



TOUCHED BY CHICA

"...But where sin abounded, grace abounded much more."

- ROMANS 5:20 NKJV

The heart of the gospel is grace - God's unmerited, overflowing love reaching into our brokenness to heal, restore, and transform. To be touched by grace is to experience the personal, transformative love of Christ that redeems us from sin, sustains us through trials, and equips us to share His compassion with others.

The Power of Grace Revealed in Jesus

Grace is seen most clearly in Jesus. He touched lepers with healing hands, stilled the torment of the possessed, forgave sinners with words of life, and even in His final breath prayed forgiveness for those who crucified Him. Each act revealed the Father's heart of grace - a love stronger than sin, deeper than suffering, and wider than any human failing.

When Paul declared, "where sin abounded, grace abounded much more" (Romans 5:20), he was testifying to the inexhaustible nature of God's mercy. Grace is never overwhelmed by sin or despair; rather, it overflows, covering the deepest wounds and offering new life.

Grace That Transforms Lives

The gospel is filled with testimonies of people whose lives were radically changed by a touch of grace. The man once possessed by a legion of demons became the first missionary to Decapolis. The woman at the well, once shamed and isolated, became a bold witness for Christ. Paul, once a persecutor, became the apostle of grace.

Their stories echo a central truth: grace never leaves us as it finds us. It not only forgives but transforms. The same power that forgave the adulterous woman also enabled her to "go and sin no more." Grace clothes us with dignity, restores our identity, and calls us into service for others.

Living "Touched By Grace"

To live touched by grace means more than acknowledging God's forgiveness, it means experiencing His transforming presence daily. Grace is practical and personal. It sustains the weary, comforts the grieving, strengthens the weak, and empowers us to extend compassion to others.

For us, as medical professionals, grace takes on a special meaning. In every patient we treat, every colleague we work with, every challenge we face, we are invited to reflect Christ's compassion. Grace teaches us to see beyond symptoms to souls, beyond routines to relationships, beyond ourselves to Christ.

A Call to Witness

In a world numb to suffering and often striving in self-reliance, grace calls us back to dependence on God. It reminds us that we cannot heal or save on our own, but only through Christ working in us. Our role is to testify to what we have personally seen, heard, and experienced.

As Ellen White wrote,

"Our confession of His faithfulness is Heaven's chosen agency for revealing Christ to the world.... That which will be most effectual is the testimony of our own experience. We are witnesses for God as we reveal in ourselves the working of a power that is divine. Every individual has a life distinct from all others, and an experience differing essentially from theirs.... These precious acknowledgments to the praise of the glory of His grace, when supported by a Christ-like life, have an irresistible power that works for the salvation of souls."

- The Desire of Ages, p. 347.3

Grace is not just God's response to sin; it is His invitation to new life. It is the assurance that no matter how far we have fallen, God's love reaches further still. To be touched by grace is to be transformed by Jesus, and then to become instruments of His grace in a hurting world.

This year, the theme "Touched By Grace," will invite us to explore the depths of God's abundant grace. Together we will discover how His grace meets us in weakness, redeems us, sustains us, provides hope, and sends us forth to serve with compassion and boldness. May we not only marvel at God's grace but be living witnesses of it.



THURSDAY OCTOBER 30, 2025

Business Meeting: 5:00 - 6:00 pm

Santee FGH

Supper: 5:00 - 7:00 pm

Santee FGH + Savannah Ballroom

Evening Meeting: 7:20 - 9:00 pm

Santee Ballroom

From Breakdown to Breakthrough: A Journey of Grace

Speaker: Josianne Bailey-Abesamis, MD

FRIDAY OCTOBER 31, 2025

Partners in Prayer: 6:00 – 7:00 am

Savannah Ballroom

Leader: Don McLafferty

Devotional: 7:00 – 7:30 am

Santee Ballroom

Grace in the Darkness

Speaker: Don McLafferty

Network Walks: 7:30 – 8:30 am

Meet in the Santee Ballroom

See Network Walk Leaders p. 28

Breakfast: 8:00 – 9:15 am

Oceanfront Pavilion

Plenary Session I: 9:30 – 10:40 am

Santee Ballroom

Grace at Work: How Faith Transforms Physicians, Patients, and Practice

Speaker: Roger Seheult, MD

Plenary Session II: 10:50 – 12:00 pm

Santee Ballroom

The Blessing of Brokenness and Grace

Speaker: Christine Han, DDS

Lunch: 12:45-1:45pm

Oceanfront Pavilion

Breakout Sessions A: 2:00 – 3:00 pm

Dental: Carlos Prado, DDS

Salon F

180° – The Life Transforming Decision: How Mission Work

Transforms Lives and Challenges Limits

Medical: Esteban Arevalo, MD

Salon GH

Navigating Spouse Satisfaction During Medical Training and Practice:

A Case Report and Review of the Literature

Blended Ministry: Zeno Charles-Marcel, MD

Savannah

Whole People Doing Wholistic Ministry: The Integration of Healing and

Discipleship

Allied Health: Melanie Quion, RN

Dorchester

Grace Skin Deep: Two Truckloads of Dirt

Eye Track: Todd Lang, OD

Jasper

Vision for Life: How Lifestyle Medicine Protects Your Eyes and Health

Breakout Sessions B: 3:10 – 4:10 pm

Dental: Rick Beckermeyer, DDS

Salon F

Situational Grace: Applying Faith to Daily Practice

Medical: Dafne Moretta, MD

Salon GH

Pulmonary Hypertension: Clinical Insights and Grace-Filled Care

Blended Ministry: Pastor Finley & Chidi Ngwaba, MD

Savannah

The Integration of Faith and Healing

Allied Health: Gus Moretta, NP

Dorchester

Paper Towel Evangelism: Spreading the Gospel Under the Radar

Eye Track: Jacob Prabhaker Chindrupu, MD

Jasper

Touched by Grace: Reflecting Christ Through Practical Community Eye Care

Breakout Sessions C: 4:20 - 5:20 pm

Dental: Carlos Moretta, MD

Salon F

Grace Under Fire: Management of the Difficult Patient

Medical: Westney White, MD & Anthony Baca (Medical Student)

Salon GH

Touched by Grace: Building Community Through Compassionate

Outreach and Church Planting

Blended Ministry: Pastor Harper and Royce Bailey, MD

Savannah

Transformed by Grace: Ten Years of Whole-Person Ministry

Allied Health: Julie McKinney, DNP

Dorchester

Grace in Action: Sharing Christ in Every Aspect of Life

Eye Track: Aldo Espinosa, MD

Jasper

Ocular Emergencies: How to share hope and grace in the midst of trauma

Supper: 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Oceanfront Pavilion

Evening Meeting: 7:00 – 9:00 pm

Santee Ballroom

AMEN Missions – International AMEN Chapter Reports/Testimonies

Speaker: Laura (DDS) & Brent (MD) Sherwin Instruments of Healing, Witnesses of Grace

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*Refer to page 25 for the Accreditation and Disclosure Statement:

SESSION A 2:00–3:00 pm **SESSION B** 3:10–4:10 pm 4:20-5:20 pm SESSION C **FRIDAY** Carlos Moretta, DDS Rick Beckermeyer, Carlos Prado, DDS SALON F DDS **SALON GH** Chidi Ngwaba, MD and Pastor Mark Finley SAVANNAH **DORCHESTER** Aldo Espinoza, MD Jacob Prabahkar Chindrupu, MD Todd Lang, OD **JASPER**

SABBATH NOVEMBER 1, 2025

Partners in Prayer: 6:00 – 7:00 am Savannah Ballroom

Leader: Don McLafferty

Devotional: 7:00 – 7:30 am Santee Ballroom

Grace for the Wounded

Speaker: Don McLafferty

Network Walks: 7:30 – 8:30 am Meet in Santee Ballroom

See Network Walk Leaders p. 28

Breakfast: 8:00 – 9:15 am Oceanfront Pavilion **Sabbath School:** 9:30 – 11:00 am+

Santee Ballroom +

Discussion Leaders: Upstairs + Oceanfront Pavilion

Pastor Finley and Anthony Baca (Medical Student)

Divine Service: 11:10 am – 12:50 pm Santee Ballroom

Touched by Grace

Speaker: Pastor Daniel Jiao

Lunch: 1:00 – 2:30 pm Oceanfront Pavilion + Shipyard Beach Club

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Outreach: 3:00 – 4:30 pm Lowcountry Celebration Park

Supper: 6:00 – 7:00 pm Oceanfront Pavilion + Shipyard Beach Club

(outside then on the left of the walkway to the beach)

Evening Meeting: 7:20 – 9:00 pm Santee Ballroom

Amazing Grace

Speaker: AMEN Presidential Charge - John Shin, MD

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 2, 2025

Partners in Prayer: 6:00 – 7:00 am Savannah Ballroom

Leader: Don McLafferty

Devotional: 7:00 – 7:30 am Santee Ballroom

Grace for Your Elisha

Speaker: Don McLafferty

Network Walks: 7:30 – 8:30 am Meet in Santee Ballroom

See Network Walk Leaders p. 28

Breakfast: 8:00 – 9:15 am Oceanfront Pavilion

Led "Touched By Grace" in Prayer

PARTNERS IN PRAYER • SAVANNAH BALLROOM • LEADER: DON MCLAFFERTY

There is a great need for us to be "Touched by Grace" that we may experience the full blessing of this conference. We invite you to join us for 'Partners in Prayer' each morning at 6:00 am.

\dots 'NOT BY MIGHT NOR BY POWER, BUT BY MY SPIRIT,' SAYS THE LORD OF HOSTS. - ZECHARIAH 4:6

If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him!" - Luke 11:13

Now to Him who is able to do exceedingly abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that works in us, to Him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus to all generations, forever and ever. Amen. – *Ephesians 3:21*

Those who meet together for prayer will receive an unction (anointing) from the Holy One. There is great need of secret prayer, but there is also need that several Christians meet together and unite with earnestness their petitions to God. – *In Heavenly Places*, p. 91

It is in the order of God that those who bear responsibilities should often meet together to counsel with one another and to pray earnestly for that wisdom which He alone can impart. Unitedly make known your troubles to God. Talk less; much precious time is lost in talk that brings no light. Let brethren unite in fasting and prayer for the wisdom that God has promised to supply liberally. – *Gospel Workers*, p. 417

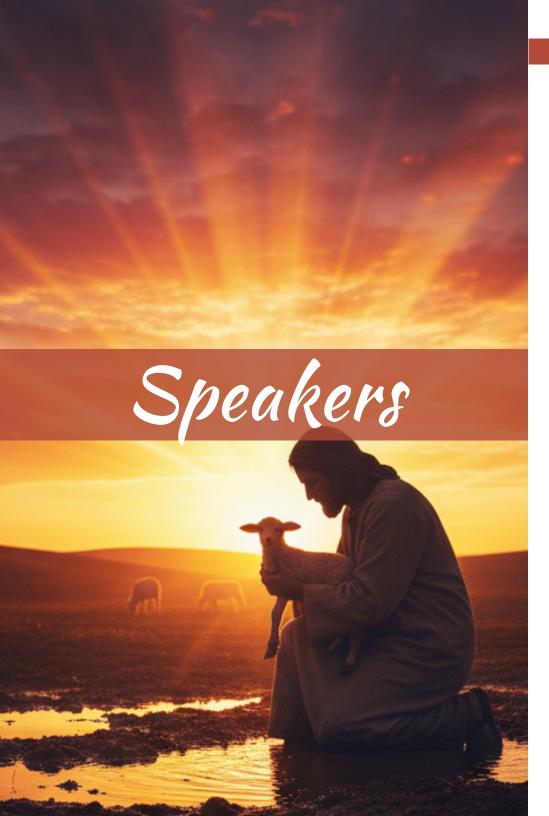
If all were willing, all would be filled with the Spirit... Since this is the means by which we are to receive power, why do we not hunger and thirst for the gift of the Spirit? Why do we not talk of it, pray for it, and preach concerning it? The Lord is more willing to give the Holy Spirit to those who serve Him than parents are to give good gifts to their children. For the daily baptism of the Spirit every worker should offer his petition to God. – Acts of the Apostles, p. 50

What marvelous results would appear if the united prayers of this company were to ascend to God in living faith! Jesus stands ready to take these petitions and present them to His Father, saying, "I know these persons by name. Send answers to their prayers; for I have graven their names on the palms of My hands."— Historical Sketches of the Foreign Missions of the Seventh-day Adventists, 152 (1886). – Evangelism, p. 414

We should pray as earnestly for the descent of the Holy Spirit as the disciples prayed on the day of Pentecost. Without the Spirit and power of God it will be in vain that we labor to present the truth. *Testimonies for the Church, vol. 5, p. 158*

Prayer is the breath of the soul. It is the secret of spiritual power. No other means of grace can be substituted, and the health of the soul be preserved. Prayer brings the heart into immediate contact with the Well-spring of life, and strengthens the sinew and muscle of the religious experience. – *Gospel Workers*, p. 254

⁺ Sabbath School lesson booklets available at the registration desk.



From Breakdown to Breakthrough: A Journey of Grace

Josianne Bailey-Abesamis, MD

OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- . Reflect on how personal and professional challenges during medical training can shape character, calling, and compassion through reliance on God's guidance.
- Discuss the role of faith, God's grace, and spiritual renewal in navigating failure, disappointment, and growth.
- Identify practical ways to apply God-centered lessons of grace and resilience to enhance empathy, well-being, and ministry in patient care.

DESCRIPTION:

In this reflective session, the speaker shares a personal journey through failure and restoration during medical training - a story of being touched by grace. Through honest reflection and faith-based insight, participants will explore how grace can transform breakdowns into breakthroughs, cultivating resilience, humility, and a renewed sense of purpose in medicine.

Dr. Josianne Bailey-Abesamis is a graduate of Loma Linda University School of Medicine in California, where she also completed her Internal Medicine residency. She currently serves as the Associate Medical Director for the East Campus Hospital at Loma Linda University Medical Center and practices throughout the system as a hybrid hospitalist, providing both inpatient and outpatient care. As a clinician-educator, she is deeply committed to training the next generation of physicians, guided by the mission of whole-person care.

Devotionals

Don MacLafferty

Friday: Grace in the Darkness | Kings 19:1-8

Jesus meets you in the darkest moments when you wonder if you are forgotten. Elijah ran in the darkness and discovered God was closer than He thought!

Sabbath: Grace for the Wounded I Kings 19:9-18, Luke 1:17

Jesus meets your brokenness with His healing power. God met Elijah at a pivotal moment in his life to heal Him and send him out again on mission!

Sunday: Grace for Your Elisha I Kings 19:19-21, 2 Kings 2:1-15

Jesus meets you daily through His Word and sends you to mentor your Elisha. God empowered Elijah to disciple Elisha to go far beyond him. You can too!

Don MacLafferty is a disciple of Jesus Christ, a husband to his bride April for 37 years, a dad to their three children, a pastor for over 25 years and Founder/President of In Discipleship. In 2002 God moved the hearts of Don and April to launch Kids In Discipleship - a ministry to call parents back to discipling their own kids to Christ and to find their Godgiven dream in serving others. On November 22, 2016 God called Don and April to champion intergenerational revival and the discipling of the new generations as full time volunteers free to serve wherever God calls. Don also volunteers as the lead trainer on the General Conference Ministerial team for the Back to the Altar training. They live in Apison, Tennessee.



Grace at Work: How Faith Transforms Physicians, Patients, and Practice

Roger Seheult, MD

OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- Describe how personal testimony and professional calling can integrate to create a powerful witness for Christ in medicine.
- Identify biblical examples—such as the Jewish nobleman, the paralytic at the pool of Bethesda, and the Centurion—that illustrate how faith and grace bring healing and restoration.
- Explain how experiences in professional platforms (e.g., media, leadership, and influence) can become opportunities to reveal God's grace.
- 4. Implement practical ways to reflect God's grace in clinical practice, patient encounters, and professional relationships.
- Apply lessons from the speaker's testimony to recognize their own position as a physician or healthcare worker as a God-qiven platform for ministry.

DESCRIPTION:

What happens when the healing touch of medicine meets the transforming power of grace? In this session, Dr. Roger Seheult shares his testimony as both physician and Bible worker, weaving together personal experiences—from international platforms to everyday patient encounters—with biblical stories of faith and healing. Through these stories, attendees will discover how their own positions in healthcare can become powerful avenues for witnessing God's grace. Come ready to be inspired, equipped, and reminded that when faith and medicine unite, lives are transformed.

Dr. Roger Seheult is a quadruple board-certified physician in Internal Medicine, Pulmonary, Critical Care, and Sleep Medicine, and serves as Assistant Clinical Professor at the Loma Linda University School of Medicine. He is the co-founder of MedCram, a global medical education ministry reaching millions of learners with CME-accredited content, and has lectured nationally and internationally on faith, health, and medicine. Through his clinical work, teaching, and media ministry, Dr. Seheult is passionate about "demystifying" medical concepts and using his platform to point others to the healing power of Christ.

The Blessing of Brokenness and Grace Christine Han, DDS

OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- Identify personal barriers that keep us from fully receiving God's grace and co-laboring with Him in the dental or medical practice.
- Understand how our view of Christ's character shapes the way we receive and extend His grace.

- 3. Explore practical ways to experience God's grace in our individual, spiritual walk and how this strengthens our witnessing in the workplace.
- Recognize how God's healing grace in our trials equips us to connect with our patients and c coworkers in similar struggles.

DESCRIPTION:

Life is fragile and so is our human nature, often bruised by the trials we face. Our trials draw us closer to God and teach us to depend on Him and His sustaining grace. Have you ever been touched by God's grace in one area of your life but struggled to recognize it in another? Have you wondered about the purpose behind the testimony God is writing in your life? In this presentation, Dr. Christine Han will weave her personal testimony with the lessons God has been teaching her about His grace and how His redeeming love propels us to share Him with our coworkers and patients.

Dr. Christine Han is a graduate of Loma Linda University School of Dentistry. She is a general dentist who practices in Southern California. Her greatest joy at work is sharing about Christ to her patients and coworkers through meaningful conversations and praying with them. She attributes her spiritual journey and life lessons to her late father. Through the example of his faith, she is passionate about spiritual care and encouraging others by sharing what God has done. She has been involved with AMEN through participating as a pre-dental/dental student and dentist in various clinics and as a mentor for AMESA Sabbath afternoon gatherings. She is grateful for the spiritual impact and like-minded community that AMEN brings as well as its influence on her professional and personal life.

Instruments of Healing, Witnesses of Grace

Laura (DDS) & Brent Sherwin, MD

On the ground experiences of life in a cross-cultural mission setting. We are privileged to see God work in seemingly impossible situations, but also daily feel the weight of working within a low-resource setting. Through it all, God is still in control and extends grace to us, His (mostly) willing servants.

Brent is a general surgeon and Laura is a general dentist. They have been serving as medical missionaries at Malamulo Adventist Hospital (Malawi) with their two small children since 2021.

Sabbath School: Touched By Grace Pastor Finley and Anthony Baca (Medical Student)

Although semi-'retired', Pastor Mark Finley is extremely active in ministry. He serves as an assistant to the president of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists. He is a renowned evangelist, having presented well over 200 evangelistic series around the world, most recently, Hope for Africa, the largest evangelistic campaign in SDA history with well over one hundred thousand baptisms. Medical ministry is near and dear to Finley's heart. He has been working with physicians and other...



... healthcare professionals throughout his career. Pastor Finley and his wife Teenie are a dynamic ministry team passionate about sharing the love of Jesus and using the health message as an entering wedge. They have 3 grown children and 5 grandchildren.

Anthony Baca is currently a medical student at Loma Linda University School of Medicine and serves as the director of Advent HOPE. He was a former Bible worker at SOULS West College of Evangelism, the Pacific Union Conference's College of Evangelism, and former Literature Ministry Director for the Arizona Conference. After converting from Atheism to Christianity in 2007 he has dedicated his life to studying the Bible and sharing that knowledge in a variety of evangelistic forms.

Touched by Grace

Pastor Daniel Jiao

SERMON DESCRIPTION:

Who can separate us from the grace of God? You will be inspired by his story of how God's grace touched the heart of a young medical student and led him to follow Jesus for the rest of his life.



Daniel Jiao is the president of the Chinese Union Mission. He holds a Doctor of Ministry Degree in Leadership from Andrews University. Previously he worked as Executive Secretary, various departmental directors, and radio broadcaster for Adventist World Radio. He has written over 300 articles in Chinese for Last Day Shepard's Call, Signs of the Times, and Ministry Magazine. In his free time, he likes to run marathons and spend time with his wife and children.

Amazing Grace

John Shin, MD

DESCRIPTION:

We all fall short of the glory of God and are in need of grace. In this talk, Dr. Shin will use the story of the demoniacs of the Gerasenes to illustrate the life-changing power of God's grace and how it offers all of us hope in a world that is dying for the lack of it.

Dr. John Shin graduated from Loma Linda University School of Medicine then completed his internal medicine residency and hematology/oncology fellowship at Mayo Clinic in Rochester, MN. He also completed an advanced fellowship in cancer immunotherapy at the National Cancer Institute in Bethesda, MD. Dr. Shin currently works as a medical oncologist at Loma Linda University and has a burden to share Christ with cancer patients. Dr. Shin is grateful to have been mentored by the AMEN organization throughout his time in training and seeks to inspire the next generation of healthcare professionals to dedicate their careers to Christ. As president, Dr. Shin's vision for AMEN is that it will serve as a catalyst for all people to engage in effective medical ministry for the purpose of spreading the gospel message. His wife Elisa is a dentist by training, and they are blessed with three children: Sophia, Charis, and Kyle.



How Mission Work Transforms Lives and **Challenges Limits**



OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- Recognize God's power through mission by reflecting on real-life experiences that demonstrate how service can revolutionize life's purpose, bringing deep personal and professional meaning.
- Demonstrate practical ways that small, faith-driven actions can lead to significant personal, spiritual, and professional transformation.
- Analyze examples of overcoming obstacles through reliance on God, recognizing that nothing is impossible with His guidance. Reflect on and identify new paths God opens for service.
- Recognize the importance of reliance on the Holy Spirit to step beyond your comfort zone, break through internal barriers, and embrace the adventures of mission service.

Dr. Carlos Prado has practiced dentistry for over 32 years. He is a specialist in Implant Dentistry and holds postgraduate training in Oral Surgery. Since 2015, Dr. Prado has participated in numerous short-term dental mission trips around the world. In 2022, he became a full-time General Conference missionary, serving as both a dentist and the director of the Djibouti Adventist Health Center in East Africa.about discovering the true meaning of service in healthcare.

Navigating Spouse Satisfaction During **Medical Training and Practice**

Esteban Arevalo, MD

OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- Summarize key domains influencing spouse/partner satisfaction during medical training and
- Identify practical strategies for aligning medical missionary work and service with caring for one's spouse and close relationships.
- Reflect on the role of grace-centered perspectives ("touched by His grace") in strengthening couple resilience and shared purpose.
- Apply a structured case framework to analyze real-world scenarios bridging theory to
- Evaluate feedback from experienced couples and prioritize two changes to implement in their own lives.

Dr. Esteban Arevalo is a cardiology fellow at Loma Linda University. He's board-certified in Internal Medicine and Lifestyle Medicine, and originally comes from Chile. Esteban has a deep passion for sharing how God works powerfully in our lives, often through the simplest and most unexpected ways. His interests span from invasive heart procedures and medical missionary work to music and building new friendships. He's happily married to his sweetheart, Ani, and they rescued a cute puppy named Potato.



Zeno Charles-Marcel, MD

OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- Explain the intent of Blended Ministry of physicians and other clinical care professionals.
- Describe the components of a "Whole Person Learning Plan".
- Evaluate their own training gaps and how to implement effective strategies to become a proficient "whole practitioner" of the healing arts.

Dr. Zeno L. Charles-Marcel currently serves as the Director of the Health Ministries Department of the General Conference. He has a passion for ministry and is privileged to serve God through caring for people as individuals and in organizations. He engaged in formative studies at four universities: McGill (Biophysics), Howard (Medicine) and Loma Linda (Internal Medicine residency) and the University of Arizona (Leadership and Health Diplomacy). He co-founded the first academic Lifestyle Medicine Fellowship in the US, and has served as a medical missionary in India, the Middle East, and Latin America.

Grace Skin Deep: Two Truckloads of Dirt

Melanie Quion, RN, MSN

OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- Describe the basic anatomy and physiology of the integumentary system.
- Identify & implement three principles of Health Evangelism from the story of
- Discuss three results of Gospel Medical Evangelism from the witness of a little maid.
- Explain how the ministry of healing illustrates the transformative power of the gospel, revealing that true restoration extends beyond skin deep to a changed heart.

Melanie Quion has had a passion for health ministry since childhood. It began at home with her "Papa", then extended to her own family as she demonstrated it to her children. Melanie has conducted CHIP programs in San Diego, was a nursing faculty at Weimar University, and currently serves as Co-Director of the Health Ministries Department at Michigan Conference with her physician husband Michael Quion.

Todd Lang, OD

Dr. Todd B. Lang is an accomplished Optometric Physician and Lifestyle Medicine Diplomate with over 30 years of experience advancing eye health through preventive, evidence based, and whole person care. As a leader in integrative eye care, he combines advanced diagnostics with lifestyle driven strategies to preserve vision and improve overall well being. A dedicated clinician, mentor, and community advocate, Dr. Lang is committed to helping

patients see better and live better for life.





Situational Grace: Applying Faith to Daily Practice

Rick Beckermeyer, DDS

OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- 1. **Generosity:** Demonstrate how generosity in time, resources, and attention enhances patient care and reflects Christ's love in dental/medical practice.
- Respect: Apply principles of respect to cultivate trusting relationships with patients, colleagues, and the community.
- 3. Action: Implement intentional, Christ-centered actions in daily practice that improve patient relationships, outcomes and support holistic ministry.
- Compassion: Integrate compassion into patient interactions to address emotional, spiritual, and physical needs alongside dental/medical care.
- 5. **Energy:** Sustain personal and professional energy through reliance on God and His power to foster resilience and reduce burnout.

Dr. Rick Beckermeyer is a semi-retired General Dentist from Niles Michigan. He started his career in 1995 when he graduated from IUPUI dental school. He has committed to "tithing" his time through short termed mission trips around the world and across the country. He has been blessed to serve in Kenya, Albania, Mongolia, Jamaica and other Caribbean countries, Dominican Republic, Philippines, Sierra Leone, Ukraine, El Salvador, Honduras, British Virgin Islands, and South Africa to name a few; as well as about ten different United States. God has always provided the means and the ways for these trips to happen and as long as he have breath, he is committed to go on God's missions. Dr. Beckermeyer is married for 45 years and has three children and eight grandchildren.

Pulmonary Hypertension: Clinical Insights and Grace-Filled Care

Dafne Moretta, MD

OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- 1. Understand the pathophysiology and clinical manifestations of pulmonary hypertension.
- 2. Recognize the challenges in diagnosing and managing pulmonary hypertension in various patient populations.
- Implement effective strategies for improving patient outcomes through a multidisciplinary approach.
- Evaluate the role of spiritual care in patient management and how sharing personal experiences of being "touched by grace" can enhance both physical outcomes and spiritual well-being.

Dr. Dafne Tatiana Moretta is a Pulmonary and Critical Care specialist at Loma Linda University Medical Center, where she serves as the Director of the Pulmonary Hypertension Center and the Program Director for the Critical Care Medicine Fellowship. Passionate about both medicine and ministry, she finds joy in sharing the love of Jesus with her patients and trainees as she seeks to live ready for His soon coming. Dr. Moretta is married to Dr. Carlos Moretta, an Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon, and together they cherish spending time with their three daughters — Gina, Denise, and Paula.

The Integration of Faith and Healing

Chidi Ngwaba, MD and Pastor Mark Finley

OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- Describe a wholistic view of ministering to people's needs focusing on physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual health.
- Explain the benefits of integrating biblical principles into medical practice and health principles into pastoral ministry.
- 3. Apply strategies to motivate patients to experience God's power in fostering new habit patterns and transforming destructive behaviors.
- Discuss real life experiences of lifestyle change, including reversal of chronic disease, adoption of healthful habits, and improved overall well-being through the integration of faith and healing.
- 5. Identify and implement practical ways pastors and medical providers can work together in both the clinical setting and community outreach programs.

Pastor Finley has a lifelong passion for sharing the gospel and using health ministry as an opening wedge. Throughout his ministry, he has partnered with physicians to present Jesus' message of true healing that brings physical and spiritual restoration for all eternity.

Dr. Chidi Ngwaba is a leading Lifestyle Medicine doctor, trained at Cambridge, UCL, and Johns Hopkins. He specializes in reversing and preventing chronic diseases through his Life Colours programme. A founding board member of the European Society of Lifestyle Medicine, he is an international speaker, media contributor, and advisor to both UK and Nigerian governments. Dr. Chidi directs a Harley Street clinic, founded two award-winning plant-based restaurants, and promotes faith-based healthy living worldwide. Dr. Chidi is married to Pamela, an acclaimed Plant Based Chef.

Pastor Finley and Dr. Chidi have worked together in a holistic evangelistic approach in blended ministry to reach thousands of lives. Most recently they partnered in Nairobi, Kenya for a large-scale evangelistic series broadcast to 20,000 downlink sites. Through this combined approach to ministry, tens of thousands have experienced lifestyle change and, more importantly, found spiritual healing in Jesus.

Paper Towel Evangelism: Spreading the Gospel Under the Radar

Gus Moretta, NP

OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- Recognize the fundamental role of personal prayer time along with in-depth study of the Scriptures and the Spirit of Prophecy for effective witnessing.
- 2. Recognize the value of one's relevant personal experiences and be able to prepare a concise testimony to share.
- Learn to recognize key words and phrases which indicate a spiritual background and potential openness for discussion.
- Recognize the value of preparing key tangible overt or more subtle items to share which remind patients they recently had a divine encounter/appointment.

Gustavo Moretta is Dominican by heritage, Puerto Rican by birth, and "Mexican by marriage." He has been a registered nurse since 1992 and a Family Nurse Practitioner since 1997, currently serving in surgical optimization. Over the past 4-5 years, he has felt a growing sense of urgency for intentional witnessing and a deep desire to share Christ in his work environment. Gustavo is on a journey of learning to obey the promptings of the Holy Spirit to effectively share the gospel with both patients and coworkers.





Reflecting Christ Through Practical Community Eye Care



Jacob Prabahkar Chindrupu, MD

OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- Understand the transformative power of God's presence in our own lives as the foundation for mission.
- Recognize that before we can share Christ effectively, we must be daily renewed by His grace.
- Explore the inseparable link between medical missionary work and the gospel message through effective practical methods.
- Learn practical, Christ-centered ways to reflect His compassion through service, healing and witness that impact thousands towards Jesus.
- Embrace the urgency of touching lives with God's grace in a world longing for hope and healing though missions.
- Commit to being faithful channels of Christ's character, pointing others to Him as we near the end of Earth's history.

Dr. Jacob Prabhakar Chindrupu, a world-renowned ophthalmologist and medical missionary serving as Medical Director of three mission hospitals in India. His service has earned global recognition, yet beyond these accolades, his greatest fulfilment lies in ministering to the poorest and most marginalized. In recognition of his love for souls and dedication to the mission of Christ, the Adventist Church extended a special call for him to serve as a Minister of the Gospel, and was ordained to the Ministry in 2025. Dr. Jacob, together with his physician wife, Dr. Beulah, and their children, Angela and Jonathan, continues to inspire others to share God's love through compassionate service.

BREAKOUT SESSION C: 4:20 - 5:20PM

Grace Under Fire: Management of the Difficult Patient



OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- 1. Anticipate and prevent triggering elements that may bring about negative confrontations with difficult patients.
- Diffuse and de-escalate a real-time confrontation with a difficult patient.
- Avoid litigation by timely, compassionate, and consistent communication.
- Discuss how management of the difficult patient is one of the ways God teaches grace to the patient and to the provider.

Dr. Carlos Moretta completed his specialty training at Loma Linda University School of Dentistry. Throughout residency, he went on multiple missionary trips including Nepal, Zambia, Mongolia, Philippines, Saipan, Peru, Haiti, Thailand, and Bangladesh. He is the current director of Undergraduate Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery at LLUSD where he has been teaching Local Anesthesia to Dental Hygiene students and didactic and clinical Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery and Maxillofacial Surgery to predoctoral and post-doctoral levels for over a decade. His desire is to inspire his students, residents, and colleagues to see all patients, especially those in distant lands, with little to no access to care, through the loving, pitying eyeglasses of our Creator.

Building Community Through Compassionate Outreach and Church Planting

Westney White, MD & Anthony Baca (Medical Student)

OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- Explain how community-focused outreach can serve as a foundation for establishing new, Christ-centered faith communities.
- Identify key principles for integrating medical missionary work, service to the marginalized, and gospel proclamation in a sustainable way.
- Recognize how God's grace transforms both those ministered to and those who serve, shaping personal and professional identity as ministry.
- Apply practical steps for transitioning from short-term outreach initiatives into long-term, spiritually vibrant church plants.
- Evaluate how medical professionals and students can collaborate to create Christ-centered, community-focused ministries that extend the healing touch of Jesus.

Westney White, MD dedicated a decade to domestic mission work, serving underserved communities while earning his bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Western Governors University. He went on to receive his medical degree from Loma Linda University, where he cultivated a passion for psychiatry. He is currently completing the healthy Rural California Psychiatry Residency Program. Committed to improving mental health access in rural communities, he brings a holistic approach to patient care. Outside of medicine, he enjoys spending time with his wife and two sons, playing basketball and golf, weightlifting, and exploring great food.

Transformed by Grace: Ten Years of Whole-Person Ministry

Royce Bailey, MD and Pastor Jeff Harper

OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- Describe the structure and implementation of the Daniel Fast program, including the collaboration between physicians, pastors, and local hospitals.
- Discuss spiritual and health outcomes from the program, including testimonies of life transformation and baptisms.
- Identify key steps to adapt and implement a Daniel Fast health ministry in their own local church.
- Apply principles learned from the Hendersonville experience to develop sustainable, evangelistic health programs in their communities.
- Evaluate how health ministries can lead to deeper discipleship and church growth.

Dr. Royce Bailey is a fellowship-trained cardiologist who completed his medical and public health education at Loma Linda University in California. He now practices in North Carolina, specializing in Integrative Medicine, guided by the mission "to make man whole." Dr. Bailey is deeply involved in community health education, offering lectures and programs focused on cholesterol and lipid management, healthy dietary habits, premature aging, and the reduced immune response often linked to the standard American diet. His passion for healing goes beyond the physical as his first commitment is to sharing the hope and wholeness found in the Gospel.

Jeff Harper serves as the Associate Pastor at the Hendersonville Seventh-day Adventist Church in North Carolina, where he ministers alongside his wife, Nickele, DPT, and their three children: Judah, Levi and Eden. His family's ministry focuses on helping people experience a daily, personal revival with Jesus Christ through practical, everyday discipleship. They have been involved in health ministry through programs such as the Daniel Fast, a community initiative that combines plant-based nutrition with prayer and Bible study.





Grace in Action: Sharing Christ in Every Aspect of Life

Julie McKinney, DNP

OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- Recognize the importance of grace in every moment of life through an ongoing connection with Christ, and understand how a lens of grace changes our interactions with colleagues, patients, patients' families, and even our own family and friends.
- 2. Discuss the role of grace in sustaining hope and compassion in a world often desensitized to suffering, including practical applications for promoting mental and emotional well-being.
- Implement a "grace lens," in clinical practice, promoting whole-person care in the mental health setting. Apply principles of grace to reframe our perspectives by allowing God to transform our lives through His grace and then share that with our patients.

Dr. Julie McKinney is a psychiatric mental health and lifestyle medicine nurse practitioner. Her ministry involves being a wife, mother, nursing educator, mental health professional, and most importantly, a follower of Jesus. She has served in health ministry through her work at Beautiful Minds Medical, active involvement in her local church, short-term mission service, and health outreach seminars.

With a deep understanding of the challenges faced by both patients and healthcare providers, Dr. McKinney emphasizes the importance of living and practicing healthcare through a "lens of grace." Her compassionate approach seeks to bring hope, healing, and Christ-centered wholeness to every interaction.

Ocular Emergencies: How to share hope and grace in the midst of trauma

Aldo Espinoza, MD



OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the presentation, the learner will be able to:

- 1. Describe the fundamental features of common ocular emergencies.
- 2. Determine the most appropriate clinical diagnosis of these emergencies.
- 3. Demonstrate empathy and communicate hope effectively in the midst of patient trauma.
- 4. Develop treatment approaches that address both the physical and spiritual needs of patients.

Dr. Aldo Espinoza is a Board-Certified Comprehensive Ophthalmologist practicing in the North Atlanta area. Originally from Lima, Peru, Dr. Espinoza completed his undergraduate education at Southern Adventist University and then received his M.D. from Loma Linda School of Medicine in California.

During his undergraduate years and medical training, Dr. Espinoza has always been interested in helping the underprivileged, both abroad and in the United States. He continues to service the community by participating in local health fares and abroad on short term medical mission trips. Being able to participate in restoring both the physical and spiritual health of patients is a source of joy for him.



Worshipping Touched By Grace Through Music

AMEN would like to thank the incredible music team led by Dr. Elizabeth Chung. We would also like to thank their team of volunteer musicians listed below.

Thank you for your participation!

Michael Abesamis, PTA

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MD

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Continuing Education

DENTAL: (CDE – 2 CREDITS)

AMEN, in collaboration with Loma Linda University School of Dentistry, is pleased to offer up to 2 Continuing Dental Education (CDE) credits at the 2025 conference. Dentists will need to sign in on-site and list their license number.

MEDICAL: (CME - 6 CREDITS)

AMEN, in collaboration with Loma Linda University, is pleased to offer up to 6 Continuing Medical Education (CME) credits at the 2025 conference.

You can also claim your CME credit online at www.eeds.com by clicking 'sign-in' and entering the code 00LAWN, or use the QR code provided.



Scan to sign in

OVERALL COURSE OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the conference, the learner will be able to:

- Recognize the central role of God's grace in personal transformation and describe how experiencing His grace can positively impact professional interactions with colleagues, employees, patients, and patients' families.
- 2. Discuss how grace guides Spiritual Care (SC) in the clinical setting and identify practical and effective ways to show compassion and implement SC on a daily basis.
- 3. Discuss how living "Touched by Grace" fosters resilience, hope and emotional healing for healthcare professionals, reducing burnout and enhancing fulfillment and purpose leading to improved quality of life for both the provider and their patients.
- 4. Implement grace-centered whole person that promotes physical, emotional, and spiritual well-being, while pointing patients to Jesus as the motivator for lasting change and the ultimate source of healing and peace.

ACCREDITATION STATEMENT:

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of Loma Linda University School of Medicine and AMEN (Adventist Medical Evangelical Network). The Loma Linda University School of Medicine is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The Loma Linda University School of Medicine designates this Live Activity for a maximum of 6.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)TM. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

DISCLOSURE STATEMENT:

This program has been planned and implemented in accordance with ACCME Standards for Integrity and Independence. The Loma Linda University School of Medicine Office of Continuing Medical Education relies on its CME faculty to provide program content that is free of commercial bias. Therefore, in accordance with ACCME standards, any faculty and/or provider industry relationships will be disclosed and resolved.



THURSDAY OCTOBER 30, 2025

Supper: 5:00 – 7:00pm (with parents) Savannah Ballroom

Evening Meeting:

Ages 0-4 years: Charleston - 2nd floor

7:15 – 8:15pm (Parent or guardian required to be present)

Savannah Ballroom Ages 5+:

7:15 – 9:00pm (Child drop off allowed - Parent pickup required BEFORE 9:15pm)

FRIDAY OCTOBER 31, 2025

Breakfast: 8:00 – 9:15am (with parents) Oceanfront Pavilion

Morning:

Ages 0-4 years: 9:25am - 11:00am Charleston - 2nd floor Ages 5+: 9:25am - 11:00am Savannah Ballroom

(Child drop off allowed - Parent pickup required BEFORE 12:15pm)

Savannah Ballroom **All Ages:** 11:00am – 12:00pm Science Zone's Ben Roy Oceanfront Pavilion **Lunch:** 12:45 – 1:45 pm (with parents)

Afternoon:

All Ages: 1:55pm – 5:30pm Shipyard Beach Club + Beach

Science Zone's Ben Roy

Sand sculptures + Outdoor Activities on the beach (please dress accordingly)

Supper: 6:00 - 7:00 pm (with parents) Oceanfront Pavilion

Evening Meeting:

Charleston - 2nd floor **Ages 0-4 years:** 7:00 – 8:15pm

(Parent or guardian required to be present)

Savannah Ballroom Ages 5+: 6:55 - 9:00pm

(Child drop off allowed - Parent pickup required BEFORE 9:15pm)

SABBATH NOVEMBER 1, 2025

Breakfast: 8:00 – 9:15am (with parents) Oceanfront Pavilion

Sabbath School: 9:25 – 11:00am Meet together for a few songs, then split Savannah Ballroom

Ages 0-4 years: 9:25 - 11:00am (Parent or quardian required to be present) Charleston - 2nd floor

Ages 5+: 9:25 – 11:00am (Child drop off allowed - Parent pickup requested by 11:05am)

Savannah B Kindergarten/Primary: Amy Clark Savannah A

Junior/Earliteen: Cami & Tim Gotshall **Divine Service:** 11:10 am – 12:50 pm (with parents) Santee Ballroom

Speaker: Pastor Daniel Jiao

Lunch: 12:45 – 1:45pm (with parents) Oceanfront Pavilion

Outreach Project: 3 – 4:30 pm (with parents - see signup form) Lowcountry Park

Supper: 6:00 – 7:00pm (with parents)

Oceanfront Pavilion

Evening Meeting:

Ages: 0-4 years: 7:15 – 8:15pm Charleston - 2nd floor

(Parent or guardian required to be present)

Savannah Ballroom **Ages 5+:** 7:15 - 9:00pm

(Child drop off allowed - Parent pickup required BEFORE 9:15pm)

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 2, 2025

Breakfast: 8:00 – 9:15am (with parents)

Oceanfront Pavilion

NOTE: Children ages 0-4 (with a guardian/caregiver) are welcome to join the older kids in Savannah Ballroom each evening from 8:15-9pm for the Science Zone presentations with Ben Boy.

Exhibitors

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Please remember to complete your evaluations before departing. Thank you!

We wish you God's richest blessings as you daily seek to live Touched by Grace and share His love with your patients, colleagues, and all those that God places in your path.

AUDIOVERSE AudioVerse has been recording the AMEN conferences since 2008 and all 20 conferences are posted on their website. What a joy it is to partner with Audioverse in ministry and spread the gospel together through health evangelism. So, once again, we say a heartfelt thank you to AudioVerse for recording the conference. Their dedication to AMEN for the past 20 years is greatly appreciated! Presentations will be available free of charge at amensda.org and audioverse.org.

FOOD DONORS AMEN would like to thank Vibrant Health Products and WayFare foods for their generous donations. These items greatly enhance the quality of our meals and help us keep the food costs as low as possible.

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https://wayfarefoods.com

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CHILDREN'S PROGRAM Many parents have expressed their appreciation for the fantastic children's program provided at AMEN. A heartfelt thank-you to Amy Clark and Emerald Leung for leading our childrens' programs this year.

NETWORK WALK LEADERS

Johnny Ahn, MD - for Medical

Students

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Free Clinics

If you desire to share Christ and are eager to change lives through medical evangelism, then AMEN Free Clinics are for you.

Our clinics provide free medical, dental, vision and other services to the uninsured and underinsured community members. We'd love to have you join us! Volunteer for our upcoming clinics at: amenfreeclinic.org.

"Only heaven will reveal all the stories and lives infused with hope as a result of the presence of the Amen clinic."

- AMEN Free Clinic Volunteer

UPCOMING CLINICS (Stay tuned for additional clinics on our website)

Upcoming AMEN Clinics AMEN Clinic Dates
Battle Creek, MI November 9, 2025

Augusta, GA February, 2026

Topsham, ME April 17 & 19, 2026

We invite you to join AMEN Free Clinics and experience medical evangelism in action

For questions, contact: clinics@amensda.org

Mentorship Program

The AMEN mentorship program strives to connect students, trainees, and young healthcare professionals with physician and dentist mentors who hold a common passion for medical ministry. It is our prayer that God will use this program to pass on the knowledge and wisdom gained by one generation of gospel medical missionaries to the next and to encourage healthcare workers everywhere to follow in the footsteps of Christ.

Goals of the AMEN mentorship program:

- To inspire students and early career healthcare workers to dedicate their personal and professional lives to God
- To provide networking opportunities with physicians and dentists who practice spiritual care
- To provide physicians and dentists with the opportunity to leave a spiritual legacy in the lives of mentees

ATTENTION PHYSICIANS AND DENTISTS – BECOME A MENTOR

Are you looking to leave a legacy of faith in the lives of young healthcare professionals? Become a mentor now.

ATTENTION STUDENTS/TRAINEES - SELECT A MENTOR ONLINE

Reasons why you may want to seek an AMEN mentor:

- You have been looking for an example of how to practice spiritual care in your profession
- You have become disillusioned by the practice of medicine or dentistry in the world
- You feel impressed by the Holy Spirit to seek a spiritual mentor who works in your field
- You are looking for Godly advice at a pivotal point in your medical or dental career

AMEN

Exists to:

- Inspire medical professionals to share Christ.
- Connect medical professionals through its annual conference and mission opportunities.
- Mentor students as they learn to deliver spiritual care.
- Provide Christ-centered medical evangelism resources.
- Unite with local congregations by sponsoring free outreach clinics.

This is AMEN.

"It's easy to feel like an island when you try to incorporate your faith into your practice, but AMEN has shown me that I am not alone. Through AMEN, I have had the opportunity to meet and learn from many physicians, dentists, and other healthcare professionals who are committed to spreading the gospel message, and it has had a tremendous impact on how I practice medicine. I go to work each day with a renewed sense of purpose, and my job has become a ministry. AMEN has also provided me with precious opportunities for service which have helped to keep my passion for medical ministry alive. If you want to be inspired and challenged to do more for the Lord with your life and career, I encourage you to join AMEN and to get involved!"

-John Shin, MD, AMEN President

We invite you to join AMEN and experience spiritual fellowship with like-minded colleagues and discover new insights into sharing Christ in your practice.



You are AMEN!

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Announcements



2025 CONFERENCE WEB-BASED 'APP':

AMEN has again created a web-based conference 'app' for this year. We invite you to use it to easily find all the conference information you need and updated announcements throughout the weekend. Go to https://amensda.org/conference-app/ or use the QR code.

MEALS:

Meal Tickets: Meals are included for registered attendees. If you have guests joining us for Sabbath, please have them purchase the meal tickets they need online at amensda.org/conference/meal-tickets BEFORE 5pm on Friday, October 31. After that time no additional meal tickets can be purchased and guests will not be able to eat with you on Sabbath. Thank you for understanding.

AMEN MEMBERSHIP:

If you are not already an AMEN member, we invite you to join us! AMEN is committed to equipping physicians and dentists to be effective medical evangelists. It is our prayer that through your involvement with AMEN you will be motivated, trained, and equipped to share Christ daily as you seek not only to heal your patients physically, but to also have an eternal impact on them by introducing them to Jesus Christ the healer of their body and soul. You can join online at: amensda.org/membership/join or go to the AMEN registration desk and we will be happy to sign you up.

EVALUATION:

Your feedback is very important to AMEN. We ask that you complete the evaluation form. You can do so online at: **amensda.org/evaluation/** or scan the QR code. If you prefer to fill out a paper form you can pick one up at the AMEN registration desk anytime. They will also be distributed at the meeting on Saturday night. Thank you!







