

**ASSEMBLIES OF GOD LESOTHO  
DECADE OF PENTECOST DECLARATION**

10 January 2014, Maseru

Having received the challenge of Spirit-empowered missions during the Lesotho Acts 1:8 Conference held in Maseru, 7-9 January 2014, and having heard the strong prophetic word that Lesotho would be a center of Pentecostal Revival even as the Azusa Street Revival in the USA, we, the Leaders, Pastors, and Delegates of the Assemblies of God Lesotho make the following Decade of Pentecost Declarations and Commitments:

- To guide the Assemblies of God Lesotho into a missions-oriented Holy Spirit Revival, and
- To participate in the mission of God through evangelizing the lost, the multiplying churches, training Pentecostal leaders, and mobilizing ourselves to send Spirit-empowered missionaries to unevangelized and unreached peoples and places.

We further commit ourselves, with God's help, to strive to reach the following goals between January 2014 and December 2020:

- Plant 500 new churches in addition to our present 77 churches
- Add 25,000 new members to our present 11,000 members
- Work to see 80% of the members baptized in the Holy Spirit
- Recruit and train 500 new pastors
- Send and support 1 missionary unit
- Create and support a national Decade of Pentecost committee
- Create a national intercessory prayer committee
- Establish and support national missions office

Also, we agree that the Decade of Pentecost Committee will supervise the implementation of the following activities to insure that our goals are met:

- Organize events for prayer and fasting for mission and Spirit-empowerment.
- Encourage the districts and local churches to carry out evangelism and church planting campaigns under the direction of the DOP Committee.
- Organize conferences on the Holy Spirit and Missions.
- Designate the week preceding Pentecost Sunday each year as "Pentecost Week" and encourage all of our pastors to organize Pentecostal and missions emphases in each of their churches.
- Each Pentecost Sunday (seven weeks after Easter) have each of our pastors preach a message on the baptism in the Holy Spirit and Missions and then pray with their people to be filled and refilled with the Holy Spirit
- Ensure that new converts are being disciplined, filled with the Holy Spirit, and participating in God's mission to evangelize our country and the world.
- Remain open to the Holy Spirit as He directs us into new initiatives during the Decade of Pentecost.
- Implement whatever measures necessary to achieve our Decade of Pentecost goals.

We the Leaders, Pastors, and Members of the Assemblies of God Lesotho solemnly commit ourselves and our churches to these goals. May God in His grace help us.

Signed this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January 2014:

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