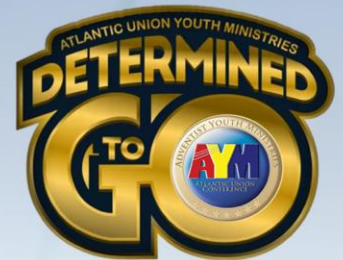


ATLANTIC UNION  
**VIRTUAL PATHFINDER**  
*Camporee*  
**GUIDE**



## **CAMPOREE OVERVIEW**

**SCHEDULES • ACTIVITY LIST • HONORS LIST • CAMPOREE TEAM**



AUC BERMUDA GREATER NEW YORK NEW YORK NORTHEASTERN NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND

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## CONFERENCE YOUTH DIRECTORS & ASSOCIATES

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### Bermuda Conference

Pr. Damon Hendrickson  
Dir. Dwayne Hill

Pr. Ariel Manzueta -  
Assistants:

### Greater New York Conference

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### Southern New England Conference



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## WELCOME

Dear Attendee,  
Happy Atlantic Union Virtual Pathfinder Camporee 2021!

Our grand, long-awaited, virtual fellowship is here! Hallelujah!

Attendees - pathfinders, pathfinder clubs, staff, and families from all six of our Local Conferences (Bermuda, Greater New York, New York, Northeastern, Northern New England, and Southern New England) reflect the multicultural tapestry of our territory.

Welcome! Welcome to you - our 2,700+ Camporee attendees who have congregated for this historic AU Camporee. A special welcome is extended to all new pathfinders, and ministry leaders. Whether you are now transitioning from the adventurer ministry or you are new to Adventist Youth Ministries, I pray that you will be inspired to continue the pathfinder ministry journey – a life-long experience.

There are many growth and fellowship opportunities well packaged for you this weekend. Please be prepared to practice cybersecurity steps (see insert) as you move between Facebook Live/YouTube platforms, and the Zoom sessions.

As we camp, glamp, celebrate, deliberate, and educate, I pray that you will experience the power and presence of our Almighty God. I pray that all pathfinders/youth/young adults will walk away from this weekend more DETERMINED to Know, Love, & Serve Jesus. May Jesus empower you, like Ruth, to be DETERMINED to GO where He leads.

Maranatha!

*Dr. David McKenzie*

Youth Director  
Atlantic Union Conference





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## ATLANTIC UNION CONFERENCE OF SDA

### About Atlantic Union Youth Ministries

“The Atlantic Union Conference is the administrative headquarters of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in the Northeast United States, and the islands of Bermuda. It is comprised of more than 123,060 members, 598 churches, 78 schools, and serves six conferences: Bermuda, Greater New York, New York, Northeastern, Northern New England, and Southern New England. These conferences cover the states of Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York, Vermont, and Maine, as well as the islands of Bermuda.

A large percentage of the membership of the Atlantic Union Conference are young adults, youth, and children under the age of 35. This does not include many who are not yet baptized members in our churches but do attend church and participate in some of our programs such as Adventurers, Pathfinders, Adventist Youth Society, Teen Clubs, and Public Campus / Collegiate (Adventist Christian Fellowship) [Compassion, Master Guides, Young Adult, /Senior Youth Ministries, among others”. [www.AUYOUTH.com](http://www.AUYOUTH.com)

*Sis. Lily Fresse*

AYM Administrative Asst.  
Atlantic Union Conference



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## ATLANTIC UNION ADMIN GREETINGS

On behalf of my wife, Yvonne, the administration of the Atlantic Union Conference and the entire Union family, I extend a special welcome to the almost 3,000 Pathfinders and Master Guides who are celebrating at this Camporee. We are thankful to God that we have such devoted and committed Youth and Young Adults like you, doing exploits for the advancement of God's work. I also want to thank Dr. David McKenzie and his team of directors for their commitment towards the salvation of our youth and young adults. We are living in a world with a multiplicity of challenges such as the COVID-19 pandemic, racism, violence on every side, financial hardship, and other ills that we face every day. As the youth and young adults of this Union, along with the entire Union family, let us be determined to love, serve, and know Jesus especially at this time in earth's history. May this Camporee experience prove to be beneficial for your spiritual growth and that of those in your sphere of influence.

*Dr. G. Earl Knight*  
President  
Atlantic Union Conference



Greetings and welcome to our Atlantic Union Conference 2021 virtual pathfinder camporee. Our theme this year is: Determined. We are determined to go and multiply. Determined to know Jesus. Determined to serve Jesus. Determined to love Jesus and our fellowmen. Congratulations and thank you to Dr. David McKenzie our Union youth and young adult ministries director for his outstanding leadership. Congratulations to all pathfinders and youth leaders throughout the Union who collaborate with him to make this virtual pathfinder camporee possible. Special thanks to our guest speakers and presenters for accepting our invitation and for blessing us this weekend. Enjoy this 2021 camporee and yes, let us be determined to go to heaven when Jesus returns. May God bless each and every one of you.

*Dr. Pierre Omeler*  
Executive Secretary  
Atlantic Union Conference



To each of you, in whatever place you find yourself. Your resilience and discipline have brought you this far. You are the pathfinder strong, servants of God, friends of man and faithfully marching on in kindness, truth and purity. As you may feel challenged by social issues, political rivalries, and a global health threats, this is just the unprecedented entrance of the fourth industrial revolution. An event that makes possible for us to meet on a virtual platform. However, you are in the best place today, God's hands. Place your hope and faith on the God of Ruth, though faced with drastic changes, losses, abandonment, disparity, inequality and abuses she did not vow down to life circumstances. Pathfinders, stay on course. Love your God with a deeper love, be a passionate follower of Jesus and be "Determined" to serve him in whatever ways you can.

*Dr. Elias F. Zabala Sr.*  
Treasurer/CFO  
Atlantic Union Conference





# ATLANTIC UNION VIRTUAL PATHFINDER Camporee 2021 MAY 14 – 16

## WEEKEND SCHEDULE

### FRIDAY

YouTube/FB LIVE

7:00PM – 7:10PM Welcome

#### **Countdown**

7:15PM–7:30PM Opening Ceremony  
(Parade of Flags, etc.)  
(YouTube/FB LIVE)

7:30PM–9:00PM Nighttime Program  
(YouTube/FB LIVE)

#### **SIGN OFF**

9:00PM–9:30PM Staff Meeting  
(ZOOM Room)

### SABBATH MORNING

YouTube/FB LIVE

6:00AM– 6:45AM Devotion  
(YouTube/FB LIVE)

6:45AM–7:00AM Flag Raising  
(YouTube/FB LIVE)

**Breakfast** ('Campsite')

8:00AM–8:30AM Musical & Greetings  
(YouTube/FB LIVE)

8:30AM–9:15AM 'Determined' Sabbath School  
(YouTube/FB LIVE)

9:15AM–10:45AM Honors; Adventurers & TLT 'Tents'  
(ZOOM Breakout Rooms)

### SABBATH MORNING cont.

YouTube/FB LIVE

10:50AM–11:00AM Musical Interlude  
(YouTube/FB LIVE)

11:00AM–11:10 AM Puppetry  
(YouTube/FB LIVE)

11:10 AM–12:15 PM Worship Service  
(YouTube/FB LIVE)

**Lunch** ('Campsite')

### SABBATH AFTERNOON

YouTube/FB LIVE

2:00PM–4:00PM PFs' Preach-out & Compassion Exp.  
(YouTube/FB LIVE)

4:00PM–5:45 PM Honors & Awards  
(ZOOM Breakout Rooms)

### SATURDAY NIGHT

YouTube/FB LIVE

6:00PM– 7:00PM Vespers  
(YouTube/FB LIVE)

7:00PM – 7:10PM Flag Lowering  
**Supper** ('Campsite')

8:00PM – 10:00PM Saturday Night Fun  
(ZOOM Breakout Rooms)

#### **SIGN OFF**

### SUNDAY

YouTube/FB LIVE

7:00AM – 7:45AM Determined to MOVE' – Exercise!  
(YouTube/FB LIVE)

8:00AM – 8:45AM Devotion  
(YouTube/FB LIVE)

**Breakfast** ('Campsite')

10:00AM –12:30AM Fun Activities  
(ZOOM Breakout Rooms)

12:30PM – 1:00PM Closing Exercises  
(YouTube/FB LIVE)



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## GUEST SPEAKERS

**Pr. Damian Chandler** was born in Toronto Canada and raised on the island of Barbados. His ministry journey started in a small church housed in the basement of his home.

It was in that basement church, with only 9 members, that he developed a passion for ministry. At night he could hear the prayers of these humble people rising through the vents into his room. That small church made a large deposit in the spiritual hunger of Pastor Chandler, and it stands as both turning point in his life, and a foundation for his call to ministry.

In 1996 attended Oakwood College, in Huntsville, AL where he graduated with a Bachelors of Arts in Theology. He later furthered his preparation by pursuing and attaining a Masters of Divinity degree

from the Adventist Theological Seminary of Andrews University, in Berrien Springs Michigan.

His ministry journey has taken him across the length and breadth of America from Seattle Washington, to Huntsville Alabama. In 2014 Pastor Chandler accepted a call to the Capitol City Seventh-day Adventist Church, in Sacramento California where he now serves as senior pastor.

Known as a creative, his gifts do not end in the pulpit. One of Damian's greatest loves is leading people in worship. He has composed numerous songs now used in praise and worship settings across the country. Pastor Chandler is also a story teller at heart. He has written two books. *The Crooked Christmas Tree*, published by Faithwords, and featured by national retailers like Barnes and Noble, Walmart and Target and his most latest book *"I Am Jon"*. Most recently Pastor Chandler was honored to be the featured nightly speaker for the International Pathfinder Camporee in Oshkosh Wisconsin. Pastor Chandler is passionate about ministry, but he is even more passionate about family. He is married to his partner in life, Tanzy Chandler. Their tribe includes daughter Zoe, and sons Salem and Levi.



**Dr. Elias Zabala Sr.**, is the Treasurer of the Atlantic Union Conference

of Seventh-day Adventists. Academically, he has completed a PhD in

Business Administration and master's degrees in Theology and in Business Administration. His organizational leadership experience

and functions include serving the church as conference president, executive secretary, treasurer, youth, personal ministries and

communication director, and local church pastor. Pastor Zabala's international experience includes more than 22 years of working and preaching in many countries around the world, (USA, Jamaica,

Turks & Caicos, Puerto Rico and Dominican Republic) including serving as a frequent speaker for several international events. As

a passionate and dedicated leader his current duties involve reaching out to people of diverse cultures, as well as engaging in efforts to develop communities and non-profit institutions. Pastor Zabala lives and works by

the philosophy of servant-leadership. He believes that everyone is accountable to someone else, and that our mission is to grow the kingdom of God. He and his wife, Shelly-Ann, have two sons Elias and Patric.





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## GUEST SPEAKERS

**Pr. Bill Wood** was in full time Youth/Pathfinder/Adventurer and camp leadership for 34 years. During that time he has either directed or been involved in over 30 Pathfinder Camporees plus various events such as Youth Rallies, National Youth Congresses, etc. He has been the Off-Site Director of the International Pathfinder Camporee the last four camporees. He has been the Youth/Pathfinder/Camp Ministries Director for the South Dakota, Arkansas-Louisiana, Gulf States Conference where he served for 15 years and the Atlantic Union Conference where he served for 12 years. He is retired and living in Collegedale, TN. In his retirement, he Coordinates Camp Ministries for the North American Division. He has also been involved in various youth and Pathfinder events around the North American Division. Bill and Janet have been partners in Youth Ministries for their entire ministry career in the church either as educators or youth ministries. They have two sons; Scott and Heather, Jeff and Shawna plus two grandchildren.



**Pr. Armando Miranda** is an Associate Youth Director of the North American Division of SDA. He is a Pathfinder at heart! He was born and raised in Mexico, and comes from a ministerial home where He learned to love ministry in all its ways. His ministry call was defined at the Southwestern Adventist University where developed a stronger interest in working with youth. He has also studied at the Andrews University Theological Seminary; is an MDiv graduate, and a current DMin candidate. Pr. Miranda has served in the Texas Conference as pastor, youth coordinator and youth director. He is married to Karen de la Fuente and is blessed to be the proud father of three beautiful and active children, Samuel, Andre, and Juliette.



**Dr. Andrés Peralta** is an Associate Youth Director of the General Conference of SDA. He is an ordained minister born in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic. He studied at the Antillean Adventist University in Puerto Rico, and also has MDiv and Dmin Degrees from the Andrews University Theological Seminary. He served in the Greater New York conference as Pastor and Youth Director. Thereafter, he was called to serve as the AUC youth director. Today, he serves as the Pathfinder Director of the GC. He has been commissioned by the US Navy and the North American Division of Seventh-day Adventist as a Lieutenant Reserve Chaplain. Dr. Peralta is passionate about empowering children, youth, young adults and adults to grow in Christ, looking to Jesus as their ultimate example, while practicing servant leadership. He has been married to the love of his life, Martha and their union has been blessed with their two precious daughters, Melany and Amy.





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## WEEKEND PROGRAM

### FRIDAY EVENING

Time: 7:00pm-9:00pm

Dress Code: Conference T-Shirts

Platforms: YouTube & FB LIVE

Location: Individual/Family 'Campsite'

Hosts: PF Hannah Drew & Dir. Teddy Williamson

#### OPENING CEREMONY

Color Guard & Drum Corp

National Anthem..... Maarbienne Abby

Pledge to the Bible..... Raheem Nelson

Pledge to the Flag ..... Andre Trellis

Pathfinder Pledge..... Daniel Bishop

Pathfinder Law..... Nia Thomas

Pathfinder Song..... Joshua Tomlinson

Opening Declaration..... Dr. David McKenzie

Dedicatory Prayer..... Pr. David Steede

Puppetry..... Yuri Rivas

Praise & Worship..... AU Praise Team

Welcome.....Six Conferences..... Hosts

Opening Prayer..... Hosts

Neriah Bean, Bermuda (*English*)

Sunny Abanto, Bermuda (*Spanish*)

Mariana Cavalcante Silva NEC (*Portuguese*)

Sydney Renelique, NEC (*French Creole*)

Camporee Roll Call..... M. Watson & I. Pierre

Special Music..... Ryanna King

Scripture Reading.....Ruth 1:16 (NIV..... Monologue

Introduction of Speaker..... Ps. Gerome Leacock

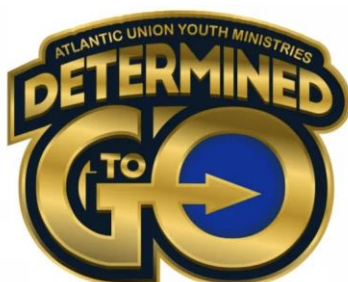
Special Music..... Virtual Choir ..... NEC & Bermuda Conf.

Sermonette..... **Dr. Elias Zabala Sr**

Closing Song..... Haughton Family

Announcements..... Hosts

Closing Prayer..... Karson Rhooms



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## WEEKEND PROGRAM

### SABBATH DEVOTION

Time: 6:00am-7:00am

Dress Code:

Platforms: YouTube & FB LIVE

Location: Individual/Family 'Campsite'

Hosts: PF Paula Gibbons & Dir. Trevor Schlisner

Opening Prayer.....	Gofhaone Tau
Welcome.....	NNEC Pathfinder
Special Music.....	Dakota Tucker
Introduction of speaker.....	Ps. Daniel Velez
GC Greetings .....	Ps. Gary Blanchard
Devotion.....	<b>Dr. Andres Peralta</b>
Flag Raising.....	AU Pathfinders
Closing Prayer.....	Ps. Daniel Velez

### SABBATH SCHOOL

Time: 8:30am-9:15am

Dress Code: Class 'A' Uniform

Platforms: YouTube & FB LIVE

Location: Individual/Family 'Campsite'

Hosts: PF Paula Gibbons & Dir. Trevor Schlisner

Praise & Worship.....	Amazon Lancaster PFs
Opening Prayer.....	Melvin Portillo
Welcome.....	Jovan Rivera
Special Music .....	Vania Correia
Drama..... <i>The Story of Ruth</i> .....	AU Pathfinders
Prayer.....	Jamyn Mendes

### Breakout Rooms

9:15am-10:45am

Platform: ZOOM Conference Room

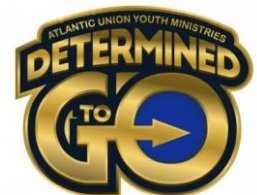
**TLT 'Tent'**

**Adventurer 'Tent'**

**Honors –** AU Ruth  
AU Compassion  
AU Territory

### TLT 'Tent' Breakout Room

Wake up Welcome And Introduction  
Food Expo / Breakfast At My Table  
Spiritual Food / Guest Speaker  
TLT Talk (Share Your TLT experience)  
How's You Health? With (Guest Professional)  
Party Time (Kahoot)  
Closing prayer



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## WEEKEND PROGRAM

### SABBATH DIVINE WORSHIP

Time: 10:45am-12:15pm

Dress Code: Class 'A' Uniform

Platforms: YouTube & FB LIVE

Location: Individual/Family 'Campsite'

Hosts: PF Paula Gibbons & Dir. Trevor Schlisner

Greetings.....	AU Conferences
Opening Prayer.....	Kurt Amos
Puppetry.....	Yuri Rivas
Praise & Worship.....	AU Praise Team
<i>Theme Song</i>	
Welcome.....	Hosts
Prayer Session .....	Pr. Dan Whitlow
Special Music.....	Jesatey Zapata
Intro of Speaker.....	Dr. David McKenzie
Special Music.....	Neriah Bean
Sermonette.....	<b>Pr. Damian Chandler</b>
Cconsecration/closing Prayer .....	Dr. Pierre Omeler
Announcements.....	Hosts

### SABBATH AFTERNOON

Time: 2:00pm-4:00pm

Dress Code: Camporee T-Shirt

Platforms: YouTube & FB LIVE

Hosts: PF Isaac Brito & Exec.Coord. John Jean-Baptiste

Pathfinders 'Preach Out' .....	BMA, GNYC, NYC, NEC, NNEC, SNEC
Compassion Experience .....	AU AYM Compassion Advisory Malawi Virtual Trip

Time: 4:00pm-5:45pm

Dress Code: Camporee T-Shirt

Platforms: Zoom Conference Room & YouTube

Honors & Awards .....	<b>3 New Atlantic Union Honors</b> <b>AU Ruth, AU Compassion &amp; AU Territory</b>
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Plus **40+ other honors** for your choosing.

*See List of other Virtual Honors on Camporee's landing page (@ [www.auyouth.com](http://www.auyouth.com))*



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## WEEKEND PROGRAM

### SABBATH VESPERS

Time: 6:00pm-7:00pm

Dress Code: PF Camporee T-Shirt

Platforms: YouTube & FB LIVE

Location: Individual/Family 'Campsite'

Hosts: PF Isaac Brito & Exec.Coord. John Jean-Baptiste

Praise & Worship.....	AU Praise Team
Opening Prayer.....	S. Ramirez & K. Stewart
Welcome.....	GNYS Ensemble
Special Music.....	Spanish Porchester Club
Introduction of Speaker.....	Pr. Ariel Manzueta
Camp Team Song: Union.....	AU Praise Team
Sermonette.....	<b>Pr. Armando Miranda</b>
Closing Special.....	Melgar Family
Announcements.....	Hosts
Closing Prayer.....	B. Fabluas & K. Orozco

Time: 7:00pm-7:10pm..... Flag Lowering

### SATURDAY NIGHT

Time: 8:00pm-10:00pm

Dress Code: Casuals

Platforms: Zoom Conference Room

Saturday Night FUN Activities ..... Zoom Breakout Rooms

*See List of Fun Activities on Camporee's landing page*



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## WEEKEND PROGRAM

### SUNDAY MORNING

Time: 7:00Am-7:45am

Dress Code: Exercise 'Comfy'

Platforms: Zoom Conference Room

Location: Individual/Family 'Campsite'

*'Pathfinders Determined to MOVE' ..... Directors Andrew Gordon & Jason Smith*  
Exercise/Fitness Fellowship

### DEVOTION

Time: 8:00am-9:00am

Dress Code: PF Club T-Shirt

Platforms: YouTube & FB LIVE

Location: Individual/Family 'Campsite'

Hosts: PF Ziane Roberts-Clarke & Dir. Teddy Williamson

Opening Prayer.....	NYC Pathfinder
Welcome.....	NYC Pathfinders
Special Music.....	NYC Pathfinders
Introduction of speaker.....	Pr. Dan Whitlow
Devotion .....	<b>Pr. Bill Wood</b>
Flag Raising.....	AU Pathfinders
Closing Prayer.....	Ps. Dan Whitlow

### FUN ACTIVITIES & HONORS

Time: 9:00am-12:15pm

Dress Code: PF Club T-Shirt

Platforms: Zoom Conference Room, YouTube & FB LIVE

Fun Activities & Honors.....



### CLOSING CEREMONY

Time: 12:30pm-1:00pm

Dress Code: PF Club T-Shirt

Platforms: YouTube & FB LIVE

Location: Individual/Family 'Campsite'

Hosts: PF Ziane Roberts-Clarke & Dir. Teddy Williamson

Opening Prayer.....	Pr. Javier Alcon
Special Music.....	Hosts
Closing Thoughts.....	Dr. David McKenzie
Recap Video .....	Hosts
Consecration/Closing Prayer.....	Dr. Earl Knight

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## HONORS & FUN ACTIVITIES

### Virtual Honors:

- Over 40 Virtual Honors will be accessible from 12noon, 5/14 on the Camporee's Landing Page – via [www.auyouth.com](http://www.auyouth.com) (or <https://www.aucymcamporee.org>)

e.g.

- Agriculture
- Backpacking
- Basic Rescue
- Bats
- Biblical Archeology
- Biosafety
- Christian Storytelling
- Camping Skills I
- Electricity
- Dinosaur
- Home Nursing,
- Knot Tying, etc.

### Fun Activities:

- Pictionary
- Scavenger Hunt, Indoors
- Taboo
- Art activity
- Jeopardy
- Among US
- Getting to know Bermuda
- Virtual 5K
- Bikeathon
- Kahoot
- Gather.town
- Science Experiment, etc.

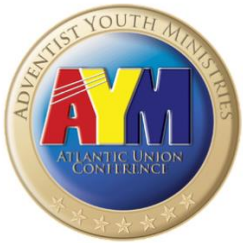






## ATLANTIC UNION VIRTUAL CAMPOREE SAFETY TIPS FOR CAMPERS & FAMILIES

- Parents/guardians are asked to maintain communication with campers during the camporee, and 'wear the hat' of the onsite counselor/club staff – especially for younger children.
- All camporee attendees need to bear in mind that they are in the public once logged on to the zoom platforms.
- While online, practice cybersecurity measures for every camper's safety. All parents/guardians are asked to be aware of 'where' their children are when on virtual platforms.
- Anyone receiving threatening or inappropriate chat messages should immediately report it to a trusted adult - parent/guardian, director, zoom host, staff, etc.
- All campers are asked to avoid sharing personal details or share information with care; do not disclose personal data.
- All families are asked to be vigilant about calibrating their computer's/device's security settings - especially for younger children (limit access to other unwanted sites/apps, etc).
- Pathfinders, and families are also reminded to place devices in neutral, appropriate locations - away from bedrooms, etc. so that embarrassing situations are avoided (your family is in the public when online).
- Utilize the virtual background that has been provided so that the inside of your home will not be in the public's eyes.
- Be intentional about ensuring cybersecurity for all campers.



# ATLANTIC UNION CONFERENCE OF SDA

## 2021 Virtual Pathfinder Camporee

### Leadership Team

