



Upper  
Columbia  
Conference

# Go Mission Fest

**November 13-15**  
Upper Columbia Academy

Do you want to be involved in mission work? Are you interested in discovering if God has a place for you? Join some of the most experienced voices in Adventist missions as they share how you can be involved in fulfilling Christ's gospel commission.

## A Family Fellowship Festival

### Special Guests



#### Jon Dybdahl

Professor of World Mission at Andrews University



#### Russel Burrill

Professor Emeritus of Church Growth at Andrews University



#### John Kent

Training Director of Adventist Frontier Missions



#### Gary Krause

Director of the Office of Adventist Mission at the General Conference



#### Pat Gustin

Retired Director of the Adventist Institute of World Mission and a former missionary teacher.

### Meeting Schedule

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Friday: 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Sabbath: 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. - Noon

### Seminars

I Think God Wants Me to be a Missionary  
Towards More Effective Short-Term Missions  
Incarnational Women for Jesus Christ  
Let All The Earth Praise the Lord  
Is Church Planting Still Viable?  
Youth in Mission  
Seniors in Mission  
Translating the Gospel  
Global Mission  
(see seminar details on back)

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## Seminars on Sabbath and Sunday:

### **Let All the Earth Praise the Lord**

by Pat Gustin (part 1 and 2)

Pat Gustin is a retired missionary teacher, having spent 23 years in Asia (Far Eastern Academy, Chaing Mai and Bangkok Thailand, and Ubol). Pat's experience in the mission field gives her a unique perspective on worship and culture. She will share meaningful and culturally appropriate ways to have authentic worship with the reverence for God.

### **Youth in Mission / Seniors in Mission**

by Homer Trecartin (one seminar on each topic)  
As the associate secretary of the General Conference and the director for Adventist Volunteer Service, Homer Trecartin has a passion for youth to experience mission service. He also has an equal passion for adults of all ages to have that same opportunity.

### **Becoming Incarnational Women for Jesus Christ**

by Belinda Kent (repeats)  
North America is becoming a bigger mission field then some overseas countries. The time has come to learn how to reach out to the "natives" the way our missionaries do. Our method of outreach in the U.S. often requires people to come to us, but we need to learn to immerse ourselves in American culture the way missionaries do overseas so we can share the gospel.

### **Towards More Effective Short-Term Mission**

by John Kent (four parts)  
This four-part seminar series will give short-term missionaries the instruction and knowledge to be successful in a mission venture, whether it be a two-week church building project or a year of student missionary service. John Kent is the training director at Adventist Frontier Missions (AFM) and has been involved in outreach for over 25 years, including eight years as an AFM Missionary.

### **I Think God Wants Me to be a**

**Missionary** by Jon Dybdahl, (one seminar)  
Geared especially for academy and college-age youth, Jon will discuss how to know if God

is calling you to serve in missions. Dybdahl spent six years as a pastor and evangelist in Thailand where he founded Chain Mai Adventist Academy. Dybdahl is considered one of the Adventist church's experts on world mission.

### **Is Church Planting Still Viable in the 21st Century?**

by Russel Burrill  
(part 1 and 2, Sabbath only)  
An examination of the biblical and Ellen White counsels on church planting with an attempt to discover the priority of God for the Adventist church in the last days. It will be discovered that church planting is one of the most effective agencies under heaven to increase the harvest God wants reaped in these last days..

### **Is Church Planting Still Viable in the 21st Century?**

by Wayne Kablanow  
(part 3 and 4, Sunday only)  
On Sunday Wayne Kablanow will hold two seminars that give practical application to Russel Burrill's seminars on Sabbath. Kablanow is the Church Planting coordinator in Upper Columbia Conference and also the pastor of a church plant, Hayden Lake Church in Idaho.

### **Global Mission: 20 Years and We're Still Here**

by Gary Krause (First Session)  
When the World Adventist Church voted a Global Mission initiative to reach unentered areas in 1990, there were six million baptized Seventh-day Adventists. Today there are 16 million. Yet a huge challenge remains because there are more "unreached" people on planet Earth today then there were in 1990. What practical steps should we be now taking?

### **Translating the Gospel**

by Gary Krause (Second Session)  
In the second seminar session, Pastor Gary Krause, director of the Office of Adventist Mission, at the Adventist World Headquarters will discuss what it means to become "all things to all people." How can we make Adventism significant for different audiences, communities, and people groups—while still preserving its identity and integrity?