



Becoming a House of Prayer

My house will be called a house of prayer for all nations. Mk 11:17

Update April 2024

A Holy Spirit Splash Party



A couple of weeks ago, during one of our Prayer for Revival at Noon Eastern prayer meetings, we were praying for General Conference and the FMCIC when we felt lead to stop and listen to what God wanted to say to us about it. This is what we were hearing: “His Church, His work”; “I’ve got this one”; “Get ready”; and one person had a picture in her mind of rings and rings of people around a well that was spouting water like an artesian well and everyone was joyful and excited, like they were on a splash pad. This made me think of what it was like on the day of Pentecost. We were encouraged to pray for that even more!

About 8 years ago, I was burdened for the FMCIC and its decline. As I was praying for us, I felt lead to pray that God would raise up someone to help us re-dig the wells of revival, just as Isaac had to re-dig the wells that his father Abraham had dug and their enemies had filled (Gen.26:18). Soon after that, Bishop Cliff was commissioned as bishop and one of the first things he did was to ask me to develop a National Prayer Team to help us grow in prayer. For the past seven years we have been working together to re-dig those wells of revival through prayer.

General Conference is about to take place and many of us are fervently praying that this would not be a business-as-usual gathering of our leaders, but a time when the Holy Spirit is poured out upon us. Would you examine your heart to see if there is anything plugging up the flow of the Spirit in your life and pray earnestly for a fresh outpouring upon us as a family of churches?

“Will you not revive us again, that your people may rejoice in you?” (Ps.85:6)

Some ways we will be devoting ourselves to prayer at General Conference:

- **Prayer Room** – for anyone wishing a quiet place to pray. There will be 7 prayer stations featuring various dimensions of our life and ministry together for the advancement of the kingdom.
- **Prayer Roster** – every pastor and delegate will be scheduled to go to the prayer room to pray for at least 15 minutes for GC.
- **Early Morning Prayer** – Friday, Saturday, and Sunday there will be an early morning prayer meeting.
- **Workshop on Developing the Prayer Ministry of your Church** – it will be offered twice and will be open for pastors, delegates and anyone interested.

**Please note that the Prayer for Revival at Noon Eastern prayer meetings will be continuing throughout General Conference. Join with those who will be gathered to re-dig those wells and pray for this important time of conference.*

National Prayer Meeting – Prayer Points for Wednesday, April 24, 2024

1. That our General Conference will be saturated with prayer, that all who attend will come with a prayerful attitude, and that it will be a major step towards us becoming a house of prayer.
2. That God would convict us of any ways that we have blocked up the well of living water and give us a repentant heart.
3. Saturday night's worship and prayer meeting as well as Sunday morning's worship service and consecration of Linda Adams as bishop.
4. That every presentation and workshop will be used by God to build up the FMCIC family of churches.
5. That God will help us as we vote upon 2 important resolutions and any other reports or motions that are brought before us.
6. That there will be a spirit of love, unity, and warmth of affection, and that every person and church feels valued and cared for.
7. That administratively everything will run smoothly, including technology, liaising with the hotel, and travel.
8. That everyone leaves refreshed, encouraged, challenged, and revived by the Holy Spirit as we go out into the world to proclaim the gospel.

Re-digging the wells of revival together,

Ken Roth (National Prayer Team Lead)

ZOOM Links and Passcodes for Prayer Meetings

Daily "Prayer for Revival at Noon Eastern":

Monday to Saturday 12 noon EST; 11am CST; 10am MST; 9am PST

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88532841873?pwd=SEtnSWdSK3FTTC9JUzFlaEpvTHI6Zz09>

Passcode: **105833**; Meeting ID: **885 3284 1873**; Dial by your location +1 204 272 7920; +1 438 809 7799; +1 587 328 1099; +1 647 374 4685; +1 647 558 0588; +1 778 907 2071; +1 780 666 0144 Canada

Monthly "National Prayer Meeting":

Wednesday, March 27, 2024

Ontario & Canada West*: 7 PM EST; 6 PM CST; 5 PM MST; 4 PM PST

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81605123945?pwd=UUxBNm5FdEdNS3lPamowakdjNE5rdz09>

Passcode: **515693** Meeting ID: **816 0512 3945**; Dial by your location +1 438 809 7799; +1 587 328 1099; +1 647 374 4685; +1 647 558 0588; +1 778 907 2071; +1 204 272 7920 Canada

Quebec/French-speaking : à 19h00 <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/859874336>

Code secret: **0** N° de réunion : **859-874-336** Par téléphone : 438-809-7799

***Please note: the Canada West National Prayer Meeting is now amalgamating with the Ontario one.**

**Our regular monthly national prayer meeting will be taking place the day before General Conference and the National Prayer Team will be on retreat together for 24 hours just before that. The NPT will be joining in that prayer time from the hotel where GC is happening. Hope you can join us as we pray for this important event.*