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NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION



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Upcoming Events

May 2016



[National Screen Free Week](#)

May 2-8, 2016

[Single Moms & Kids Retreat](#)

June 9-12, 2016

[Family Camp](#)

July 19-23, 2016

[Hispanic Family Camp](#)

September 1-5, 2016

[Family Labor Day Retreat](#)

September 2-5, 2016

[Family Togetherness Week](#)

September 11-18, 2016

[God in Shoes Ministry](#)

September 11-18, 2016

[Forever One](#)

September 16-18, 2016

From our Directors

A Week for the Family

Claudio Consuegra, DMin
Executive Director



When you receive this month's e-newsletter, Pamela and I will have concluded a special family week at the Croydon SDA Church, South of London, England. This is a very large and very active church with a gospel choir recognized as the best in the area.

This churches in London will be having several evangelistic meetings in London in collaboration with 3ABN, so in preparation for the outreach, they invited us to have this week of family emphasis which included nightly meetings, one special evening for the community at a local hotel, and sharing every day's message online. (Read more.)

The church was full to capacity on both Sabbaths and even the overflow fellowship hall was packed. Several people from the community came to the meetings and the church is now continuing to contact them and invite them to other church activities.

[Family Togetherness Sabbath](#)

September 17, 2016

[Marriage Encounter Weekend](#)

November 4-6, 2016

[Hispanic Couples Retreat](#)

November 18-19, 2016



[Conexion 2016](#)

July 1-3, 2016

[HAV Mechanica](#)

August 19-21, 2016

[Men's Ministries Day of Prayer](#)

September 3, 2016

[Men's Ministries Spanish Convention](#)

October 15, 2016

[Men's Ministries Spanish Convention](#)

November 12, 2016



[Single Adult Sabbath](#)

May 21, 2016

[Conexion 2016](#)

July 1-3, 2016

[Camp Hope Fall Singles Retreat](#)

October 21, 2015



This

church has caught the vision that family ministries is evangelism. We hope you will continue to show the pastors in your fields that they too can use family ministries as an outreach tool in their churches and communities.



We are very encouraged to hear what you are doing. Please continue to share pictures and stories we can pass on to everyone else.

Men's Ministries Training-Texas Conference

Congratulations to the Men's Ministries leadership for expanding the list of lay leaders within your conference using the 10-module training program. Below is a snapshot of the attendees who completed the event in March 2016, all of whom are trained to lead Men's Ministries in their local churches.



Claudio Consuegra, DMin
Pamela Consuegra, PhD
Directors



Mission Statement

Our mission of evangelism is to provide resources, training, and networking opportunities for those working to strengthen or rebuild families within the territory of the North American Division.

Vision Statement

Healthy families for eternity.

From our office

We welcome submissions of your conference or union sponsored:

- upcoming events
- photos or videos of recent events
- ministry newsletters

Please email them to
Maria.Gregory-Hernandez@nad.adventist.org.

Singles Retreat

Seaside, Oregon
2016

May 8 - 11,

Dear Friends, we are renting few apartments in Seaside Oregon for our late Spring Get Together. We filled the resort on the beach, however because of more demand, we are now renting rooms in a resort nearby. That cost is now a little bit higher. Please register soon, because that also will sell fast.

We have still opening for sharing rooms at \$145.00 with breakfasts included and private rooms at \$200.00 with breakfasts and also with some meals included for all of us. We will make a trip to Cannon Beach, spend the days by the water, walk, swim, we worship, play games, talk, sing, look at the many galleries and stores, watch movies or just rest. The ladies cook and the gentlemen help. All is a good clean fun for all. Please join us. (Read more.)

Every year this Seaside mini retreat is sold out, please let us know soon at jana0209@gmail.com or phone me at 604.309.4823.

Jana Bislin
ASAM Coordinator
British Columbia Conference

WIN! Comprehensive Health & Family

Wellness Ministry Conference

After so many years we are back into having conferences - This year it is: WIN! Comprehensive Health & Family Wellness Ministry Conference which is May 27- 29 at Andrews University. We would be so pleased if you could attend and encourage others you are working with to join you.- We have prepared materials on the family for them which can be adapted to any presentation on the family- relationships -health. Son Wes Youngberg, author of Goodbye Diabetes and Hello Healthy, presents topics on Individuals "Preventing and Reversing Diseases, Heart Disease & Alzheimer's the Natural Way". Includes training and equipping Health & Family Educators , Mothers, Fathers, students, elders, minister and anyone who desires to learn and serve others. (Read more.)

John and I decided that it was necessary to add health to family in our ministry since one affects the other. For many years we have been ministering globally using our WIN! Homes of Hope & Health books and PPT presentations in small groups, care groups, telephone conference groups etc.

Our books and WIN! DVDs have been translated into about 30 languages - mostly in the Southern Asia-Pacific Division where all departments worked together using our materials with their IEL Model- Integrated Evangelism Model and have baptized thousand including Muslims. Also in Columbia last year where they had hundreds of small groups using the Homes of Hope and Health Book and PPT presentations prepared friends and relatives for evangelistic meetings - there were 14,400 who were baptized.

God impressed us recently to have a WIN! Comprehensive Health & Family Wellness Ministry Conference May 27-30 this year.

Just wanted to let you know about this conference that includes family health and family relationships chapters in books and PPT presentations. We would be so pleased if you could add our www.winwellness.org with <http://www.winwellness.org>

information on the conference and our ministry to your email list or website. The WIN! Conference Brochure is below. front and back. Please feel free to send to anyone who is interested in improving their health and then sharing it with others as an "Entering Wedge" to heart and home.

Description:

The goal of this conference is to teach people to LIVE-live longer, healthier, happier, and holier! This conference lasts from Friday May 27 at 6:30 until Monday May 30 at 12:30. It focuses on the underlining philosophy and principles of Health and Family based on a Synergistic Ministry of Healing Model. The instruction is research based and Gospel oriented. It is aimed at a personal evaluation of the trainee's lifestyle, motivating her/him to reach his/her genetic potential, and then after applying this in the personal life, to use dynamic methods in reaching out to churches and the community sharing with others the 21 vibrant lifestyle factors integrating the mental-spiritual, physical, and relational dimensions.

Sabbath pm, May 28, there will be a special 3 3/4 hr seminar entitled Sharing Jesus based on the new book Jesus-Who is He? There will be special emphasis on the Great Healer, the Victory Given, the One who mingled with those He met and restored family relationships as no one else in history has done. Training provides an opportunity to learn how to share Jesus in many ways and experience the value of learning about Jesus in a group setting.

Register PlusLine 800.732.758- check our www.winwellness.org. Wish that you could come as well as others that you are working with. If you have any questions contact me: Millie Youngberg youngbergm@gmail.com 269.471.1688

Dr. John & Millie Youngberg

Front Desk ...

New Resources:

The *Help! I'm a Parent* series has just launched a new

devotional for parents with children with different abilities. Author Kristin Breiner, guides the reader through the highs and lows of this special calling. Click [here](#) to purchase your copy from AdventSource.

Bienvenido a la Familia (Welcome to the Family in Spanish) is now available in Spanish. It will help you integrate newly baptized members into the local congregation. It involves inviting the entire church, including new members, to attend one program per week over a period of six weeks. These sessions will work like glue to bond people to the church. You can purchase your copy from www.AdventSource.org.

2016 Awareness Dates

May 21 - Single Adult Sabbath

September 3 - Men's Day of Prayer

September 11-17 - Family Togetherness Week

September 17 - Family Togetherness Sabbath

Save the Date!



**NAD ADVENTIST MINISTRIES CONVENTION
JANUARY 8-11, 2017**

Resources

[Help! I'm a Parent: Parenting Kids with Different Abilities](#)

[Biblical Research Institute Newsletter](#)

[Welcome to the Family](#)

[New Books for Juniors](#)

[Porn Doesn't have to be the Norm](#)

Help! I'm a Parent Kit

[English](#) | [Spanish](#)

[Help! I'm a Parent](#)

Devotional

A Follower of Jesus - Discipleship Guide

[English](#) | [Spanish](#)

Making Jesus My Best Friend - Baptismal Guide

[English](#) | [Spanish](#)

[Family](#), [ASAM](#), and [Men's Ministries](#) training programs.

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