

Greetings %contactInformalName%,

With Labour Day behind us and September routines beginning again, many of us are settling back into the steady pace of school, work, and daily life. It can be easy to see these rhythms as ordinary, but we're reminded that our work - whether in classrooms, offices, homes, or communities - is part of something bigger.

God has gifted each of us uniquely, and when we offer our skills, time, and effort, it becomes more than a to-do list; it becomes Kingdom service. Our prayer is that as you return to your routines this fall, you'll discover meaning and joy in the everyday tasks before you, knowing that all work can be an expression of worship.

Grateful for the work we share,

- CBM's Communications Team

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As over 100 kids gathered in August 2025 for IBAREDO's summer camp in the Dominican Republic, Global Staff Kathryn Scott shared her hopes for how the camp could be a force for change in the lives of so many. We also hear from Youth Board member, Emilio; Milena, who just joined as a camp counsellor; and Benny, the National Coordinator of the Baptist Churches of the Dominican Republic.



Watch the full video here

<u>CBM Appoints Jean-Marie and Hortense Atitso as</u> <u>Global Staff to Togo</u>

Mississauga, Ontario – Canadian Baptist Ministries (CBM) is pleased to announce the appointment of Jean-Marie Atitso and Massanvi (Hortense) Foligan as Global Staff in Togo, serving in partnership with the Convention Baptiste du Togo (CBT), effective January 2026. They will be based in Lomé, Togo, where they will work alongside CBT to strengthen local leadership and ministry capacity.

"We're excited to welcome Jean-Marie and Hortense to CBM's team in Africa," says Andre Sibomana, CBM's Africa Team Leader. "Their deep faith, cross-cultural experience, and commitment to local church leadership make them a strong fit for this role. They will be a great support to our partners in Togo as we work together in God's mission."



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Active in Mission 2025 - You Fed Hope! Active in Mission 2025 has wrapped, and what a summer it's been! From biking and running to

team challenges and creative fundraisers, you championed the cause of food security with energy and heart.

While the official campaign is complete, gifts will continue to come in from churches and participants through September - so we don't yet know the final total. What we do know is that your efforts are already fuelling real change, feeding hope into communities here in Canada and around the world.

There's still time to be part of it! If you haven't had the chance to give yet, your donation can help

us reach our goal.

Stay tuned for a full update soon - but for now, know that we're deeply grateful for every step,

Help Us Reach Our Goal!





pedal, and effort you put into this mission.

The second single from <u>Common Place Worship</u> - REFUGE - has been released! Available now wherever you stream your music, including on <u>Spotify</u> & <u>YouTube</u>!

Over the past year, Vennture has been working with a group of songwriters in Atlantic Canada to create songs for the singing church that reflect how our work - whatever and wherever it is - has Kingdom value. **Take a listen or watch the lyric video here.**

Impact Story: Integral Mission in the Workplace, East Africa "Over the past six months, we've been honoured to walk along

"Over the past six months, we've been honoured to walk alongside partners in advancing integral mission in the workplace place. The training, designed to equip church leaders and ministers to bridge the gap between Sunday and Monday, helps believers understand that all of life - from Monday to Sunday - is God's business."



80% of the world's coffee is produced by 25 million small-



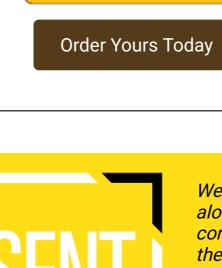
loss (\$1.55 per 450 grams) and live in poverty. Farming coffee has gotten to be so unprofitable for farmers that they are abandoning coffee production for something that will put food on the table.

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scale coffee farmers, most of whom produce coffee at a

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also support majority world entrepreneurs through CBM and Vennture.



We are thankful for the opportunity for SENT teams to serve and learn alongside our partners across the globe. Three teams will be travelling to connect with our partners this month. We welcome you to join us in prayer for these teams and their mutual growth with our partners.

A team of young adults from Immanuel Baptist Church, Toronto will travel to Guatemala to serve with our partner in the area of Kids at Risk. Pray for them as they build relationships with the children and share the love of Christ with the children and the adults who care for them.

Pray for a team from Westview Calgary who will travel to Rwanda to deepen the

partnership between their church and CBM's partner, the AEBR. Pray for them as they encourage pastors, church leaders, and CBM staff.

Pray for a team from **Logos Chinese Baptist** as they travel to **Germany** to serve

alongside CBM staff and partners.



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