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Welcome...
To the ACF TODAY campus ministry eletter sponsored by the North American Division Youth and Young Adult department. Please send campus ministry news, events, resources and ideas to ACFTODAY. You can also download ACFT for a pdf version of this document.

Word On Campus

"Be A River": Is there a river running through your campus? We have a small dried up stream running through the UC Berkeley campus that most of the time is an empty gulch. When I was chaplain at the university of Tennessee in Knoxville, the campus was bordered on the South side by the Tennessee River. I have great memories of "Booms-day" an annual event over Labor Day weekend that marked this special holiday with a huge fireworks display off the Henley Street bridge over the Tennessee River.

Rivers are important to a community and even to a campus when the campus is fortunate enough to be located nearby. The prophet Ezekiel saw the formation of what would become a great river so deep and wide that at its zenith was too great to cross (Ezekiel 47). This river began with a small seepage of water trickling out from under the threshold of the temple and made it's way eastward around the South side of the altar out the courtyard and finally turning south toward the Dead Sea. It became increasingly deeper and wider as it gurgled on its way and brought new life to everything in its path. By the time it reached the Dead Sea, a place of death was surging with life.

Due to space and time - I want to suggest that the river that Ezekiel was shown by his heavenly messenger was the only brand new element in the restored temple of Ezekiel's vision. The river was an image of new life flowing...
from within the temple increasing in volume as it passed the altar and filling the land with new life and hope. This river is the message and ministry of Jesus - His victorious life, death and resurrection - continuing on in the ministry of the Holy Spirit. This "river" flows on through the witness of the church illustrated in the book of Acts.

As I think more about this river - it is such a fitting illustration of the unique mission of campus ministry. The river is a liquid flow of grace in the witness of students who are living their faith in the very midst of a sometimes hostile environment. Still, as any river this witness brings life where there is often a presence of death or in the case of a college campus - doubt to a vibrant life of faith. The messenger very pointedly asked Ezekiel, "Son of Man, do you see this (river)?" This is also a very appropriate question for us. Do we see this river? Ezekiel is invited to actually swim in the river when it is too great to cross. Are we swimming in the river of God's salvation? Even more important - are we adding to the river in our campus witness? The Word On Campus is joining a river of salvation life on our campus and in our community. Be A River!"

News & Events

1. **Connect 2013, What's Your Story? March 1-3**: Connect is a campus ministry conference hosted by the Georgia Cumberland Conference of Seventh-day Adventist's campus ministry department. Featured speaker is Angelo Grasso, chaplain and director of campus ministries for Boston area ACF. The weekend is a time of fellowship, worship and discipleship. Cohutta Springs Camp is a new location for this annual event. For more information go to: [Connect](#).

2. **10th Annual Music and Worship Conference, Andrews University, March 7-9**: All Registration is now open for the tenth annual Andrews University Music and Worship Conference. This year's theme is "Singing in a strange land: worship, culture and justice." Presenters will discuss biblically rooted principles for incarnational worship ministry that glorifies God, transforms worshippers, and changes the world. The conference will feature a variety of outstanding presenters. Notable guest presenters include Dr. Pedrito Maynard-Reid - Assistant to the president at Walla Walla University for Diversity and Professor of Biblical Studies and Missiology in the school of Theology; Committed - vocal recording artists and winners of NBS's a capella competition, The Sing Off, and accomplished worship leader, songwriter and Hillsong recording artist, Tanya Richards. For more info and how to register got to: [Worship Conference](#).

3. **ACF Campus Ministry Advisory, March 10, 9 am - 1 pm, Lincoln Nebraska**: All those involved with or who have a passion for ministry to students attending non-Adventist college and university campuses in the North American Division - including campus ministry staff, student leaders, local church support and pastors are encouraged and invited to join us in Lincoln Nebraska for the annual [ACF/NAD Campus Ministry Advisory](#). This year's meeting will be held in conjunction with the North American Division Youth/Pathfinders/Adventurers, Camp leadership (YPAC) advisory meetings in the Ortner Center on the campus of Union College, Lincoln, Nebraska. Please see room assignment at the Ortner Center.

4. **Compassion Annual Rally, New York City, March 22-24**: Join 5,000 to 7,000 Adventist Young Adults, College and University Students, Youth, and their friends and bless the City of New York with intentional acts of Compassion during the weekend of March 22-24, 2013. During the Compassion Rally you will be able to reach out through many different projects to those in need in the Capital of the World and the Super Storm Sandy affected areas. Young Adults and Youth from New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Vermont, Bermuda, as well as several other states and countries of the world will participate together in the projects. There will be at least one young adult from each Division of the World Adventist Church present to reach out to the big city. Become part of the Compassion Movements, which calls for Adventist Youth and Young Adults in the northeast of the United States and the islands of...
Bermuda to live a 24/7, 365 days, lifestyle with the priorities of Jesus, because Actions speak louder than words. For more information go to: Compassion

5. **7 Days Of Miracles, March 23-30:** The North American Division announces a great initiative as a way to commemorate Easter, 2013 with the 7 days of miracles campaign. Every church member and that includes college students are encouraged to dedicate each day of the week leading up to Easter as a day of community outreach and prayer for those with special needs to celebrate the hope we all have in Jesus resurrection. To read more about the 7 Day Of Miracles campaign and how to participate in your church or campus go to: Miracles

6. **2013 SONscreen Film Festival, April 4-6:** Seeing how popular and productive film festivals are in showcasing great works, the Seventh-day Adventist Church in North America has developed a similar concept. The SONscreen Film Festival is the annual gathering for people of all ages who have a passion for using film and video for the purpose of creating timely and relevant productions for social awareness, outreach, and uplifting creative entertainment. Since its debut in October, 2002, the Festival has become the destination for established and up-and-coming Christian filmmakers to share their creative work, gain exposure, and network with other media and film professionals. On April 4-6, film producers will convene at the Adventist Media Center for the SONscreen Film Festival. Themed "Chronicles: Stories that speak truth and change lives." The Festival will feature Actor/Producer David A.R. White and special film screenings of The Record Keeper and Hell and Mr. Fudge. It will conclude with an awards banquet honoring the best in various categories such as drama, comedy, animation, documentary, and public service announcement as well as the newly added ministry-related categories for family, youth, community services and health issues. The deadline for film submissions is March 10 and March 17. For more information about registration and submission requirements please visit: SONscreen.

7. **InSpire 2013: (April 27, 28)** InSpire is a web community where Seventh-day Adventist members gifted in and passionate about the creative arts can share their ideas and creations in a collaborative way. Songwriting, drawing, painting, photography, sculpture, poetry and more can be used in powerful ways to convey God’s message of hope and healing to our churches and surrounding cultural environments. This website, by Pacific Union Conference Church Support Services, represents an intentional effort to stimulate dialog and creative engagement in mission among Adventist artists. Visit InSpire.

8. **ACF INSTITUTE 2013, June 21 - 30, Orlando, Florida:** If you are a campus ministry leader or would like training on how to start a ministry on your campus ACF INSTITUTE has been especially designed for you. ACF INSTITUTE features seasoned campus ministry professionals like Chaplain Michaela Lawrence Jeffrey, Director of campus ministries for the Georgia Cumberland Conference, Chaplain Angelo Grasso, newly appointed campus minister at the University of Florida, Gainesville campus, Dr Subodh Pandit, Christian apologist and Ron Pickell, ACF Coordinator for campus ministries, North American Division. For more information go to ACF INSTITUTE

9. **Growing Leaders National Leadership Forum 2013:** June 23 & 24, Atlanta, GA. Join us for two days in June where we will share innovative ideas for engaging students and getting results. This forum is for campus leaders, educators, employers, youth directors, managers and pastors - any decision-maker in organizations working with young people. For more info go to: Leaders.

10. **Collegiate Project Mission Trip:** July 3-16, Join service oriented young adults for a mission trip to the Dominican Republic, July 3-16, 2013. This is a project led by
colleges and designed especially for college and university students, ages 18-24. Service coordinators will include construction, children's ministry, and community outreach. For more info go to: Maranatha. (Sponsored by Maranatha Volunteers International).

11. **2013 ECHO Conference**: July 24-26, Dallas, TX. For those new to the Echo Conference - Echo is a three-day gathering of artists, geeks and storytellers serving the church. Join Echo participants for inspiration, education, connection and worship. More info: ECHO

12. **Impact South Africa, July 1-13, 2013, Pretoria, South Africa**: Impact South Africa is sponsored by the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventist's Youth/Young Adult Department as a world conference on youth and community services (WCYCS). (July 1-5) will focus on community service projects and Youth Congress to follow (July 8-13). Join us in South Africa bringing together world leaders of the Seventh-day Adventist church to focus on community service needs and harnessing the resources of our youth. For more information go to: Impact South Africa.

13. **Campus Catalyst - Australia, August 9-25**: Along with the planned 2013 ACF INSTITUTE Campus Ministry training here in the NAD, the first Campus Catalyst weekend training will be held in Australia August 9-25. Campus Catalyst is designed as an introduction to ministry on non-Adventist college and university campuses to orient college student leaders, campus ministry staff and local churches in launching and developing ministries for their campuses. The dates and location for this broad sweep of campus ministry orientation will include: Weekend 1 (9-11) University of Queensland, Brisbane; Weekend 2 (16-19) Murdoch University, Perth, Weekend 3 (23 - 25) UTS/UNSW, Sydney. There will also be some interaction with students and campus leaders respectively during the week between the weekend sites in New Castle and Melbourne. For more information about hosting a Campus Catalyst weekend introduction to campus ministry for your area go to: Campus Catalyst.

14. **Young Adult Project, August 1-12**: Will be This mission trip opportunity is designed for the ages of 18-35 and will focus on construction, community service, new connections, and spiritual opportunities. Join this energetic group August 1-12, 2013 in the Dominican Republic. For more info go to: Maranatha. (Sponsored by Maranatha Volunteers International)

15. **Cruise With A Mission 2013**: Will be traveling to Alaska September 15-22, 2013. For more Info go to: CRUISE

**Resources**

1. **Special GYC Edition Of The Adventist Review**: For some great news and information on Adventist young adults and ministry by and for young adults check out the special GYC edition of the Adventist Review by going to: AR/GYC
2. **"The Great Hope"**: This abridged copy of the loner "Great Controversy" may be a good resource give away on campus. This small book directs people to a real and living hope in God for end times. To order copies for distribution go to: Great Hope
3. **The Church Is Only A Means To An End**: Check out a great article by Rich Dubose on the place of the church in our lives. I share this article with you for two reasons. First because I know that our relationship with the church is often in question during the young adult phase in life. Secondly, because I think it is important to keep the priority of the church in proper balance as we share our
witness on campus. Church is good - but even more important is our personal relationship with God. Check out Rich's article on the Adventist Best Practices Face Book page at: Church and share your own comments about the place of the church in your life.

4. **Figuring Out What To Do With Your Life**: Graduation is the goal we are all working for in college, but it can also be one of the scariest times in our life when we are not sure of the next step. Check out these helpful suggestions by Shannon J. Harmon in the October issue of Relevant magazine on sorting through the challenges of finding your professional purpose in - and beyond college. Check it out at: LIFE

5. **Books & Culture**: Check out Christianity Today's online book review covering topics pertaining to Christ and culture addressing many areas and disciplines in academia engaging students today. Go to: Books & Culture.

6. **The Marks Of A True Leader**: Check out Relevant Magazine's recent issue on "The Marks Of A True Leader" to see how God can use us on campus and in the lives of others. Check it out at: Relevant

7. **Two Great Campus Ministry Resources On Christian Apologetics**: Check out two new books prepared especially for students and campus workers on non-Adventist college campuses to answer some of the difficult questions students run into on a secular campus. *Always Prepared* provides answers concerning basic doctrinal questions while *Understanding Creation* deals with the tough questions concerning faith and science. Contributing Adventist scholars from the sciences, theology and philosophy and edited by Dr. Humberto Rasi, Dr. Nancy J. Vymeister and Dr. James Gibson. Call Pacific Press @ (800) 447-7377 to order a copy of these new and great campus ministry resources.

8. **Templeton Science And Religion Series**: Includes a series of nine short books concerning the sciences, humanities and religion. These books were commissioned to open intellectual doors and create discussion for readers of all backgrounds concerning the discussion of science and faith. Each expert begins with a background of their field of study with a view to the religious dimension returning to a wide variety of critical viewpoints. To learn more about these valuable resources discussing the integration of science and faith go to: Templeton.

9. **ACFLINK.ORG WEB SITE**: ACFLINK.ORG is the best way for staying connected with Adventist ministry on non-Adventist college and university campuses. Another great connecting point is: ACF on Facebook at ACF North America.

10. **ACF/NAD BLOG**: Check out ACF/NAD Campus Ministry Blog for continuous campus ministry news and information. Check us out and follow us at: ACF BLOG

11. **Campus Ministry Quick Start Guide**: Check out the new Quick Start Guide for campus ministry at AdventSource. Quick Start guides are now downloadable from the ARC Campus Ministry Resources Web Site by going to: ARC

12. **CRAVE Campus Outreach**: CRAVE is a great approach to campus evangelism being pioneered by Jeff Tatarchuk (SECC Youth Conference Evangelist) and Marquis Johns (Youth Pastor, NY) utilizing very traditional evangelistic methods with a non-traditional message of setting up a tent on campus and preaching to students about their deepest cravings and our cravings can lead us to God, the only one who can fill our deepest needs. This traditional approach with a new relevant message has had huge success uniting campus ministry groups and introducing students to the message of Christ and his saving love. We are very excited about the prospects for CRAVE and are even now working on pre campus evangelism package and follow up materials that will introduce students to small group Bible studies and a Christian community on campus. To see more check out the CRAVE TOUR Video of Cal State San Marcos from fall of 2011: CRAVE

13. **SSRC Guide: Religious Engagement Among American Undergraduates**: Recent studies of college students' attitude toward religion suggest that the academy is no longer the bastion of secularism it was once assumed to be. These studies further reveal that the spiritual landscape on today's
college campuses is virtually unrecognizable from what we have seen in the past. To help make sense of these changes, the SSRC offers this online guide derived from a series of essays commissioned from leading authorities in the field of higher education. Go to [SSRC GUIDE](#) to read more.

14. **Creation/Evolution Debate in Public Schools**: Check out [The Revisiononaries](#) a documentary on state standards of education concerning the creation/evolution debate in the Texas school system. Go to [The Revisiononaries](#) for a view of the movie trailer.

15. **What Is A Mystic?**: "Mystics" and "Mysticism" are words that Adventist's tend to avoid. But, not so fast says author Eric Anderson. Check out his thought provoking and illuminating article on Christian Mysticism and companionship with Christ in the Adventist Review. Got to: [Union With Christ](#)

16. **Dream Church**: Looking for the dream church where you can belong and plug into? Check out Dr. Joe Kidder's great article on a Jesus Centered life that leads to a dream church community. To read more go to: [Dream Church](#)

17. **Attention College Age Young Adults**, if you are ready to take a break from the classroom, without interrupting the process of preparing for life as a responsible adult, join [Traverse](#) for a summer adventure or a full gap year experience. Warning: You will be exposed to ADVENTURE • TRAVEL • SERVICE • FAITH! Learn more at [traverse](#)

18. **Sticky Faith**: Check Following high school seniors into their first three years of college to gain an understanding of the transition from high school to college, authors, Kara E. Powell and Brad M. Griffin found the answers to what youth workers can do to help students develop a lasting faith in God. For more info go to: [Sticky Faith](#)

19. **"Living It" Public High School Ministry**: Check out the new web-based [Discipleship Resource Center for public high school ministry](#) at [Living It](#). Here you can find resources for: visiting high school students in their world--including on campus, nurturing your personal spirituality, sharing devotional experiences, creating outreach ideas, along with resources for dealing with teenage at-risk behaviors. The site also features video testimonies from high school students and leaders about how they have been used by God to reach their world. You can also download the latest issue of the Living It bi-monthly newsletter by going to: [LINL](#) or join the group on Facebook at: "[Living It FB](#)" Best of all you might win a new mini iPad by taking the survey on the Living It web site. Go to: [SURVEY](#)

20. **A Place For Christian Refugees**: In a recent issue of Neue Magazine, blogger Jared Byas talks about the new Christian wrestling with so many questions from a skeptical culture that a place is needed for people to air their doubts and talk about living their faith amid competing values. This raises the question if our churches and campus groups are safe places for students to raise questions about living for Jesus on or off campus? For more info check out [Refugee](#)

21. **Unfiltered**: In a The first-ever magazine designed to help young adults thrive in life ... outside the church walls. Real stories by real youth workers on topics including - Your heart, Your family, Your money, Your soul. Apps available for iPad, iPhone, and Android. For more info go to: [Unfiltered](#)

22. **Veritas Forum; The Veritas Rif Podcast** continues to provide relevant, insightful commentary on today's most pressing issues. Check out one of the latest in the series of campus talks on "Why Health Care Reform Needs Spiritual Reform" by Dr. Ray Barfield of Duke University. Check it out at [Veritas](#)

23. **Does Our Faith Make A Difference?** For a great article on the influence we can have in life and over others check out this great article on [Yes You Can Make A Difference](#) by Reindeer Bruinsma. The encouragement he shares will encourage us in living our faith on campus as in all of life. Check out: [Difference](#)

24. **Christian University Classes On Line**: Check out classes and course work for Christian beliefs at [Christian University](#). Christian UniversityGlobalNet is a fully online Christian university, enabling to work at your own pace and from your own home, church, office or any other location equipped with internet access! Our
courses are also fully available on Web-based smart phones and other mobile devices, making CUGN an educational institution with a curriculum that is fully mobile-compatible. We currently offer three online academic programs: certificate in Bible (16 credits), Diploma in Biblical Studies (36 credits), Master Of Arts In Religion Degree (60 credits). Next term begins April 11. First on line class is free!

25. **Can We Talk?** is a helpful article on conversation ideas between Christian’s and Atheist’s. Check it out at: Talk

26. **Book Review:** *The Atheist's Guide To Reality* by Alex Rosenberg is another among the recent books that have come out in support of Atheism as the only intellectually honest approach to reality since life is nothing more than a random coming together of subatomic particles. Clifford Goldstein reviews Rosenberg's book and puts him so far over the edge that he makes "today’s new atheists—Richard Dawkins, Sam Harris, Daniel Dennett, and the late Christopher Hitchens—look like compromising, waffling, dithering sellouts." To read more from Goldstein go to: Fundamentalist.

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**Cultural Trends**

1. **InterVarsity Wins Key Nondiscrimination Battle With Tufts University:** School amends "all comers" policy to exempt religious student leaders. Tuft's decision demonstrates that universities willing to engage in a conversation will recognize that any religious group must have freedom to choose leaders who affirm those statements. To read more go to: InterVarsity

2. **Six Ways To Waste Your College Education:** For a great article on the importance of living in the world but not of the world on campus check out KC Miginnis's article in Relevant magazine University section. Read more at: College

3. **American Adults Better Educated Than Ever Before:** The Pew Research Center reveals that record shares of young adults are completing high school, going to college and finishing their degrees in spite of dramatic immigration driven changes in the racial and ethnic composition of college-age young adults. To read more go to: Education

4. **Did Scientists really discover the missing gene that makes us human?**

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**Transitions**

- **Michigan Conference CAMPUS HOPE Campus Ministries:** The Michigan Conference Executive Committee recently voted to appoint Justin Kim former director of CAMPUS HOPE campus ministry program as the new director for Communications and Sabbath School departments of the conference. This new appointment allows for the opportunity of to expand CAMPUS's impact as well as the impact of the Michigan Conference as a whole. Justin's involvement with CAMPUS will remain as the associate director, allowing for a strong link between CAMPUS and his new role in communications. Israel Ramos will direct CAMPUS as well as Justin's associate in his new positions To read more about these strategic changes go to: CAMPUS

- **Berkeley SDA CHurch and UC Berkeley ACF:** The Lucien Nahum
Check out the great article in Christianity Today's December Web Only issue on the one gene that differentiates us from primates - or does it? To read more go to: Gene

5. The First Atheist Church InThe UK: The "Sunday Assembly is calling itself the first atheist church in the UK. The group seeks to enjoy the good of community without theological disagreement. To read more go to: Atheist

6. Five Ways To Slow Down In 2013: Is a great article on getting the most out of 2013. Check out: Slow Down

7. Why Your New Years Resolutions Won't Work: On fresh starts, false promises and a better way. To read more click on New Year

8. A Theology Of Hazing is a look at the need for belonging and acceptance on college and university campuses. Check out Hazing to read more about the negative effects of college hazing.

9. Recent Methodist Decision On Homosexuality and Christian Teaching: Despite emotional protests and fierce lobbying from gay rights groups, United Methodists voted on May 2 to maintain their denomination's stance that homosexual acts are "incompatible with Christian teaching." To Read More Go To: Methodist's

10. General Conference Leaders Affirm Care and Principal On Gay Issues: This The church's recent statement on Gay's and Lesbians emphasizes compassion. To read more go to: GC Statement.

11. Seventh-Gay-Adventist Documentary: This film documents the life and struggle of three Seventh-day Adventist families in their life journey as gay Seventh-day Adventist. Form info: GaySDA

12. Sorting Through The Gay SDA Issues: Check out point and counterpoint discussion on the issue of gay's and the SDA church as first Andy Nash contributing editor for the Adventist Review discusses the Seventh-Gay Adventist Documentary: Adventist Review. Then take a look at the Spectrum magazine blog by Steve Moran and their take on the same subject at: Spectrum

13. NPR's Report On Why Young People Are Moving Away From The Church: National Public Radio recently did a series of personal stories about young adults and their faith. They found that one-fifth of Americans are now

Isaac is officially stepping down after 6 years of faithful service as the college chaplain of UC Berkeley ACF group and Worship Coordinator of the Berkeley SDA Church effective May 31, 2013 to pursue his area of expertise and training with a masters degree in counseling from the University of Missouri. Berkeley ACF and the Berkeley SDA church are looking for someone to fill this ministry position. For more information about this unique ministry position please email Ron Pickell, Berkeley SDA Church lead pastor at: BACF

- Campus Ministry at Chico State, California Campus: The Chico SDA church is interested in hiring a campus ministry volunteer to work with students at Chico State University for the fall 2013 - spring 2014 academic year. If you are interested or have a suggestion for someone to work with students and help launch an ACF group at Chico State University email us at: Chico ACF

- Florida Conference Campus Ministries: The Florida Conference recently hired Angelo Grasso as their new chaplain for campus ministries at the University Of Florida, Gainesville campus. Congratulations UF and Florida Conference Youth Ministries Department. Angelo and his family plan on relocating to the Gainesville area sometime this spring. Godspeed and blessings for ACF at UF.
religious unaffiliated - higher than at any time in recent U. S. history - and those younger than 30 especially seem to be drifting from organized religion. A third of young Americans say they don't belong to any religion at all. One story even included a former Latino Seventh-day Adventist, Rigoberto Perez who now considers himself an atheist due to the loss of connection with the church and everyday life. To hear more of their stories click on faith

Campus Ministry Training

ACF Mission Year is a 10 month task force campus missions program where students learn how to practice and share their faith on a non-Adventist campus while helping others maintain their faith. Take a few classes, make friends, participate in Bible studies and engage in campus outreach through ACF Mission Year.

ACF Institute is a ten day concentrated introduction to campus outreach. ACFI prepares students to win students for Christ, through on-campus friendship evangelism, the nuts and bolts of campus ministry and Christian apologetics. Through ACF INSTITUTE participants will be introduced to an Adventist philosophy of campus ministry strengthening and building a long term campus ministry program. Here is what a couple of our 2012 ACF-I participants aid about last years training: "ACFI 2012 helped me begin a ministry on my campus. I learned more about living the goodness of the kingdom on my campus" UC Santa Barbara student. Also, "I learned a lot about the importance of small group ministry and the need for discipleship in everyday actions." (Young adult leader - Southeastern California Conference). Dates for ACF I 2013 are June 21 - 30 and will be held on the University of Central Florida campus. For more info about ACF Mission Year or ACF Institute go to ACF. You can also find us on Face Book at: ACF-I.
Grasso, Adventist chaplain at Harvard University will look at Engaging the Other (belief, lifestyle, culture...), Understanding Ourselves (stories we tell ourselves and others about ourselves vs. reality), and Knowing God (the Great Controversy--true and false narratives about God's character). Registration will begin next week. To learn more go to: CONNECT

My Campus: University of Central Florida ACM (ACF), March 22-24

Adventist Campus Ministry (ACM) at UCF is sponsoring their annual weekend conference March 22 - 24 on the University of Central Florida campus. This years conference will include a Friday night meeting, Sabbath services at Message Of Hope SDA Church with evening gathering. The weekend includes waffles on Sunday morning. For more information go to: UCF/ACM. BTW, UCF is actually the largest campus in the U. S.

If you are a student or a campus minister on a secular campus, order your copy of Always Prepared and Understanding Creation by calling (800) 447-7377.

New ACF On Campus: University of Nebraska, Lincoln

Michael Paradise, Young Adult Pastor of Lincoln’s College View Church, let us know, “I'm happy to report that I was invited to be a part of the University of Nebraska accredited group of ministry leaders. We have many Adventist students at UNL, and this is a great way to reach them and their peers,” says Pastor Michael. Amen, Michael - food draws them in every time!
My Campus: UC Berkeley Student Baptism

We met Annie Huang almost five years ago during her summer classes in economics at UC Berkeley. She was visiting from Taiwan and looking for something to do and friends to hang out with one Friday evening after a week long of classes when Sean, one of our UC Berkeley ACF students invited her to join us for soup and sandwiches at one of church members homes. That evening turned into a semester of friendship and a continued interest in Jesus and the kingdom of God. Long story short - after returning to her country, Annie over the next four and a half years became a fully devoted follower of Jesus and decided to come all the way back to Berkeley to be baptized in "her" church. Annie changed histories and exchanged her life for the life that Jesus died to give her on Saturday, February 9, 2013. Way to go, Annie. Life in Jesus is a beautiful thing!