

Friday Evening, Nov. 21
6:45 pm to 9:30 pm

Paradise Valley Church
2701 E 8th St, National City

Session VI: Dinner and Presidential Addresses with the Adventist Theological Society

Teresa Reeve, Andrews University, and Lael Caesar, *Adventist Review*, presiding
ATS Presidential Address Tom Shepherd, Andrews University
"We Thank God for You." *How Thanksgiving Transforms Our Walk: A Study in the
Theology of Colossians*
ASRS Presidential Address Ranko Stefanovic, Andrews University
The Meaning and Message of the Beatitudes in the Sermon on the Mount
(Matthew 5-7)

NOTE: Busses will leave the Hilton Bayfront for Paradise Valley Church at 5:45

Sabbath Morning, Nov. 22

Grand Hyatt Coronado B

9:00 Devotional

Zane Yi, Loma Linda University

9:15 Session VI: Papers

Chris Oberg, La Sierra University Church, presiding
John Brunt, Azure Hills Church
Biblical and Contemporary Metaphors for Church
Ross Winkle, Pacific Union College
The 'Sanctuary Doctrine' and the Hydrological Ecclesiology of the Temple
Marlene Ferreras, La Sierra University
*How Does Our Reading of Judges 1:14-15 Influence the 'Practice' of Ecclesiology in
Ciudad Juárez?*
Ernie Bursey, Adventist University of Health Sciences
"And to the church that meets in your house:" Plumbing the Plural in Philemon

11:00 Worship

Maury Jackson, La Sierra University, sermon
*A Complex Temple or a Temple Complex: Denominational Families and Theological
Traditions*

BUSINESS MEETING AGENDA

1. Election of a nominating committee
2. Election of a vice president
3. Election of a secretary-treasurer
4. Future ASRS topic(s)
5. Leadership assistance
6. Society affiliation report
7. ASRS fees

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president; Ernest Furness, secretary/treasurer; Gerald Wheeler, newsletter editor

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Thursday Evening, Nov. 20

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7:00 Registration

Reception provided by Andrews University Press, Kettering College, Faith Search Partners, H. M. S. Richards School of Divinity, Loma Linda Medical Center, Loma Linda School of Religion and NAD Ministerial department.

7:45 Session I: Papers

Welcome: Sandy Roberts, president Southeastern California Conference
Teresa Reeve, Andrews University, presiding
David E. Thomas, Walla Walla University
From “Ekklesia” to Something Else
Kendra Haloviak Valentine, La Sierra University
Community and Change: Hymnody and Ecclesiastical Unity
Mitchell Tyner, retired General Conference associate general counsel
How Law Affects Adventist Ecclesiology
Alex Bryan, Walla Walla University Church
Adventist Ecclesiology and The One Project

9:15 Business Session I

Mark F. Carr, Kettering College and Teresa Reeve, Andrews University, presiding

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8:00 Devotional

David L. Taylor, pastor, University Church, Los Angeles

8:15 Business Session II

Mark F. Carr and Teresa Reeve presiding

8:30 Session II: Papers

Ross Winkle, Pacific Union College, presiding
Esther Knott, Andrews University
Report: NAD Ministerial Education Initiative
Rahel Schafer, Andrews University
Should We Bring Our Dogs to Church? Non-Human Animals and Ecclesiology

Ben Holdsworth, Union College
Rethinking Adventist Ecclesiology for a Climate-Impacted World
Clinton Baldwin, Northern Caribbean University
The Nexus of Church and the Evolution of the Sacred Text

10:00 Session III: Papers

Mark F. Carr, Kettering College, presiding
Ann Gibson, Andrews University
The Chief and the Church
Gerald Winslow, Loma Linda University
How Adventist Healthcare Affects Adventist Ecclesiology
Leslie Pollard, Oakwood University
How Regional Conferences Affect Adventist Ecclesiology
Richard Winn, Western Association of Schools and Colleges
How Education Affects Adventist Ecclesiology

11:45 Business Session III

Mark F. Carr and Teresa Reeve presiding

12:00 Lunch

Friday Afternoon, Nov. 21

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1:30 Session IV: Papers

Charles Scriven, Dayton Ohio, presiding
James Walters, Loma Linda University
Authentic, Divergent Faces of Adventism—and the Future
Olive J. Hemmings, Washington Adventist University
The Emerging Church, Oprah Winfrey, and the Reshaping of American Consciousness
Richard Rice, Loma Linda University
From Adventist Anthropology to Adventist Ecclesiology

3:10 Business Session IV

Mark F. Carr and Teresa Reeve presiding

3:30 Session I: Sectional Meeting

Christian Theology and History: Martin Hanna, Andrews University, convener
New Testament: Erhard Gallos, Andrews University, convener
Old Testament: Alden Thompson, Walla Walla University, convener
Philosophy and Ethics: Zane Yi, Loma Linda University and Timothy Golden, West Chester University of Pennsylvania, conveners
Practical Theology: Ernie Furness, Southeastern California Conference, convener
Religion and Culture: Carla Gober-Park, Loma Linda University, convener
World Religions/Missiology: Paul Dybdahl, Walla Walla University, convener

4:30 Special Meetings

Black Theology Group: Leslie Pollard, Oakwood University, convener
Women in Theology Group: Ginger Hanks-Harwood and Mindy Bielas, conveners