

## General Conference 2017

# AGENDA

Friday, May 19, 2017

Time	Description	Presenter	Room
3:00-6:30 PM	Registration		Spartan
4:30-5:30 PM	Newcomer Orientation		Macintosh II
6:00-7:00 PM	Dinner (On Your Own)		
7:00-8:15 PM	Worship & Keynote Address: <i>"Out of Sorts"</i>	Sarah Bessey	Ambrosia
8:15-8:30 PM	LOGOS Presentation		Ambrosia
8:30-9:00 PM	Organize the Conference Nominating Committee Report		Ambrosia
9:00-10:00 PM	Study Team Resourcing Sessions: LifePlan Study Team/NLT		Macintosh I
	Study Team Resourcing Sessions: Nominating Committee		Macintosh II
9:00-10:30 PM	Ice Cream Dessert Social	Sponsored by Roberts Wesleyan College	Muskoka Foyer

## Saturday, May 20, 2017

Time	Description	Presenter	Room
7:00 AM	Cash & Carry Breakfast		Foyer
	Spouse's Gathering		Collingwood
8:00-8:15 AM	Roll Call & Orientation to the Day		Ambrosia
8:15-8:45 AM	Worship & Prayer		Ambrosia
8:45-10:00 AM	<b>LifePlan Session 1</b> LifePlan Study Team Report		Ambrosia
	The Religious Face of Canada	Jared Siebert	Ambrosia
	Canada's Changing Landscape	Dr. Joel Thiessen	Ambrosia
	Bridges without Rivers	Jared Siebert	Ambrosia
10:00-10:30 AM	Coffee Break		Foyer
10:30-11:30 AM	<b>LifePlan Session 2</b> LifePlan Study Team Report		Ambrosia
	Artistic Presentation of Bridges and Rivers	Darryl Dozlaw & Tamera Goller	Ambrosia
	The Freedom (Brantford) Story	Tanya Prinsep	Ambrosia
	Bridges over Changing Rivers	Marc McAlister	Ambrosia
11:30 AM-12:00 PM	Nominating Committee Report	Mike Hogeboom	Ambrosia
	Elections (BOA, SCOD, NMEGaP, Nominating Committee)		Ambrosia
	Announcements		Ambrosia
12:00-1:00 PM	Lunch		
1:00-2:30 PM	<b>LifePlan Session 3</b>		Ambrosia
	The Hampton (Saskatoon) Story	Harold Gonyou & Keitha Ogbogu	Ambrosia
	The Big Question! (What Kind of Church does Canada Need?)	Ian Isaak	Ambrosia
	Corporate Prayer	Marc McAlister	Ambrosia
2:30-3:00 PM	Coffee Break		Foyer
3:00-4:00 PM	<b>LifePlan Session 4</b> The Big Answer!	Bishop Cliff Fletcher	Ambrosia
4:00-4:45 PM	<b>LifePlan Session 5</b> Prayer for Your Community	Jared Siebert	Ambrosia
4:45-5:00 PM	Report of Election Results (BOA, SCOD, NMEGAP, Nominating Committee)	General Conference Secretary	Ambrosia
5:00-7:00 PM	Dinner (on your own)		
	Caucus of New BOA		MacIntosh I
6:45-8:45 PM	Worship		Ambrosia
	Memorial Service	Kevin & Beverly Kay	Ambrosia
	Devotional Message	Bishop Keith Elford	Ambrosia
8:45-9:45 PM	Farewell Celebration for Bishop Keith & Donna Elford		Ambrosia
9:45-10:30 PM	Dessert Social – Sponsored by Tyndale College and Seminary		Muskoka Foyer

## Sunday, May 21, 2017

Time	Description	Presenter	Room
10:00 AM-12:00 PM	Worship		Ambrosia
	Consecration of Bishop Cliff Fletcher Message & Communion		Ambrosia
12:00 AM-2:30 PM	Lunch (on your own)		
	New Retirees Luncheon (by invitation only)		Toronto Board of Trade Room
2:30-3:30 PM	<b>Workshop Session 1</b>		
	Becoming a Socially Engaging Ministry	Darrell Keezer	MacIntosh II
	Global Partnerships	Paula Moriarity	Algonquin
	Community Development Missionary	Todd Stelmach	Muskoka
	Facility Rental Issues (CCCC)	Gibert Langerak	Spartan
	Plan to Protect – Creating a Ministry of Safety and Care	Melodie Bissell	Muskoka II
	Safety & Security for Short Term Mission Trips	Ken Hall	Muskoka III
	Tackling a Generation at Risk – Bringing a Christ-Centred Response to a Sexually Charged Culture (CAPPS)	Laura Lewis & Tara Steeves	Georgian
	Mobile & Web Giving Solutions (Tithe.ly)	Dean Sweetman	Haliburton
	Effective Discipleship for Today's Youth (EFC)	Joel Gordon	Niagara
	Coming out of Babylon – The Road to Whole-Life Stewardship (Financial Discipleship Canada)	Jan Kupecz	MacIntosh I
3:45-4:45 PM	<b>Workshop Session 2</b>		
	37 Ways Your Website Died	Darrell Keezer	MacIntosh II
	What is the New Leaf Network?	Jared Siebert	Muskoka I
	Bearing Faithful Witness	Darren Lindsay & Seth Freeman	Algonquin
	Youth Network	Marc McAlister	Muskoka II
	Narrative Budget – Telling the Story of Your Church Budget	Sandy Crozier	Muskoka III
	Set Free Movement	Blake Found	Georgian Bay
	3D Round Table	Brian Bell	Haliburton
	Shalom Leadership – Leading Positive Culture Change in Church	Jay Mowchenko	Niagara
	Healthy Rural Churches Roundtable	Paul Millar	Spartan
	Redefining Normal: How your Mission Dollars can have Maximum Impact! (World Relief Canada)	Don Miller	MacIntosh I
5:00-6:30 PM	Dinner (on your own)		
7:00-8:30 PM	Prayer Service and Q&A with the Bishop	Bishop Cliff Fletcher	Ambrosia
8:45-9:45 PM	<b>Study Team Resourcing Sessions</b>		
	Board of Administration (BOA)		MacIntosh I
	Ministerial Education Guidance and Placement (MEGaP)		MacIntosh II
	Study Commission on Doctrine (SCOD)		Niagara

## Monday, May 22, 2017

Time	Description	Presenter	Room
7:00 AM	Cash & Carry Breakfast		Foyer
8:00-8:45 AM	Worship & Prayer	Bishop Desvariste (Haiti)	Ambrosia
8:45-9:00 AM	Roll Call & Orientation to the Day	Bishop Cliff Fletcher	Ambrosia
9:00-9:30 AM	Board of Administration (BOA) Report	Greg Ford	Ambrosia
9:30-10:00 AM	<i>"Careful Thinking About God's Truth"</i> - Study Team Report (Study Commission on Doctrine –SCOD)	SCOD	Ambrosia
10:00-10:30 AM	Coffee Break		Foyer
10:30-11:30 AM	Recommendations from BOA, NMEGaP, Nominating Committee, SCOD		Ambrosia
11:30-11:45 AM	<b>Foundations Reports</b> Free Methodist Foundation Lorne Park Foundation		Ambrosia
11:45 AM-12:00 PM	Announcements		Ambrosia
12:00-1:00 PM	Lunch		
	All Youth Leaders and Youth Advocates Lunch with Marc McAlister		Collingwood
1:00-1:15 PM	Worship		Ambrosia
1:15-2:15 PM	<i>"Developing Godly, Competent Leaders for Today and Tomorrow"</i> (National Ministerial Education Guidance and Placement Committee- NMEGaP)	Bishop Keith Elford & Marc McAlister	Ambrosia
2:15-2:30 PM	Complimentary Resolutions	Barry Taylor	Ambrosia
2:30-3:00 PM	Adjournment & Closing Worship		Ambrosia