Join us at the Northwest ASI SPRING EDWARD D. HANSEN EVERETT, WA

April 19-22

THEME: LOVE HEALS



Dear ASI Members and Friends,

""Roll up your sleeves, let's go to work", my great grandfather would say on the farm. Picking rocks out of the fields was a necessary part of farming/ranching in Southeast Idaho

in preparing the ground for planting and harvest. Monuments to our family's work still stand tall near land that was once covered in rock.

This year the ASI convention is going to be different, but in a way I think you'll like. We will begin with a devotional Thursday evening at 6:30pm with our weekend speaker, Dick Duerksen, followed by an orientation for the Everett AMEN Clinic to be staffed by our ASI members on Friday and Sunday! This town of over 100,000 is a community with many needs—needs we can help fill with our time. Whether you're a healthcare worker, dental or vision professional, or a general volunteer, please plan on joining us to help serve the expected 800-1,000 patients.

Friday evening we'll be blessed with a full program of singing, and testimonies as we bring in the Sabbath in grand fashion in the Puget Sound. Elder Duerksen will again lead us on an adventure, which he'll conclude Saturday evening. Sabbath morning we'll be treated to Sabbath School by Dr. John McVay, then church with Elder Doug Bing, a longtime friend and president of the Washington Conference. Beautiful music will be provided throughout, and you'll be treated to testimonies from several of our members in action.

Roll up your sleeves with me, let's go to work for the Lord in Everett, Washington!

Fred Cornforth

ASI Northwest Chapter President

PRESENTERS:

Dick Duerksen is the Oregon Conference Assistant to the President for Creative Ministries. Elder Duerksen is a pastor, author, and professional photographer, and describes himself as an "itinerant pollinator of grace."



Elder Doug Bing is a visionary, relational, consensusbuilding leader who enjoys working with teams and prayerfully seeking God's guidance. His experience in church growth, church planting, outreach, and education serve him well in his position as President of the

Washington Conference.

Dr. Todd Guthrie, is an orthopedic surgeon who desires to see the Good News of the gospel take off like fire in the stubble. He is a board member and past president of the Adventist Medical Evangelism Network, and believes that treating the whole per-

son provides unique opportunities for sharing God's love and grace.



Dr. John McVay has served as a faculty member at Pacific Union College, and dean of the SDA Theological Seminary at Andrews University, and currently President of Walla Walla University.

AMEN CLINIC

ASI attendees and AMEN volunteers will run a free medical clinic on Friday and Sunday! Medical and non-medical volunteers are needed. Orientation will take place on Thursday night at 7:00pm.

The clinic will run Friday–Sunday, 8:00am to 4:00pm. Childcare will be provided for registered ASI attendees with pottytrained children ages 4–13. **IMPORTANT:** Be sure to sign up



ahead of time at ameneverett.org. Once you sign up you will receive a welcome email with additional information.

LOCATION

The Edward D. Hansen Conference Center is part of the Angel of the Winds Arena, located just off of Interstate 5 in Everett, WA, and 20 miles North of Seattle. Physical address is 2000 Hewitt Ave, Everett, WA



LODGING

Just minutes from Boeing Everett Assembly Plant and Paine Field, the Courtyard

Marriott Hotel has amazing views of the Puget Sound and the Olympic Peninsula. Only two blocks from Edward D Hansen Conference Center the hotel features modern,

spacious rooms and suites with free Wi-Fi, microwave, refrigerator and a flat screen TV. heated indoor pool, whirlpool, and fitness room.



Convention attendees will receive a negotiated room rate of \$114 per night (max occupancy 4). Ask for the ASI Northwest Rate. Prices guaranteed until March 29, 2018. For reservation call (425) 259-2200. You may also book online at <u>asinorthwest.org</u>

Physical address is 3003 Colby Ave, Everett, WA.

Prices exclusive of tax. Cancelation fees may apply if cancelled less than 48 hours before arrival.



IMPORTANT DETAILS

REGISTRATION: Mail-in registration deadline is April 12, 2018. For registration requests after this date call 360-857-7037. Refer to the registration form for a breakdown of registration cost.

FOOD: ASI will serve four meals (Sabbath breakfast and lunch and supper, and Sunday breakfast). Three additional meals will be served to AMEN volunteers (Friday Breakfast and lunch, and Sunday Lunch). Attendees are on their own for Thursday and Friday supper. All meals will be vegetarian with nondairy options.

EXHIBITORS: Exhibitor space will be available adjacent to the main meeting room. The cost is \$75 for ASI members, \$95 for non-members. To reserve exhibitor space, please select the appropriate option on the convention registration form. Exhibits will be set up on the second floor landing.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS: Programming will be available for children ages 4-11 on Friday night and all day Sabbath.

CONVENTION CHECK-IN: Pick up your welcome packet on the third floor landing of the Edward D. Hansen Conference Center on Thursday, April 18 from 4:00-6:30pm or 8:00-9:00pm.

WHAT IS ASI?

Adventist-laymen's Services and Industries (ASI) is an organization of Seventh-day Adventist church members who are engaged in full or part time ministry, or work in the private sector in business and professional vocations.



CONTACT US: For more information about ASI or to register for the convention, please call the North Pacific Union Conference at 360-857-7037 or send an email to northwestasi@gmail.com.

Membership includes men and women from nearly every walk of life. They represent all the diversity that is found within the



Seventh-day Adventist Church.

The ASI philosophy promotes a Christ-centered lifestyle, manifested by a commitment to be in daily partnership with God. Members seek to live out God's love in their own lives and share that love with the millions of people they encounter in their business and professional activities each year-hence the motto, Sharing Christ in the Marketplace.

MISSION: ASI-the organization of Seventh-day Adventist lay persons involved in professions, industry, education, and/or services—exists to provide challenge, nurture and experience in Sharing Christ in the Marketplace as well as to support the global mission of the Seventh-day Adventist Church.



VISION: ASI and its members will be known for their unswerving honesty in business principles and practices, unflagging participation in the various

ministries of the church, unwavering positiveness toward church leadership, unhesitating provision for the needs of others, and untiring focus on the Christ they represent in the marketplace.



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