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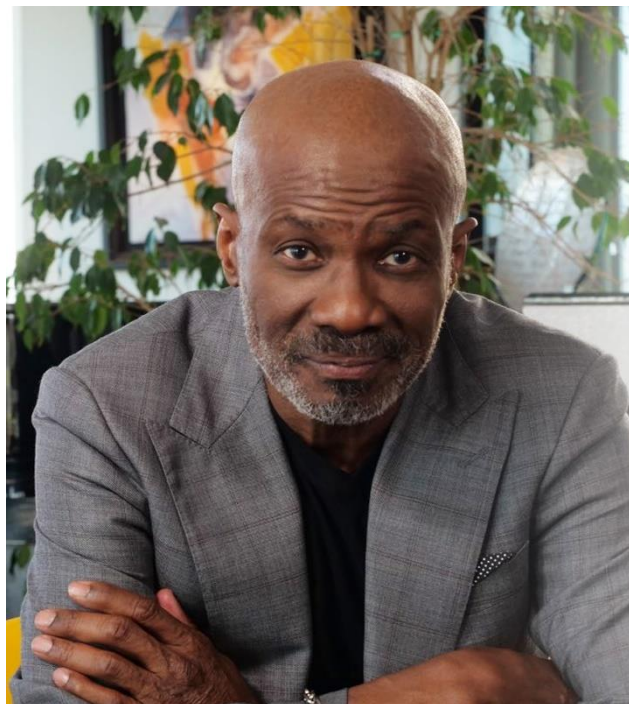


GUEST SPEAKER
**BISHOP
GREGORY NEWMAN**
FRIDAY NIGHT SPEAKER

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Bishop Noel Jones



Praise the Lord and Greetings in the Most Holy Name of the Lord Jesus Christ!

Welcome to the 24th Tri-Annual Northern California District Council of the Pentecostal Assemblies of the World, Inc. We appreciate our Central Valley Region's Leadership Team – Suffragan Bishop Rodney Spencer, District Elder Richard Johnson, District Elder Edmond Jefferies, Pastors and Saints of God, along with our Programming and Site Coordinating Teams, all under the fine leadership of our Interim Chairman, Suffragan Bishop Bryan Harris. We are indeed thankful for the graciousness of our hosts, Pastor Tobaise and Lady Antoinette Brookins and the ministry team of Bethesda Churches in Fresno, California.

The corona virus pandemic has compelled all of us to face some jarring realities; however, one of the benefits of experiencing such a seismic shift in our world is the period of introspection which occurs. While we realize that the landscape of our gathering has drastically changed, we must aggressively prepare to continue meeting people where they are and leading them to who and where Christ wants them to be in this current decade and beyond. The world is ever changing, but Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today and forever (Hebrews 13.8).

It is essential for us to continue our vigilance with safety protocol – being vaccinated and boosted, wearing masks, sanitizing our hands, and maintaining safe distance. It is imperative that we fortify ourselves during this season. If we were vulnerable before the pandemic, we must now fortify ourselves spiritually, physically, emotionally, and financially. Spiritual fortification is the bedrock of our stability and requires us to strengthen ourselves in the Lord and in the power of His might. We must put on the whole armour of God that we may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil (Ephesians 6.10-11). As our souls prosper, we may look forward to prospering in health and wealth. But, if not - and every Child of God needs an "if not" clause as part of our armour - if our health does not improve, if our finances do not increase, if my situation does not turn out the way I have requested of God, I will yet praise HIM because I AM FORTIFIED!!

Fortified for Service,

Bishop Noel Jones

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Diocesan: Northern California District Council

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BISHOP GREGORY W. NEWMAN



Often referred to as “The Preaching Philosopher”, Bishop Newman is a powerful, prolific oratory with biblical insights that are both profound and transforming to the listener.

“It’s Just My Reasonable Service”

Bishop Gregory W. Newman (born 1953) is an American Pentecostal preacher and founder of El Bethel Church, the largest apostolic church in the West Valley of Phoenix, Arizona. Giving his life to Christ at the tender age of 15, it was the summer of 1981 at just 28 years old he started his own church

with humble beginnings. Being the visionary that he is, the church went from a rented school auditorium, a shared facility, to erecting three buildings where the church prospered under his leadership. Over 40 years later at the Grand Opening of his 4th edifice slated to be completed late 2022, El Bethel will become Hope Assembly and Bishop Newman will officially retire from pastoring passing the torch to his eldest son Dr. Gregory W. Newman II. A member of the Pentecostal Assemblies of the World Inc. since 1968, Bishop Newman went from Minister, Elder, District Elder, Suffragan Bishop, to the elevation of Diocesan Bishop in 2002 in Washington, DC of the 15th Episcopal District Mountain States Council, overseeing churches in Arizona, New Mexico, and El Paso, Texas. As the longest serving holder of the office of MSC Diocesan Bishop, some 20 years later Bishop Newman celebrated the elevation to Bishop Emeritus at the PAW National Convention in St. Louis, Missouri August 2022. He has served locally and nationally as: PAW Inc. National Church Beautification Chair PAW Inc. Executive Bishops Council PAW Inc. Judiciary Committee Chairman Mountain States Council Chairman Mountain States Council YPU Advisory Board Mountain States Council Executive Staff Member Arizona State Fellowship of Churches Chairman Phoenix City Fellowship of Churches Chairman and Aeon Bible College Board of Directors Although Bishop Newman will be retiring from the pastorate, his ministry will continue with in-depth studies of the Word of God as he rolls out his new venture "Insights". Insights monthly online round tables will be geared toward upcoming pastors seeking to learn from veteran leaders with intuitive discussions of biblical perspectives. Bishop Newman will also continue to write books as he has already authored four best-sellers: Timeless Promises Yours To Claim, The Rise and Fall of Azusa, Creation, and The Anthology of Communion. Bishop Gregory and Lady Cynthia his wife and founder of Tinnyz Kickz for Kids children's and amputees shoe charity, were united in marriage on June 9, 1973. Their union has been blessed by three incredibly talented children: Nicole Newman, Director of O-Live! Theatre and President of Church Stars TV Network, Dr. Gregory W. Newman II, former CEO of GCNGI, Inc. Millinery based in London, UK and Pastor Elect of Hope Assembly, and Isaac Newman, a nationally recognized Worship Facilities Expert Audio Engineer. Bishop Newman has also been blessed with three amazing grandchildren Ariana Elizabeth, Nicholas Colvi and Noelle Liv.

Northern California District Council Program

Thursday – November 10, 2022

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Pastors' Meeting	Fellowship Hall
2:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Council Election - Voting Open	Room 10
6:00 PM	Auxiliary Leaders' Meeting	Sanctuary
7:00 PM	Council Opening	Sanctuary

Thursday Evening Service

Location – Sanctuary

7:30 PM	Opening & Prayer	Elder Ca Trina Shepherd
	Praise & Worship	NCDC Music Ministry
	Welcome & Offering	Suffragan Bishop Bryan Harris
	Musical Selection	The Blackout Fellowship
	Introduction of Speaker	Suffragan Bishop Billy Wydermyer
	Evening Speaker	Bishop Noel Jones, Diocesan <i>City of Refuge - Gardena, CA</i>
	Altar Call	
	Announcements	
	Dismissal	
	Council Election - Voting Open	Room 10

Northern California District Council Program

Friday – November 11, 2022

9:00 AM – 4:00 PM	Covenant Kids	Nursery
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Council Election - Voting Open	Room 10
9:00 AM	Executive Board Meeting	Conference Room
10:00 AM	Missionary and Christian Women's Auxiliary <i>"Supporting Your Pastor in Ministry"</i> <i>Instructor: Pastor Bernadetta Carter</i> <i>Aphesis Community Church - Fresno, CA</i>	Sanctuary
10:00 AM	Men's Ministry Auxiliary <i>Instructor: Pastor Roy Bacon</i> <i>God's Way Community Church - Clovis, CA</i>	Fellowship Hall
11:15 AM	Council Business Session	Sanctuary
12:00 PM	Lunch Break	
1:00 PM	Bible Hour with Bishop Gregory Newman <i>El Bethel Church, Phoenix, AZ</i>	Sanctuary
2:00 PM	Midday Service <i>Speaker: Minister Timesa Johnson</i> <i>Image Church – Fresno, CA</i>	Sanctuary
2:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Council Election - Voting Open	Room 10
4:00 PM	Dinner Break	
5:00 PM	Altar Workers' Workshop <i>"Crucified, Fortified, and Empowered"</i>	Room 8
6:00 PM	Servant Teams' Meeting	Sanctuary
7:00 PM	Intercessory Prayer <i>Leader: Dr. Sherrod Cotton</i> <i>TLC – The Lord's Church – Sacramento, CA</i>	Sanctuary

Northern California District Conference Program

Friday Evening Service – November 11, 2022

Location: Sanctuary

7:00 PM Covenant Kids – Nursery Room

7:30 PM	Opening & Prayer	Pastor Tobaise Brookins
	Praise & Worship	NCDC Music Ministry
	Welcome	Suffragan Bishop Rodney Spencer
	Offering	Pastor Tobaise Brookins
	Musical Selection	NCDC Music Ministry
	Introduction of Speaker	Bishop Noel Jones, Diocesan
	Guest Speaker.....	Bishop Gregory Newman <i>El Bethel Church, Phoenix, AZ</i>
	Altar Call	
	Announcements	
	Dismissal	
	Council Election - Voting Open	Room 10

Northern California District Conference Program

Saturday – November 12, 2022

9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Council Election - Voting Open	Room 10
9:00 AM	Intercessory Prayer <i>Leader: Pastor Sheila Sapp</i> <i>Living Hope Apostolic Ministries - San Jose, CA</i>	Sanctuary
10:00 AM	Youth Leaders' Session	Fellowship Hall
10:00 AM	The Ministry Class <i>Instructor: Suffragan Bishop K.R. Woods</i> <i>Covenant Church - Berkeley, CA</i>	Sanctuary
11:00 AM	Voting Closed	
11:30 AM	Council Business Session – Election Results	Sanctuary
12:30 PM	Auxiliary Leaders' Recognition & Luncheon	Fellowship Hall

Ways to Give

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- easyTithe “NCDC”
- Text to Give – 510-256-5007
- Zelle – 510-410-2273
- Website – NCDCPAW.ORG