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***Joint Letter to:
Presidents, Pastors, Elders, PARL Leaders,
Communication Leaders & Stewardship Leaders***

***A special invitation to Our
Public Affairs & Religious Liberty, Communications
& Stewardship Day – 17 May 2025***

“Facing Our Giants II”

Dear Fellow Believers,

I trust this letter finds you well and rejoicing in the grace of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

It is my pleasure to extend a warm invitation to individuals interested in Public Affairs (PA) of Communications, Religious Liberty (RL) and Stewardship to participate in this collaborative training specially targeted at individuals working in this area of the Church. The day titled “Facing Our Giants II” will explore key issues that our Church is currently facing such as Gender Questioning, the concept of Freedom for All, historical perspective of early Adventism and other issues.

This training provides a unique opportunity for us to deepen our understanding of communicating to our communities the principles of Public Affairs and Religious Liberty, allowing us to be better equipped as ambassadors of Christ in our communities, and our Stewardship segment will offer training in the area of the Stewardship Director.

Sabbath morning will see Dr Sam Neves the Associate GC Communication Director make a powerful presentation. Our midday service speaker will be Dr Kevin Burton from Andrews University. In the afternoon there will be different break-out meetings on Zoom. The Stewardship and Communications training will take place on Zoom whilst the PARL training will be in-person and on Zoom. Please indicate on the Registration form which session you would like to attend in the afternoon to ensure you receive the correct Zoom link

The presenters will be:

- Dr Sam Neves, Associate Communication Director GC
- Dr Kevin Burton, Professor, Andrews University
- Pr Heli Otamo-Csizmadia, Stewardship Director; TED
- Wederly Aguiar, Treasurer, BUC
- Dr Brighton Kavaloh, PARL Director; SEC

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You will not want to miss “**Facing Our Giants II**”. This one day event will offer essential skills and training on how to be effective in the area of PARL, Communications and Stewardship ministries.

Date: 17 May 2025

Venue: Camp Hill SDA Church, Stratford Road,
Sparkbrook, Birmingham, B12 0JP

General Registration: Scan the QR code or complete the attached
Registration form

Link for Communications Sabbath afternoon programme:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85645164346?pwd=RxyhkmbHTWQnakc5yDV9f4pSbkqUZb.1>

Meeting ID: 856 4516 4346
Passcode: 842160

Stewardship Registration:
<https://qrco.de/missioninmotion>

Let us come together as a community of believers, seeking to be more informed and engaged in the issues that matter to our faith. Your presence and active participation will undoubtedly contribute to the success of this training.

Please could you promote this event in your local church.

May God richly bless you.

Yours in His Service



Pastor Eglan Brooks
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