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Three-day Program Promises Only Good News!

One of the largest organizers of global conventions will once again draw thousands to Belton

BELTON, Texas – June 12, 2024 – It's almost summer and the Reyes family could be headed to a theme park, the beach, or even visiting grandparents for the weekend. Instead, Keilah and Martha and their kids are eagerly anticipating a three-day convention with a few thousand people who will come to hear exciting good news!

"What my wife and I are looking forward to the most," said Keilah, of Killeen, "is the first episode of the new drama series 'The Good News According to Jesus.' With this first installment focusing on Jesus' early life and childhood, our entire family will be able to learn practical lessons."

One of the largest convention organizations in the world returns to Cadence Bank Center in Belton, Texas, with a much-anticipated motivational program to comfort and encourage the public.

In a world where bad news endlessly streams on social media, TV, and radio, Jehovah's Witnesses will present their 2024 "Declare the Good News!" convention series beginning the weekend of July 12-14, 2024. The free, three-day live event is expected to draw more than 5,500 attendees to the city over the course of two weekends—fueling the city's economy with local spending at stores, hotels, and restaurants.

"We are excited to once again work with city officials in Belton to host our conventions," said Noe Moreno, local spokesperson for Jehovah's Witnesses. "These annual conventions are a high point for thousands of people who are weary of bad news and need to experience some positivity in their lives. We are also happy to enjoy the program in this warm and welcoming city."

The "Declare the Good News!" convention will present Bible-based videos, discourses, and interviews on topics such as...

- Why Do We Need Good News?
- What Will You Do "for the Sake of the Good News"?
- Why We Don't Fear Bad News

Saturday features a baptism of candidates from surrounding communities, while a two-part video feature will captivate the audience on Friday and Saturday mornings. Prior to each convention, local congregations will engage in a campaign to invite community members to this free event.



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Last year, nearly 13 million people attended more than 6,000 three-day conventions worldwide.

To learn more about this free convention and to find a location near you, please visit jw.org > About Us > Conventions.