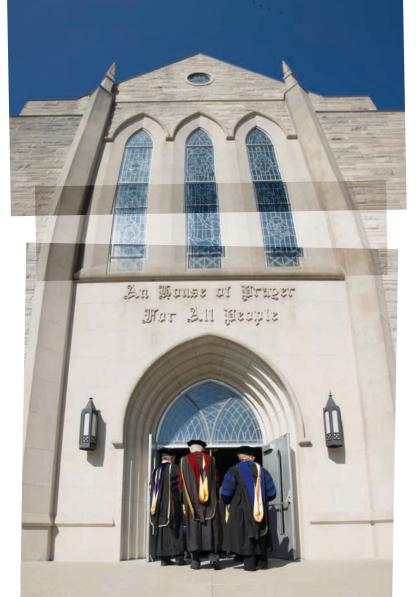


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### Dear Fellow Andrews Alumni:

Welcome to homecoming! I am delighted that you have decided to spend your weekend with us. This weekend Andrews 2016 will meet Andrews 1978 (in my case) or whatever year(s)

you were here. This is the time to consciously let time play tricks on us: to remember together our friends, our teachers, our deans, just as they were. This is the time to laugh together, revisiting where you first met your spouse-to-be, or where you escaped being caught by a dean in some harmless mischief! Perhaps this is where you first made a commitment to the Lord, or chose a path of service that decided your future for many years to come. A lot to remember and a lot to enjoy. That is why we have homecoming weekends.

We hope too that while you are here you enjoy Andrews 2016. If you haven't been here for a while, the entry may take you by surprise. You may not have seen the Howard Performing Arts Center, Damazo Hall or Buller Hall. Please walk around and enjoy the beautiful grounds and arboretum of your University. Discover perhaps some new favorite places that you will want to come back to at another homecoming. Meet new friends as well as old ones—the Andrews experience will always give us a good starting point for an engaging conversation.

The weekend is packed with activities and opportunities to connect, and I do hope that you will leave energized from the events you attend and the friends and teachers/staff that you meet. Please enjoy!

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Andrea Luxton (MA '78) President



# WELCOME

Take advantage of the cozy atmosphere to visit with classmates and page through yearbooks as you enjoy refreshments and fellowship with other alums. You can sign up for events, receive your weekend program, nametag and a special reunion ribbon.

**Thursday, September 29** 1:30–4:30 p.m. Alumni House **Friday, September 30** 9 a.m.–2 p.m. Alumni House





### Thursday, September 29

### 6 p.m. Spirit of Philanthropy & Homecoming Banquet

*Great Lakes Room, Campus Center* All alumni are invited to this premier Homecoming celebration. Enjoy some of Andrews' signature dishes including Sam's chicken and homemade apple crisp made with fresh Andrews apples. The Alumni Association will do a roll call and members of the Class of 1966 will be inducted into the Golden Hearts Club. Honored Alumni will be presented with the Andrews University Alumni Association Medallion, recognizing their outstanding service to church and community. The official kickoff for the Health & Wellness Campaign will also be announced.

### Friday, September 30

### 8:30–10 a.m.

Women's Scholarship Committee Brunch Lincoln & Hoosier Rooms, Campus Center RSVP required, alumni.andrews.edu/rsvp Featuring "A Chat with Andrews University's New President, Andrea Luxton" in an interview by Meredith Jones Gray, chair of the Department of English.

8:30 a.m. Shotgun start (7:30 a.m. registration & continental breakfast)

### Wes Christiansen Memorial Golf Outing Harbor Shores Golf Club,

*St. Joseph, Michigan RSVP required, alumni.andrews.edu/golf Entry fee: \$105 regular, \$50 AU students* Price includes 18 holes of scramble golf with cart, lunch and prizes. Support the Alumni Scholarship Fund while enjoying a morning of golf—Four Man/Woman Scramble. Course requirements are collared shirts, soft spikes and no denim pants or shorts. We'd like to thank Kellogg Company, Allred Funeral Home, Garden Creations by Mike LLC and Turf Services, PNC Bank and Schalk & Associates for being our main sponsors.

### 10:30 a.m.

### **Campus Bus Tour** *The bus will load at the Alumni*

House parking lot at 10 a.m. Tour guide: Rebecca May (BA '77) Take a trip down memory lane, while being introduced to several new developments on campus and a display at the Berrien County Historic Courthouse.

### 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Health & Wellness Center Campaign Update Open House

Howard Performing Arts Center Lobby Come learn about the programs to be housed in the new health and wellness center. New architectural design will be showcased. Timeline for groundbreaking, construction and occupancy will be shared.

### 11 a.m.–2 p.m.

### Speech—Language Pathology & Audiology Open House Room 114, Bell Hall

Come help us celebrate the new space in our growing department. We are excited to showcase the new therapy rooms in the clinic as well as demonstrate some of the new medical equipment used in teaching.

### 12:30-2:30 p.m.

### **Retirement Celebration for George Agoki** *Harrigan Hall Lobby*

Come celebrate with George Agoki and his colleagues in the Department of Engineering & Computer Science. Comeand-go open house in the new area for engineering in Harrigan Hall.



### 12:30 p.m.

### Tambunan Leadership Luncheon (Student Programming) Badger Room, Campus Center

*By special invitation, RSVP required* This event is hosted for current undergraduate Leadership students and provides an invaluable opportunity to learn and network with alumni professionals. This event is made possible by the generous sponsorship of Andrews alumni Tim (BBA '90) and Ellen (MSMT '80) Tambunan. Co-hosted by the Office of Alumni Services and the Undergraduate Leadership program.

### 1–4 p.m.

### **Homecoming Classic Car Show**

Andrews Bookstore Parking Lot Join us for this nostalgic second annual event, hosted by the Andrews University Bookstore. Please bring your Homecoming name badge for discounts on Andrews gear and more.

### 5 p.m.

**29th Annual Homecoming Parade** *Viewing bleachers curbside, between the Howard & Seminary buildings Lineup for entries begins at 4:30 p.m. in the* 

Andrews Academy parking lot, and parade ends at the PMC parking lot.

Come out and watch the pageantry of the creative floats, marching bands and fire trucks as they move through campus during this harvest themed parade. Awardees will compete for \$1,000 in total prize money. Entrants will be judged based on creativity, quality and school spirit. The Sammy Arepas food truck will be on-site with vegetarian Latin food offerings. Don't forget to bring some cash! Parade awards ceremony directly follows.

### 6:30 p.m.

### International Flag Raising Ceremony Flag Mall

Our campus is world-renowned for the way it reflects the international composition of our world church. This annual ceremony provides a beautiful portrayal of our global family. If you have international attire, please wear it proudly! You are also invited to march with us in the preceding parade. Call 269-471-3345 to sign up. 7 p.m. (6:30 p.m. gathering time) Dedication of the Robert & Lillis Kingman Observatory *Robert & Lillis Kingman Observatory* Celebrate the opening of the new

observatory. For more information, go to observatory.andrews.edu.

### 8 p.m.

### **Lighthouse Vespers** Howard Performing Arts Center

*A. Rahel Schafer (BS '01, MA '03, MS '09)* Join us for Lighthouse Vespers when various clubs come together to worship and welcome the Sabbath together.

### Sabbath, October 1

9 & 11:45 a.m. The Church at Worship Pioneer Memorial Church Dwight K. Nelson (MDiv '76, DMin '86)

Sermon: #RxF4Now—The Regrets of Oscar Wilde Scripture: John 15:4–5

### 10 a.m. & 11:45 a.m. One Place Newbold Auditorium, Buller Hall David K. Ferguson (AS '87, BA '87, MA '90) This presentation in the series on Exodus will be based on chapters 13 & 14.

### 10:30 a.m.

Sabbath School Pioneer Memorial Church Presented by the Class of 1966.

### 11:45 a.m. New Life Church

Seminary Chapel Michael Polite, associate chaplain

Sermon: A Brand New Experience Join the New Life Fellowship as they seek a weekly, tangible and authentic God-encounter!

### 1 p.m.

### 60th, 50th and 40th Class Reunion Luncheon Buffets

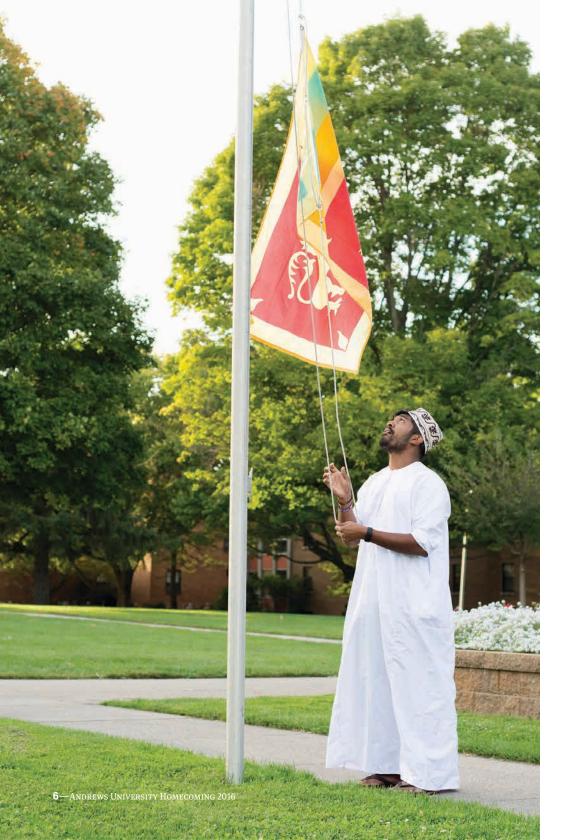
Dining Services, Campus Center Luncheon pricing: \$9.54 for dine-in; \$10.60 for take-out Senior citizen pricing: \$8.75 for dine-in; \$10.60 for take-out Meal cards may be purchased ahead of time at the Dining Services office, or pay with debit/credit card (no cash) as you go through line.

### Class of 1956

Badger Room, Campus Center

### Class of 1966 Lincoln Room, Campus Center

**Class of 1976** Hoosier Room, Campus Center



### 1:30–4 p.m. 50 Years of Honors at Andrews University *Room 108, Nethery Hall*

Please join the J.N. Andrews Honors Program family to celebrate a major milestone in its history. The Andrews University J.N. Andrews Honors Program remains the oldest and largest honors program in the Adventist educational system. Established in the 1966–67 school year by Paul E. Hamel, music professor, and pioneered by the inimitable Merlene A. Ogden, the Honors Program has inspired thousands of students to strive for academic excellence, spiritual discernment and social engagement. Continuing in the long tradition of Honors hospitality, please plan on stopping by the Honors office to enjoy savory

and sweet delicacies and share lively conversation with other Honors Scholars past and present.

### 1:30 p.m.

### Department of Public Health, Nutrition & Wellness International Cuisine Potluck

*Third Floor, Marsh Hall* A potluck luncheon for alumni of the Department of Public Health, Nutrition & Wellness.

### 2:30-4:30 p.m. Retirement Celebration for Douglas Jones

Room 126, Nethery Hall Come celebrate our friend Douglas Jones and his career at Andrews. Come-and-go reception in the Department of English, Nethery Hall, with a special tributes presentation at 3:30 p.m.

### 3–5 p.m.

### **Museums and Open Houses**

You are encouraged to explore campus and check out your former department. Some buildings you may remember and others may be new to you. The following areas, among others, will be open.

### Architecture Resource Center Architecture Building

Featuring a fascinating collection of architectural models, original artwork and a comprehensive library, this inspiring display should not be missed.

### Biology Open House

Bill Chobotar Student Commons, 2nd Floor, Price Hall, Science Complex Visit the new Barbara A. Reid Graduate Lounge and Teaching Assistant Suite.

### Crayon Box Children's Learning Center

*Lower Level, Marsh Hall* Crayon Box alumni and friends are invited to tour our center and enjoy light refreshments.

### Department of History & Political Science Suite 135, Buller Hall

Come visit with faculty, students and alumni, while enjoying light refreshments.

Natural History Museum

108B Price Hall, Science Complex Featuring Andrews University's own Prillwitz Mammoth, the most complete mammoth ever found in Michigan. The museum also includes a large collection of mammals and birds.

### Ruth Murdoch Elementary School 8885 Garland Ave.

RMES alumni and friends are invited to tour our building and browse student displays. Refreshments will be served.



### 4–6 p.m.

### **Class Reunion Photos** *Howard Performing Arts Center*

:00	Golden Hearts Club
	(1966 and earlier)
:30	Class of 1946
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:30	Class of 1991
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### 5:30-7:30 p.m. (tours will depart every half-hour) Harvest Tours

The wagon will load at the Alumni House backyard

Climb on board and join the wagon tour as it meanders around the orchards and farm. We ask that an adult accompany small children. In case of rain, the Harvest Tour will be canceled.

Please note: Outdoor activities of these kinds can be hazardous and carry some risk of injury. I mindfully accept the responsibilities of my participation/that of my child.

### <mark>6 p.m.</mark> Harvest Picnic

### Alumni House backyard

Parking is available behind the Science Complex, with additional parking at Chan Shun Hall and Howard Performing Arts Center Join us for this family favorite Homecoming tradition. Whether it's under the big tent or sitting around the crackling campfire and roasting s'mores, enjoy fellowship, a light haystack supper and music by Uphill Climb. Please note: In the case of rain, we'll move to Dining Services in the Campus Center.



### 8 p.m.

### Alumni Homecoming Gala

Howard Performing Arts Center This is a complimentary concert featuring the University Singers, directed by Stephen Zork, and University Wind Symphony, directed by Alan Mitchell. A dessert reception will be held at the conclusion of the program.

### 9 p.m.

### Alumni vs. Students Basketball Game

Johnson Gymnasium The Cardinal basketball teams will make their debut as they compete against alumni teams. Be sure and come to cheer your team on. Andrews Cardinal T-shirts and Alumni foam fingers will be available as supplies last.



### Sunday, October 2

### 7:30–11 a.m. Aviation Annual Fly-In Drive-In Pancake Breakfast Andrews University Airpark Adults \$7 (children ages 10 and

Adults \$7 (children ages 10 and under \$3)

Breakfast will be served until 11 a.m. The Andrews University Airpark invites pilots and non-pilots alike to come out for this annual event. Come for a hearty pancake breakfast in one of our large hangars. Stay to check out the interesting aircraft or vehicles that show up. Learn about the services available to pilots and their aircraft as you see the airport facilities and check out our fleet of planes.

### 8-9:30 a.m. School of Education

### Alumni Breakfast

Room 180, Bell Hall Hosted by the Department of Leadership. Come see Bell Hall and enjoy a delicious breakfast with fellow graduates from the School of Education.

### 9-11 a.m.

### Agriculture Brunch Open House Smith Hall

Alumni and friends are invited to enjoy delicious food and wonderful fellowship!

### 9 a.m.

### Harvest 5K/10K and 1-Mile Walk PMC Parking Lot

(Registration and packet pick-up from 7:30–8:45 a.m.) Adults \$26, Students and children 12 and under \$16 Register at alumni.andrews.edu/run



# 2016 Honored Alumni

The Andrews University Alumni Association Medallion is presented to honored alumni who have been nominated by fellow alumni and approved by the Alumni Board of Directors to recipients of this award. Honored Alumni are selected on the basis of outstanding service to the University, unusual achievement in a profession or occupation, and contributions to the community or church. Congratulations to this year's recipients.



### Gordon Bietz (BD '68, DMin '76)

Gordon Gale Bietz retired in May 2016 as president of Southern Adventist University after serving in that capacity for 19 years.

He was born in New Clovis, New Mexico and earned a Bachelor of Theology in 1966 from La Sierra University. During his undergraduate education he attended the Seminaire Adventiste in Collonges, France in 1964. He went on to earn master's and doctoral degrees from Andrews University and also received a Merrill Fellowship from Harvard University.

Of his time at Andrews University, Gordon says, "The intellectual stimulation from faculty mentors and the fellowship with other ministerial students shaped my ministry in significant ways, providing the foundation for lifelong learning and a career that spanned pastoral and academic leadership."

Gordon pastored three California churches in the Northern California Conference of Seventh-day Adventists from 1968–1981, before transitioning to ministry in the Southern Union. He became president of Southern Adventist University in 1997.

Since becoming Southern Adventist University's 25th president, Gordon has followed an ambitious agenda to update facilities, grow the university's academic offerings, and maintain the campus' focus on spiritual development. Under his leadership, enrollment has increased by over 1,200 students, and facilities have experienced record renovations to accommodate that growth. Newly completed construction projects include Southern Village, the Hulsey Wellness Center, Florida Hospital Hall, and an addition on Talge Hall.

The academic programs at Southern Adventist University were strengthened during his presidency by earning top accreditations for the professional schools. The Graduate Studies program has grown from a handful of classes to 10 master's degrees and numerous concentrations within those degrees.

Before accepting the position as president at Southern, Gordon pastored the Collegedale Church of Seventh-day Adventists and served as president of the Georgia-Cumberland Conference.

Gordon was also instrumental in developing Vision 20/20, a strategic plan outlining 16 specific initiatives designed to strengthen the campus in a variety of ways. Illustrating just one example of many successful initiatives, Southern's first solar panels were installed in the spring of 2012 to generate electricity and reduce costs. This bold move forward contributes to the goal of environmental sustainability and the campus' green initiative.

Gordon has assumed a number of off-campus leadership roles as well, including membership on several boards for hospitals and non-profits in the greater Chattanooga area. He also serves as executive director of the Adventist Association for Colleges and Universities, a consortium of 14 Seventh-day Adventist institutions that collaborate on marketing and enrollment projects, career development initiatives, data sharing, and higher education mission conferences.

Due in part to his successful leadership at Southern, Gordon is in high demand as a speaker at workshops and seminars all across the country. He has authored two books, "Witness" and "Parables of Fenton Forest," as well as numerous articles.

Gordon and Cynthia have twin daughters, Gina (BS '94, MSPT '95) and Julie.



### Jon L. Dybdahl (MA '66, BD '67)

Jon L. Dybdahl was born in Oakland, California and attended Pacific Union College for his undergraduate education. He earned a BA in theology from PUC in 1965 and two graduate degrees from Andrews University shortly after: an MA in systematic theology in 1966 and BD in 1967.

Jon began his ministerial career in the Northern California Conference where he served as an associate pastor, quickly transitioning to mission work from 1968–1974 at the Thailand Mission where he was an evangelist, pastor and school founder. Continuing the theme of taking on multiple jobs at once, he became the college church pastor, department chair of theology and a professor at Southeast Asia Union College in Singapore in 1974.

He joined the faculty at Walla Walla College in 1976 as associate professor of theology and while teaching there he earned a PhD from Fuller Theological Seminary in 1981. He majored in Old Testament and fulfilled a minor in missions and Semitic languages. Leaving Walla Walla in 1989 as professor of theology, Jon returned to Thailand for a short stint as administrator/ president and professor of theology at Thailand Mission College.

Andrews University invited Jon to be the director of the Institute of World Mission as well as chair the Department of World Mission in 1990.

"Andrews not only impacted me academically and vocationally in a positive way, but offered a rich social environment that has given me friends for life. These friends continue to bring joy," he says.

In 2002, Jon became the president of Walla Walla College. Since "retiring" in 2006, he has taught and preached in at least 35 countries. From 2006 to 2008, he was also professor of world mission (half-time) at Andrews University. He continues to serve as president of Gospel Outreach, an Adventist supporting ministry located in College Place, Washington, which sponsors over 2,000 workers in the 10/40 window.

Jon is a prolific author, having published eight books and served as the general editor of the Andrews Study Bible, as well as contributed dozens of chapters, book reviews and professional journal/magazine articles in multiple publications.

Jon is married to Kathy (Trefz) Dybdahl and they have three children and nine grandchildren.

### Benjamin Franklin Reaves

### (MA'66, MDiv'73)

For more than 50 years Benjamin Franklin Reaves has served as a distinguished preacher, teacher, speaker and leader. He is known the world over for his ability to challenge and inspire through his powerful messages. He currently serves as special advisor for mission and ministry to the president of Adventist Health System—the largest Protestant not-for-profit healthcare system in America.

Reaves was born in New York City in 1932 and was trained in the Adventist education system. He earned a Bachelor of Arts from Oakwood College in 1955 and two degrees from Andrews University: a Master of Arts in 1966 and Master of Divinity in 1973. His thirst for learning continued, as he holds a Doctor of Ministry from Chicago Theological Seminary in 1974 and a diploma from the Institute for Educational Management at Harvard University in 1987.

He served as a pastor with the Lake Region Conference of Seventh-day Adventists from 1956–1972, and for the Michigan Conference as the associate campus pastor for college youth at Pioneer Memorial Church from 1972–1973. He segued to teaching preaching and urban ministry as an associate professor at the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary for the next four years. When his undergraduate alma mater, Oakwood University, came calling, he returned there as a professor from 1977 to 1985.

Recognizing his wide range of talents, he was appointed president of Oakwood University in 1985, continuing in that position until 1996 when he was asked to serve as field secretary for the world church for a year. Adventist Health System snagged him as vice president for mission and ministry from 1997 to 2010.

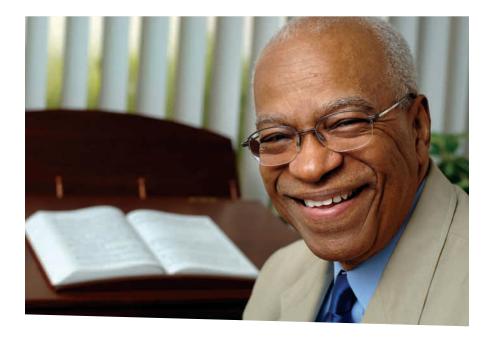
Always active in his community, he has served in multiple key positions, including chairman of the members, United Negro College Fund; vice chair, National Association for Equal Opportunity in Higher Education; member of Rotary International and Academy of Homiletics; visiting professor, Chicago Cluster of Theological Seminaries; and was selected by the U.S. Army Board of Chaplains to conduct workshops in homiletics and liturgics. Reaves has also been very involved in the Huntsville community, serving as a member of the Hospital Board, Community Board, Chamber of Commerce Board and Rotary. He was a featured speaker for 21 years on the Chicago Sunday Evening Club television broadcast.

Reaves has authored one book, "Scalpel Moments," and been published in Review and Herald, Ministry and Message magazines.

His positions provided opportunities for travel around the world. As a representative of Adventist college presidents he visited Adventist Colleges Abroad institutions. He also taught at Helderberg College in South Africa as an Andrews University graduate extension professor. Reaves has accepted preaching appointments and given workshops in Bermuda, the Caribbean, Canada, Europe, Australia, the Philippines and across North America. He is the only African-American to chair a General Conference Nominating Committee, at the 1995 GC Session in Utrecht, Netherlands.

Reaves says, "My years at Andrews, first as associate pastor for college youth at Pioneer Memorial Church, then as assistant professor of preaching and urban ministry, provided a quality academic and Christian environment with exposure to a broad international family. Those family threads of Andrews University alumni contacts and association have literally encircled the globe."

Benjamin was married to Jean Manual Reaves for 58 years before her death in 2013. Jean earned a BA from Andrews University and MA from Alabama A&M. They have three children: Terrilyn Reaves Jackson, Benjamin Franklin Reaves Jr. and Pamel Reaves Walker.





### Lily Hok-Neo Wong (EdD '76)

Lily Wong is the executive director/professor of Advent Links, the Southeast Asia Union College Education Center for Children and Family Studies in Singapore. She has held her current position since 1999.

Lily's secondary education took place at the Sultan Ibrahim Girls School, where she obtained a Cambridge Certificate in 1961. She received a diploma in education from Southeast Asia Union College in 1963 and furthered her education at Philippine Union College, earning a Bachelor of Science in 1966 and a Master of Arts in 1971, both in education. Her master's thesis subject was teacher educational training and qualification for elementary schools in the Philippines. Lily then attended Andrews University, where she earned a Doctor of Education in educational psychology and counseling in 1976. Her doctoral dissertation topic was on adolescent concepts of the family.

She has worked in the field of education and humanities for her entire career, beginning as professor of education and department chair at Southeast Asia Union College in 1976. Additional institutional appointments include Hong Kong Adventist College, La Sierra University, Sonoma State University California, Walla Walla College and Nanyang Technical University.

Lily also received fellowships for postgraduate studies at Stanford University in 1992 and Syracuse University in 1998. She holds current membership in American Psychological Association, Ethics Committee for Research (National Cancer Center, Singapore), National Association for Education of Young Children. Association for Early Childhood Educators Singapore, OMEP Singapore, Association for Childhood Education International and Association of Early Childhood and Training Services (ASSET) Singapore and Education Research Association, Singapore. Through the years she has served on many additional boards and committees, as well as various professional association and organizations relating to the education of young children.

Lily is honorary director of education for the Southeast Asia Union of Seventh-day Adventists. In that capacity, she manages and supervises all the Adventist universities, nursing schools, secondary, primary and preschool education in Malaysia, Cambodia, Vietnam, Laos, Thailand, Sabah, Sarawak, Cambodia and Singapore. She also developed and manages family education programs for the Southeast Asia Union Mission of Seventh-day Adventists.

Lily has presented more than 50 professional papers around the world and has worked for major Asian countries in early childhood education, teacher training and administrative training.

Of her time at Andrews, Lily says, "We had a great integrated, holistic education that challenged and pushed my limits and potential in social, intellectual and spiritual development. I made many good friends from around the world and had spiritual, caring teachers."

Lily is married to Yew Chong Wong and they have one son, Sydney, who works in business development.



### Yew Chong Wong (EdD '76)

Yew Chong Wong was born in Penang, Malaysia and attended Philippine Union College for his undergraduate education. He earned a BA in history and philosophy in 1965 and two graduate degrees from the same university shortly after: an MA in history and philosophy of religion in 1966 and an MA in guidance (education). He went on to further his studies at Andrews University where he earned his EdD in education in 1976.

Wong joined the faculty at Southeast Asia Union College in 1969 and worked as an instructor, dean of men and assistant college dean, eventually becoming academic dean at the college in 1976. He served as academic dean and president at Hong Kong Adventist College in 1979.

During the late 80s he worked as a stockbroker with Dean Witter Reynolds in San Bernardino, California and shortly following this Wong worked as chair of the business department at Walla Walla College. In 1995 he returned to Southeast Asia Union College as vice president.

In 2001 Wong served as president and CEO of Adventist Health in Hong Kong and returned to the position of academic dean at Hong Kong Adventist College.

He received an Honorary Doctor of Philosophy from Asia-Pacific International University (Thailand) in 2010 for lifetime contributions in management and entrepreneurship in the non-profit sector of higher education and healthcare.

More recently, he taught as an adjunct professor at Walla Walla University in the School of Business and currently works as deputy director of Advent Links-SAUC in Singapore.

Wong has started his own consulting company and completed several projects in Southeast Asia. His work has taken him all over Asia, Europe and the United States. He speaks four Chinese dialects with different degrees of fluency as well as conversational Thai.

Wong maintains that Andrews University gave him a worldview of Adventism and the challenges that faced Adventist educational institutions around the world, helping him understand systems and strategy as important components of planning and change.

He is married to Lily Hok-Neo Wong. Together they have one child, Sydney Philip Chih-Chung Wong, who lives in Singapore.

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The crisp autumn air and fiery hues of turning leaves create the perfect backdrop for Alumni Homecoming in southwestern Michigan. What better time to join your Andrews University family and friends for a reunion? Whether you find yourself here every year or it's your first time in 50, thank you for making the effort to come back.

Like anyone getting ready for a visit from family, volunteers, staff and faculty have been working hard to prepare for your homecoming. With roughly 40 events to choose from, I'm thankful for each and everyone's efforts to make this the best possible weekend it can be.

As the fall is marked by students arriving and alumni returning, we welcome you back home. May your visit to campus be most memorable and enjoyable.

Most importantly, thank you for being our honored guests.

Warmly,

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Andriy Kharkovyy (BBA '06, MBA '09) Director, Office of Alumni Services

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Bookstore — 269-471-3287 Thursday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. (extended hours for alumni) Sunday Closed

Beaty Pool—269-471-3255 The Beaty Pool staff offers complimentary use of their facilities to visiting alumni and their families. Please bring your Homecoming name badge for identification.

Lap Swim Thursday 6–7:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m., 8–10 p.m. Friday 6–7:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m. Sunday 8–10 p.m.

*Open Swim* Thursday 6:30–8 p.m. Sunday 6:30–8 p.m.

Dining Services—269-471-3161 Thursday & Friday 7–10 a.m., 11 a.m.-2:30 p.m., 5–7 p.m. Sabbath 12:30–2:30 p.m. Sunday 10:30 a.m.-2 p.m., 5–7 p.m.

Luncheon pricing: \$9.54 for dine-in; \$10.60 for take-out Senior citizen pricing: \$8.75 for dine-in; \$10.60 for take-out

Meal cards may be purchased ahead of time at the Dining Services office, or pay with debit/credit card/cash as you go through line (debit/credit card only during Sabbath hours).

Gazebo—269-471-6356 Thursday 8 a.m.-10 p.m. (food line closes at 9 p.m.) Friday 8 a.m.- 5 p.m. Saturday 6-9 p.m. Sunday 11 a.m.-10 p.m. (food line closes at 9 p.m.)

Campus Safety—269-471-3321 Available 24 hours a day for emergencies. Office hours: Thursday 7 a.m.-3 p.m. Friday 7 a.m.-3 p.m.

### LOCAL BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Apple Valley Market—269-471-3234 Thursday 7 a.m.–11 p.m. Friday 7 a.m.–7 p.m. Sunday 8 a.m.–11 p.m.

Adventist Book Center (ABC)—269-471-7331 Bring your Homecoming 2016 program to receive a 25% discount off one regularly priced item. Some exclusions apply. Thursday 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Friday 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Sunday 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

### LOCAL RESTAURANTS

Apple Valley Market Deli—269-471-3131 Thursday 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Friday 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Sunday 8 a.m.-6 p.m.

Baguette de France—269-473-2355 Thursday 10 a.m.-10 p.m. Friday 10 a.m.-sunset (7:30 p.m.) Sunday 11 a.m.-10 p.m.

Café 31 (located in Apple Valley Market)—269-471-3131 Thursday 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Friday 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

Sunday 11 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Panera Bread—St. Joseph 269-428-0700 Thursday 6 a.m.-9:30 p.m. Friday 6 a.m.-9:30 p.m. Sunday 7 a.m.-8 p.m.

Pizza Hut—269-471-2000 Thursday 11 a.m.-10 p.m. Friday 11 a.m.-11 p.m. Saturday Open until 11 p.m. Sunday 11 a.m.-10 p.m.

