

THE
1,000 CHURCHES
PROCLAMATION

All you inhabitants of the world, you who dwell on the earth, when a signal is raised on the mountains, look! When a trumpet is blown, hear!

- Isaiah 18:3

- I. Because we are certain that the Good News of Jesus Christ and the transforming power of His love is worth passionately proclaiming in this post modern culture;
- II. Because we are certain that the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments contain all things necessary for salvation;
- III. Because we are certain that if we humble ourselves and pray in holiness, radical discipleship and authentic Christ-likeness, the Holy Spirit can move in power across our land;
- IV. Because we are certain that the Great Tradition, in the Anglican way of Scripture, Sacrament and Spirit, is a tremendous blessing for North America;
- V. Because we are certain that God is calling a new generation of Christian leaders to be equipped with the tools of the Anglican Way for ministry and mission in North America;
- VI. Because we are certain that our seminaries, our parishes, and our training agencies can develop new models of ministry that will draw upon the riches of the Christian tradition for a new generation;
- VII. Because we are certain that parishes and regions will multiply congregations in North America by fielding hundreds of lay evangelists, lay catechists and lay missionaries;
- VIII. Because we are certain that substantial resources of time, prayer and funding can be raised up to support this movement;
- IX. Because we are certain that joining our hands with the Global South church in this day is meant for the redemption of North America;
- X. Because we are certain that our brothers and sisters in all the ACNA partners can work together in common cause for a common mission...

We issue a call to unleash the multiplication of one thousand new congregations within the Anglican Church in North America in five years and set in motion a movement that will yield an ever-greater harvest in years to come for the Glory of God.



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IN NORTH AMERICA