

# Adventist youth light spiritual fires

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Jose LaPorte, a 16-year-old Dakota Adventist Academy (DAA) student, delivered a message to the Bismarck Church recently. At the same time, Mikaela Miller, also a student at DAA, preached in Streeter. The Student Association at DAA has formed several groups with about ten students each who conduct the church services in various cities throughout North and South Dakota. The students, chaperoned by academy staff, do the entire service from handing out programs to the closing prayer. On March 6, the DAA Student Association groups conducted church services in five South Dakota churches. Jose's goal is to be a pastor and doctor and to bring people to Christ. He has also spoken at other churches, including Tolstoy, Aberdeen, Bowdle, Goodrich, and DAA. Instead of youth complaining there is nothing in church for them, he advised that they do something for their church and bear the fruits of the spirit, love, joy, peace. (Galatians 5:22-23).

DAA students and faculty note that this has been a very spiritually empowered year at DAA.



Jose Laporte, a student at DAA, recently gave the sermon at the Bismarck church.