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"Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature."

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Growing Timothys: Holding Our Ground

In the writing of this article, we are drawing close to the election of a new president in our nation. I am convinced that if you have been observing the development of the campaigns you have come to the conclusion that more and more we draw farther from the fear of God in this nation of ours. Keeping God's commandment in which we are to love our neighbor is no longer honored even among those that may be leading this wonderful country of ours. The positions and views we hear from politicians have drifted away from the core values we hold as believers in the absolute authority of God's word and pose a threat to the life style we have enjoyed thus far. What we hear and see through the media can be overwhelming if we forget to hold our ground in the word of God and keep hope alive. I am convinced that in Apostle Paul's day, the church was going through similar opposition, for in 2 Timothy 2:23 Paul exhorts Timothy to have nothing to do with foolish, ignorant, controversies that were trying to make their way into the church. He warns against such things because they lead to strife, quarrels or arguments. In these arguments there are heated emotions and usually there will be more heat than light. Our Timothy's must be aware that it can become a sin for anyone to lose patience; especially a minister. We are called to be gentle, which is one's manner, and meek, which is one's disposition, being able to instruct others and to patiently endure evil that is trying to overcome (2Timothy 2:24 ESV). In verse 25 we can observe that in holding our ground correcting those that oppose the teachings of the Gospel of Truth with gentleness, God may perhaps grant them repentance leading to knowledge of the truth. Those that oppose have been deceived by Satan and are actually carrying out his will, but we have been given all authority in Christ to teach. These are challenging times to say the least, but God is still on the throne and He calls us to be bold, steadfast and strengthened in Him who is the author and finisher of our faith. HOLD YOUR GROUND!



By Pastor Juan Feliciano

FGA Church of Immanuel Moves to New Location in Franksville, WI



Our brethren at Full Gospel Assemblies Church of Immanuel held their first service on Saturday, October 1, 2016 at their new location in Franksville, WI. Pastor Robert Kieck (pictured on the left), senior pastor at FGACI, gives God glory for his continuous provisions upon this local congregation. FGACI now holds services at 4:00PM every Saturday, at the Blessed Hope Church, 4949 State Hwy 38, Franksville, WI.

Pastors Appreciation Month

... How beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel of peace, and bring glad tidings of good things!

Romans 10:15

Full Gospel Assemblies sends out appreciations to all Pastors and Clergy. You are precious in the sight of God!

Thank you for your heart of service.

Let the church fellowship know and rejoice in what God is doing in your area of ministry. Email your ministry updates and announcements to info@fgai.org to be featured in www.FGAI.org.

We give glory to God for a refreshing time of worship and the power of the Word as FGA pastors from all across the Northeast U.S. gathered together for the 2016 FG Eastern Leadership Summit last October 6-8. The summit was hosted by Pastor Jim Capets and our brethren of New Life Fellowship of Pittsburgh in McKeesport, PA.

The summit opened Thursday night with an open discussion on the needs present throughout the church fellowship and how these needs may be met through the joint cooperation of the congregations and clergy represented.

The Friday sessions began with Pastor Jim Capets giving the Word of encouragement to remain steadfast amidst the pressure of personal and public expectations in ministry. He exhorted all the ministers of God to stand tall in our place as God's children first, ministers second. Pastor Jim was joined by Pastor Roy Tryon of Living Waters Family Worship Center in praying over clergy and layworkers for a renewal of strength in ministry. This session was followed by Pastora Marissa Strauser giving praise reports on the growth of the FGA work in India, Philippines and Malawi. FGA's Project Ten-16 was also introduced as an expanded Child Sponsorship Program for building up the community of FG churches worldwide.

Friday afternoon sessions resumed with Pastors Regi and Narcedelia Licht of WI, joined by Pastor Luis Campos and his wife, Pastor Irma Diaz, giving report of God's work in the FG congregation of Nuevo Leon, Mexico. All the family of God is joyful for the ministry of the Divina Gracia De Mexico congregation, as they are FG's first affiliate ministry in this area of the country of Mexico.



Late afternoon, FG Chairman Simeon Strauser gave insight on the development of the Phrear School of Theology, recently launched as Full Gospel's college for the training of Ministers, Pastors, and Missionaries internationally. With Full Gospel Bible Institute becoming Phrear School of Theology, PST will continue FG's long legacy of training those who are called to the ministry of the Lord Jesus Christ.

The Friday evening Evangelistic Rally included the anointing and *Laying on-of-Hands*, welcoming newly recognized ministers and pastors as FG clergy. Pastor Lovie Scott of World Overcomer's Ministry brought forth the Word from 2 Chronicles 27, challenging all to "come out of the woudls / woods" and step into the will of God, realizing the full call of God upon our lives and ministries.

Saturday morning's Breakfast Fellowship, provided by our most gracious host congregation of New Life Fellowship, gathered participants together as they shared the good news of the Lord's amazing work. This continued into the Summit-closing open-mic, praise-giving session with represented churches and ministries giving praise for what God is doing across our region.

We are grateful for all those who participated and prayed for the success of this Summit. Special thanks goes out to all our speakers, Pastor Lovie Scott and our host Pastor Jim and the congregants of New Life Fellowship for their leadership and hospitality. We give praise to God for the ministry of your heart and hands!

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