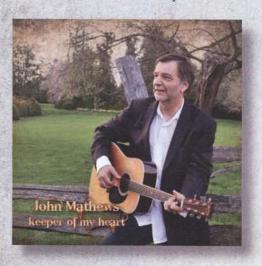
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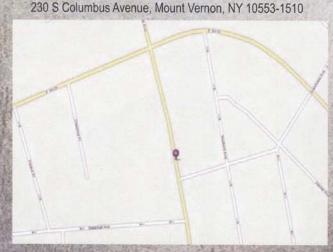
Chapel Recording Artist, John Mathews will give a free concert at 4 pm Sabbath afternoon at the Mount Vernon SDA church. As a boy he dreamed of becoming a country music singer, but he answered God's call to the ministry to preach the Word and make music secondary. Currently, John is the Stewardship Director of the North American Division of Seventh-day Adventists.



#### Resources

Stop by the booths in the lobby, and get access to our resources and material that will be beneficial to you and your church.

## Map



Mt. Vernon SDA Church

## Why should I attend?

Stewardship is living the Christian life and members need encouragement as they grow in grace. As stewardship leaders, you have a responsibility to teach, lead and train members how to grow in the grace of Christ. This training event is for you to learn how to lead and teach effectively the principles of stewardship. Stewards Of Hope is part of the Evangelistic initiative for New York City during 2013 and sponsored by the North American Division and Atlantic Union Conferences.

#### Who should attend?

Local church Stewardship directors and their teams, church treasures, elders and pastors are invited to attend. This event is designed to train the trainers that will teach members how we, as Seventh-day Adventists are to live as faithful stewards

Allegheny East Conference 767 Douglass Drive Boyertown, PA 19512 (610) 326-4610

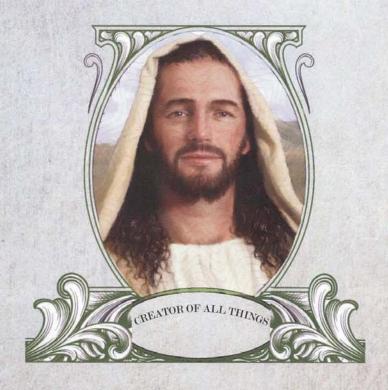
Greater New York Conference 7 Shelter Rock Road Manhasset, NY 11030-3222 (516) 627-9350

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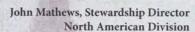
## NEW YORK CITY

Mount Vernon Seventh-day Adventist Church 230 S Columbus Avenue Mount Vernon, NY 10553-1510

August 23-24

#### You are Invited!

On August 23 and 24, a special event will take place at eleven Seventh-day Adventist churches in New York City. The Sabbath sermon will be delivered by eleven stewardship professionals, speaking on the importance and sometimes misunderstood topic of stewardship. In the afternoon, all are invited to attend the Stewards of Hope seminar. This is a historic summit on stewardship. Every organizational level of the Adventist church will be participating to lift up Jesus, the Ultimate Steward. Come join the experience, and be blessed.





As Church administrators and pastors, we want quick results and in stewardship this may mean an immediate increase in tithe and offerings receipts. This kind of reality is unsustainable in the long-run. There is, however, an approach which can make the Church richer beyond dollars and cents. This approach is centered on Jesus, and is best expressed by Christ Himself in His use of the grapevine metaphor in John 15.

Erika Puni, Stewardship Director General Conference



NY13/Revelation of Hope is well under way. Stewardship has been an integral part of this campaign from the start. Our segment, Stewards of Hope, has been well represented by speakers from the General Conference, North American Division, Atlantic Union, and local conferences. We encourage you to attend these stewardship sermons. The afternoon programs are geared toward teaching stewardship principals by several experts in three different languages: English, Spanish and French. Come out and learn more about stewardship—you will be blessed!

Leon Thomasian, Treasurer Atlantic Union Conference



# Sabbath Morning Presenters



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Bronx, NY 10469-5037

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## Sabbath Afternoon Program 4:00 pm

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4:00-4:20 pm John Mathews Music Concert Keeper of my Heart
4:30-5:00 pm Erika Puni The Missing Piece

## Plenary

English



Leon Thomasian, Treasurer Atlantic Union Conference English Moderator

5:00-5:30 pm Lawrence Brown Resources that Work! 5:30-6:00 pm Larry Evans In the Beginning God... 6:00-6:45 pm Scott Christiansen Faith & Finance

Spanish



Carlos Gonzalez, Treasurer Greater New York Conference Spanish Moderator

5:00-5:30 pm Larry Evans In the Beginning God... 5:30-6:00 pm Mario Niño Resurgimiento de la Mayordomía en su Iglesia 6:00-6:45 pm Thomas Murray Faith & Finance

French



Reginald Barthelemy, Stewardship Director Greater New York Conference French Moderator

5:30-5:30 pm Claude Richli Les Enfants de l' Abondance 5:30-6:00 pm Larry Evans In the Beginning God... 6:00-6:45 pm Reginald Barthelemy Foi et Finance

Pastors & Elders



John Mathews, Stewardship Director North American Division Moderator

5:00-5:30 pm Scott Christiansen Effective Stewardship 5:30-6:00 pm Trevor Forbes Faith & Finance 6:00-6:45 pm Erika Puni Stewardship Leadership

refreshements will be served on Saturday night