

Alumni Homecoming 2017

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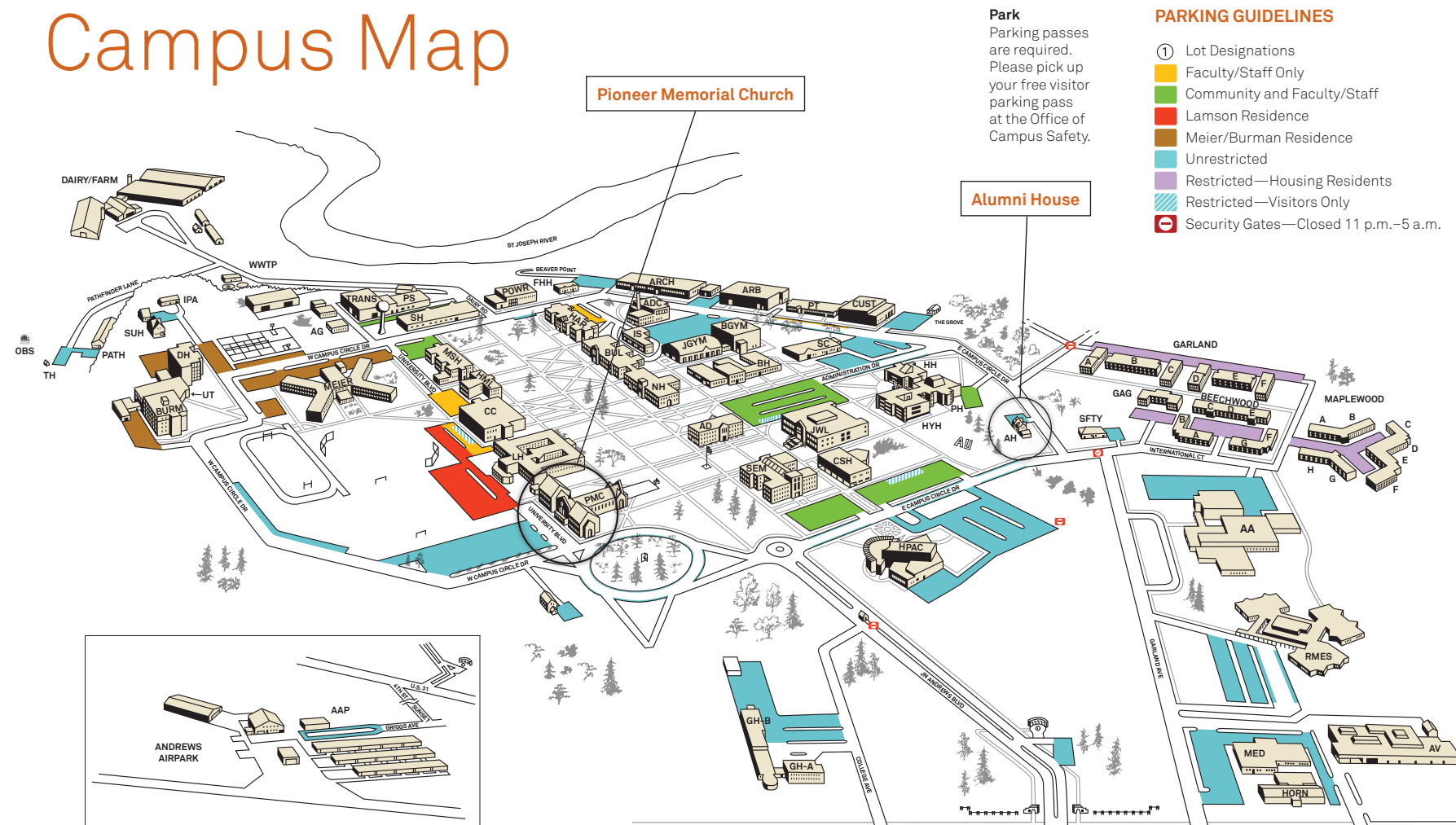
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Campus Map



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Bruce loves living in an agricultural community, and his photographs of Berrien County's countryside reflect this interest in beautiful rural scenery and farmland. He has found the endless variety of barn architecture and condition, farms, vineyards, orchards, nature centers and other rural scenes worthy subjects for a photo gallery. Bruce and his wife, Jan, live with two beautiful golden retrievers in the heart of Berrien County. View more of his work at brucewrenn.zenfolio.com.



DEAR FELLOW ANDREWS ALUMNI,

Welcome to homecoming! Thank you so much for making the choice to spend this weekend with us! I am sure this will be a memorable time full of reminiscence and new discoveries.

Amongst the excitement of meeting old friends, I do hope you take the opportunity to revisit some of your favorite places on campus while you are with us. Perhaps you will visit the quiet spot you escaped to when you wanted to be alone, with yourself or with God. Maybe your most important places are those you shared with friends, laughing together, learning together, praying together. You may find your way to the classroom where your favorite teacher helped you understand some new concept that suddenly changed your perspective on your life or your career. And of course there is that unforgettable nook where you first met your spouse-to-be, or where you made your first commitment to your Lord. Andrews University is a beautiful campus to enjoy!

I hope too that while you are here you will explore what is new on this campus and discover how Andrews University is seeking to live out its mission in 2017. Enjoy our “new” entrance, the Howard Performing Arts Center, Buller Hall and Damazo Hall. Discover where our new wellness center will be, with groundbreaking less than a year away. Explore the cafeteria, the best gourmet vegetarian restaurant in Michiana! Meet our students and enjoy their joy, creativity and faith—they are the alumni of the future, the leaders in our church and our communities.

The story of Andrews is rich, it embraces your history, the lives of our current students and the futures of students not even yet here. Homecoming is an opportunity for us to connect our past, present and future and celebrate the Andrews experience we all share.

Do have a wonderful weekend with us. You are important to us and we are very pleased you are here.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andrea Luxton". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Andrea Luxton (MA '78)
President

Welcome

Take advantage of the cozy atmosphere to visit with classmates and page through yearbooks as you enjoy refreshments. You can sign up for events and purchase meal tickets, as well as receive your weekend program, nametag and honor class ribbon.

Thursday, September 28
1:30–5 p.m., Alumni House

Friday, September 29
9 a.m.–4 p.m., Alumni House

Thursday, September 28

1:30–5 p.m.

Registration

Alumni House

2–5 p.m.

Wellness Lounge Open House

Campus Center 168

Stop by the University's Wellness Lounge for a free body scan, short chair massage, updated sketches on the new Health & Wellness Center, a chat with the director of University Health & Wellness, and more!

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. The Alumni Association will do a roll call and members of the Class of 1967 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.

Friday, September 29

8:30–10 a.m.

Women's Scholarship Committee Brunch

Lincoln & Hoosier Rooms, Campus Center

RSVP required

Featuring a presentation by Trevor O'Reggio, professor of church history in the seminary, titled "From Runaway Nun to Wife of Renegade Monk." Trevor will speak on Katarina von Bora, the nun who married Martin Luther. This October will be the 500th anniversary of Luther nailing his 95 theses to the church door at Wittenberg.

**8:30 a.m. Shotgun start
(7:30 a.m. registration)**

Wes Christiansen Memorial Golf Outing

Harbor Shores Golf Club, St. Joseph, Michigan

RSVP required

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 the following main tournament sponsors: *Kellogg Company, Allred Funeral Home, Villwocks Outdoor Living, PNC Bank, Randall Residence, Specialty Steel Treating, Inc, Ameriprise Financial.*

9 a.m.–12 p.m.

Wellness Lounge Open House

Campus Center 168

Stop by the University's Wellness Lounge for a free body scan, short chair massage, updated sketches on the new Health & Wellness Center, a chat with the director of University Health & Wellness, and more!

9–11 a.m.

Horn Archaeological Museum Tour

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Take a tour of the Horn Archaeological Museum to hear updates on new renovations and exhibits.

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.



12:30 p.m.

Tambunan Leadership Luncheon (Student Programming)

Lincoln 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 third annual event, hosted by the Andrews University Bookstore. Please bring your Homecoming name badge for discounts on Andrews gear and more.

1:30–3:30 p.m.

Madaba Plains Project Reunion and Updates Seminary Chapel

Attend this Madaba Plains Project 50-year celebration event to hear updates on Tall Hisban (LaBianca), Tall al-Umayri (Clark/Herr) and Tall Jalul (Yunker). There will be opportunity for audience participation in questions and answers, and it will be a reunion for former diggers, their families, friends and sponsors.



3:30–4:30 p.m.

Madaba Plains Project Reunion

Seminary Commons

The Lawrence T. Geraty Community Archaeology Endowment will be presented by Øystein LaBianca at this reception for former diggers and their families, friends and sponsors.

5 p.m.

30th 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 \$700 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, so 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.

7:30 p.m.
University Vespers
Pioneer Memorial Church
José Bourget (BA '03)

Join us for a special We Care Alumni Vespers featuring the University Singers, Journey Ministries, Deliverance Mass Choir, and archaeology faculty, along with Chaplain José Bourget. Through word, history and choral music we explore God's care for us. You'll also have an opportunity to give an offering to support disaster relief efforts and operation campus care.

8:45 p.m.
Impact Vespers
Burman Hall Chapel

Sabbath, September 30

9 & 11:45 a.m.

The Church at Worship

Pioneer Memorial Church

David K. Ferguson (AS '87, BA '87, MA '90)

Sermon: A Bag of Chips

Scripture: Luke 17:5-6

10 a.m. & 11:45 a.m.

One Place

Newbold Auditorium, Buller Hall

Denis Fortin (M.Div. '86)

Topic: John 6

10:30 a.m.

Sabbath School

Pioneer Memorial Church

Presented by the Class of 1967

11:45 a.m.

**BSCF Alumni Worship Service
and New Life Church**

Howard Performing Arts Center

Michael T. Nixon, vice president for Diversity & Inclusion

Theme: Connected through Story
Michael Nixon will be sharing his story from being a student to alumni to faculty of Andrews University.
Honored Alumni: Provost Christon Arthur

1 p.m.

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

Dining Services, Campus Center

Luncheon pricing: \$9.81 (dine-in), \$10.87 (take-out)

Senior citizen pricing: \$9.01 (dine-in),

Child (ages 6–12), \$7.53 (dine-in)

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 1957

Badger Room, Campus Center

Class of 1967

Lincoln Room, Campus Center

Class of 1977

Hoosier Room, Campus Center

2 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.

3–4 p.m.

Madaba Plains Project Reunion Event

Seminary Chapel

Randall Younker: “The Spade Confirms the Book” Revisited, followed by a response from Lawrence T. Geraty



4–5 p.m.

Madaba Plains Project Reunion Reception

Seminary Commons

3–5 p.m.

Museums and Open Houses

You are encouraged to explore campus and to 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 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, First Floor, 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 skeleton ever found in Michigan. The museum also includes a large collection of mammals and birds.

Kingman Observatory Open House

Robert & Lillis Kingman Observatory

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

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

- 4:00** Golden Hearts Club
(1967 and earlier)
- 4:20** Class of 1947
- 4:30** Class of 1957
- 4:40** Class of 1967
- 5:00** Class of 1977
- 5:20** Class of 1987
- 5:30** Class of 1992
- 5:40** Class of 1997
- 5:50** Class of 2007

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 accompanies 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.*



6 p.m.

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 and a light haystack supper.

8 p.m.

Alumni Homecoming Gala

Howard Performing Arts Center

This is a complimentary concert featuring the Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Claudio Gonzalez, and Wind Symphony, conducted by Byron Graves. We welcome guest pianist Wen-Ting Ong. Wen-Tin graduated from Andrews University with her BMus in 2011, and now works at the Boston Conservatory at Berklee and at the Boston Ballet. A dessert reception will be held after 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 to come and cheer your team on. Andrews Cardinal T-shirts and Alumni foam fingers will be available as supplies last.

Sunday, October 1

8–9:30 a.m.

School of Education Alumni Breakfast

Rooms 013 and 015, Bell Hall

Hosted by the Department of Teaching, Learning & Curriculum (TLC) and the Education Club (ELT). Come see Bell Hall and enjoy a delicious breakfast with fellow graduates from the School of Education.

7:30–11 a.m.

Aviation Annual Fly-In/Drive-In Pancake Breakfast

Andrews University Airpark

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 tour the airport facilities and check out our fleet of planes.





9 a.m.

**Harvest Run 5K/10K
and 1-Mile Walk**

*Parking is available at Andrews Academy parking lot.
(Registration and packet pick-up from 8–8:45 a.m. at Alumni House tent)
Adults \$27, current AU students and children 12 and under \$17,
1-Mile Walk \$12*

Come enjoy the beautiful views of Andrews University’s central campus and (for the 10k) challenging forest trails. Run past iconic scenes such as the J.N. Andrews sculpture, the entrance globe and ULC arch.

10 a.m.–2 p.m.

Health and Fitness Expo

Johnson Gymnasium

Learn about health and fitness information in a fun and interactive way at this free Health and Fitness Expo. Alumni, students, faculty/staff, community members and families are all welcome—there will be something for everyone! We will be offering mini workouts, cooking demos, nutrition information, games, local health service information, hearing screens, rock wall climbing, information about other opportunities on the Andrews University campus and more. The first 200 participants will receive a reusable shopping bag with goodies from our participating sponsors. All participants who complete a sheet of participation (given at the starting point in Johnson Gym) will be able to enter into a drawing for a variety of health and fitness related prizes.

2017 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*

Christon Arthur

(BA '90, MA '95, EdS '99, PhD '00)

Christon Arthur currently serves as provost of Andrews University. Prior to becoming provost, he served as dean of the Andrews University School of Graduate Studies & Research since 2010, and associate provost for faculty policy and development since 2012.

Christon was born and raised in St. George's, Grenada. He earned a Bachelor of Arts in theology from Caribbean Union College (now University of the Southern Caribbean, Trinidad & Tobago) in 1990 and three graduate degrees from Andrews University: a master's degree in education in 1995; an EdS in curriculum & instruction in 1999 and a PhD in educational administration in 2000. He also completed postgraduate training at Harvard University's Institute for Management and Leadership in Education.

Prior to employment at Andrews University, Christon served as an associate dean and associate professor within the College of Education at Tennessee State University (Nashville), and also as an acting and interim department head of education administration. He joined the faculty at TSU in 2001, teaching educational administration. During his tenure, he mentored undergraduate and graduate students in the research process. His mentorship led to his students co-presenting at conferences and



co-authoring peer-reviewed publications. Christon was named "Researcher of the Year" for the Department of Educational Administration in 2002–03 and the university's "Teacher of the Year" in 2004–05.

Prior to working in higher education, Christon spent 12 years teaching at Grenada Seventh-day Adventist Comprehensive School.

He has led several notable funded research projects, including \$11,000 annually for development and implementation of a peer-reviewed journal in the College of Education at TSU and \$35,000 annually to work collaboratively with TSU Extension and Bridges Academy to integrate technology into the curriculum. He has also contributed scholarly research articles to numerous publications and delivered dozens of scholarly presentations.

Christon has been actively involved in several professional organizations and councils including the Tennessee State Board of Education Advisory Council and the Alzheimer's Disease Research Foundation. He also holds professional memberships in several organizations such as the American Educational Research Association and the Regents Academic Leadership Institute.

Christon loves reading, spending time with

his wife, Carmelita, and 17-year-old son, Christon Arthur Jr. (CJ), entertaining friends and traveling. He claims the most beautiful spot he has visited is Cape Town, South Africa.

Reflecting on his experience at Andrews, Christon says, "I believe it is important for us to have individuals in our lives who believe in us more than we believe in ourselves. We all have moments when we feel down or uninspired and it is especially at those moments that the people who believe in us step forward and rekindle us with inspiration, remind us of our purpose, and help us reveal our best qualities. While at Andrews University, I was surrounded by such persons. Andrews gave me more than an excellent graduate education; it gave me self-belief. Because of that experience, I live my life with a debt that I owe to the next generation."

Larry Herr

(BA '70)

Larry Herr grew up in the Chicago area, graduating from Broadview Academy in 1965 and Andrews University with a BA in theology in 1970, taking as many courses at the Seminary from archaeologist Siegfried Horn as he could during his last undergraduate year.

After spending a year at the University of Basel in Switzerland to learn German, he enrolled in the



PhD program at Harvard University in the Department of Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations, focusing on archaeology. His dissertation was on the development of writing among the small nations of

the Holy Land and how those inscriptions could be categorized as national scripts during the time of the Israelite kings of the Old Testament. He also became a specialist in the ways in which pottery changed over time. He graduated in 1977 with a PhD and married Denise Dick (BA '71) a few days later.

After a year at Andrews University researching the archaeological results of the Heshbon excavations that had just finished in Jordan, Larry and Denise accepted a call to spend six years as missionaries teaching in the seminary and graduate school of what is now called the Adventist International Institute of Advanced Studies near Manila, the Philippines. There he taught Old Testament subjects, archaeology, and biblical languages, while organizing the technical recordkeeping aspects of the new Adventist archaeological excavations which began near Heshbon in Jordan in 1984.

Both Larry and Denise then received appointments at Canadian University College (now Burman University) where they began teaching in 1985, elat-



edly moving from the tropics to Alberta in January. Larry has been known to quip: “Heaven will NOT be tropical!” They immediately felt at home there and have stayed ever since with Larry teaching in the Religious Studies department for 30 years. During that time, he has produced 166 peer-reviewed scholarly articles, 18 major books authored or edited, 50 popular articles on archaeology for church periodicals, and 17 scholarly book reviews. He has given 86 papers at professional conferences and almost 250 popular lectures in churches, schools and camp meetings. Larry has taken part in 30 archaeological excavations in Jordan, Israel and Tunisia, most as director or ceramic consultant.

He is a lifetime member of his professional organization, the American Schools of Oriental Research, and has served that organization as the chair of several committees, on editorial boards, and for 17 years has been the associate editor of the *Bulletin of the American Schools of Oriental Research*, the most prestigious journal in his field. He also served as president of the Canadian wing of that organization for nine years. He has published six major volumes reporting the Adventist excavations in Jordan which he directed between 1984 and 1998; two more have been completed over the last two years and are in press; he has plans to finish three more over the next three years.

He enjoys several hobbies, such as classical and jazz music, family histories, travel, and outdoor activities.



Fred M. Manchur

(BA '74)

Fred Manchur is the CEO of Kettering Health Network, a not-for-profit network

of eight hospitals, Kettering College, over 120 outpatient facilities serving southwest Ohio, and nearly 12,000 employees and 2,100 physicians.

He holds a Master of Science in public health from Loma Linda University in Loma Linda, California, and a Bachelor of Arts in business administration from Andrews University.

Fred began his career in health administration as an assistant administrator at the West Park Manor Personal Care Home in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada. While a graduate student at Loma Linda University, he also served as an administrative resident. After graduating he remained in California, with positions as vice president of Feather River Hospital in Paradise for five years, president of Hanford Community Hospital in Hanford, president of San Joaquin Community Hospital in Bakersfield, regional vice president at Adventist Health, president and CEO for Central California from 1996–1998 and Southern California from 1999–2001. He and Mary Kaye moved to Ohio

in 2001, where Fred was the Executive Vice President of Kettering Health Network and President of Kettering Medical Center.

Fred serves on the following boards: Adventist Development and Relief Agency, Andrews University, Ohio Conference Executive Committee, Columbia Union Executive Committee, Ohio Hospital Association, Dayton Development Coalition, It Is Written and Voice of Prophecy. He is actively involved in his community and the Kettering Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Fred lives life to the fullest, whether it's traveling, enjoying time and meals with family and friends, or working. His personal mission is to put faith first, family second and work third, and to have a positive impact wherever he is. He says, "At Andrews, I learned the importance of diversity, how important it is to give back to your community, not just professionally, but politically and spiritually as well. I also realized I could make my dreams a reality."

Fred's family are the light of his life. He and his wife, Mary Kaye, just celebrated their 44th anniversary. They have two adult children, Richard (Andrea) and Christina (Jared), and six grandchildren (Zori, Mica, Boden, Aubrey, Abigail and Collin).

Dr. Walter Carroll Thompson

(BA '57)

Walter Thompson served as a physician and surgeon for over 50 years before retiring in 2013. Walter arrived at Emmanuel Missionary College, cashless, in early June of 1952. He recalls, "Early the next morning I was taken to College Wood Products where I was introduced to two Brazilian students who taught me how to assemble drawers for desks and chests, given a hammer, and put to work."

Walter continued to work his way through college with a year off to maintain the family farm, a job with long hours in the cafeteria bakery, and summers spent laying brick and blocks around the community. He continues, "By working long hours and taking full pre-med course requirements, my grades suffered, but thanks to the fantastic faculty and the gracious understanding of Dr. Clark, dean of admissions at Loma Linda School of Medicine, I soon found myself enrolled in medical school—and thanks to the loving devotion of my new bride, Avonne (Nottelson), we arrived at Loma Linda debt free!" Walter graduated with his MD in 1961.

He completed his rotating internship at Hinsdale Sanitarium and Hospital from 1961–1962, before working at Guam Mission Clinic in the Marianas Islands for two years. Walter then worked in

general practice at the Battle Creek Sanitarium and Hospital in Battle Creek, Michigan from 1964–1968. He went on to complete a residency in general surgery at Loma Linda University-affiliated hospitals in California before receiving certifications from the American Board of Surgery and American Board of Family Medicine in 1972. He received his Emergency Medicine Board Certification in 1975.

With these impressive credentials and experience, Walter was well-equipped for his positions at Hinsdale Sanitarium and Hospital in Hinsdale, Illinois, where he practiced from 1972–2000, and as a surgical consultant and outpatient surgeon at Lawndale Christian Health Center in Chicago, Illinois from 1972–2013. He worked at several other hospitals in the Chicago area during his career. Upon his retirement, Walter continued to volunteer at Open Arms Free Clinic in Elkhorn, Wisconsin.

He has served on the boards of multiple notable organizations, including Your Story Hour, It Is Written, Christian Lifestyle Medicine and more. Walter also served as chair of the Board of Directors for Three Angels Broadcasting Network from 1997–2011.

He is currently a member of the American College of Surgeons and the Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honor Society. Walter has also written several professional papers and authored 15 published books.

His passion for mission is evident from multiple mission trips to Haiti, Russia, Pakistan, Cambodia, Brazil, Ghana, Rwanda, Nigeria, Papua New Guin-



ea, Cuba and Poland, where he provided general and surgical healthcare and lectured on preventative health. His interests include writing, gardening, stained glass work, woodworking and carpentry, Bible studies and classes, radio and television ministry. Walter states, "Andrews gave us everything we needed to prepare us for a long and very successful professional experience."

Walter and Avonne have two children, Gregory (BA '84) and Cynthia.

Carrie VanDenburgh

(BMus '00, MMus '02)

Carrie VanDenburgh is a California native who grew up in a musical family, studying piano and violin from an early age. Although she loved to sing and grew up singing in choirs, she never thought it was something she would pursue until her high school choir teacher gave her a solo. Following her graduation from high school, Carrie studied with Genevieve Kibble at Pacific Union College for two years before transferring to Andrews University to study under the tutelage of

Stephen Zork. Carrie completed her Bachelor of Music in vocal performance in 2000 and obtained her Master of Music in vocal performance in 2002, both from Andrews University.

“I transferred to Andrews University from Pacific Union College to study with Stephen Zork,” Carrie says. “My time at Andrews was instrumental in developing my love for music, clarifying my focus, and eventually influencing my decision to pursue music education. Mr. Zork’s professionalism and passion inspired me to focus on choral conducting. I learned so much from him and my other professors in the music department that I decided to continue my studies and complete a master’s in music.”

Carrie has been the soprano soloist for Bach’s “Magnificat,” John Rutter’s “Gloria,” Benjamin Britten’s “Ceremony of Carols,” Handel’s “Messiah,” Mozart’s “Laudate Dominum,” Haydn’s “Lord Nelson Mass,” Ramirez’s “Misa Criolla,” and was Julie in the musical Carousel and Marian Paroo in The Music Man with the Southwest Michigan Symphony Orchestra. Carrie was also a winner in the Young Artist Competition at Andrews University in 2000 and 2001.

She has taught at Bridgman High School as the choral director and at Lake Michigan College where she taught aural comprehension, music theory and voice lessons.



Currently, Carrie VanDenburgh is serving her eighth year as the choir teacher at Berrien Springs Middle and High School, where she teaches six ensembles. Her choirs continually receive

Excellent ratings at the district and state levels. She is also the choir director at Harbert Community Church and a member of The Three Divas of Southwest Michigan, a group that uses their background in opera, musical theatre and jazz to entertain the Southwest Michigan area.

Carrie continues, “I grew significantly during my studies at Andrews, and I’m thankful to the music department for teaching musicianship and showing me how to teach others to love music as well. All of my professors at Andrews demonstrated what it means to be a Master Teacher through their dedication and love.”

Carrie lives in St. Joseph, Michigan, with her amazing and supportive husband, David VanDenburgh (BA ’00, MA ’11), her two boys Jakob and Joshua, and their dog Marlow. She also loves and enjoys the beauty of Lake Michigan and her and her family enjoy sailing, kayaking and paddle boarding on the Lake.

Campus Facilities

Andrews University

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. Swim times are included below, or you can check the real-time pool schedule at andrews.edu/pool. Please bring your Homecoming name badge for identification.

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

Open Swim
Thursday 7–8:30 p.m.
Sunday 7:30–8:30 p.m.

Dining Services
Terrace Café—269-471-3161
Thurs, Fri 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.

Breakfast pricing:
\$8.22 (dine-in), \$9.28 (take-out)

Senior citizen pricing:
\$7.69 (dine-in), \$9.28 (take-out)

Luncheon/Supper pricing:
\$9.81 (dine-in); \$10.87 (take-out)
Senior citizen pricing:
\$9.01 (dine-in), \$10.87 (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.

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.–5 p.m.
Friday 7 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Guest & Convention Services—269-471-3360
University Towers Lobby,
8400 West Campus Circle Drive

Local Business Directory

Apple Valley Market—269-471-3234
Thursday 7 a.m.–11 p.m.
Friday 7 a.m.–6:30 p.m.
Sunday 8 a.m.–11 p.m.

Adventist Book Center (ABC)
—269-471-7331

Bring your Homecoming 2017 program to receive a 25 percent discount off one regularly priced item. Some exclusions apply. **Coupon expires October 15, 2017.**
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 10:30 a.m.–6 p.m.
Friday 10:30 a.m.–5 p.m.
Sunday 10:30 a.m.–2 p.m.

Baguette de France—269-473-2355
Thursday 10 a.m.–10 p.m.
Friday 10 a.m.–7 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.

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OUR MISSION

The Andrews University Alumni Association supports the Andrews mission by engaging and connecting with the University community locally, nationally and globally. This is achieved by creating sustainable, enduring relationships with Andrews University and with each other.

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Acknowledgements

Welcome back to our corner of Southwest Michigan. I have no doubt that the turning leaves and crisp mornings will bring fond memories of your time spent here at Andrews University. We couldn't think of a better time to be celebrating you, our alums, on this beautiful campus.

Whether you find yourself here often or this is your first time back in 50 years, thank you for making the effort to come back.

As Andrews University welcomed back its students just a few short weeks ago, faculty, staff and volunteers have been working hard to prepare for your homecoming. We have over 40 events planned, both on campus as well in the surrounding community that we call home. I am thankful for everyone's efforts to make this the best homecoming weekend it can be.

While you spend these few short days with us, I hope you take a moment to lift up our Andrews students, faculty and staff in prayer. This is a truly remarkable institution that continues to empower students to change the world. I thank you for being a part of this family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andriy Kharkovyy". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

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

Mark Your Calendars Now!

Homecoming 2018

September 27–30, 2018

HONOR CLASSES

1948, 1958, 1968, 1978, 1988,
1993, 1998, 2008, 2013, 2017

Will you be a member of an upcoming honor class? Start planning now to partner with us to make Homecoming more meaningful for both you and your classmates. We are excited to introduce two new honor class years beginning in 2018, the **one-year** honor class and the **five-year** honor class. We invite our younger alumni to return to campus and reconnect with friends and their university. If you're interested in serving as a reunion leader or willing to volunteer in any capacity, please contact the Office of Alumni Services at 269-471-3591, alumni@andrews.edu. Getting involved is a great way to make a difference!

Building Code List

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|--------------|----------------------------|--------------|--|
| AA | Andrews Academy | HPAC | Howard Performing Arts Center |
| AAP | Andrews Airpark | HYH | Haughey Hall |
| AD | Administration Building | HH | Halenz Hall |
| ADC | Art & Design Center | IPA | Institute for Prevention of Addictions |
| AG | Agriculture | IS | Information Services |
| AH | Alumni House | JGYM | Johnson Gym |
| ARB | Arboretum/Grounds | JWL | James White Library |
| ARCH | Architecture | LH | Lamson Hall |
| AV | Apple Valley Market | MED | Medical Center |
| BGYM | Beaty Gym | MEIER | Meier Hall |
| BH | Bell Hall | MSH | Marsh Hall |
| BUL | Buller Hall | NH | Nethery Hall |
| BURM | Burman Hall | OBS | Robert & Lillis Kingman Observatory |
| CC | Campus Center | PATH | Pathfinder Building |
| CSH | Chan Shun Hall | PH | Price Hall |
| CUST | Custodial Services | PMC | Pioneer Memorial Church |
| DH | Damazo Hall | POWR | Power Plant |
| DAIRY | Dairy | PS | Plant Services |
| FARM | Farm | PT | Physical Therapy |
| FHH | Forsyth Honors House | RMES | Ruth Murdoch Elementary School |
| GAG | Garland Apts G | SC | Service Center |
| GH-A | Griggs Hall-A | SEM | Seminary |
| GH-B | Griggs Hall-B | SFTY | Campus Safety |
| HAR | Harrigan Hall | SH | Smith Hall |
| HML | Hamel Hall | SUH | Sutherland House |
| HORN | Horn Archaeological Museum | TH | Tubing Hill |
| | | TRNS | Transportation |
| | | UT | University Towers |
| | | WWTP | Wastewater Treatment Plant |