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EVENTS, RESOURCES + SERVICES





# OUTREACH CANADA BLOG

Did you know Outreach Canada has a blog with new articles posted weekly?



<https://outreach.ca/blog>

Check out our OC Blog featuring:

- Stories of God at work
- Resources for Ministry in Canada and the world
- Articles from the many different ministry areas of OC
- And info on exciting new projects

We also post articles exploring our current theme (which changes every few months). To start 2020, we are exploring New Beginnings...in Canada, in relationships, in our lives & ministries.



## SOCIAL MEDIA

Outreach Canada is on Facebook & Twitter! Follow along for weekly encouragement, blog posts, resources & current OC happenings.

You can find Outreach Canada Ministries on:



@outreachcanadaministries



@outreachcanada

And stay tuned for an OC Instagram...coming soon in 2020!

# OUTREACH CANADA EVENTS LIST 2020

## DIASPORA MINISTRIES

### **From the Margins... the Diaspora Effect**

Shaping the church of the future

8765 Government St. Burnaby BC

March 28, 9am - lunch

## GRAD & FACULTY

### **Can We Handle the Truth and Take Responsibility for Reconciliation?** Raymond C. Aldred

St. John's College

Wednesday, March 18 (4:00pm)

### **The Work of His Hands**

Sy Garte, Biochemist and author

September 29 - Oct. 1, Location: TBA

### **Bonhoeffer's Christian Humanism**

Jens Zimmermann, Professor Regent College

Fall 2020

## KAIROS

### **Kairos Course Vancouver - Mandarin**

Westwood Alliance Church

3129 Ozada Avenue, Coquitlam BC

Feb 1, 8 & 22 (Saturdays) 9-5

Feb 11, 18, 25 (Tuesdays) 7-9:30 pm.

### **Kairos Three Hills**

Prairie Tabernacle, Three Hills

February 4 – March 3, 2020

Tuesday and Thursday evenings

6:30 to 9:00 pm

### **Kairos Course Vancouver**

Tenth Church, 11 W 10th Ave, Vancouver

Thursdays: Feb 6, 13, 20, 27. Mar 5 7:00-9:30pm

Saturdays: Feb 8 & Mar 7 9:00am-5:00pm

### **Kairos Burnaby**

Willingdon Church 4812 Willingdon Ave., Burnaby

Ten Tuesday evenings,

Mar 31 - June 2. (7:00 - 9:30 pm)

### **Kairos Burnaby**

Burnaby Alliance Church

8611 Armstrong Ave, Burnaby

Tuesday evenings: Feb 11, 18, 25 (7:00-9:30pm)

Saturdays: Feb 15, 22, 29 (9:00am - 5:00pm)

### **Korean Kairos Niagara**

Niagara Korean Presbyterian Church 3585 Ninth Street Louth, St. Catharines, ON L2R 6P7

February 14-16, 21-23

Fri 7: 30-10 pm, Sat 09:30 am-5:30 pm,

Sunday 3-9: 00 pm

Assistant Training 2/24 (Mon) 6-10 pm

(registered \$ 25)

### **Kairos Calgary Intensive**

Ambrose University, CALGARY

May 4-8 Intensive, Monday to Friday noon.

### **Calgary Cantonese Kairos**

Calgary Chinese Alliance Church 150 Beddington Blvd NE, Calgary

Feb 17, 18, 20, 24, 25, 27, March 2, 3, 5 Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays all 7-9:30 pm except for March 3, 6 pm start

### **Mandarin Kairos Montreal**

MCAGC, 405 Marie-Anne E., Montreal

3/03 & 3/10 - 7:30pm - 10:00pm

3/05 & 3/12 7:30pm - 10:00pm

3/07 9:00am - 4:30pm

3/08 6:00pm - 8:30pm

3/14 9:00am - 6:00pm

### **Kairos Regina**

Living Hope Alliance Church 3800 Green Bank Road,  
Regina

March 11 – May 6 Wednesday evenings, 6 - 8:30 pm

### **Kairos Kitchener**

Benton Street Baptist Church  
90 Benton Street, Kitchener

March 14, 21, April 4, 18, & 25  
5 Saturdays 9:00am - 5:00pm

### **Kairos West Island Montreal**

Fairview Alliance Church, 220 boul Hyman,  
Dollard-des-Ormeaux, H9B 1L8

Tuesday, March 17, 6:30pm-9:30pm  
Thursday, March 19, 7:00pm-9:30pm  
Saturday, March 21, 9:00am-4:00pm  
Tuesday, March 31, 7:00pm-9:30pm  
Thursday, April 2, 7:00pm-9:30pm  
Saturday, April 4, 9:00am-5:00pm

### **French Kairos Quebec**

L'Espace Eglise Vie Abondante  
3291 Ch Ste-Foy, Quebec, QC, G1X 3V2

March 21-April 19 (Saturdays 9:00am-5:00pm, Mondays  
7:00pm-9:30pm)

### **Kairos St. John's, NL**

Elim Church, 565 Kenmount Road, St. John's

May 11 - 15; Mon-Wed 9 to 5; Thurs - 9 to 7; Fri - 9 to 1

### **LOVING MUSLIMS TOGETHER**

#### **Night of Power Prayer Meetings**

May 20 - Locations to be confirmed. For more information  
check [www.lovingmuslimstogether.ca](http://www.lovingmuslimstogether.ca)

#### **Ramadan - Cross-Canada Prayer Focus**

April 24 to May 23 2020

### **MORE NETWORK**

#### **MORE Network Cross-Canada Meetings**

Jan 2, Mar 25, May 20, July 15, Sept 16, Nov 25  
(10:00am - 12:00pm PST)

#### **The Emmaus Journey Retreat**

Mount St. Francis Retreat Centre  
41160 Retreat Rd, Cochrane, AB  
May 5-8 and Sept 29-Oct 2

#### **RE-VIEW East**

Cambridge, ON  
July 19-24

#### **RE-VIEW West**

Three Hills, AB  
August 2-7

### **CANADIAN MK NETWORK**

#### **Wilderness ReBoot**

Kananaskis Mountains  
Blue Bronna Wilderness Camp, AB  
June 28-July 4

#### **Classic ReBoot**

Ambrose University, Calgary, AB  
July 31-August 7



# OUTREACH RESOURCES

Our years of ministry experience, collaborative partnerships and research insights have resulted in the development of a variety of unique and strategic resources. Combined with our library of tried and tested material from other sources, OUTREACH CANADA has tools to meet your ministry needs.

## Serving Leaders

- **Book Reviews** —an extensive selection of missions and church health titles
- **Between Pastors** by Cam Taylor & Alan Simpson
- **Detour: A Roadmap For When Life Gets Rerouted** by Cam Taylor
- **Mapping the Future** by Gord Carkner
- **New Life in the Church** by Craig Kraft
- **The Great Escape** by Gord Carkner

## Discipling Nations

- **Yummo Comes Home:  
A Residential School Healing Journey** - DVD
- **A Bold and Humble Witness**  
- Sikh Ministry resource DVD
- **Listening Well to MATTHEW**  
by John B. MacDonald



[www.outreach.ca/resources](http://www.outreach.ca/resources)



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# OUTREACH SERVICES

**Most ministries don't have the capacity or expertise to do everything themselves. Our unique services respond to the ever changing needs specific to churches, church planters and supporting ministries.**

## **Coaching**

- Church Health Coaching
- Intercultural Coaching
- Leadership Development
- Interface Seminar & Workshop
- Missions Coaching
- Missional Church Coaching
- Grad & Faculty
- Disciple Making Movements

## **Services**

- Church Planter Assessment
- Christian Mediation & Conflict Resolution
- Corporate Chaplains
- Research Services - Community Profiles and Thematic Mapping
- Technology & Security Consulting

## **Seminars, Training, Retreats and Workshops**

- Biblical Peacemaking
- Church Health
- Discipleship
- Digging Deeper Workshop
- Transitional Leadership Ministry Training
- Missions Mobilization
- Kairos Course
- Empowered to Influence
- Crossing Cultures
- The Unfinished Story
- ReBoot — MK Re-Entry
- LMTN - Loving Muslims Together Network
- MORE Network / Stronger Together

# COACHES AND MENTORS

Our team is highly qualified, with years of practical ministry experience, ready to come alongside your church or leadership team in all seasons of ministry. Although each have areas of specialization most can serve in a broad range of situations.

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### Did you know?

According to the 2016 Census data

- Canada is home to more than 7.5 million foreign-born people.
- Immigrants identified more than 200 different countries of birth.
- 58% of Metro Vancouver's housing is apartments.
- BC's top immigrant language is Punjabi

# GRAD AND FACULTY MINISTRY

Sparking lively dialogue about the powerful implications of the Christian faith for academic work and personal life, through scholarly campus forums and small group formation.

## EVENTS

### Charles Taylor & the Modern Quest for Identity

**Date:** Wednesday January 22, 2020 at 4:00 p.m.

**Podcast:** <http://outreach.ca/charlestaylor>

### Can We Handle the Truth and Take Responsibility for Reconciliation?

**Date:** Wednesday March 18, 2020 at 4:00 p.m.

**Location:** St. John's College

**Raymond C. Aldred**, Director Indigenous Studies and Professor of Indigenous Theology at the Vancouver School of Theology

### The Work of His Hands

Sy Garte, Biochemist and author

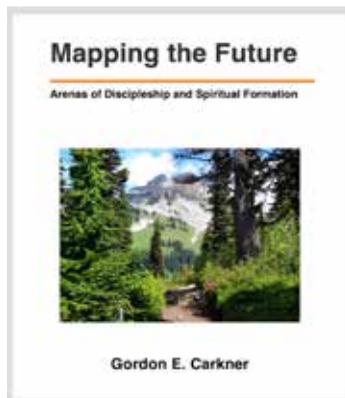
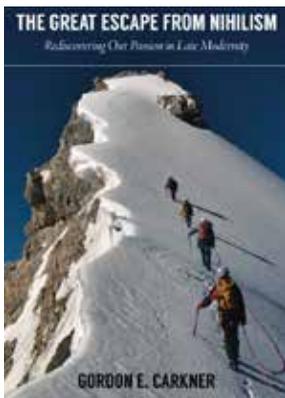
September 29 - Oct. 1, Location: TBA

### Bonhoeffer's Christian Humanism

**Date:** Fall 2020. **Location:** TBA

**Jens Zimmermann**, Professor Regent College

## BOOKS by Gord Carkner



## PRAYER

### UBC Graduate Student

**Prayer:** Wednesdays.

Text Ute 778 840 3549

**Bible Study:** Thursdays

6:30pm - 8:30pm

### The Church in Society

Committed to global intercession,

Call Ute 778 840 3549

Contact Gord / Ute Carkner



[ucarkner@outreach.ca](mailto:ucarkner@outreach.ca)

[gcarkner@outreach.ca](mailto:gcarkner@outreach.ca)

## Mapping the Future

by Gord Carkner

As we look to the future, there is an urgent need to think critically, creatively and constructively about Christian formation, spiritual growth and kingdom faithfulness.

Spiritual transformation involves our loves, our core values and thoughts, habits and lifestyle, producing a robust, relevant and culturally engaging faith.

## LIVING THEOLOGY

John B. MacDonald's popular blog site, **living theology**, exists to equip and encourage you to become more like Jesus Christ and to live all of life with God-honoring competence and joy.

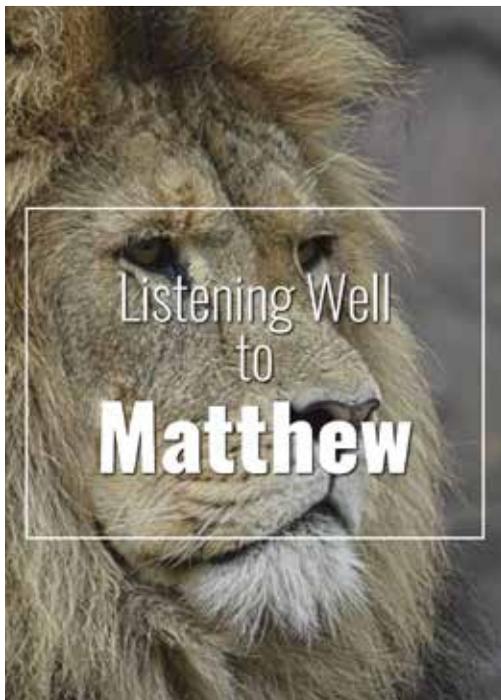
 [www.johnbmacdonald.com](http://www.johnbmacdonald.com)

We all “do” theology whether we know it or not - even atheists. We all have a position on God, and that position informs and directs how we live. Our theology needs to be living, and we are called to be living that theology.

**“Whoever claims to live in Him must walk as Jesus did“ (1 John 2:6).**

If you prefer listening to reading, John also has a weekly Living Theology podcast on Hope Stream Radio.

Get the app for your phone or listen on-line at...  
 [hopestreamradio.com/program/living-theology/](http://hopestreamradio.com/program/living-theology/)



**Listening Well to Matthew** is a free resource available to subscribers of living theology. It is an introduction to the forthcoming book *Reclaiming Matthew's Paradigm for Making Disciples*.

A reader of an advance copy of Matthew's Paradigm says, "I went home hungry to dig into Matthew and your book is a tool that has not been set down as I am desiring to become a disciple maker."

## DISCIPLE MAKING

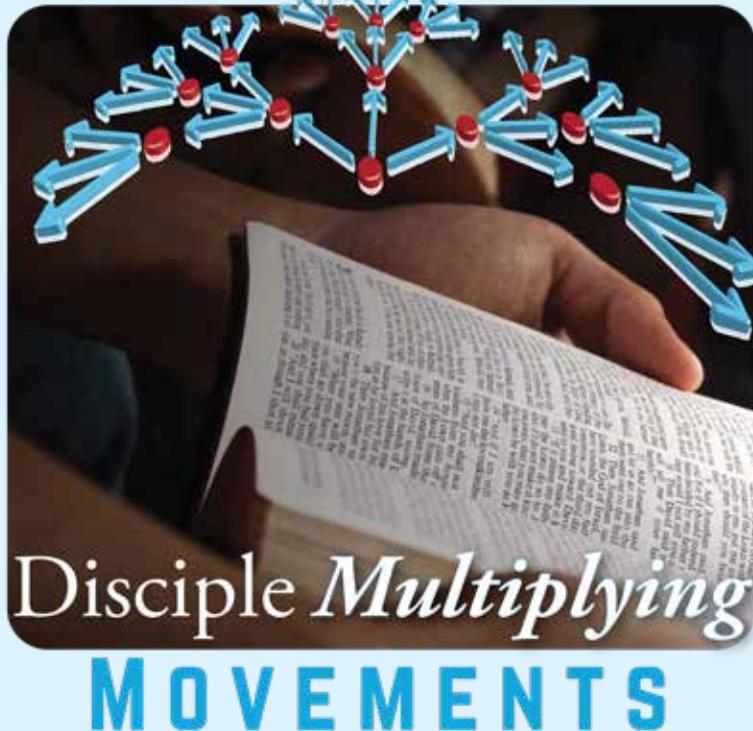
Some of the most exciting movements to Christ around the world are happening outside of Canada. They are called Disciple Making Movements and God is using this phenomenon to bring millions to a life of following Jesus. These movements focus on prayer, the discovery of Biblical truth in small groups and multiplication led by ordinary people. Canada needs a movement like this!

Join us on an exploratory journey into the steps of starting a disciple making movement in your own back yard. We are drawing on the expertise of Canadians and leaders from around the world. We are forming Coaching Circles to train, mentor and encourage groups of people who are like minded about the need for a Disciple Making Movement in Canada. An initial five session introduction can be arranged by contacting the following:



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# INTERCULTURAL MINISTRIES

## Intercultural Coaching for Your Church

Outreach Canada offers coaching to churches wanting to discover how best to engage their multicultural neighbourhood. Work through a process of discovery using research, evaluation and coaching to find your unique way of engaging the diversity that is in your neighbourhood.

## Yummo Comes Home

150,000 Aboriginal children were forced to go to Indian Residential Schools from 1831 to 1996 as part of Canada's official efforts to assimilate the Indigenous people. Many did not survive the experience.



"Yummo Comes Home" is the story of an Okanagan/ Thompson Aboriginal man who revisits the Kamloops B.C. Residential School building where he was hurt to reclaim and bring back home his boyhood innocence and confidence. The son of a settler immigrant, Don Klaassen, portrays the sentiments of the descendants of the immigrant settlers who are discovering this often forgotten portion of Canadian history. The two men demonstrate what it means to experience reconciliation and take bold steps to shape a hopeful future in this 28 minute documentary video.

## Understanding and Loving Punjabi Sikhs

A collection of video resources designed to inform churches about their Sikh neighbours.

- **Diwali and the Light of the World** - 2 mins
- **Visaikhi and Harvest Time: Testimonies of Punjabi Christ Followers** - 2 mins
- **Kamal searches and finds truth** - 5.8 mins
- **Balwant turns from persecutor to believer** - 4.5 mins

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# OUTREACH RESEARCH



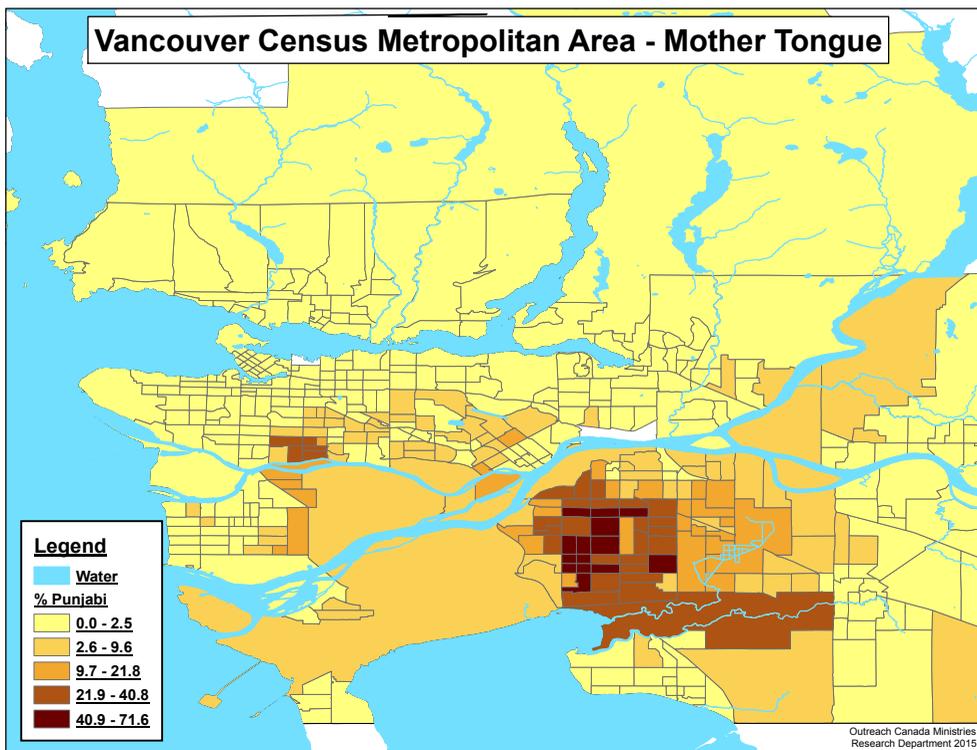
## Information matters.

OUTREACH CANADA Research can provide the information you need to make informed decisions and to be better equipped to disciple nations.

**Thematic Mapping** — For a church planter, pastor or denominational leader, a thematic map transforms raw data into something they can grasp, discuss, dream and plan around.

**Community Profile** — Up to 60 page in-depth, customized report profiling a community's statistical information with maps, tables, charts and graphs.

Vancouver Census Metropolitan Area - Mother Tongue



Contact: Lorne Hunter



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[www.outreach.ca/research](http://www.outreach.ca/research)



# LOVING MUSLIMS TOGETHER

Muslims in Canada have limited experience with Christian friends, Bibles in their heart language and interaction with a local church community—all of these are key factors in the journey of Muslims who have chosen to leave Islam to follow Jesus Christ. With 1.7 million Muslims in Canada, no one group can meet this need alone. That's why Loving Muslims Together (formerly the Canadian Network of Ministries to Muslims) rallies and supports the Canadian church to help all Muslims in Canada have the opportunity to become disciples of Jesus Christ.

Find a local network or prayer group near you

 [www.lovingmuslimstogether.ca](http://www.lovingmuslimstogether.ca)

Islam is marked by 5 times daily ritualized prayer. This prayer practice is being met by a movement of Christians around the world agreeing together to pray for 10 years, from January 1, 2018 until December 31, 2027, that at least 10% of all the Muslims in the world would come to accept Jesus Christ as their Saviour and Lord. If God were to answer these prayers, close to 200,000 Muslims in Canada would become Christ-followers. Will you join the movement and pray with faith for this to happen?





## Loving a Mosque Community Together

There are some 650 mosques in communities across Canada. It is likely that one of them is near you.

Will you:

1. Identify the mosque nearest your church community.  
Email us at [contact@lmtn.ca](mailto:contact@lmtn.ca).   
We'll help you get started.
2. Within your congregation convene a group who commit to meet at least monthly to pray for those that call your neighbourhood mosque their religious home.
3. Identify a key contact from that group who will remain connected to the LMT network contact person.
4. Use the prayer points regularly supplied by the LMT network to maintain focus; your LMT contact will also visit the prayer group occasionally to stay connected and provide encouragement.
5. Join with others annually, for a time of worship, prayer, training, testimony and encouragement.
6. Once you've completed the steps above, register your church's commitment at:



<http://lovingmuslimstogether.ca/mosque>



The MORE Network provides group support, education and resources for foreign workers and their families.

### The Emmaus Journey Retreat

Honouring your story of cross-cultural ministry, or ministry in the home office, through reflection, retreat, and debriefing.

<http://www.beracah.ca/the-emmaus-journey/>

May 5-8 and Sept 29-Oct 2:

Mount St. Francis Retreat Centre  
41160 Retreat Rd, Cochrane, AB

### MORE Network

#### Cross-Canada Meeting

January 2: 10am - 12pm PST

March 25: 10am - 12pm PST

May 20: 10am - 12pm PST

July 15: 10am - 12pm PST

September 16: 10am - 12pm PST

November 25: 10am - 12pm PST

### RE-VIEW

Re-View is specifically designed for single/couple cross-cultural workers in transition, including children 16 and younger.

If you are retiring, repatriating, on Home Assignment and/or changing projects, this retreat is for you!



[more.outreach.ca/reboot/wilderness](https://more.outreach.ca/reboot/wilderness)

### RE-VIEW East

July 19-24

Cambridge, ON July 19-24

### RE-VIEW West

August 2-7

Three Hills, AB

For info year round about Missionary care resources and re-entry programs for Cross-Cultural Workers and Missionary Kids:



[more@outreach.ca](mailto:more@outreach.ca)



<https://more.outreach.ca> and <https://cmkn.outreach.ca>

# CANADIAN MISSIONARY KID NETWORK



**Wilderness Reboot, Kananaskis Mountains, AB**

**Ages: 21-35**

**June 28-July 4:**

MK's seeking a deep encounter with God amidst the beauty of the Canadian back country wilderness. A retreat for MK's aged 21-35 looking to be challenged, deepen their relationship with God and seek His direction.

Contact:  [reboot@outreach.ca](mailto:reboot@outreach.ca)

 [more.outreach.ca/reboot/wilderness](https://more.outreach.ca/reboot/wilderness)

**Classic ReBoot, Calgary AB**

**Ages: 17-20**

**July 31-August 7:**

Transition retreats for MKs ages 17-20  
(slightly younger and older siblings welcome)

Contact:  [reboot@outreach.ca](mailto:reboot@outreach.ca)

 [more.outreach.ca/reboot/classic](https://more.outreach.ca/reboot/classic)





Simply Mobilizing is all about seeing every believer living a life on mission with God and, every church a missional church, facilitating God's people on mission with God. Along with the Kairos Course we offer other courses and training opportunities to help you find your niche in God's mission.

Primarily a discipleship course, the Kairos Course weaves together the overarching story of scripture, church history, the global context and cultural complexities, to help you begin to discover your call to participate in God's redemptive story--right where you are!

Using a variety of adult education learning styles, including facilitated presentations, videos and small group discussion, you are invited to learn and then integrate discoveries into your very real life and circumstances.

**Offered in over 100 countries and 30 languages, courses are offered across Canada in: English, French, Cantonese, Mandarin, Korean, Vietnamese, and Spanish.**

**Co-Sponsored by:**

**Missions Fest and Simply Mobilizing Canada:**

**Location:** Tenth Church

11 West 10th Avenue, Vancouver BC

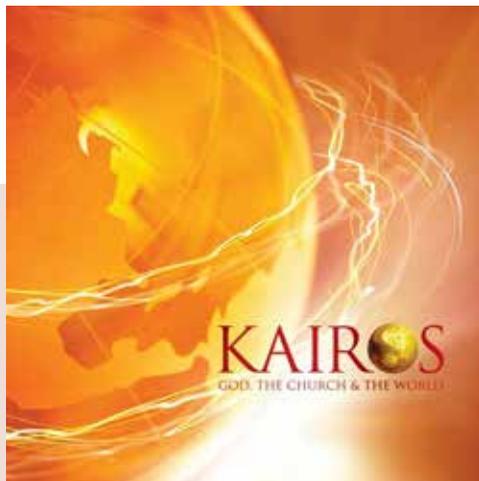
**Format:** Thursdays & Saturdays

**Dates:** Thursday - Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, Mar 5 (7:00pm - 9:30pm)

Saturdays - Feb 8, Mar 7 (9:00am - 5:00pm)

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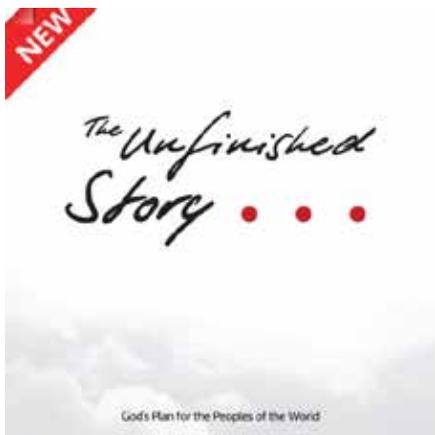


**Interested in hosting Kairos at your church?**

Contact us  [contact@kairoscourse.ca](mailto:contact@kairoscourse.ca)  [www.kairoscourse.ca](http://www.kairoscourse.ca)



The EMPOWERED TO INFLUENCE (ETI) Course will benefit every believer, but especially those who are in the workplace. This is a four session facilitated, video-based course that explores seven paradigm shifts that need to take place for every believer to become effective salt and light for God in their places of influence.



The Unfinished Story provides an exciting overview of the mission of God from Genesis, through the gospels and more than two thousand years of the world Christian movement to our world today.



Crossing Cultures is one step in a journey that can lead, with prayer and trust in God, to people from diverse ethnic backgrounds encountering the love of Jesus Christ. This practical experience amongst diverse communities in your area includes interactive training, meeting people from other cultures, and debriefing.

To explore these and other course opportunities contact



Carol Moerman - [cmoerman@outreach.ca](mailto:cmoerman@outreach.ca) or  
Lorna Johnston - [ljohnston@outreach.ca](mailto:ljohnston@outreach.ca)



## How To Make An Impact In The World

What an exciting call, what a promising life! We are destined to live a life less ordinary, to be part of God's great mission to save the world! However, all too often, we experience fear, failure and frustration instead of joy when we try to reach out.

Participants of this course will learn how to adopt a Missional Lifestyle and how to become the able workers that we need to be in order to win others to Christ.



## Courses planned for 2020

For more information contact Chris Morris  [cmorris@chaplains.ca](mailto:cmorris@chaplains.ca)

# MARKETPLACE MINISTRIES

**Supporting business owners, management and employees as they face life's realities at work and home.**

## Face to Face Care

People are the most important resource in any organization - and often the most challenging. Corporate Chaplains Canada can positively impact business culture by supporting HR in providing personalized care for people at times of greatest need. Our chaplains provide weekly on-site visits and confidential 24-hour crisis care.

## Why a Chaplain?

Regular weekly visits build genuine caring relationships. By investing in their employees our clients have seen improved morale, reduced work-place conflict, reduced personal and professional stress, reduced turnover, improved focus and productivity.

## Expanding Your Care

Our qualified and uniquely skilled chaplains will assist your pursuit of professional excellence by building trusting relationships with staff and management, coaching employees toward personal wholeness, initiating life changing conversations, providing multi-ethnic and multi-lingual chaplains.



Interested in introducing Corporate Chaplaincy into your Business?

Call +1-604-374-8428 and start the conversation.



[cmorris@chaplains.ca](mailto:cmorris@chaplains.ca)



[www.chaplains.ca](http://www.chaplains.ca)

## DIASPORA MINISTRIES



*Diaspora* is a term that describes people who are scattered—settled far from their historical homelands. This scattering and displacement is a global reality today, whether it occurs voluntarily (e.g. international students, economic migration) or involuntarily (e.g. refugees). Many of us have mixed feelings about the changes that diaspora movements have brought to the world and to our neighbourhood--there is no question that it represents both challenges and opportunities.

For those of us who love and follow Jesus Christ, a question we must settle in our own hearts is whether this global migration is something we resist, or at best tolerate, in the face of the powerful forces of global economics and politics, or is it rather something we embrace, recognizing that it is accomplishing God's mission purpose to redeem his world? The answer to this polarity becomes a powerful motivator for how we live out our day-to-day reality.

Cooperating with God's purposes requires us to think more carefully about the complexities of engaging with the Diaspora. Some come to Canada from least-reached parts of the world, while others come from regions that are more Christian than us. Some come intentionally to engage in God's mission in our neighbourhoods.

The call to faithful witness in the complexities of our context will require us to reconsider and relearn what it means to follow Jesus Christ in these days. If we are willing to wrestle with these challenges and questions, we may well find our lives deeply transformed, our hearts enlarged by our diaspora friends, coworkers, and partners in the Gospel and glory going to Jesus Christ as more find their way into his global Kingdom.

For more information contact Lorna Johnston:  [ljohnston@outreach.ca](mailto:ljohnston@outreach.ca)

# GLOBAL MINISTRIES



Outreach Canada Ministries is involved in proclaiming the Gospel and encouraging disciple making around the globe both directly and in partnership with other organizations.

OC team members work directly with pastors and leaders in Africa, South East Asia and elsewhere to develop and equip disciple making leaders. And through our participation in the OC Global Alliance and Global Church Planting Network, we are reaching into over 100 countries.

## OC Global Alliance

Our collegial partnership with 13 mobilization centers world-wide represents nearly 1,101 workers who together have impact in 101 countries. In 2018 over 15,055 new churches were established.

 [www.globalalliance.org](http://www.globalalliance.org)

## Global Church Planting Network

We work with other church planting ministries whose shared goal is to reach every country and village in the world with the Gospel message. We seek to link people of shared vision to work and pray towards accelerating church planting in their nation or region.

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Since 1984 Outreach Canada ministries has been privileged to participate with churches, Christian leaders and ministries in responding to Jesus' call to "go, and make disciples of all nations."

Seeing all nations transformed by the presence of Christ is our goal and purpose. The events, resources and services highlighted in this Almanac are a sample of the many ways that we are serving the Body of Christ today.

We are here to serve you. If you are interested in any of the ministries listed or are looking for coaching related to a specific need or opportunity, please contact us.

We are serving leaders to disciple the nations.

### **SERVE**

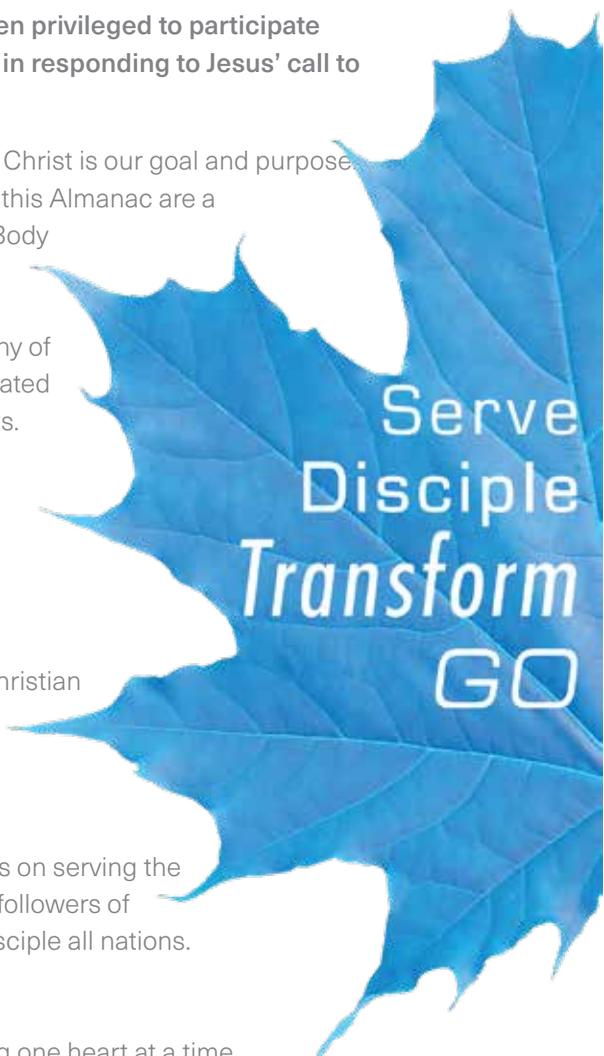
To serve the Body of Christ, we come alongside Christian leaders and the churches, denominations and organizations they minister to.

### **DISCIPLE**

Making disciples of Jesus is our purpose. We focus on serving the church because local communities of passionate followers of Christ (churches) are the only way to reach and disciple all nations.

### **TRANSFORM**

Transformation begins with the Holy Spirit nudging one heart at a time. The only way our world will change is through lives fully committed to following Jesus.



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