

## **East Jamaica Conference** of Seventh-day Adventists

Sabbath School & Personal Ministries Department

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To: Pastors, Elders, Personal Ministries Leaders, Lay Preachers and Bible Counsellors.

## **Re: Evangelism Training**

Greetings!

Training is one of the strategic objectives of the East Jamaica Conference of Seventh-day Adventists. This is so, because we believe that a well-trained membership will be more effective and efficient in fulfilling the Gospel Commission.

For a number of years, the School of Evangelism (SOE) has been one of the main means of training for the Department. This year we have decided to evaluate our methodology to ensure greater effectiveness as we improve our offerings. In the meantime, we encourage our pastors to conduct training locally, as we at the conference plan for the coming year and beyond.

Nevertheless, because of the value we place on training, we have decided to place a strong focus on evangelism during our upcoming camp meeting, **December 13-16, 2023.** 

We are therefore encouraging all Personal Ministries leaders, Lay Preachers, Bible Counsellors and other officers in the Personal Ministries Department to make every effort to attend camp meeting in person or where not possible virtually.

Yours in the Master's service,

Anthony Baugh, Pastor

Sabbath School & Personal Ministries Director.