

Canadian anglican in the world mission

How Canadian Anglicans Participate In World Mission

Through their church, Canadian Anglicans contribute resources to World Mission into two distinct yet complementary programs namely the World program and the Primate's World Relief and Development Fund. In this article, I am mainly concerned with the World Program.

Under the World Program, Canadian Anglicans are called to affirm the sacredness of all creation by supporting the presence and ministry of other Anglican Church groups throughout the world. Sources from the Anglican Church of Canada in Toronto say that the work of world program involves Canadian Anglicans in a direct response to requests for support to their partner churches. Canadian Anglicans support and join with their partners in the

Mission of World wide church by regular 'giving through their parishes and by special appeals such as Anglicans in the mission. All this is done in order to support initiatives that continue the development of indigenous leadership, lay and ordained, in church and community. This includes scholarships for students who intend to work in a field which requires and education in theology. Some students come to Canada to study theology. Other students are able to attend colleges or seminaries in their own countries.

Canadian Anglicans support programs of evangelism, pastoral care, christian education and youth work overseas. They also support recruitment and placement of Canadians for mission work overseas.

However Canadian Anglicans help themselves. They gain understanding and a deeper commit-

ment to their mission at home and throughout the world. Their world program includes "education for mission" workshops and study sessions in Canadian dioceses. There are events often centering around a "people exchange" i.e. a visit to the diocese from someone from an overseas partner church. In most cases many visitors stay for only a few days or a few weeks, while occasionally a visitor from a partner church serves the Anglican church in Canada for 1-2 years.

Canadian Anglican partnership

in mission goes up to Africa, Asia and the South Pacific, Latin America and the Caribbean. World Mission staff includes the policies determined by the National Program Committee's World Missin sub-committee, a group of 13 women and men, lay and clergy, who represent dioceses across Canada. Requests from partner churches are responded to by the World Mission sub-committee for people and funding.

Canadian Anglicans work through "Partnership in Mission"

consultations through the Anglican communion to set up priorities in mission within each province or region. The National Executive Council usually chooses two Canadian Anglican representatives for each Consultation. As a deliberate policy, Canadian Anglicans relate to Christians in many different parts of the world. This has promoted Canadian Anglican understanding with respect to political, economic and human rights contexts in which Christians live today.

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Notice For Potential Psychology Majors

Last fall, the U.P.E.I. Senate approved a number of important changes to the Psychology programme. Among these changes was a new requirement that students would need to apply to the department in order to become a Psychology major.

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If you have any questions, please contact Prof. Don Mazer (Chairperson) at 566-0519.

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Of the 92 votes counted, 7 being spoiled, exactly half were part time students and half were mature full time.

Due to a misunderstanding, one person was denied a vote. Please accept our apologies.

A big thank you to all those who helped out at the table, your contribution was very much appreciated.

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