



We need an evangelistic movement across Canada in order to see churches grow with new believers that we've proclaimed to and disciplined. Training churches to have an evangelistic vision is crucial. For this we've used **D52**, an evangelism movement that touches the five D's we must apply in our churches in order to reach the lost. The first is **devote** your life to God by praying for the lost. If we don't pray for non-believers and for the Holy Spirit to work in people's lives, it will be difficult to reach people with the Good News. We also need to **devote** our lives to His Word in order to know how to use the Bible correctly for evangelism. Then it is necessary to **direct** our lives to a lost community. We must **develop** new friendships in order to have opportunities for spiritual conversations. The next **D** is key for evangelism- we need to **declare** the gospel in order to see fruit. Lastly, **disciple**- as soon as people convert, we must have an initial progressive discipleship plan for new believers in order to make new disciple-makers. This cannot be a once a year or once a month event; evangelism has to be a way of life for **52 weeks** per year.

In order to make D52 more effective, I've asked Dr. Susan Booth from our seminary to be part of the training with a practical evangelism method. Mike Blackaby joined our team with the art of pre-evangelism in apologetics and Paul Johnson helps us with "how to tell your story". I bring the **D52 vision**: how to be effective in relational evangelism and how to be intentional with the gospel in outreach events. This training takes an entire day, morning and afternoon, or it can be given on a Friday evening and Saturday morning. The training has been given in Toronto with the Hispanic congregations; in Edmonton at a regional level; at Jasper Place Baptist Church in Edmonton; in Vancouver, British Columbia; in Alberta churches and in Saskatchewan. Our goal is to train churches in Manitoba, Quebec and Atlantic provinces in the near future.

This May we started a new prayer movement to encourage churches across Canada to **Pray2Proclaim**. We committed to pray for 2 lost persons twice a day for all of May in order for the Holy Spirit to open the door so that we may proclaim the gospel clearly. Our theme text is **Colossians 4:3-4**. On the CNBC website, there was a page dedicated to **Pray2Proclaim** with devotional verses for every week as we meditated and prayed to God for us to get the opportunity to evangelize to those we were praying for. There is an email address [pray2proclaim@cnbc.ca](mailto:pray2proclaim@cnbc.ca) where churches can send their stories as they proclaim. There was also a promotional video that churches can download and show to their congregation to promote **Pray2Proclaim**.

In 2017 and 2018, there has been a missional movement across Canada. We've helped send teams through our CNBC missions grants to places like Cuba, China, Turkey, Greece, India, Korea, Japan, Guatemala, Haiti and the USA. I've promoted missions in churches in Alberta, Saskatchewan, British Columbia, Ontario and PEI. I've also been encouraging churches (including new church plants) to give to

the GMO by promoting missions, preaching missional sermons and bringing stories about our missionaries. This year I invited Rusty Ford to speak about missions in Europe at our seminary and our churches in Alberta. He made a big impact on the students and the youth. Dr. Gary Crawford was also invited to speak on evangelism and missions at our seminary and at our churches. He promoted a possible partnership to go on missions to the Amazon Basin in Brazil and Colombia to reach new unreached tribes in the Amazon. We will most likely have our first team going in 2019. This year, we have a new appointed couple as our CNBC/IMB career missionaries in Taiwan: Jeff and Ring Kwok. Elya Menzies, one of our graduates from our seminary, is almost done her appointing process to be another of our mid-term missionaries in South Asia as a CNBC/IMB missionary.

This April, I started the **Yet (Youth Evangelism Team) Team** in Alberta. This is a movement for youth to impact their community with the gospel. We had our first outreach event in Alberta with 120 youth where 7 lost friends who came accepted Christ. We now have a **Yet Team** in BC where the **Live2Live** outreach event will take place on May 11. In September of 2018 we will take it to Saskatchewan and aim to have a **Yet Team** in every province by 2021. Our slogan is **Not Finished Yet** until every youth across Canada hears the gospel of Jesus Christ! Our verse is **Isaiah 49:6** and our evangelism vision is **D52**.