Kentucky State University in Frankfort, Kentucky. Over Mallory's career, he has built a reputation for conducting great choirs and training voices within the ensemble.

He formerly served as chairperson and director of the Delaware State University Choir in Delaware; Oakwood University Choir in Alabama; The Lincoln University Choir in Pennsylvania; and Pine Forge Academy Choir in Pine Forge, Pennsylvania.

His training has produced Sunday's Best 2011 winner, Amber Bullock; Los Angeles' rising vocal coach, Steve Mackey; professional singer/background vocalist, Nelson Beato; R & B recording artist/producer, Terrell King; and several opera, classical, and Broadway singers.



DIVINE WORSHIP
SABBATH, OCTOBER 31, 2020

Anthony Whigham

The music ministry of Anthony Whigham began in the mid-1970s when he was a member of the well-known Gospel Dynamics. While attending Oakwood College, he formed a group called, Way Back When. During the summer months, he would travel to work in tent revivals with Evangelist Harold Brewer. It was during these tent efforts when he realized that ministry to God's people through music was his true calling.

His recording career commenced in 1980 when he signed a recording contract with Command Records, out of Los Angeles, California. He later signed with S.O.G Records out of Detroit, Michigan and then formed his own record label, WIOB. During this time, he started traveling the entire United States as well as parts of Central America and Canada in full-time music ministry. The result was the production of six albums and a concert tour that took him around the world.

By the mid-1990s he was recruited by Walter Pearson to be a vocalist for the Breath of Life Telecast. He has worked with major evangelists within the Adventist Church such as C. B. Gentry,

Randolph Stafford, Butch Rice, Calvin Watkins, George Rainey, Emil Peeler, and E.E. Cleveland, to name a few.

Whigham was honored by UCAA as an Oakwood Legend in 2010. His latest CD entitled, Morning, was released in the summer of 2016. Here is what he is most proud of—through God's grace, during his years of music ministry, he has been influential in the baptism of more than 7,000 souls! To God be the glory!

Thank you for allowing us to serve you
at the 2020 NAD Year-end Meeting!

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