



global focus



Speakers



Simon Peter Emiau - November 4/5

Simon Peter Emiau is the General Superintendent of Pentecostal Assemblies of God, Uganda with approximately 900,000 believers in 7,000 churches. He is also the Executive Secretary of the Pentecostal Assemblies of Africa, an alliance of the Pentecostal Movement and Leadership in Africa.

Simon has a passion to empower and release the African Church to reach the over 300 million unreached people in the continent, particularly in the Muslim and Arab north.

Simon and his wife Rose have five children, two boys and three girls.

Shaila Visser - November 11/12

Shaila was born in South Africa and moved to Vancouver 19 years ago where she currently lives. She joined the Alpha Global team in 2003. Today, she is the National Director of Alpha Canada. She has significant influence on the Alpha Global team with Alpha founder Nicki Gumbel.

Shaila has spent many years working with men and women of influence to introduce them to a faith in Jesus. She has a deep passion for helping people know Jesus whether it's through running an Alpha course in her community or encouraging church leaders in the area of evangelism.



Michel Bisailon - November 11/12

Michel was born in Lachine, Quebec in 1960. In 1984, he became a follower of Jesus. A year later he left his job at the National Bank to prepare for ministry. Since then, he has served in various pastoral and leadership roles. In 2009, he was elected as the Superintendent of the PAOC Quebec District.

Michel has been married to Sylvie Lemoyne since 1985. The Lord has given them a wonderful family as they adopted four children of Haitian origin, three sons and a daughter.

Projects

AFRICA

Uganda: Bible College building renovation: \$10,000

Simon Peter Emiau

This project will help renovate two badly dilapidated, 50 year old buildings providing accommodation for female students and office space for lecturers.

Uganda: Discipleship program scholarships \$4,000

Linda Duncalfe

SANCTUS is a full-time Christian discipleship course for young adults to encourage personal character development, cultivate a living relationship with God, and identify unique individual gifts. \$750 will sponsor one student.

Malawi: Support for people with special needs \$10,000

ERDO, Kathy Bowler

The Children of Blessing Trust works with vulnerable children who are physically and mentally challenged. In Malawi these children are stigmatized and often neglected leading to abandonment of the mother.

Kenya: Rural medical centre support \$5,000

Deborah Sirjoosingh

This project supports the only medical centre available to 15,000 people who live in a very remote area. It offers compassionate and caring medical services, which is a door opener to the Gospel.

RESTRICTED ACCESS NATIONS (RAN)

Due to the sensitive nature of these projects, few details can be published.

Studio equipment \$5,000

This project will provide an effective outreach tool in a nation where evangelism is prohibited.

Leadership training for Muslim background believers \$6,000

This project will help train community leaders and provide Bibles and discipleship material in the local language.

Vehicle purchase \$3,000

This project will help purchase a vehicle to travel to remote villages where public transportation is quite difficult or non-existent. This allows for times of ministry and relationship building with local believers.

Project funds may be redirected by the church board if the project becomes fully funded or if the project is unable to proceed as planned.

EURASIA

Russia: Teen Challenge Centre building renovation \$8,000

Ilya Bantseev

This project will provide materials to renovate a former Communist Youth Camp that now serves as a Teen Challenge Centre for drug addicts and alcoholics.

Russia: Short term mission team expenses \$3,000

This project will help our OneChurch team travel to Russia for construction work and a Small Group Leader training seminar.

Russia: Ministry center construction \$5,000

Alexei Pankov

This project will help complete the interior of a brand new ministry centre/church with heating, plumbing and electrical work.

LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

Dominican Republic: Completion of a church building project \$7,000

Adrian Thomas

In 2007 Pastor Rene Dippiton planted a church in a community riddled with problems. Even the local police rarely enter this area. The church raised enough money to put a tin roof on a simple building frame. This project will give walls to the church.

Dominican Republic: Short term Mission Team expenses \$2,000

This project will help our OneChurch team train local worship leaders and musicians plus train local childrens ministry leaders and lead a VBS.

Guatemala: Walls for a church building \$4,550

Hector Aragon

This small rural church has doubled in size recently to 40 people. The church members raised money to buy property and build a roof. This project will provide footings and walls.

Guatemala: Residential home for people with special needs \$5,000

Christian Horizons

This project will support a residential care home for people with special needs, providing education and community integration. This particular home cares for three adult women with high needs who have lived together since they were children.

SOUTH EAST ASIA

Cambodia: Community development program support \$5,000

Noel Hutchinson

In northern Cambodia, many families live on less than \$1/day. Parents cannot afford to send their children to school which puts the children at risk of human trafficking and exploitation. This project will provide children with the supplies needed to enter the school system and give hope for a better future.

Cambodia: Public health seminars for rural villages \$3,000

Randal Naylor

This project will sponsor two village pastors for one year who have very limited resources. It will also provide medical awareness and practical health teaching for 300 children and mothers.

India: Christmas program for people with special needs \$1,500

Vathsala Thomas

This project will provide a Christmas dinner, a set of clothing and a small Christmas gift for women with special needs in the Bethesda Home in Thanjavur, India.

India: Bible translation project \$8,000

OneBook Bible Translators

The Fodigwa people are a poor, rural people who face huge obstacles. This project will help the local team complete the New Testament and provide ongoing literacy programs.

India: Supplies for an English medium school \$5,000

Frank Juelich/Bapu Desai

This project will help the long term financial sustainability of this ministry that cares for 1,000 needy children by establishing a fee-based school for the local community.

Sri Lanka: Vocational training for orphans \$3,150

Shan Selvaratnam

This project will provide tuition and text books for young adult orphans to enter vocational school or technical college. The cost is \$1,050 per student.

CANADA

Canada: Youth Alpha Leadership Development \$8,000

Shaila Visser

Within 3 years of launching the first Alpha Youth Film Series, in Canada alone, over 91,000 teens experienced Alpha and 25,440 teens began or restored a relationship with Jesus. This project will empower more students to reach their peers.

Quebec: Biblical Institute of Quebec \$8,000 Michel Bissaillon

Michel Bissaillon

This project will support the PAOC's only French pastoral and ministry training institution. 85% of French speaking Senior Pastors in eastern Canada have graduated from IBQ.

Maritimes: Church planting initiative \$15,000

Kevin Johnson

The PAOC Maritimes District is having great success planting churches. This project will enable them to reach more people who do not have a vibrant church in their local community.

Maritimes: Short term mission team expenses \$3,000

This project will help our youth and young adult team travel to the Maritimes to support a church plant with ministry to kids and youth.

Canada: Daughter Project \$6,000

Cathy Tollefson

This project will support an initiative for the prevention, intervention and restoration of Canadian girls at risk of sexual exploitation in Canada.

Toronto: Equipment for Ryerson University Campus ministry \$1,800

David Burke

This project will purchase a video projector and a guitar for Lifeline, a community of students on the campus of Ryerson University.

Toronto: Debt Counselling Centre \$10,000

Christians Against Poverty

This project will care for the materially needy in our community by providing a debt counselling service centre at our Agincourt Church campus.

Toronto: Hospice care \$3,000

Philip Aziz Centre

This project will support the work of Emily's House and the Philip Aziz Centre providing direct, non- medical, hospice care for adults and children living with HIV / AIDS.

Toronto: Urban Hope kids program \$3,500

Church In The City, Ted Leck

This project will support an inner-city program that connects younger children with older youth for mentoring through weekly programs and special events.

Toronto: Inner city youth support \$15,000

Yonge Street Mission

This project will support the Evergreen of the Yonge Street Mission, focussed on helping at risk youth heal and move from a life on the street and move forward in their lives by establishing housing and employment opportunities.

Toronto: Alpha class support \$10,000

Alpha provides an open, informal and honest space for people to ask questions and explore life's big issues. This project will support the groups at our OneChurch campuses plus allow possible expansion to home or campus groups.

Global Workers

AFRICA

- Jeremy Feller - Regional Director for PAOC, Africa
- Steve Chaloner - Leadership development in West Africa
- Linda Duncalfe - Leadership development in Uganda
- Brian Rutten - Leadership development and evangelism in Ethiopia
- Deborah Sirjoosingh - Medical and church planting in Kenya
- Dean Skinner - Discipleship in Africa
- Jeff Walton - Village of Hope in Malawi
- Jesse Wong - Community development in Rwanda

RESTRICTED ACCESS NATIONS

- North Africa church planters
- Jed & Deb
- Matt & Erica
- Jeff & Sarah
- Randal & Denise
- Laila

SOUTH EAST ASIA

- Peter Dove - Regional Director for PAOC, South East Asia
- Christo & Sarah Emanuel - Church planter in India
- Bapu Desai (Frank Juelich) - Children's homes in India
- Noel Hutchinson - Community development in Cambodia

EURASIA

- Ilya Bantseev - Church ministry and community development in Russia
- Alexai & Tonia Pankov - Church ministry in Russia
- Wayne Hilsden - Church ministry in Israel

LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

- Hector Aragon - Child Care Plus in Guatemala
- Alex Cetrulo - Church planter in Uruguay
- Cartland Palmer - Community development in Jamaica
- Adrian Thomas - Leadership development in Dominican Republic

INTERNATIONAL

- Matt Janes - Global Worker deployment for PAOC
- Kirk Kauffeldt - Global Ed leadership development for PAOC

CANADA

- David Burke - Campus ministry at Ryerson University
- Dan Collado - Aboriginal leadership development
- Regent Park church planting
- Joanna Yee - Evangelism in Scarborough
- JP Gopalan - Evangelism in Scarborough

HOW TO GET INVOLVED IN GOD'S MISSION

PRAY

Join the Global Focus Prayer Team. Email Pastor Dale Tollefson dale@onechurch.to to receive email updates about strategic global needs that require our prayer support.

LEARN

Join the Global Focus e-newsletter to hear stories of God at work in Canada and around the world. Text the word 'global' to 416-291-9575 or visit onechurch.to/gfnews.

GIVE

Support a child through Child Care Plus Sponsorship: Visit the 'Child Sponsorship' table in the lobby to see children who are waiting to be sponsored.

GO

Join a short term mission team. Attend an information meeting on Sunday November 26 at 1:15 PM at the Agincourt Campus.

- **Siberia, Russia, March 2018:** This team will do renovation work on the Teen Challenge Centre. Estimated cost: \$3,000
- **Maritimes, Summer 2018:** This youth and young adult team will support one of our new PAOC churches with ministry to kids and youth. Estimated cost \$900
- **Dominican Republic, Spring/Summer 2018:** This team will have two focuses: Train local worship leaders and musicians and children's specialists, train local leaders and run a VBS.

Long-term Opportunities: Email Pastor Dale Tollefson at dale@onechurch.to to talk about long term ministry opportunities ranging from 2 months to 4 years.



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