

# International Day of Reconciliation

"To forgive is to set a prisoner free and discover that the  
prisoner was you." Lewes B Smedes



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**March 6<sup>th</sup>  
(4-10, 2024)**



The 21st century world is torn apart by conflicts and

war. The world is gliding into turmoil and anarchy instead of peace and unity. God's design is that people must live together in unity and harmony.



Yet, our world is divided in some instances, around religions, political, cultural, social or even economic differences. There is a

greater need to bring healing to our broken world. This tragedy has



radically affected the destinies of many innocent children and youths around the world. Unless the world leaders take urgent and active steps to help resolve the conflicts, the future of our children is heavily compromised. It is time to redeem the

future of our children and take active steps to offer them a future; full of hope and expectation, a future full of opportunities and possibilities, a future full of peace and unity. It is a future where every child and every youth have the opportunity to live in a world that is safe from war and conflict. Children must never live with the fear of displacement, conflict and anarchy. We must provide an environment conducive for the young generation to develop their gifts and talents. It must be an environment where the young generation must engage in education and innovative projects without the threat of war and conflict. This dream can only be realized by offering this Ministry of Reconciliation. (1 Corinthians 5: 16-21) Through the Ministry of Reconciliation, a philosophical understanding is built on how the world can be reconciled to God and to herself.

The International Day of Reconciliation is the dream of one man, Professor Tom Tirivangani; to Reconcile divided



families, communities, nations and the world into one happy family of God.

## **Eastern Europe**

“The war in Ukraine is disrupting the lives of millions of children and driving families apart.”

### **Russia and Ukraine**

The conflict between Russia and Ukraine is threatening to plunge the world into anarchy and destruction. Pray that there will be peace and Cessation of hostilities. It is estimated that over 6 million people have fled Ukraine since the conflict started on the 24<sup>th</sup> February 2022. It is also estimated that 7.7 million have been displaced within the country. This include 2-5 million children, most of them have been separated from their families and caregivers.

### **The tragedy of Nagasaki and Hiroshima 1945**

This must never be allowed to repeat itself. What happened on the 6<sup>th</sup> and the 9<sup>th</sup> of August 1945; when the USA detonated two atomic bombs over Japan’s two cities of Nagasaki and Hiroshima; must never be allowed to repeat itself in the 21<sup>st</sup> century. The bombs killed between 129,000 to 226,000 people most of them civilians.

### **The tragedy of Afghanistan, Iraq and Libya**

The tragedy of Afghanistan, Iraq and Libya could have been avoided if the church had stood against the reckless behaviour of George Bush of USA and Tony Blair of UK. The church is the eminent ambassador of peace and unity. The church must allow the ministry of reconciliation to bring healing to the broken world.

The second world war was the result of the madness and ambition of one man, Adolf Hitler of Germany. His evil heart led to the death of millions of people. This was aided by

a complacent and compromised church leadership and an inefficient international legal framework to combat this horrible and deplorable behaviour

## **Middle East**

### **Israel and Palestine**

Pray that there will be peace between Israel and Palestine. Pray that the leaders will lead with a heart full of the fear of God. In addition to the conflict dynamics, between Israel and Lebanon, the red sea, Iraq and Syria have all become arenas of spillover confrontation from Gaze. A violent spike in any of these hot spots could quickly escalated to a wider confrontation.

The International Day of Reconciliation is a one-week long celebration of humanity's quest for unity and peace. This is how the week-long conference and Celebration is organized.

**Day 1:** Welcome to Canada and Accreditation of international visitors.

**Day 2:** Welcome to Hamilton and Tour of Hamilton's significant and Historical Places of Worship.

**Day 3:** Day of Prayer for world Peace and Reconciliation.

**Day 4:** Experience The Tom Tirivangani University.

**Day 5:** Day of Life Changing Testimonies and Stories.

**Day 6:** A tour of Niagara Falls, African Lion Safari and Toronto CN Tower

**Day 7:** International Day of Reconciliation Message and Dinner.

**Day 1**

# **Welcome to Canada and Accreditation of international visitors**

**Welcome to Canada in celebration of The International  
Day of Reconciliation: A week-long Celebration.**





Day 2

## Tour of Hamilton significant and Historical Places of Worship

**Christ's Voice of Restoration Ministries: A brief history and lecture is given for our host place.**



**Historical Name(s):** Star Mission, Barton Street Methodist Church, Livingston Methodist Church, Livingstone United Church.

**Address:** 200 Sanford Avenue North, Hamilton, Ontario, L8L 5z8

**Current Affiliation:** Presbyterian Historical Affiliation(s): Methodist, United Associated Features: Parsonage Architect(s): George T. Evans Builder(s): Stuart Brothers Construction

Date: 1906-1907 Material: Dark Red Brick, Indiana Limestone

**Style:** Neo-Gothic Associated Person(s): Rev. W. J. Maxwell (Founder of Sunday School in 1889), Cyrus A. Birge, Rev. S. E. Marshall, Rev. H. G. Livingston

**Associated Event(s):** May 1907, church dedicated; 1903-1916, tenure of Rev. H. G. Livingston; 1921, church renamed Livingstone Methodist; 1999, church closed; 2000, reopened

as Hamilton Korean Presbyterian Church Associated  
Theme(s): Served as a mission church during the 20th  
century.

## First Place Hamilton



### 1857 Hamilton, Ontario Revival

In August 1853  
Dr. Walter  
and Phoebe  
Palmer spoke at  
a camp meeting  
held at a farm  
close  
to Nappanee,

Ontario. The result was 500 people making a profession of  
their faith in Christ. In 1854 the Palmers returned to  
Nappanee and in a letter to his daughters, Dr. Palmer wrote:

*The meetings I cannot describe to you; there were  
hundreds converted. It was one of the most glorious  
meetings I ever  
attended.*



In 1855 they  
held meetings  
in Barrie,  
Ontario, where  
again hundreds  
were converted.

## What Happened in Hamilton, Ontario

### Hamilton, Ontario (1850s)

- Meetings then began to be conducted daily from 7 a.m. till 10 p.m.
- The Hamilton Revival of 1857 swept the community and a large part of Canada, and gave impetus to massive revivals in Europe and the United States. Revival historian J. Edwin Orr confirms that the first stirring of revival, that was soon to be felt globally, began in Hamilton:

*For the beginnings of the religious revival which was soon to flood the United States, it is necessary to look beyond the borders of the Union. The first unusual stream of blessing arose in the city of Hamilton, in the Province of Ontario.*

- Orr continued by reflecting on current news reports:  
... *“It was among the Ontarian Methodists that the first fruits of the 1858 revival occurred. The Methodist “Christian Advocate and Journal” of New York carried on November 5, 1857, a prominent headline “Revival Extraordinary” on its front page, with a sub-title which declared that from three to four hundred souls had been saved in a few days. Twenty-one persons had professed conversion on the first day of the movement and, as the work steadily increased, the number of professions grew to a score to forty-five daily, and a hundred people were converted on the Sunday previous to the penning of the report. The enthusiastic correspondent stated:*

*The work is taking within its ranges persons of all classes. Men of low degree, and men of high estate for wealth and position; old men and maidens, and even little children, are seen humbly kneeling together, pleading for grace. The mayor of the city, with other persons of like position, are not ashamed to be seen*

*bowed at the altar of prayer beside the humble servant...*

## **Infectious Nature of Revivals**



**Phoebe Palmer**

The revival experienced in Hamilton began to spread wherever the news was reported. The revival historian J. Edwin Orr indicated that this one revival did not become a flowing river, but it became a “flood,” which expanded throughout the world;

*Spiritual awakenings are exceedingly infectious, and proximity in time and place adds to the stimulation of desire for similar blessing. The appearance of the account [of the Hamilton revival] by a steadily increasing number of paragraphs describing local*

*revivals, few in number in November, increasing in December, and a veritable flood in late winter and spring of 1858.*

The report was that 600 people professed faith in Christ.

The Palmers also conducted meetings in Oswego, Binghamton, and Union, New York, as well as in locations in Connecticut. In August 1858 they were in Canada again (St. John, Halifax, Prince Edward Island). The number of conversions at these locations exceeded 1,670.

The Palmers then visited England, Ireland, and Wales, and spent several years there conducting very successful ministry with many thousands being converted.

The Methodist churches of Hamilton grew by 1,000 percent. The other churches in the town were unaffected.

Rev. Bruce Woods of Stanley Avenue Baptist Church in Hamilton (1972-1988) wrote that not all recognized the hand of God at work until after the revival had subsided:

*The Baptists and Presbyterians were largely untouched. Anglicans remained coldly aloof. Only after the divine visitation had come and gone did others awaken to the magnitude of the events that had transpired in their midst.*

Phoebe Palmer's preaching overshadowed that of her husband's (he being an assistant). She has been credited with being one of the founders of the Holiness Movement in the United States, and the Higher Life Movement in the United Kingdom. Her influence led to the organization of The Church of the Nazarene, The Salvation Army, The Church of God, and The Pentecostal-Holiness Church.

Encyclopedia.com says the following of Phoebe Palmer:

*Palmer became one of the most influential female religious leaders in the latter part of the nineteenth century. At a time when most evangelists were men, Palmer converted thousands of people in the United States, Canada, Great Britain, and Europe, and she did much to advance the role of women in religion.*

Christian History Institute has this to say of her:

*Phoebe Palmer was the most influential woman in the largest, fastest-growing religious group in mid-19th-century America—Methodism. By her initiative, missions were begun, camp-meetings instituted, and many thousands attested to the transforming power of divine grace. She mothered a nationwide movement that birthed such denominations as the Church of the Nazarene and the Salvation Army, bridged 18th-century Methodist revivalism to 20th-century Pentecostalism, and pioneered in social reform and female ministry.*

## Christ's Church Cathedral



**Founded in** 1835

**Status:** Cathedral

**Location:** 252

James Street

North, Hamilton,

Ontario

## St. Ann Roman Catholic Parish,



**Located:** 120

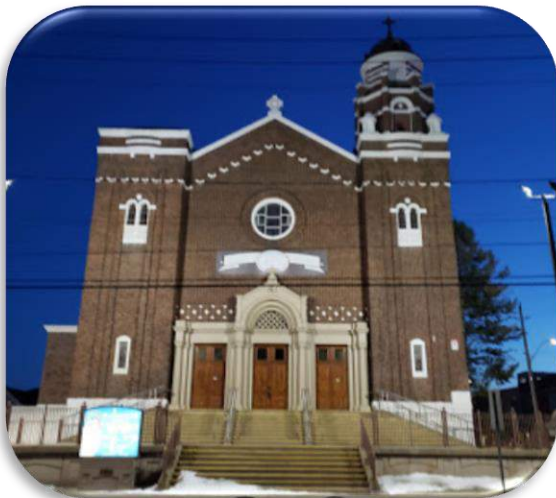
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N. Hamilton.

**Constriction**

**Date:** 1923 -1924

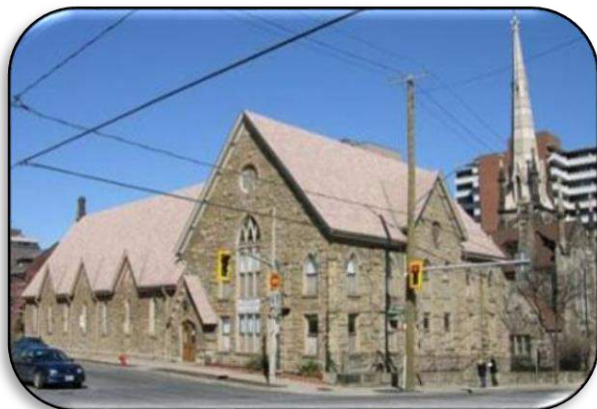
## St. Stanislaus Kostka Roman Catholic Polish Church



**Location:** 720  
Barton Street  
East

**Construction  
Date:** 1919-  
1927

## Church of the Ascension



**Located:** 65  
Charlton  
Avenue East

**Construction:**  
1850



## Macneill Baptist Church



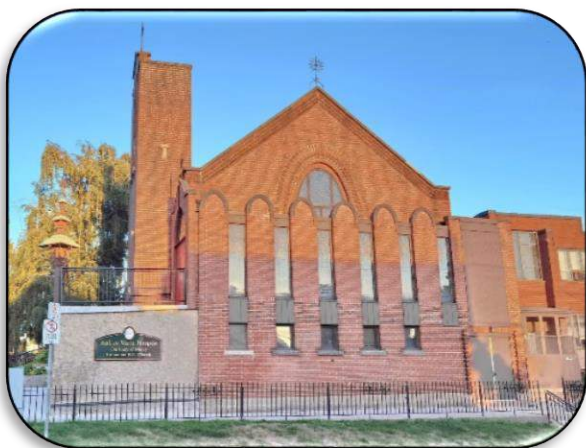
**Located:**

1145 King St  
W, Hamilton

**Construction:**

1930

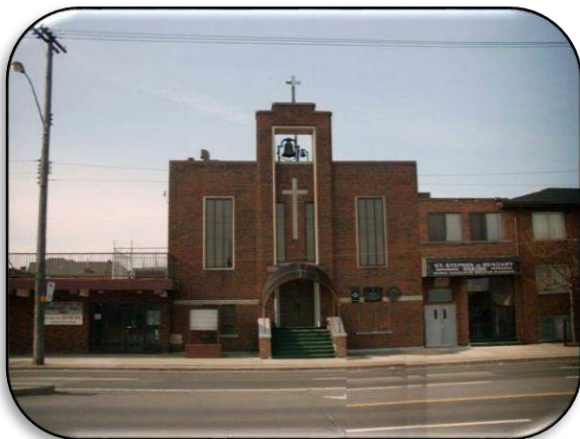
## Our Lady of Mercy Lithuanian Catholic Church



**Located:** 58  
Dundurn St N,  
Hamilton

**Construction  
Date:** 1910

## St. Stephen of Hungary Roman Catholic Parish



**Located:** 130  
Barton St E,  
Hamilton, ON  
L8L 2W4

**Construction  
Date:** 1948-  
1949

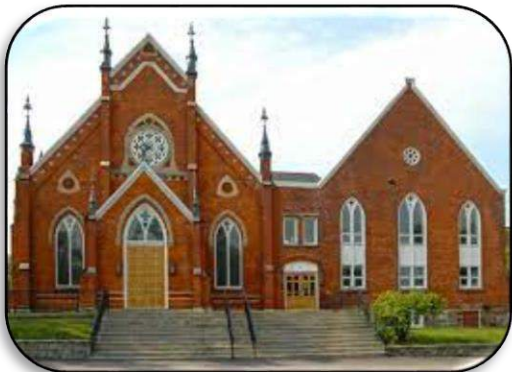
## All Souls Roman Catholic Church



**Located:** 21  
Barton Street  
West

**Construction  
Date:** 1922-  
1923

## First Christian Reformed Church



**Located:** 181  
Charlton Avenue  
West

**Construction  
Date:** 1882-1883

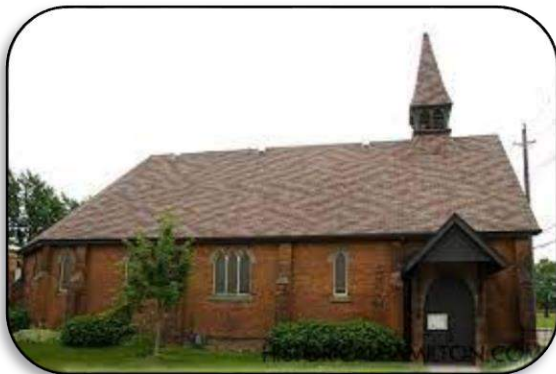
## St Paul's Presbyterian Church



**Located:** 64 James  
Street South

**Construction Date:**  
1854

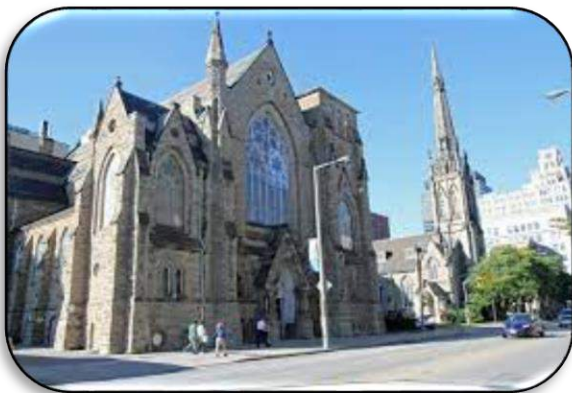
## St. Lukes Anglican Church



**Located:** 454  
John Street  
North

**Construction  
Date:** 1889

## James Street Baptist Church



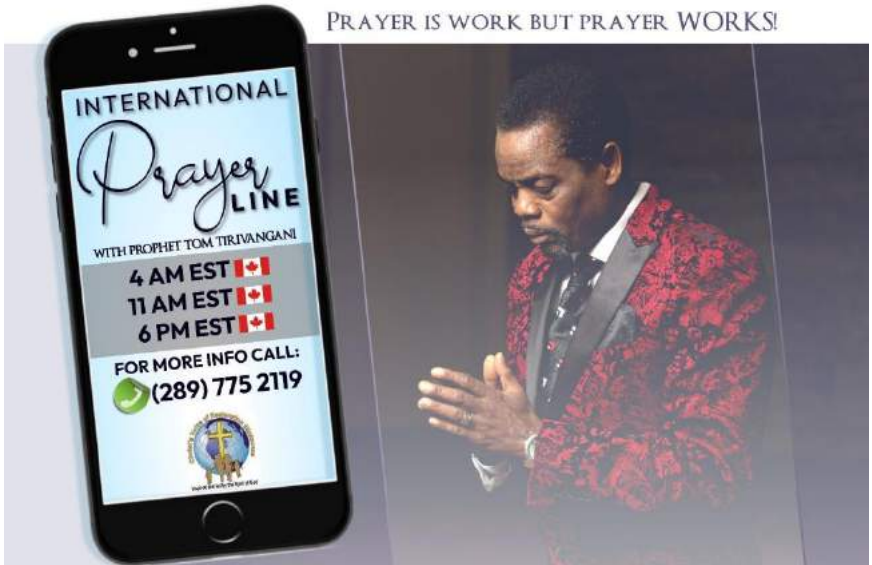
**Located:** 98  
James Street  
South

**Construction  
Date:** 1878-  
1882

**Day 3**

## **Day of Prayer for world Peace and Reconciliation**

You will spend the day on the international prayer line with the anointed man of God, Professor Tom Tirivangani. You will learn how to pray for world peace and reconciliation. Learn the arts and mystery of real Prayer. Unlock secrets through prayer as you undertake this journey of prayer to seek the face of the living God through prayer.



**Day 4**

## **The Tom Tirivangani University**

Life changing lectures are given by prominent preachers and Professors on the importance of reconciliation and world peace.

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Day 5

## DAY OF TESTIMONIES

Come and hear life changing testimonies and stories of families, communities and nations that have been touched by the ministry of Reconciliation.



**Day 6**

## **A tour of Niagara Falls, African Lion Safari and the CN Tower**

### **Niagara Fall**



Niagara Falls, Ontario, is a Canadian city at the famous waterfalls of the same name, linked with the U.S. by the Rainbow Bridge. Its site on the Niagara River's western shore overlooks the Horseshoe Falls, the cascades' most expansive section. Elevators take visitors to a lower, wetter vantage point behind the falls. A cliffside park features a promenade alongside 520-ft.-high Skylon Tower with an observation deck.



## CN Tower



The biggest events deserve a setting that rises to the occasion. With dazzling views, gourmet cuisine and a range of venues outfitted with

state-of-the-art AV technology, the CN Tower is ready to elevate your next event like nowhere else! Spent the day at the CN Tower.



# African Lion Safari



Go "On Safari!" and get CLOSER than you ever imagined to over 1,000 exotic birds and animals that roam free in seven large Game Reserves! Your full day of family adventure begins as you set out on a "trek" along 9km of Safari Trail in your own vehicle or aboard a guided, air-conditioned Safari Tour Bus.

See a pride of majestic lions, graceful giraffe, a crash of rhino, and many



more animals from around the world! After your safari through the Game Reserves, set out on a walking tour of the grounds and enjoy exciting bird and animal presentations featuring Parrot

Paradise, Birds of Prey Flying Demonstration and Little Ray's Nature Center. Enjoy Pets' Corner, "Nature boy" Scenic Railway, "African Queen" Boat Cruise, Misumu Bay Wetplay and Jungle Playground Areas.

# International Day of Reconciliation

Day 7

On Sunday, Enjoy Life Changing Preaching by the anointed Man of God, Prophet Tom Tirivangani, followed



by dinner featuring A Taste of Nations, offering International Cuisine.



# What's there for Christian Business People

Visit Hamilton Chamber of Commerce and explore opportunities in the city of Hamilton. Network with connections from



The Hamilton Chamber of Commerce is the third oldest chamber of commerce in Canada, created in 1845 by Isaac Buchanan and other merchants considered to be the “Founding Fathers” of Hamilton. Comprising many of the great leaders in Hamilton’s history over its 175 years, the Hamilton Chamber of Commerce has harnessed the collective ambition of its thousands of members to play a leading role in Hamilton becoming an important and leading Canadian city during the 20th century.

Like the City of Hamilton itself, the Hamilton Chamber of Commerce is undergoing a tremendous transformation. We are an ambitious organization that strives to meet the various needs of our small business members while also providing city-building leadership to renew Hamilton.



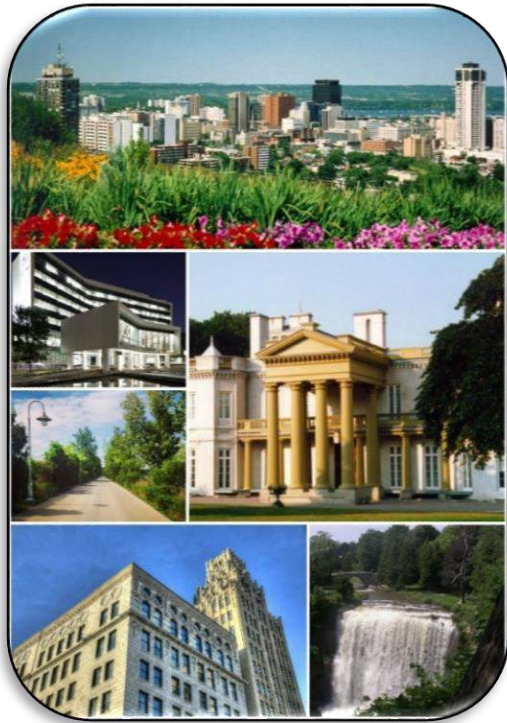
## HAMILTON, ONTARIO, CANADA

Hamilton, a port city on the western tip of Lake Ontario in Canada, is dominated by the Niagara Escarpment, a massive, forested ridge commonly referred to as "the mountain". Aside



from this, there are other, man-made, attractions in the city, Rich in history and culture and surrounded by spectacular

nature, Hamilton, Ontario is a city like no other. Unique for its distinctive urban feel and vibrant arts and culture, Hamilton also boasts deep roots and a proud history. Bounded by the picturesque southern shores of Lake Ontario and the lush trails of the Niagara Escarpment, a UNESCO World Biosphere Reserve, Hamilton offers incredible access to conservation and recreation lands, amazing waterfalls, and is a natural





playground for cyclists, hikers, boaters and outdoor adventurers.

Hamilton boasts endless experiences for the most discerning traveler. Take an exhilarating trip through nature's most beautiful work at the Royal Botanical Gardens; commemorate one of Canada's most pivotal moments during the Bicentennial of the War of 1812; set your sights on Canada's living military history the Canadian Warplane Heritage Museum and the HMCS Haida; drive through African Lion Safari's animal game reserves and get up-close with Lions and Giraffes; wander through one of the finest collections of art in Canada at the Art Gallery of Hamilton;

Spent the day tours, the many historical sites Prominent Schools within the city of Hamilton. Spent A Day visiting the significant Places of worship In the City of Hamilton from 1801 – 2023 (Present).

# Places to Stay

## The Tom Tirivangani Estate









## **Information about the housing unit**

We invite you to come experience the gorgeous Tom Tirivangani Estate. Feel like home in this quiet community. Meditate in its private back yard or take a swim in the pool in the back yard (seasonal access). Treat your eyes and soul to the hues of sunrise, just enough to lose yourself in nature's richness & leave you with life long memories. So close to the FALLS and Toronto, yet so far away!

Close to all major stores and restaurants, Walmart, Home Depot, A&W, Starbucks, McDonald's, Pizza, Tim Hortons, Wendys) all within 10 minutes' drive. This unit is perfect for a business trip, short stay or a small vacation with easy access to QEW highway, Niagara Falls, Toronto, and African Lion Safari and Burlington.

This estate boasts 3 Fully functional kitchens with cookware, utensils and appliances, Washer and Dryer, 6 Full Bathrooms and 1 half washroom with towels and other toiletries that you may have forgotten at home. Living room, dining room, family room and 10 bedrooms.

### **\*\*\*Deposit\*\*\***

All guests are required to leave a refundable deposit of \$200. If at any case smoking inside occurs, there is damage to the unit or other house rules are violated, this deposit will not be refunded.

## **Message From Professor Tom Tirivangani Desk**

I take this opportunity to welcome you to the Sunshine city of Hamilton, a city full opportunity and potential.

Our International Day of Reconciliation is a week-long celebration to promote world peace and unity. Culminating into a powerful message of reconciliation and hope, followed by an international cuisine and dinner.

You will appreciate in times of unprecedented crisis and challenges; the call for leadership is critical. The role of the church in promoting reconciliation and unity cannot be underestimated. In times like this, I urge church and spiritual leaders around the world to take an active approach to help combat the scourge of war and conflict. This can be done through teaching, counselling of world leaders and prayer.

We are living in a challenging time and I invite you to be part of this great project to redeem our world.

Your life will never be the same again. I am looking forward to seeing you. *“Be the change you want to see” M. Ghandi*

