

The Link Newsletter



**«Tous d'un commun accord
persévéraient dans la prière, avec
les femmes, et Marie, mère de
Jésus, et avec les frères de Jésus.»
Actes 1:14 LSG**

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Acts 1:14 NIV**



The Power and Place of Prayer

By Bishop Shelton L. Beneby

Administrative Bishop for Eastern Canada COGOP

All through the Bible and in history, we see that prayer precedes revival and great works of God. In the Book of Acts, we read, "Then they returned to Jerusalem from the hill called the Mount of Olives, a Sabbath day's walk from the city. When they arrived, they went upstairs to the room where they were staying. Those present were Peter, John, James and Andrew; Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew; James son of Alphaeus and Simon the Zealot, and Judas son of James. They all joined together constantly in prayer, along with the women and Mary the mother of Jesus, and with his brothers" (Acts 1:12-14).

The amazing evangelistic revival and work of the Holy Spirit that come in Acts 2 are clearly connected to the prayers of God's people. What a joy to see a biblical portrait of God's people, men and women, together in passionate prayer, and then to discover that the Spirit descended in power, the gospel was proclaimed, and over three thousand people gave their hearts and lives to Jesus!

One of the most powerful things you can do to grow in your personal commitment to outreach is to pray for those who are not yet followers of Christ. Make a list of friends, family members, and acquaintances who are not Christians. Put this list where you will see it and pray for one or more of these people each day. Then be sure to ask God to help you be responsive to the opportunities he gives you to use your unique evangelism style to connect with them, love them, and speak to them about Jesus.

Prayer must bathe everything we do, especially when it comes to the ministry of outreach. Every follower of Jesus should be praying for their friends, family members, and acquaintances who don't know Jesus. We also need to undergird all of our outreach efforts with prayer.

Along with praying for our churches' outreach efforts, it is critical that followers of Jesus discover the power of praying for and with those spiritual seekers God has placed in our lives. Through the years, I have asked many nonbelievers, "Can I pray for you?" So far no one has said no. It is amazing how people who don't have faith in God can still hunger for prayer.



PRAYER PUSH

PRAY UNTIL SOMETHING HAPPENS

North America Prayer Push Sunday, January 22, 2023

Conclude the global Church of God of Prophecy's 21-day Season of Seeking with a prayer meeting in your congregation on Sunday, January 22, 2023.

Join with North America on Sunday, January 22, 2023, praying for:

- Anointing to reach the unreached in our communities with the message of Jesus.
- Ministry to the physical, emotional, social, and spiritual needs of our communities.
- Divine healing for the sick in our congregations and communities.
- Church planters and church planting in North America.
- New ministers accepting their call to ministry.

Share testimonies of your prayer meeting on social media using #PrayerPUSH



December 13, 2022

Dear Friends,

When I was young, I remember working on farm equipment with my father, grandfather, and uncles. Sometimes a bolt or part of the equipment would be “stuck” and could not be loosened by the strength of one person. When that happened, often two or three people would grab a wrench, connect a long bar to the wrench for leverage, and we would all push together until what was stuck would break loose. When what was stuck finally broke loose, we experienced incredible joy.

January 22, 2023, I’m asking the Church of God of Prophecy in North America to PUSH together in prayer. When we PUSH together, we are committing to Pray Until Something Happens. We will pray until the bolt breaks loose or until we are broken. We pray for God to open doors of ministry and anoint us to walk through them, or for him to make us willing to go. God, give us a breakthrough and break us for those who are lost. Break us for the needs around us. God, break us for what breaks your heart.

At the beginning of each new year, the global Church of God of Prophecy family devotes 21 days to prayer and seeking God’s face. We want to see North America conclude the 2023 season of seeking with a prayer PUSH like never before. I’m asking every Church of God of Prophecy congregation in North America to designate Sunday, January 22, 2023, as a day to pray until something happens. I hope every congregation will have a prayer meeting on that day or evening, seeking God together.

On January 22, 2023, would you PUSH together in prayer for the following five areas of ministry in North America,

1. **PUSH with me in prayer for anointing to reach the unreached in our communities with the message of Jesus.** Throughout my lifetime, we have prayed for and sent missionaries around the world. Now, God is sending the world to us. Let’s join in prayer for the anointing to reach those around us.
2. **PUSH with me in prayer for ministry to the least of these.** Our communities are full of people in need. Let’s pray for God’s grace to serve the underserved and neediest in our cities and communities. Let’s pray for an anointing to be the hands and feet of Jesus to those in need.
3. **PUSH with me in prayer for divine healing to operate in our congregations.** Jesus is our healer. Let’s have special prayer for those among us who need physical healing, and let’s believe for miracles!
4. **PUSH with me in prayer for church planters and church planting.** We are asking God to send laborers into his harvest for church planting in North America, and we are praying for mother churches to emerge to facilitate this great need.



5. **Finally, PUSH with me in prayer for new ministers.** We are experiencing an explosion of young ministers in North America who are hearing and responding to God's call. Let's pray for God's anointing upon them and for ministry mentors to step forward and prayerfully mentor them as they reach the harvest.

Sunday, January 22, 2023, will be a prayer PUSH for North America. I can't wait to see all God has in store for us as we Pray Until Something Happens together. God, give us a breakthrough and break us to surrender to all you are doing. I hope you'll share testimonies of all God did in your prayer meetings on social media using the hashtag #PrayerPUSH. Let's testify of God's goodness as we push together in prayer on Sunday, January 22, 2023.

God bless you. We love you, and we are praying for you!

Sincerely,

Brian T. Sutton, DMin
General Presbyter
Church of God of Prophecy—North America



13 décembre 2022

Chers amis :

Quand j'étais jeune, je me souviens avoir travaillé sur des équipements agricoles avec mon père, mon grand-père et mes oncles. Parfois, un boulon ou un élément de l'équipement se retrouvait " bloqué " et ne pouvait être desserré par la force d'une seule personne. Dans ce cas, il arrivait souvent que deux ou trois personnes s'emparent d'une clé à molette et y fixent une longue barre pour servir de levier, puis nous poussions tous ensemble jusqu'à ce que l'objet bloqué se détache. Lorsque ce qui était coincé se libérait enfin, nous éprouvions une joie incroyable.

Le 22 janvier 2023, j'invite l'Église de Dieu de la Prophétie en Amérique du Nord à « POUSSER » ensemble dans la prière. Lorsque nous prions ensemble, nous nous engageons à prier jusqu'à ce que quelque chose se produise. Nous prions jusqu'à ce que le boulon se desserre ou jusqu'à ce que nous expérimentions un brisement. Nous prions pour que Dieu ouvre les portes du ministère et nous oigne pour les franchir, ou pour qu'il nous donne la volonté de nous engager. Seigneur, donne-nous une percée et brise-nous pour ceux qui sont perdus. Brise-nous pour les besoins qui nous entourent. Dieu, sensibilise-nous à ce qui te brise le cœur.

Au début de chaque nouvelle année, toute la famille de l'Église de Dieu de la Prophétie à travers le monde consacre 21 jours à la prière et à la recherche de la face de Dieu. Cette année, j'ai demandé à l'Amérique du Nord de conclure ces 21 jours de recherche de Dieu par un temps de prière PUSH comme jamais auparavant. Je demande à chaque congrégation de l'Église de Dieu de la Prophétie en Amérique du Nord de décréter que le dimanche 22 janvier 2023 sera un jour de prière jusqu'à ce que quelque chose se produise. Je souhaite que chaque congrégation organise une réunion de prière ce jour-là ou ce soir-là, pour chercher Dieu ensemble pour l'Amérique du Nord.

(Remarque : " PUSH " - Pray Until Something Happens ("Priez jusqu'à ce que quelque chose se produise") est l'acronyme anglais désignant cette initiative. *PUSH* signifie *POUSSER* en français.)

Le 22 janvier 2023, voulez-vous prier ensemble pour les 5 domaines de ministère suivants concernant l'Amérique du Nord,

1. Pour l'onction pour atteindre les non-atteints de nos communautés avec le message de Jésus. Tout au long de ma vie, nous avons prié pour et envoyé des missionnaires dans le monde entier. Maintenant, Dieu fait venir le monde jusqu'à nous. Joignons-nous dans la prière pour l'onction afin d'atteindre ceux qui nous entourent.



2. Pour le ministère auprès des plus petits. Nos communautés sont pleines de personnes dans le besoin. Prions pour la grâce de Dieu afin de servir les plus démunis et les plus nécessiteux dans nos villes et nos communautés. Prions pour l'onction afin d'être les mains et les pieds de Jésus pour ceux qui sont dans le besoin.
3. Pour que la guérison divine opère dans nos congrégations. Jésus est notre guérisseur. Ayons une prière spéciale pour ceux parmi nous qui ont besoin de guérison physique, et croyons aux miracles !
4. Pour les planteurs d'églises et pour l'œuvre d'implantation d'églises. Nous demandons à Dieu d'envoyer des ouvriers dans sa moisson pour l'implantation d'églises en Amérique du Nord, et nous prions pour que des églises mères émergent pour faciliter ce grand besoin.
5. Enfin, Pour les nouveaux ministres. Nous vivons une explosion de jeunes ministres en Amérique du Nord, qui entendent et répondent à l'appel de Dieu. Prions pour que l'onction de Dieu soit sur eux et que des mentors du ministère s'avancent et les encadrent dans la prière alors qu'ils atteignent la moisson.

Le dimanche 22 janvier 2023 aura lieu un événement de prière intitulé PUSH en faveur de l'Amérique du Nord. J'ai hâte de voir tout ce que Dieu nous réserve alors que nous nous efforçons ensemble de prier jusqu'à ce que quelque chose se produise. O Dieu, donne-nous une percée, et brise-nous pour que nous nous abandonnions à tout ce que tu fais. J'espère que vous partagerez les témoignages de tout ce que Dieu a fait dans vos réunions de prière sur les médias sociaux en utilisant le hashtag #PrayerPUSH. Témoignons de la bonté de Dieu pendant cet élan de prière du dimanche 22 janvier 2023.

Que Dieu vous bénisse. Nous vous aimons et nous prions pour vous !

Sincèrement,

Brian T. Sutton, D.Min.

Presbypère général

Église de Dieu de la Prophétie – Amérique du Nord



13 de diciembre de 2022

Estimados amigos:

Recuerdo que cuando era más joven trabajaba con el equipo agrícola con mi padre, mi abuelo y mis tíos. A veces, un tornillo o pieza del equipo quedaba atascado y ninguna fuerza humana podía soltarlo. Cuando eso sucedía, dos o tres personas tomaban la llave inglesa y conectaban una barra larga a la llave para hacer una palanca y todos la empujábamos a la misma vez hasta que el objeto atascado se soltaba. Cuando finalmente lo que estaba atascado se aflojaba, todos experimentábamos un gozo increíble.

Le pido a la Iglesia de Dios de la Profecía en Norteamérica que oremos juntos el 22 de enero de 2023. Cuando oremos juntos, nos comprometemos a orar hasta que algo suceda. Oraremos hasta que los tornillos se suelten y seamos quebrantados. Oraremos para que Dios abra puertas ministeriales y nos una para caminar a través de ellos o ponga en nosotros la disposición de ir. Dios, ábrenos el camino y pon en nosotros urgencia para alcanzar a los perdidos. Haznos sensibles a las necesidades de quienes nos rodean. Dios, quebranta nuestro corazón con aquello que quebranta el Tuyo.

Al comienzo de cada año nuevo, la Iglesia de Dios de la Profecía a nivel global dedica 21 días a la oración y a la búsqueda del rostro de Dios. Este año insto a Norteamérica a concluir la temporada de búsqueda del 2023 con un tiempo de oración, como nunca antes. Le pido a cada congregación de la Iglesia de Dios de la Profecía en Norteamérica que designen el domingo, 22 de enero de 2023, como el día para orar hasta que algo suceda. Espero que cada congregación tenga un servicio de oración en ese día o en la noche, buscando juntos a Dios a favor de Norteamérica.

(Nota: "PUSH"—Pray until something happens [Orando hasta que algo suceda] es el acrónimo en inglés de esta iniciativa).

El 22 de enero de 2023, oremos juntos por las siguientes cinco áreas del ministerio en Norteamérica,

1. **ORE conmigo para que la unción llegue a los no alcanzados en nuestras comunidades con el mensaje de Jesús.** A lo largo de mi vida hemos orado y enviado a misioneros alrededor del mundo. Ahora Dios nos está enviando el mundo a nosotros. Unámonos en oración para que la unción alcance a quienes nos rodean.
2. **ORE conmigo para que salgamos a ministrar a los más pequeños.** Nuestras comunidades están llenas de gente en necesidad. Oremos por la gracia de Dios para



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- servir a los menos servidos y más necesitados en nuestras ciudades y comunidades. Pidamos unción para ser las manos y los pies de Jesús para aquellos en necesidad.
3. **ORE conmigo para que la sanidad divina opere en nuestras congregaciones.** Jesús es nuestro Sanador. Oremos especialmente por aquellos entre nosotros que necesitan sanidad física, ¡y creamos en los milagros!
 4. **ORE conmigo por plantadores de iglesias y la plantación de iglesias.** Le estamos pidiendo a Dios que envíe obreros a Su mies para plantar iglesias en Norteamérica, y que haya iglesias madres que faciliten esta gran necesidad.
 5. **Por último, ORE conmigo por nuevos ministros.** Estamos experimentando una explosión de ministros jóvenes en Norteamérica que están escuchando y respondiendo al llamado de Dios. Oremos para que Dios los una y para que se levanten ministros mentores que los instruyan y oren por ellos mientras alcanzan la cosecha.

El domingo, 22 de enero de 2023, estaremos orando por Norteamérica. Espero ansiosamente todo lo que Dios tiene preparado para nosotros cuando juntos oremos hasta que algo suceda ("PUSH"). Dios, ábranos el camino y quebrántanos para rendirnos a todo lo que estás haciendo. Espero que usted comparta testimonios de todo lo que Dios hará en su servicio de oración en las redes sociales, usando el hashtag #PrayerPUSH. Testifiquemos de las bondades de Dios mientras oramos hasta que algo suceda el domingo, 22 de enero de 2023.

Dios le bendiga. ¡Le amamos y estamos orando por usted!

Atentamente,

Brian T. Sutton, DMin
Presbítero general
Iglesia de Dios de la Profecía – Norteamérica



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NATIONAL CALENDAR OF EVENTS - 2023

Date	January 2023	Date	February 2023	Date	March, 2023	Date	April, 2023
1-22	21 Days of Prayer	4	National Leadership Conference	7	Pastors Meeting in Ontario	2	Palm Sunday
14	United in Prayer in Ottawa	14	Valentine's Day	14	Pastors Meeting in Quebec	7	Good Friday
15	International Prayer Simulcast	20	Family Day	24-26	50 th Niagara Ladies Retreat	9	Easter Sunday
20-22	Quebec Winter Retreat	25	Treasurers & Administration Forum				
22	United in Prayer in Ontario				World Missions		
Date	May 2023	Date	June 2023	Date	July 2023	Date	August 2023
5-6	Foundation Ministerial Development Training	6	Pastors Meeting in Ontario	1	Canada Day	7	Civic Holiday
10	Mother's Day	13	Pastors Meeting in Quebec	9	Nationals Children's Day	4-6	National Convention in Montreal
19	National Youth Connect	18	Father's Day	24-29	Big Shots Camp		
22	Victoria Day	24	National Prayer Conference				
27	National Women's Ministry Conference						
28	Pentecost Sunday						
Date	September 2023	Date	October 2023	Date	November 2023		December 2023
3	Back to School Sunday		CLERGY MONTH WORLD MISSION	4	National Men's Ministry Forum	25	Christmas Day
4	Labour Day	9	Thanksgiving	11	Remembrance Day	26	Boxing Day
12	Pastors Meeting in Ontario	12-13	Corporate Board Meeting	18	National Worker's Conference	31	Eastern Canada Combined New Year's Eve Service
19	Pastors Meeting in Quebec	14	Annual General Meeting				
30	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation						

PLEASE NOTE: Some dates on the National Calendar may be changed or cancelled for various reasons

PRAYER GUIDE

FROM COGOP INTERNATIONAL

Week 1

21 DAYS OF PRAYER RECONCILING THE WORLD TO CHRIST

Week One

January 2-8, 2023

Core Value Target: Prayer

Global Family Targets: Africa, Asia, Europe/CIS/Middle East

Jesus said, "My house will be called a house of prayer" (Matthew 21:13 NIV). Scripture tells us that the early church was "devoted to prayer" (Acts 1:14; 2:42; 6:4). It is the desire of the Father that every church today be the same. Becoming a people devoted to prayer requires more than programs and good intentions. It requires a faithful, intentional obedience in seeking the Father daily. This week, we invite you to join us daily as we petition the Father that our churches would be "houses of prayer" and that as individuals we would be devoted to prayer.

Week One Prayer Directives

- Thank the Father for his ability and readiness to give, guide, and respond in response to our prayers (Matthew 7:7, 8).
- Confess for yourself or your church any lack of devotion to prayer. Ask God to help your church and its leaders be devoted to or "diligently occupied with" prayer (Colossians 4:2, Acts 1:14; Acts 2:42; Acts 6:4).
- Ask God to help your church family pray as the needs arise, spontaneously, and to cover everything in prayer (Ephesians 6:8).
- Ask God to make you alert to needs in your church family and to "keep on praying continually" for all members of your church family (Ephesians 6:8).
- Ask the Father to help you and your church to pray as Jesus urged you to pray—continually asking, seeking, and knocking (Matthew 7:7, 8).
- Pray for power and wisdom to know the "greater things" the Father wants you and your church to do for Him (John 14:12—14).
- Ask the Father to help you see beyond just personal needs and to focus on kingdom concerns (John 14:12—14).
- Pray that your church will pray faithfully and powerfully for your city, community, nation, and leaders (1 Timothy 2:1, 2).
- Pray for your pastor and ministry leaders (Romans 15:30).
- Thank that the "hearts desire" of your church would be to pray for the unsaved and that He would give your church practical opportunities to reach out to your community (Romans 10:1; 1 Timothy 2:1, 3, 4).

Praying for Our Global Family

Join with us in lifting up the nations of Africa, Asia, and Europe/CIS/Middle East.

These nations include:

Africa

Angola
Benin
Botswana
Burundi
Burkina Faso
Cameroon
Cape Verde
Central African Republic
Chad
Congo Brazzaville
Democratic Republic of Congo
Djibouti
Ethiopia
Gabon
Gambia
Ghana
Guinea Bissau
Guinea Conakry
Guinea-Equatorial
Ivory Coast
Kenya
Lesotho
Liberia
Malawi
Mali
Mozambique
Namibia
Niger
Nigeria
Rwanda
Senegal
Sierra Leone
South Africa
Sudan
Swaziland
Tanzania
Togo
Uganda
Zambia
Zimbabwe

Asia, Australia, and Oceania

Australia
Eastern Asia
Fiji Islands
Hawaii
India
Indonesia
Kiribati
Japan
Malaysia
Myanmar
Nepal
New Zealand
Pakistan
Philippines
Rabi Islands
Samoan Islands
Singapore
South Korea
Sri Lanka
Thailand
Tuvalu

Europe/CIS/Middle East

Azerbaijan
Belarus
Belgium
Bulgaria
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Poland
Egypt
Finland
France
Georgia
Germany
Greece
Hungary
Israel
Italy
Netherlands
Portugal
Romania
Russia
Spain
Ukraine
United Kingdom

PRAYER GUIDE

FROM COGOP INTERNATIONAL

Week 2

21 DAYS OF PRAYER RECONCILING THE WORLD TO CHRIST

Week Two

January 9-15, 2023

Core Value Target: The Harvest and Stewardship

Global Family Targets: North America, Caribbean

For the Church of God of Prophecy, the Harvest has been the call heard consistently since 1994, which was really only a re-alignment to our call when this Movement was birthed. We praise God that we are an international body in 134 nations, with over 12,000 preaching points, planting two new churches every day, and participating with God to see a thousand people get saved every day. This week, we unite our prayers to ask God for continued favor and blessing as we remain faithful to His call to "Go!"

Week Two Prayer Directives

- Praise God for Jesus Christ who came to seek and save those who are lost (Luke 15:1–31; 19:9, 10).
- Give thanks for the Gospel of Jesus Christ which is the power of God for salvation to all who believe (Romans 1:16).
- Recall your personal testimony of salvation, and thank God for His deliverance (Psalm 40:1–3).
- Ask God to send forth laborers into the harvest (Matthew 9:37, 38).
- Ask God to reveal to us individually and corporately-believers where He is working so that we may focus our efforts more effectively (John 6:44; 17:3, 15).
- Ask the Father to raise up excellent, anointed ministries to the young harvest of children and youth (Matthew 19:14; Acts 2:17).
- Intercede for unsaved individuals you know personally, and claim the following promises for them (John 14:6; Romans 10: 9-11; Matthew 18:18).
- Pray that God's kingdom will come and His will be done in individuals' hearts, families, cities, nations, and the world, even as it is in heaven (Matthew 6:9–13; Daniel 4:34, 35).
- Pray for God's direction and discernment in our global church planting efforts (Mark 16:15).
- Ask God to grant access for the Gospel through open heavens, open minds, open hearts, and open doors (Isaiah 45:8; Acts 26:17, 18; 2 Corinthians 4:6; Colossians 4:2–3).
- Pray that grace be the basis of all stewardship and a matter of the heart (1 Peter 4:10).
- Pray that tithing and giving leads to whole-life stewardship including time, talent, health, and family (Luke 20:25, 21:4, Malachi 3:12).

Week Two Prayer Directives Continued

- Pray that children and youth will learn biblical stewardship from their parents and leaders (Matthew 7:24; Colossians 1:27, 28, 2:7; 1 Peter 5:2, 10).
- Pray that people with the spiritual gift of giving will acknowledge, understand, and practice their gift (Romans 12:6–8).
- Pray that the joy of giving becomes a reality, causing giving to go beyond being needs based (2 Corinthians 9:7).
- Pray that a scriptural understanding of debt will break the debt bondage on families (Proverbs 21:20, 17:18; Romans 13:8).
- Pray that biblical stewardship will break the addiction of materialism which leads to idolatry (Colossians 3:5).
- Pray that pastors and members will receive revelation that we tithe to Jesus, not our pastor (Hebrews 7:8–10).

Praying for Our Global Family

Join with us in lifting up the nations of North America and the Caribbean. These areas include:

	Tobago	Mississippi
	Trinidad	Missouri
	Turks and Caicos Islands	Montana
	Virgin Islands (U.S. & British)	Nebraska
		Nevada
		New Hampshire
		New Jersey
		New Mexico
		New York
		North Carolina
		North Dakota
		Northeast Region (English)
		Northeast Region (Spanish)
		Ohio
		Oklahoma
		Oregon
		Pennsylvania
		Rhode Island
		South Carolina
		South Dakota
		Southeast Region Spanish
		Tennessee
		Texas
		Utah
		Vermont
		Virginia
		Washington
		West Virginia
		Western Canada
		Wisconsin
		Wyoming

Caribbean

Anguilla
Antigua
Aruba
Bahamas
Barbados
Barbuda
Bermuda
Bonaire
Cayman Islands
Curacao
Dominica
French Guiana
Grenada
The Grenadines
Guadeloupe
Guyana
Haiti
Jamaica
Leeward Islands
Martinique
Montserrat
Nevis
St. Kitts
St. Lucia
St. Maarten
St. Martin
St. Vincent
Suriname

North America

Alabama
Alaska
Arizona
Arkansas
California
Canada
East
Colorado
Connecticut
Delaware
Florida
Georgia
Hawaii
Idaho
Illinois
Indiana
Iowa
Kansas
Kentucky
Louisiana
Maine
Maryland
Massachusetts
Michigan
Minnesota

PRAYER GUIDE

FROM COGOP INTERNATIONAL

Week 3

21 DAYS OF PRAYER RECONCILING THE WORLD TO CHRIST

Week Three

January 16-22, 2023

Core Value Target: Leadership Development

Global Family Targets: Central and South America

In Harvest-rich locations, leadership development is essential so that the fields God has prepared can be penetrated even further. The model of Jesus affirms this. His ministry here on earth did not focus on His ability to reach massive numbers of people. Jesus realized that the greatest work He could do was to develop 12 solid leaders who could, in turn, develop others, spreading the leadership strength and so multiplying harvest impact in time.

Week Three Prayer Directives

- Give thanks to God for the global perspective and ministries of the Church of God of Prophecy (Acts 1:8).
- Ask God to strengthen church leadership and bless the efforts of churches and ministries where they minister (1 Timothy 2:1, 2).
- Ask God to send forth laborers into the harvest (Matthew 9:37, 38).
- Ask God to raise up leaders in intercession, worship, and servant ministries to help loose the bands of wickedness and prepare for the return of Our Lord (Isaiah 58:6—10).
- Pray that the Father would raise up anointed leaders to serve the young harvest through children's and youth ministries (Psalm 78:4).
- Pray that men, women, boys, and girls would embrace the call of God and our efforts to equip them for ministry would be successful (Jeremiah 1:5; 2 Peter 1:10, 11; Ephesian 4:12).
- Pray for those already engaged in ministry that the Holy Spirit will use them to equip his people for works of service so that the body of Christ may be built up (Ephesians 4:11—13).

Praying for Our International Ministries

Join with us in praying for the international ministries of the Church of God of Prophecy.

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Spirit and Life Seminary

Youth Ministries

Praying for Our Global Family

Join with us in lifting up the nations of Central and South America. These nations include:

Central America, Mexico, Spanish-

Speaking Caribbean

Belize

Costa Rica

Cuba

Dominican Republic

El Salvador

Guatemala

Honduras

México

Nicaragua

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UPCOMING EVENTS



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NATIONAL LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

2023

THEME:

Follow Me

Registration Costs: \$65:00
(includes breakfast and lunch)

Guest Speaker:
BISHOP DR. HECTOR ORTIZ

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 4th 2023

9:30 am

Holiday Inn Dixon Toronto
600 Dixon Road Toronto ON

Deadline for Registration
January 15th 2023

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58 Biennial National Convention **Church of God of Prophecy** (Eastern Canada)

Theme:

United In Purpose
Nehemiah 4:1-6

Date: **Friday August 4th - Sunday August 6th 2023**

Venue: **Montreal North Church of God of Prophecy**

Address: **4289 Rue Majeau Montreal-Nord**
Montreal, Quebec Canada

Hosts: **Bishop Shelton and Minister Shelly Beneby**
National Bishop Church of God of Prophecy Eastern Canada

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58e Convention Nationale Bi-Annuelle **ÉGLISE DE DIEU DE LA PROPHÉTIE** (Est du Canada)

Thème:

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Néhémie 4 v 1 à 6

Date: **Vendredi 4 août au Dimanche 6 août 2023**

Lieu: **Église de Dieu de la Prophétie Montréal-Nord**

Adresse: **4289 Rue Majeau**
Montréal, Québec Canada

Hôtes: **Évêque Shelton et Ministre Shelly Beneby**
Évêque National Église de Dieu de la Prophétie de l'Est du Canada

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Leadership Conference



Highlights from the National Pastors, Ministers & Workers Conference held under the theme "Reconciling the World to Christ by His Holy Spirit." We were blessed to have about 200 participants.

Leadership Conference



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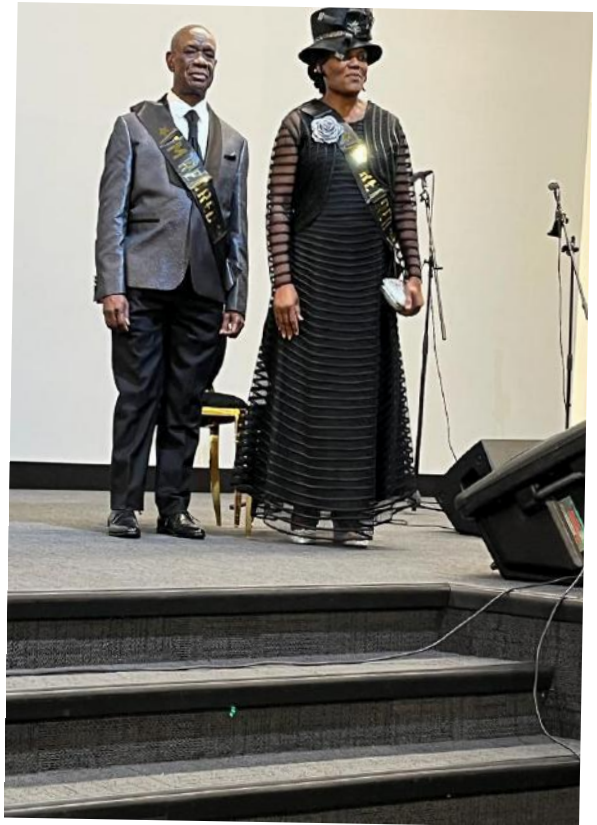
Vision Casting
2023-2025

Ten Point Strategic Plan

- 1** Build, develop and plant spiritually healthy, strong, and vibrant local churches with clear biblical mission and vision to preach and teach the gospel. (Make disciples and minister internally and externally to their communities)
- 2** Train, equip, and develop Pastor's, Ministers, Ministry Leaders, and Workers
- 3** Create and implement continuing small group discipleship programs for all age groups and levels.
- 4** Develop and implement a five-step plan to bridge, connect, and minister to all the generations within each church.
- 5** Create, design, and produce a Comprehensive Training and Leadership certificate program in collaboration with our International Offices GBL and LDD, our other MDT partners, and Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary.
- 6** Build, design, produce and coordinate continuing services, events, activities, projects, networks, and communication (e.g., a quarterly newsletter, "THE LINK"), in our provinces to reconnect and fellowship. Also, continue National Specialized Ministries, Children, Youth, Women, Men, Prayer, and the Niagara Ladies Retreat.
- 7** Recommend and propose that our National Biennial Convention take place August fourth to sixth 2023 in Montreal and in 2025 alternate to Ontario.
- 8** Continue to use all the diverse media and social platforms to proclaim the gospel, promote the ministry work of our churches and address fundamental issues that impact the family, church, and nation.
- 9** Promote, nurture, and encourage local churches to unite, worship, fellowship, give, serve, preach, teach, and live the word of God.
- 10** Create, design, and implement an Annual Eastern Canada National Fund for our development of a National Youth and Family Center. We will encourage our members to make a minimum gift of \$100.00 annually. Each local church will collect and send the donations to the National Office no later than April 30th each year with the names and amounts of each donor.

Bishop Dory's 30th Year of Service

Celebrating Bishop Roosevelt Dory for his 30 years of faithful service to the Montreal North Church. It was an amazing time of giving thanks to God for his work in leadership. Please keep him and his family in your prayers during this time of transition. Bishop Dory's 30 years of service took place December 18th.



The Ordination Service for Minister Roger Gauthier from Terrebonne COGOP



Installation Service for Kyrel Thompson



Kyrel Thompson, who serves as the Youth Pastor at North Park Worship Center, became a licensed minister on December 4th.

Youth Energizing for Christ



"Youth Energizing for Christ Program" occurred in Montreal where fifty-six young people from the community participated under the leadership of Sis. Sandra Anderson.



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