

CHURCH EVANGELISM PATHWAY

GOD'S AMBASSADOR DEVELOPMENT

Twofold Great
COMMISSION
(Matt. 28:19-20)



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The Church Evangelism Department of Ontario Conference exists to help churches for personal, public, and other kinds of evangelism. We believe that God calls all Adventists to be His Ambassadors who express the essence of God's love and forgiveness. God's Ambassadors are those who live a life as a missionary, as a minister, as a master-worshiper, and as a disciple-maker. Therefore, our work is to share the best tools, the most up-to-date content, and appropriate support for all church members and leaders to succeed in their spiritual journey as God's ambassadors.

SPIRITUAL (PREPARATION STAGE) WHAT?

- "Love God" & "People" by having *Passionate Spirituality* and enjoying *Inspiring Worship*
- Accept the Call of God to be God's faithful ambassadors who love God and people
- Cultivate friendship with people in your oikos, pray for them, and be part of the EMM Network (Mentorship)
- Love God with all our mind, body, and soul, and then practice loving others the same way you love God

SHARE (MISSION STAGE) WHY?

- Jesus' Method:** "Mingled ... desired their good"
- Mingle with people and desire their good and never treat them as your baptismal successful quota
- Cultivate friendship by listening and inviting people to eat with you when there is an opportunity
- Develop and practice *Need-Oriented Evangelism* and *Loving Relationship* in their small group and EMM Network

SERVICE (MINISTRY STAGE) HOW?

- Jesus' Method:** "Showed sympathy...Ministered to their needs)
- Take the "Equip" seminar to discover your spiritual gifts and participate in *Gift-Based Ministry*
- Engage community in various special events and outreach skills
- Join or start a small group and other members assimilating into *Holistic Small Groups*

SERVANT (GROWTH → MULTIPLICATION STAGE) WHEN?

- Jesus' Method:** "Won their confidence" "Invited them" to "Follow" Christ
- Develop and help the church to have *Effective Structure* and *Empowered Leadership*
- Provide a support system in place with an empowered leadership modelling
- Learn and be ready to be sent out as disciple-makers who like to disciple others and to plant new churches

"Christ's method alone will give true success in reaching the people. The Savior mingled with people as one who desired their good. He showed sympathy for them, ministered to their needs, and won their confidence. Then He invited them, 'Follow Me.'" (MH 73.4)

