

HIGHER GROUND



“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-centered Seventh-day Adventist Message of HOPE and WHOLENES.”

OUR VISIONS AND DREAMS

- 1) Growing as a Division spiritually, evangelistically and physically.**
- 2) Developing and implementing a ‘laser-sharp’ Strategy**
- 3) Targeting the Mission**



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-centered Seventh-day Adventist message of HOPE and WHOLENESS.”

**We have a need. It is to seek
Higher Ground especially during
these challenging times.**



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-centered Seventh-day Adventist message of HOPE and WHOLENESS.”

Our ultimate focal point:

JESUS &

His Return!



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist message of HOPE and WHOLENES.”

“PRAY ONE MILLION”



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-centered Seventh-day Adventist message of HOPE and WHOLENESS.”

2014 YEM

Our Time Together

“The final and full display of the love of God.”



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist message of HOPE and WHOLENESS.”

Our STRATEGIC INITIATIVES:

The 6 Building BLOCKS

- 1) Transformational Evangelism***
- 2) Young Adult Life***
- 3) Emerging Immigrant Populations***



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist message of HOPE and WHOLENES.”

Our STRATEGIC INITIATIVES:

The 6 Building BLOCKS...

4) Adventist Learning Community

5) Women in Pastoral Ministry

6) Media/Social Media



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist message of HOPE and WHOLENESS.”

MISSION TO THE CITIES

New York

Baltimore/Washington

Indianapolis

St. Louis

Seattle

San Francisco/Oakland

Edmonton

Tampa

San Antonio



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist message of HOPE and WHOLENESS.”

The Future:

THE DULLES CONFERENCE

1) Education 2) Growth 3)Structure



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist message of HOPE and WHOLENESS.”

RE-LOCATION OF THE NAD

1) ECD – SID – WAD: 2003

- Came from AID/EAD/SAU

2) SPD – NSD: 1997

- Came from FED (1919) APD (1995)



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist Message of HOPE and WHOLENESS.”

The NAD and Literature Ministry

Pacific Press Publishing



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist message of HOPE and WHOLENESS.”

The NAD and OAKWOOD UNIVERSITY



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist Message of HOPE and WHOLENESS.”

NAD MEDIA in TRANSITION

- 1) IIW – Chattanooga, TN***
- 2) VOP – Loveland, CO***
- 3) BOL – Huntsville, AB***
- 4) FFT, Jesus 101, La Voz – Riverside, CA***



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist Message of HOPE and WHOLENES.”

*The NAD and MESSAGING:
‘Newspoints’ – The Adventist World*



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist Message of HOPE and WHOLENESSE.”

***CURRENT ISSUES FACING THE NAD
AND THE WORLD CHURCH***



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist message of HOPE and WHOLENESS.”

**RELIANCE UPON AND
UNDERSTANDING OF
“THE WORD OF GOD”**



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist message of HOPE and WHOLENESSE.”

Our Need for Collaboration

- *Churches*
- *Schools/Higher ED*
- *Hospital Systems*



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist Message of HOPE and WHOLENESS.”

*THE CHURCH AT STUDY AND
THE ORDINATION QUESTION*



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist message of HOPE and WHOLENESS.”

HUMAN SEXUALITY



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014

“To REACH the NAD and the World with the distinctive, Christ-Centered Seventh-day Adventist message of HOPE and WHOLENESS.”

JESUS:
***OUR HOPE YESTERDAY, TODAY
AND FOREVER!***



HIGHER GROUND

NAD Year-end Meetings October 30 - November 2, 2014