

## Calendar of Activities 2025

### Stewardship and PARL

#### STEWARDSHIP:

**Mission:** To educate, equip, empower, and inspire people within the Ontario Conference territory, inviting them to commit to give their best in funding and fulfilling the mission of hope and wholeness.

The ON Conference Stewardship/Lifestyle department plans and proposes the following:

1. Four (4) Stewardship Gatherings for the local stewardship leaders, yearly.
  - a. January 5, 2025
  - b. April 6, 2025
  - c. July 6, 2025
  - d. October 5, 2025
2. Four (4) pastors stewardship education and empowerment online Zoom seminars
  - a. April 29, 2025
  - b. July 29, 2025
  - c. October 28, 2025
3. Four Stewardship (Lifestyle) Sabbath annually, focusing on children youth, and the general church.
  - a. March 1, 2025 (Worship)
  - b. June 7, 2025 (Wellbeing)
  - c. September 6, 2025 (Witnessing)
  - d. November 29 - December 6, 2025 (Stewardship Revival Week)
  - e. December 6, 2025 (Wealth)
4. Financial freedom pilot project within 10 congregations, using the *Faith and Finance* 12 lesson series or the newly published, *The BluePrint: A Step-by-Step Plan to Build Your Financial House*. **Please call Conference Stewardship Department for details.**
  - a. Third Quarter – July, August, September
5. Quarterly reporting system for accountability, efficiency, and proficiency.
6. Congregational Stewardship/Lifestyle Weekend worship and seminars.
7. Stewardship report due 1<sup>st</sup> day of the 1<sup>st</sup> month of each quarter

## **PARL**

**Mission:** To promote, proclaim and defend the God-given gift of religious freedom within the territory of the Ontario Conference which is integral to the prophetic role and witnessing efforts.

1. Increase liberty magazine subscription by 20%, moving from 189 to 227.
2. Plan one annual Religious Liberty prayer breakfast in Toronto or Ottawa areas, date and venue TBD.
3. Promote annual Religious Liberty Campaign in first quarter in all congregations.
  - a. January 11, 2025
4. Conduct 4 (quarterly) PARL leaders' conversation and sharing of resources. Dates TBA.
5. Host at least 4 pastors PARL via Zoom or in person information forums, per ministerial regions. Dates TBA.