



# Thrive in 2018

## Resources to Invigorate Your Ministry

Canadian Ministries is excited to share news of our upcoming events and initiatives. We believe that God has big plans for The Presbyterian Church in Canada in 2018 and we hope that you will join us through participation and prayer as we move forward together. Below we have highlighted some of the upcoming programs and resources available this year to support, inspire and strengthen your ministries.

### Renewal Programs

In response to feedback from congregations about needing more resources to lead them through the renewal process, we are providing two renewal programs: Re:Vision and New Beginnings. Initially, eight congregations will be coached through these year-long, step-by-step renewal processes that have been successful in other denominations. Based on responses of participating congregations, we hope to adapt and make these renewal programs available across the PCC.

### Evangelism Initiative

Canadian Ministries has launched a new program providing church leaders with training and coaching to develop a culture of evangelism in congregations. Five leaders are participating in the program and we are already seeing exciting results. We look forward to expanding this initiative in 2018.

Included in the current PCPak (Jan. 2018) is an Equipping For Evangelism resource that provides key learnings and practical exercises in the form of a workshop that can be used as a springboard for your own congregation's evangelism initiatives.

### Webinar Wednesdays (new, popular resource!)

We are offering new online learning opportunities in the form of hour-long webinars on the topics of leadership and renewal. To register or to view previous recordings of webinars, visit: <http://presbyterian.ca/webinar-wednesday>

## Resources for Lent & Easter

New for 2018: a Lenten sermon series (featuring sermon scripts available for download) will be offered in early spring.

Additional resources, including liturgical material, meaningful events for children & youth, and ideas for spring outreach initiatives, are available at <http://presbyterian.ca/worship>

Remember to visit the PCC's Facebook page for weekly Take it Up Tuesday posts with fun and easy-to-use ideas for Lent and Easter: <https://www.facebook.com/pccconnect>

## Worship Music Conference (April 28, 2018)

Save the date! In partnership with The Christian Reformed Church, we are hosting a one-day workshop for music leaders (paid and volunteer) called "Worship as Journey: A Day of Learning and Renewal with Steve Bell and Ken Medema" in Toronto, Ont. Full conference details will be available in early 2018.

## Missional Conference (November 8-11, 2018)

Save the date! Canadian Ministries and Stewardship & Planned Giving are in the initial stages of planning a conference for ministry leaders focusing on leadership and stewardship in the context of the missional church. Stay tuned for details coming in spring 2018!

## Contact Us

Where do you see God at work?

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What would you like us to produce?

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