

## EMCC - WORLD PARTNER MISSIONARIES

### DONALD & LORRAINE GINGRAS,

#### 2017 ACTION PLAN

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#### **DISCIPLE MAKING**

- To introduce the “Way of Jésus” – “SUIVRE JÉSUS” to our local Church pastoral team.
- To start implementing “SUIVRE JÉSUS” with few people in our local Church.
- To introduce “SUIVRE JÉSUS” to our provincial network – leaders and pastors we did counselling with.
- To follow up with the people God led to cross our road in 2016: our four neighbours Audette, Nathalie, Guylaine & Philippe; Olivier (and Isabelle); etc...
- To intentionally bless people on a daily basis and look forward to invite them to follow Jesus.

#### **DISCIPLE MAKING & SPIRITUAL COACHING & follow up**

- **Lorraine is coaching:** Palmyre V.; Diane; Chantal P.; Christina H.; Stéphanie; Sylvie T.; Doris B.; Diane L.; Lorraine M.; Isabelle (SK); Nicole M.; Withnie D.; Elisa R.; Myriam G.; Suizie B.;
- **Donald is coaching:** From our local Church: Jean-Christophe J. (pastor); Roger R. (elder); David H. (leader); Stéphane T. (elder). Also from other ministries: Ben (leader Hope Canada); Daniel L. (elder St-Hyacinthe); Olivier; Jérôme G.; Nick L.;

#### **EVANGELISTIC OUTREACH**

- For the 6th consecutive year, Donald will speak at Concordia University on “Window of Hope and Reconciliation” Lorraine team up with Donald for the conclusion and for Questions & Answers time.
- Donald & Lorraine give their testimony at Church at Valentine Day. We will be available to give small conferences on marriage with CADFAM, a Christian ministry from our Church reaching out and helping the families in the community.
- We keep warm relationships with Lorraines’ s brothers and sisters and watch for open doors for the Gospel.
- We want to be intentional about blessing people and to invite them to follow Jesus.
- March 25-26<sup>th</sup>, 2017 Provincial Forum of Evangelists: We have been invited to speak on Evangelism. Lorraine will give a workshop on “Evangelizing your relatives and family” and Donald on “How to understand and address the Gospel to Québécois, while Quebec is deeply hurting in his soul.”

#### **COUNSELLING**

**PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY: retreat for pastoral couples and single ministry leaders and pre-marital for young church leaders.** To offer “one week at the time” marriage counselling and marriage enrichment to

pastoral couples and ministry leaders across the province of Quebec. We focus on a personal relationship with Christ and prayer to gain emotional, spiritual and relational maturity.

- Since we started in 2011, we limit ourselves to take one couple / month (average). The format of our spiritual retreat is five days at the time in a suite for couple with teaching and counselling facilities that we put together in the basement of our home.

- At this point of 2017 we have already (5) couples lined up for “one week at the time” counselling. One of those couples is “non believer” – so we praying and looking forward to see God moving.

- At this point of 2017 we have (4) couples lined up for pre-marital counselling and coaching.

**FOLLOW UP COACHING WITH COUPLES after their “week of counselling” with us to affirm and to encourage them in their journey as a couple.**

- In 2017, our follow up includes: Liam & Anissa (Ottawa) ; Jérôme & Elisa (Repentigny), Diego & Magdalena (Montreal) ; Jean & Chantal (Montreal) ; Christina & Sacha (Montreal), Nancy & Malek (Laval) ; Rafael & Laura (Montreal); Brian & Lorraine (Roberval); Josée & David (Montreal); Katy et Joey (Hull); François et Claudia (Terrebonne); Sandy & Rick (Laval); David et Josée, (Montréal); Sam & Agathe D. (Yamaska); Susan and Tim (Calgary, AB);

**TRAINING IN COUNSELLING: For pastoral couples and single ministry leaders.**

- IN 2016, Donald put together a training for local church leaders on : “ How to help your disciples to grow emotionally, spiritually, and relationally.” Training took place at Église Évangélique Baptiste de Trois-Rivières. Day one : “The cycle of the carnal man, led and walking in the flesh.”

Day two: “The cycle of the spiritual man, led and walking in the Spirit.”

- In 2017, we plan to offer the training to those who took a week of counselling with us (about 60 pastoral couples and ministry leaders) and for the leaders of our local Church. We plan one Training for 2017 (Spring or Fall).

**“GPS” Discipling GROUPS for men and women are designed for healing and growing in emotional, spiritual and relational maturity to become missional as a result.**

**Format: small group and one on one meetings.**

- We are done with the writing of GPS teaching; we are adjusting the format to be reproduced easily in the context of local Churches.

- Follow up coaching with pastor Brian and Lorraine, Église Évangélique de Roberval.(2 year of coaching)

- Follow up coaching with Diane Lalancette, Église Évangélique Chauveau, Québec. (2<sup>nd</sup> year of coaching)

Diane is a former long term « disciple » and close friend of Lorraine since we worked in Québec city (1991-97).

- We would like to recruit one or two couples from our local Church to start a GPS group, Fall 2017.

### **Training pastors / leaders to implement and reproduce GPS discipling groups in the local Church:**

- To train and coach pastor Sylvain and Carmen Belval, Église St-Liboire.
- To introduce GPS discipling groups to pasteur Jean-Sébastien, Ste-Anne du Sault, Victoriaville.
- To introduce GPS discipling groups to church planters Samuel and Agathe Demers, Yamaska.
- To introduce GPS discipling groups to pastor Gerald and Hélène Wideman, ministry of counselling, Granby.

### **IMPLEMENTING “VIE RENOUVELÉE MINISTRY” - Celebrating Recovery Ministry**

- We have been asked by our pastoral team to implement and supervise the ministry in our local Church.
- In the process, we started 3 groups (2 women, 1 men) committed from september 2016 to june 2017.
- We are coaching the leaders and co-leaders of those groups.

### **SUPPORT SHORT TERM MISSION TRIPS**

- When possible, we host families from EMCC Network who want to visit Montreal and Quebec and explain to them the spiritual reality of Quebec which is the biggest non-evangelized mission field of all Americas.
- To guide and assist volunteer mission teams from EMCC Churches, whenever it is possible.
- We will guide a Christian Senior Buss Tour from Ontario and speak to the group, September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2017 on the spiritual context of Quebec and about his book, “Window of Hope and Reconciliation.” On Québec.

**SPEAKING ON THE MINISTRY OF RECONCILIATION:** To give conferences on Reconciliation in Quebec and outside in Canada on invitation.

- Fall 2017, Concordia University on Reconciliation (100 students in Psychology).

### **PROMOTING QUEBEC MISSION FIELD AMONG EMCC FAMILY:**

- Through WEB-BLOG with monthly UP-DATES (see archives of our WEB-BLOG).
- Through updates of our News Letters and phone calls with supporters and Churches.

**DEPUTATION:** To take two week visiting EMCC Churches and supporters.

- Fall 2017: EMCC Eastern pastoral Retreat at Stayner (Fall) to renew and affirm relationships with pastors and visited supporters in Eastern Ontario.