

**FROM THE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT**

**By: Rev. Jim Yates**

General Convention is right around the corner and we are ready for the great things that God has in store. We have chosen the theme verse Philippians 3:14 "I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus."

because God has called each of His ministers to something on a higher plane we must press onward into what He has for us. As this is my last General Convention in my term as General Superintendent am excited for the great future of FGCI.

**FROM THE HOST PASTOR**

**By: Rev Darnell West**



Hey FGCI Family! Rochelle and I along with our team at IC welcome all pastors, ministers, leaders, and church volunteers to the FGCI General Convention and Leaders Conference happening on July 22-25 at the South County Campus of Influence Church in St. Louis, MO!

We are thankful to our executive board of FGCI for allowing us the opportunity to serve our fellowship! We are equally as thrilled to have you join us for this incredible gathering where you will have the opportunity to connect with like-minded individuals, share experiences, and build lasting relationships. Prepare to be inspired and encouraged as you immerse yourself in the presence of God and experience life-changing moments.

Our lineup of anointed speakers & leaders are ready to impart wisdom and ignite your passion for ministry. Get ready for a transformative experience that will equip you to lead with excellence and impact your community in powerful ways. We can't wait to see the amazing things that will happen when we come together in unity and faith. We are sure that the services and breakouts will ignite your heart for Jesus and give you strength to press toward THE HIGH CALLING! Let's make this conference a time of growth, connection, and divine encounters! See you soon!!

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# Get to know our National Convention Guest Speakers

## REV. EDDIE JAMES

Eddie James is an internationally renowned worship artist who has ministered with many of the world's most impactful ministries: Bishop T.D. Jakes, Lou Engle, Bill Johnson, Perry Stone, Karen Wheaton, and Kirk Franklin, to name a few. He is the Associate Pastor and Worship and Arts Director for Nations Church - Daniel Kolenda, Pastor.



Eddie rescues, restores, and discipless youth who are coming out of drug addiction, street life, gangs, violence, abuse, and perverse lifestyles through his recovery program called Dream Life and Discipleship 'N Arts (DNA) programs. These highly effective programs have empowered youth to experience a life of freedom and discover their true significance. Because of this DNA, Eddie James Ministries and Dream Life have helped hundreds of youth experience a life of freedom and discover their true significance – many of whom now have ministries of their own, or are serving in powerful ministries and churches. Eddie James is a voice anointed to SHIFT a generation back to the heart of God.



## REV. DOMINIC RUSSO

Dominic Russo is committed to seeing salvation and revival on a global scale. Founder of Missions Me and 1Nation1Day, Dominic has revolutionized international missions with a focus on salvation, large scale relief projects, and partnerships with leaders unto greater Gospel impact.



## Gratitude for Disaster Relief

This submission was mailed in on a hand written "thank you" card from  
**Sis. Donna Ross Brown**

God bless FGCI Disaster Relief! What a blessing for your  
help for Shannon, Robbie, and I from the storm that  
devastated Cassville, MO on May 26th. Shannon came  
to tears for the kindness she was shown!  
Thank you so very much!

God Bless!



## Happy Golden Anniversary!

We want to wish Pastor Richard Williams and  
his wonderful wife, Rose a Happy Golden  
Anniversary! On July 27, Bro. Richard and Sis.  
Rose celebrate 50 years of marriage! We  
celebrate this milestone and pray for God's  
blessings for many years to come! If you see  
them at General Convention wish them  
"Happy Anniversary"!





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