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"Reaching people at the point of their need"



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Elim Korean Church Installs First Elder

Sunday, May 28, 2023 was a very special day at Elim Korean Church of God in Catonsville, MD as they installed their first Elder, U Young Lee! Director Bill Reid, representing Administrative Bishop Stan Holder gave the charge to Elder Lee, anointed him with oil and officially installed him as an Elder. Elder Lee was selected by Pastor Samuel Lim and the congregation. As an Elder, Brother Lee will work with the church and pastor to fulfill the vision of the church!



New Pastor Installed by Light to the World Harwood

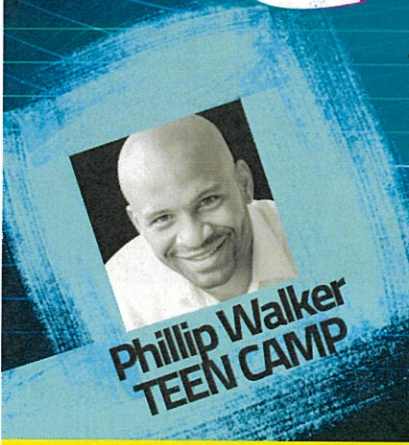


Sunday, June 4, 2023 was a special day at Light of the World Church of God in Harwood, MD - Reverend Dr. Joel Gill was installed as their pastor. Hispanic Coordinator, José Torres has been

mentoring Pastor Gill. This congregation, southwest of Annapolis is reaching out to the hispanic community. As the capitol of Maryland, Annapolis has a growing hispanic congregation.

Administrative Bishop Stan Holder was scheduled to preach and installed Pastor Gill. Due to car trouble beyond his control he could not attend the service. Pastor Jeremias Noguera brought a timely word and Director Bill Reid, on behalf of Bishop Holder conducted the official installation service. Pray for Pastor Gill and his family as they serve this community.

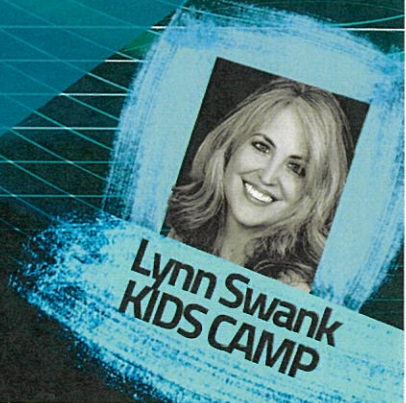
2023 DELMARVA-DC YOUTH Summer CAMP



Teen Camp
July 9-12th



Junior Camp
July 12-15th



@Summit Lake Campground

LEAD NOW Team

We need 10-15 teens that feel the call to kid's ministry. From this team, Pastor Lynn Swank will build a team to lead worship, activities and facilitate the entire worship service for the JUNIOR CAMP. The LEAD NOW team will also be part of the kid's ministry elective during TEEN CAMP. This opportunity opens the ministry door for student leaders to continue in kids' ministry in the future. We believe the LEAD NOW team will be a life changing experience!

TEEN WORKERS

LEAD NOW TEAM details:

- LEAD NOW teens must attend teen camp
- Must be 16-18 years old
- Assistant dorm leaders must be at least 17 years old
- Completed Pastoral recommendation
- During kid's camp, the LEAD NOW team will attend 2 mentoring leadership/discipleship training sessions daily.
- This will prepare them for ministry once they return to their local churches. This is a FREE training program, so space is limited.

2023 DELMARVA-DC YOUTH Summer CAMP

LEAD NOW TEAM NEEDS

Kids Ministry Team	10
Rec workers	8
Assistant Dorm Leaders	10
Clean-up crew	6
Media Assistants	3

One of the reasons we shifted the dates and structure for camp was to create opportunities for students to serve during JUNIOR camp. We are offering an opportunity for some teens to volunteer as assistant dorm leaders, recreation staff, clean-up crew, and kids' ministry team. These spots are limited and need to be applied for as soon as possible. This group of teens will be referred to as the LEAD NOW team.

QUESTIONS? CONTACT JOHN-NATHAN POPE
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AWAKEN Highlights

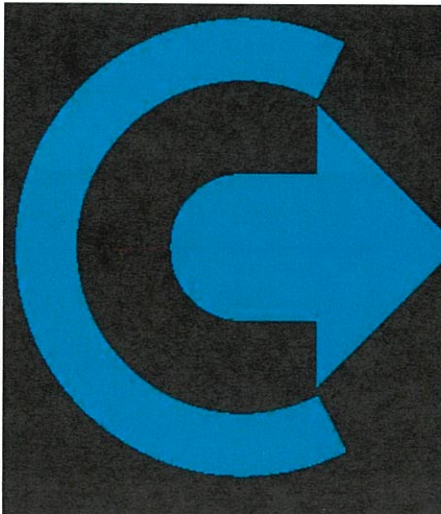


Awaken 2023 was an outstanding conference. God used every speaker in a very special way - messages were time; anointed and a right now Word. Thank you, Presiding Bishop Tim Hill, Assistant General Overseer, Tony Stewart, Pastor Tolan Morgan, Pastor Larry Stockstill, Pastor Mike McDermott, Pastor Joe Dobbins and Missions Representative Terrell Brinson. Attendees were asked to bring diapers for City of Refuge Baltimore. During the three day event, over 15,000 diapers were donated! Praise the Lord! They will be given to mothers with young children!

Bishop Holder had asked every pastor to bring a mission offering to Awaken. World Mission Representative, Dr. Terrell Brinson presented the opportunity on Wednesday night to receive the mission offering and to recognize Bishop Stan and Dr. Teresa Holder for their leadership in raising funds for the mission work in the US Virgin Islands. Because of their leadership and vision for the ministry training center, it will be named the Stan & Teresa Holder Ministry Center. Congratulations Delmarva-DC and the Holders for a job well done.

During the conference four men received their Ordained Bishop license - the highest rank of ministry in the Church of God: Leonardo Policarpio, Aaron Routon, Timothy Smith, and Eric Stephens. Congratulations!





NATIONAL BACK TO CHURCH

SUNDAY September 17, 2023

25.3%
INCREASE  in attendance on
Back to Church Sunday!

**OVER
120** 
different denominations
or affiliations have
participated since 2009

93% say Back to Church helped
their members be more
outward focused
OF CHURCHES 

99% of participating
churches would
participate again!

OUTREACH

MAGAZINE

National Back to Church Sunday began in 2009 as church attendance in America was declining and church leaders began to look for ways to involve their congregations in reaching out and inviting friends, neighbors and coworkers to come back to, or try church for the first time.

Each September since then, we set aside **the third Sunday in September** as the day to encourage everyone to attend a Bible-based church in their area and for church leaders to create a welcoming, inviting environment for their visitors.

Incredibly, since 2009, more than 4-million Christ-followers have participated through over **40,000 churches**...and the movement continues to grow.

Now, more than ever, **people need Jesus** and a caring community where they can belong, grow and flourish. This September, we would love for you to be a part of introducing your community to Jesus, so they can experience His hope and reconnect with others during National Back to Church Sunday!

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The Gathering

SEPTEMBER 28, 2023

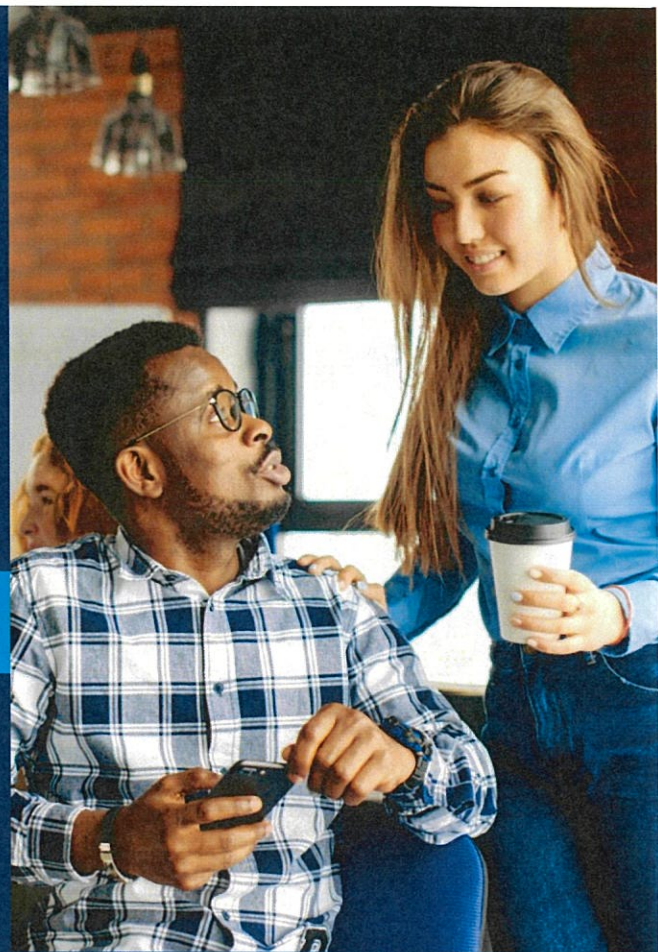
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Church Planters Gathering

Designed for Church Planters and anyone interested in planting a church



August 26th, 2023

Purpose of Gathering:
Sharing Testimonies and ideas
Prayer Partnership
Encouragement among Church planters

The Church Planters Gathering is free but registration is required.
Complimentary lunch will be served.

Email: nicole.pope@delmarva-dc.org to register