



FULL GOSPEL ASSEMBLIES

Global
Ministry
Oct-Dec 2018

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

‘Church Unite’ Initiative Launched

Full Gospel Assemblies (FG) pastors, ministers and church support leadership of the Pennsylvania regions gathered last October and November for the birthing of the ‘**Church Unite**’ initiative being launched across the church fellowship. Chairman Simeon Strauser, along with central office staff, presented the vision for a greater unification of the FG church body among the people and areas served and represented by FG clergy, congregations and ministries.

The vision is built upon the Word of God from Hebrews where the children of God are reminded *‘let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near (Heb. 10:24-25 ESV)*. Pastor Simeon taught that the hour is *now!* As we hold fast to the confession of our hope, in faith and considering the brethren in the church, we are called to provoke or *stir up brotherly love* as commanded by our Lord. In doing so, **we are further called to encourage one another and come together unto good works, that God may be glorified**, as the Gospel is given and testified of, bringing others to the saving grace of Christ Jesus.

The FG **Church Unite** initiative vision **calls upon all the FG clergy, congregations and community ministries to unify in the work of the Lord throughout Full Gospel Assemblies**, recognizing our soon-coming Lord Jesus as our head, that we may better stand in this day. Chairman Strauser further exhorted that although FG church leadership and parishioners alike are to be commended for their present ministry work throughout their communities, this vision for **FG Church Unite is a call for all clergy along with each FG congregation and community ministry to include the ministries of their church fellowship, Full Gospel Assemblies, in their 2019 mission!** In doing so, new heights will be realized, all to the glory of our Lord God. ‘Church Unite’ offers the opportunity for all the people of God **to come together** for the furthering of the Gospel message and the work of the Kingdom!

Throughout 2019 - FG clergy, congregations and ministries are bring called to Church Unite

- **Pastoral and Ministerial Leadership** - Wherever and whenever possible, Church Unite is calling upon FG Pastors and Ministers to regularly gather together with regional leadership to develop and promote ways of supporting and building up local church ministry within their local communities.
- **Ministry Outreach and Home Office** - In accordance with the FG standard of giving, FG pastors, ministers, congregations and parachurch ministries are encouraged to support the Full Gospel Assemblies home office and home and foreign ministry outreach through tithe and regular offerings.
- **Missions Sending and Participation** - Whether in home missions throughout the U.S. or foreign missions to Mexico, Philippines, Malawi, Thailand, India, China and beyond, Church Unite is urging for each FG ministry to link together in support of ministry across borders. In addition, churches, ministries and clergy are provided the opportunity to serve in short term missions as well as in active participation in sending others.
- **Child Support** - Within the Church Unite initiative, all congregations and clergy are asked to prayerfully consider sponsoring a child in the Philippines or Malawi through FG’s Project Ten-16.
- **Phrear Fund** - With the Full Gospel Assemblies ‘Phrear Fund’, Church Unite is petitioning all clergy, as well as congregations and ministries to become benefactors for the expansion and continued development of the Phrear School of Theology - training church leadership for tomorrow!

What are you doing with your gently used books?

Do you have books from your personal library that are no longer being used?

Good used books are now able to find a permanent home in the PST student library!

Please contact the central office of Full Gospel Assemblies at 610-857-2357 for a pickup or shipping.

Let your unused books be a resource for generations to come.

SPREAD THE NEWS!

FGA Church Ministries may now submit major event information for posting on the Full Gospel Assemblies Website!!!

Submit your event to be included in the FGA calendar and website: www.fgai.org

Email submissions to: info@fgai.org



Phrear School of Theology
**SPRING 2019 TERM OPENS
JANUARY 14TH**

For more information,
please contact
844-747-3271
www.phrear.org

GLOBAL CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS



India: Pastor Samuel Masta gives God praise for the successful evangelistic Christmas gathering held in the Punjab region of India. Pastor Masta and fellow ministers served food and gave special gifts to the children in attendance. The celebration was opened to the village community, including many unbelievers who were able to hear the Gospel preached to them during this season of giving Christ. Make 2019 a year of prayer for the FG partner ministries in India.



Philippines: Pastora Melit Gabion also reports of the success of the 'Christmas Shoe Project', sponsored by the congregation of Christ's Chapel FGA, Parkesburg, PA. The love offering collected through the Project was used towards acquiring new footwear for the children of Taysan Full Gospel Church in Batangas, Philippines. In addition, the congregants of Taysan FGC ministered by way of a caroling outreach, visiting the homes around their community, sharing Jesus through songs and prayer. In lieu of receiving gifts as is the Filipino tradition, the carolers also brought gifts of Christmas dinner goods to the families whom they visited. Pray for the Batangas Full Gospel Church!

CHILDREN AWAITING SPONSORS

- help a child - touch a whole family -

**support a child in Malawi through
Project TEN-16 for \$15.00 a month**

For more information or to sponsor a child, contact FG Central Offices today: 610-857-2357, ask for Project Ten-16 Director - Pastora Marissa



Philippine Project Ten-16 child sponsorships available at \$25.00



UNITE Today - For the Education of Generations to Come

Support the Phrear Fund

The Full Gospel Assemblies - Phrear School of Theology Two-Year Capital Program has been created in support of the foundational development of quality education opportunities for Full Gospel clergy, pastors, evangelists, and missionaries

Why Give? When you support the Phrear Fund, you support the development of future pastors, evangelists, missionaries, and church workers for the work of the kingdom of God. Your support touches every student preparing for their calling as they study with Phrear School of Theology (PST) -- from program development, faculty research, school improvements, tuition subsidizations and student grants

How Will Your Gifts Make a Difference? When supporting the Phrear Fund, your contribution helps make Phrear's quality Bible centered, academically thorough education available for our students worldwide.

-----every contribution of any size directly supplements the work of the ministry -----

The Phrear Fund supplements tuition for 100% of the student body

Quality program development and administration, faculty research and school improvements are made possible by the prayerful giving of contributions as seed gifts for the work of the Lord

98% of PST students qualify for some form of PST provided tuition grant

2019 PST Capital Program Receives Match Donation Commitment! The Full Gospel Assemblies / Phrear School of Theology 'capital program' has received a match donation commitment for all of 2019 from a benefactor organization for education / school development! With a kickoff advance of \$15,000 received toward the 2019 capital fundraising, early objectives for PST program development and staff expansion are now on their way to being met. To our Lord God all glory is given.

What Does This For Mean For You? Your 2019 contributions for Full Gospel Assemblies (FG) / Phrear School of Theology (PST) *will be doubled*, giving way for *twice* the work to be accomplished - to prepare the generations to come - all for ministry unto the Lord Jesus! With the united assistance of FG clergy, congregations and ministries, PST will make great strides in foundational development of its clergy certification and diploma and baccalaureate academic programs while providing quality education opportunity for students throughout the USA and around the world.

2019 First Quarter - Phrear Fund - Prayer Needs

(FG / PST Q-4 2018 Capital Program - Total Donations Received: \$22,373)

School Improvements

Administrative / Hardware - Computer Systems	\$3350.00
Research / Program Development	\$4500.00
General Operations / Data / SIS Upgrades	\$4000.00

...Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto Me. Matthew 25:40

Mission Schools - Providing Training 100+ Students

Blantyre, Malawi & Laguna, Philippines Centers

General Operations / Site Rental / Supplies (Malawi)	\$ 900.00
Tuition Subsidizations. \$25.00 Monthly	
70 Students (Malawi/Philippines)	\$5250.00

International Maranatha Institute (IMI) - PST School of Missions

<u>Accepting Students Worldwide - Providing Distance Education</u>	
Tuition Subsidizations. \$25.00 Monthly	
40 Students	\$3000.00

Donations may be made payable to Full Gospel Assemblies and earmarked Phrear Fund

All contributions are distributed under the care of the PST Governance Council for the expanse of the school needs so as to provide for consistent and broad growth.

Clergy Welcomed to Full Gospel Assemblies



Reverend Ben & Somchit Vongsiri

Reverend Ben Vongsiri, has been ministering with the Madison, WI Salvation Army over the past year. Under the direction of Pastor Keobounhom, Ben tended to the needs of the food pantry, provided translations from English to Lao, assisted church members with employment search, and served in pulpit and teaching ministries and visitation to the sick. In describing his hunger to give the love of God as he steps into his full calling of planting a church, Ben states ‘we always pray for wisdom to improve our efforts to be more fruitful for God’.

Officiating the laying on of hands and FG welcoming service for Reverend Vongsiri with his wife Somchit at his side was FG Regional Director, Pastor Reginald Licht. The October service was held at the Bluffview Center of Hope, North Freedom, WI. with a full dinner fellowship following.

Reverend Kevin Leatherwood, along with his wife Tracie, serve in community evangelism to the area of Egg Harbor Township, NJ and in church support ministry with the New Life Assembly of God EHT, NJ. Over the past five years Kevin has been ‘tilling fallow ground’ for the Lord through the Atlantic County Outreach and the Veterans outreaches in his service as Chaplain. A graduate of the Global University ministerial studies program, Rev. Leatherwood serves the church as Evangelism and Outreach leader, is responsible for pulpit ministry, assists in prayer services, Sunday School and Drama ministries.



Reverend Kevin & Tracie Leatherwood, Sr.
Laying on of Hands Service

Reverend Leatherwood was officially welcomed to Full Gospel Assemblies by Chairman Simeon Strauser at the November laying on of hands service held at Christ’s Chapel FGA in Parkesburg, PA.

School Site Secured for Ministry Training in Blantyre, Malawi

Full Gospel Assemblies - Malawi has secured a 5 room gated facility in Blantyre, Chilomoni Township to be utilized for the PST School of Ministry.



The facility is adequate to hold the central offices for FGA - Malawi and the PST School of Ministry classrooms and offices for the training of pastors and ministers from throughout Malawi.



Pastoral Training Classes officially opened the 2018-19 school year at the Blantyre site in late October 2018!

Study programs offered for the incoming students are at both the collegiate and institute levels with an initial expected student body of 60+ students. Classes are being presented in both the English and Chickewa languages.

Facility Front (top), Gate Entrance (left), First Class (right)

Building the People of God - All Praise to Him!