

OPEN DOOR COMMUNITY TABERNACLE OF THE LORD JESUS CHRIST

SERVICE HOURS

THURSDAY WORSHIP SERVICE
7:30 PM - 9:30 PM

SATURDAY PRAYER SERVICE
6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

PSALMS 65:11

"Thou crownest the
year with thy
goodness; and thy
paths drop fatness"

SUNDAY SCHOOL
10 AM - 11 AM

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE
11 AM - 2 PM

HAPPY NEW YEAR 2025!



New year, new year, what about it? Brings new hope. We're one year closer. We're one day closer than we was yesterday. We're one hour closer than we was when I started, fifteen—fifteen minutes to eleven, it's fifteen till twelve now. We're one hour closer! We don't look back, we look forward. See? Oh! Yes, sir. New year doesn't mean turning a new page. Huh-uh. No..... It's, turn to the Word, see what the Word promises for today, see what the Light of the day is supposed to be. What we ought to do this year is not go back to creeds and things, go back to our old denominations, not go back to old denominations; but turn to the Word, see what kind of a Light is supposed to shine today.



JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

- 12 Patrick Richard
- 14 Michaela Nascimento
- 16 Denise Dunn
- 21 Gladys Helas
- 30 Norberta Bernades

PRAYER REQUESTS

- Remember all the Brothers in the missionary field:
 - Our Elder Rev. Earl Martin in **Arkansas**
 - Br. Ginals, Br. Phanes, and Br. Bastien in **Haiti**
 - Br. Miller in **Jamaica**
 - Br. Louis in **Dominican Republic**
 - Br. Jefferey Johnson in **Ghana**
 - Br. Samson Shetty in **India**
 - Br. Isu in **Nepal**
 - Br. Gerard in **Washington DC**
 - Br. John Fletcher in **Colorado**
- Keep the ministry in prayer as we continue to push forward with the work in **Calais, ME**.
- Remember Sis. Bernades in prayer.
- Continue to keep Sis. Vivianne in prayer as she is helping Br. Earl

Service/ Podcast

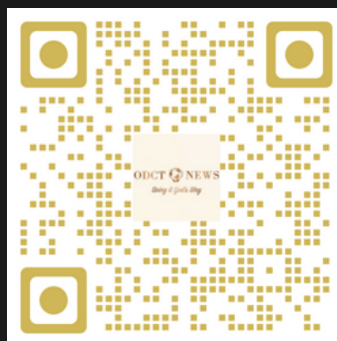
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NEW MUSIC VIDEO ON YOUTUBE

<https://youtube.com/playlist?list=PLlzyKwF2ggYDkRdwI3dZexrHsEwmvdIO8&si=3oICKYqsPhkz3D-s>



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ORDINATION OF DEACONS

*"Likewise must the deacons be grave, not doubletongued, not given to much wine, not greedy of filthy lucre;!"
(1 Timothy 3:8)*

Open Door Community Tabernacle is proud to announce the new Deacons to the Board of Deacons:

Br. Patrick Richard
Br. Giovanni Mentor
Br. Luis Nascimento

On Sunday, January 12, Pastor Edmond Raphino and the ministers had the honor of ordaining these brothers as the newest deacons of our church. It was a joyful moment as they accepted the call to serve and support the work of the church.

We pray that the Lord blesses them in this new chapter, giving them wisdom, strength, and a heart for service as they carry out their responsibilities. Let us continue to pray for and encourage them as they step into this important role.



DECEMBER BIRTHDAY PICTURES



Br. Luiz Bombonatti
December 3rd



Br. Kenol Helas
December 8th



Br. Guibert Helas
December 14th



Sis. Sherly Nascimento
December 14th



Adam Richard
December 19th



Br. Lucas Bombonatti
December 22nd



Br. Luis Nascimento
December 24th

ODCT TESTIMONALS

"Grace is what God does for you. Works is what you do for God, to show appreciation of what God did for you. But by grace are you saved!"

(61-0827 - The Message Of Grace)

Br. Kenol Helas



Our dear brother was commissioned to go on a missionary trip to Washington D.C. with a group of fellow believers. As we know, whenever you embark on a mission for the Lord, Satan tries to hinder the work of God. During the trip, he began to feel ill, vomiting multiple times, and became very weak, unsure of what to do.

In their time of need, they reached out to Pastor Edmond Raphino for prayer, asking for strength and success in their mission to preach the Gospel in Washington. The next day, after prayer, our brother felt completely restored—no longer sick and able to preach with renewed strength. He returned to Boston, testifying that the Lord is the same yesterday, today, and forever.

Sis. Stella Macharia



On Saturday, January 4, 2025, our dear sister woke up not feeling well. She was very nauseous but didn't think much of it and went to work as usual. While at work, she ended up vomiting twice, prompting her to decide to go home and rest.

Once home, her condition worsened. Feeling concerned, she considered going to the ER, as this was far from normal. However, her husband decided to call their pastor, Edmond Raphino.

Pastor Raphino advised him to anoint his wife with healing oil and join in prayer.

As they prayed, something incredible happened—the nausea lifted, and she felt completely fine. She was shocked by the instant change and was able to eat and sleep peacefully, as though nothing had ever happened.

We thank God for this miraculous healing!

MISSIONARY OUTREACH

It's truly heartening to share updates on our missionary outreach efforts. Our commitment to spreading the End-Time Message is making a significant impact across the globe. Here's a glimpse of the inspiring work being done by our dedicated missionaries.



ODCT Satellite House in Maine

Missionary work in Maine is progressing well. They've been purchasing materials for the house, and the brothers have been coming together to create a satellite house for the believers.



Brother Samson Shetty Mantada in India

In India, Br. Samson is instrumental in constructing churches and spreading the Gospel, making a lasting impact on the local communities.



Brother Julio Corporan in Dominican Republic

In the Dominican Republic, Br. Julio continues to lead and guide the local congregation, nurturing a thriving community of faith.

MISSIONARY OUTREACH

Brother Jeffery Johnson in Ghana

Partnering with us, Br. Jeffery is actively involved in constructing numerous churches. Going to the highways and hedges, baptizing individuals and ensuring the Word is being spread far and wide.



Brother Phanes Joseph in Haiti

Br. Phanes has been making a substantial impact in Haiti by building churches and providing instrumental support to young adults.

Brother Isu in Nepal

Through continuous communication, we've learned that believers in Nepal are steadfastly fighting the good fight to spread this message. Their resilience is truly commendable.



Brother Jonathan Miller in Jamaica

With our assistance, Br. Miller has acquired a van, enhancing his ability to carry out essential missions and furthering the reach of this End-Time Message.



QUIZ TIME

65-0206 - Doors in Door

Listen or read the message to answer the questions below

<https://branham.org/en/messagestream/ENG=65-0206>

1. **God allotted his _____ to each age.**

- (a) Enimeies
- (b) History
- (c) Ethics
- (d) Commandments

2. **Eve never broke a _____, she broke a _____, by Satan.**

- (a) Sentence / Word
- (b) Word / Sentence
- (c) Word / Thought
- (d) Promise / Word

3. **A pardon is not a pardon unless it be recieved as a _____.**

- (a) Sentence
- (b) Promise
- (c) Truth
- (d) Pardon

4. **There is only one sin, that's _____.**

- (a) Unbelief
- (b) Faith
- (c) To lie
- (d) To steal

ODCT CHRONICLES: OUR GATEWAY TO THE LATEST UPDATES

Believers from Washington D.C. and Brunswick, Canada, have safely returned home from their missionary trip. They shared that their mission was accomplished, as they were able to spread the truth of the message and support fellow churches. Throughout their journey, they faced challenges but witnessed God's protection and guidance.

They also experienced powerful fellowship, strengthening their faith through testimonies and shared experiences. Now back home, they are grateful for the prayers and support that covered them throughout their travels.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Br. Naully & Seals Team heading to Works of Faith Tabernacle in Waasis, New Brunswick, Canada on Jan 17-19





TWO SIDES OF THE MISSION FIELD

When a missionary trip is approaching, some believers go while others stay behind. Regardless, the mission field is a battlefield, as the devil seeks to attack—whether by hindering those traveling to different churches or by targeting the believers holding down the home base. Those who embark on these trips understand that they are not going for leisure but for a greater purpose—to spread the truth of this message and support fellow message churches. Missionary trips also provide an opportunity for fellowship, allowing believers to share testimonies that have shaped their faith. Meanwhile, those who "hold down the fort" are entrusted with the vital task of praying—for safe travels, for mercy, and for the success of the mission.

As message believers, we recognize the many challenges missionaries face, all for the sake of just one soul receiving the truth. In the message "Early Spiritual Experiences", Bro. Branham emphasized this reality, stating, "Missionaries have a hard time, Brother Upshaw. I had some of my own. I—I know what it is to—to be a missionary. They confront everything, all kinds of perils, and dangers, and sicknesses, and diseases, and so forth, but God delivereth him out of them all." This is why we continually pray for those who go out and why we remain committed to spreading the truth of the message we believe in.

Listen to Bro. Branham's message here: [53-713A Early Spiritual Experiences](#)