



Canada Mission Project Update



ALL LIVES MATTER

At the end of May, I had the opportunity to attend the Toronto Camp Meeting at the International Center in Toronto, Ontario, Canada. The theme for the Camp Meeting was **“Pentecost 2025 and Beyond: Preach It, Teach It, Live It.”** As we come together in the spirit of unity and purpose, we hold firm to the words of our Lord in Matthew 24:14:

“This good news of the kingdom [the gospel] will be preached throughout the whole world as a testimony to all the nations, and then the end [of the age] will come.”

In Canada, AWA/Wings for Humanity has partnered with Dr. Mansfield Edwards, Director of Indigenous Ministries and Vice President of the Ontario Conference of Seventh-day Adventists for Evangelism and the Ontario Conference to reach Northern Indigenous regions. AWA supplies a Cessna 206 airplane as part of this initiative to deliver non-perishable food, warm clothing, and outreach staff to build continued relationships with the elders and First Nations people of Sioux Lookout, Frenchmen’s Head and Big Trout Lake, to name a few.

The need for outreach in these regions is critical. Life is already challenging for First Nations communities in remote Northern Ontario, and they shouldn’t have to face the uncertainty of not having enough daily food and water supplies.

A few years back, I wrote about one of the flights when we flew in a small group of volunteers to install fire detectors in

many homes in Pikangikum First Nations.

A state of emergency was recently declared in the Ojibway community of Pikangikum due to the ongoing water and wastewater crisis.*

While attending, I promoted AWA/W4H on Friday and Saturday at our booth. On Friday evening, a video highlighting Dr. Mansfield Edwards and leaders’ testimonies was shown to attendees present and streamed to over 800 devices online**.

On Sabbath, I was invited onto the platform along with First Nations representatives to participate in the morning worship, again highlighting Indigenous Ministries. Dr. Edwards shared his outreach goals and the blessing of acquiring 8 new bi-level clean water systems for a water project for schools, community centers, and clinics. While onstage, Pilot Denfield Borlan, committed to flying the AWA Cessna 206, was awarded for delivering supplies. Volunteer Kester Griffiths was awarded for his commitment to driving many truckloads of supplies into Sioux Lookout, Ontario.

I want to introduce a new team member, Fabricio Leite. He has been brought on to partner with the Ontario Conference and lives in Sioux Lookout, Ontario, Canada. His duties will be as a literature evangelist who will reach out to the local areas. It takes many hands to make this project run

successfully. His full-time position locally will help lighten the load for Denfield, assisting in delivering supplies acquired for the Northern Ontario Project.

After many years, this project is coming together, with team members wanting to **Preach it, Teach it, and Live it.**

The King will answer and say to them, “I you and most solemnly say to you, to the extent that you did it for one of these brothers of Mine, even the least of them, you did it for Me.” Mathew 25:40 Amplified version

Over the years, many hands have assisted with flying, donations, and outreach, and each has gone above and beyond in their service. Patricia Bailey is one such person. I enjoyed meeting her at the Camp Meeting and thanking her for donating goods and supplies.

We ask for your support and prayers for Indigenous Ministries’ efforts to help children and families and the AWA Canada Northern Ontario Project as we continue this vital work.

Thank you to all the Canadian donors who have recently called or inquired in person about my spouse, Ray Young. He has stepped down from his position, which we fully respect. He is wished all the best in his pursuit of other opportunities.

Julie Young

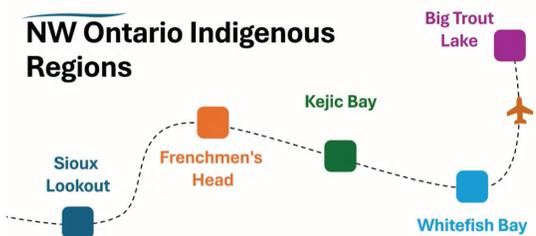
**You can watch the recordings of the Camp Meeting on the Adventist Ontario YouTube Channel. Search for Camp Meeting 2025 - Adult Morning Service, @Adventist Ontario.

Pentecost 2025 (AWA platform appearance was at 1:16:28)

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Volunteer Truck Driver – **Kester Griffiths**



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