

# Decade of Pentecost Report

Reporting on the Move of the Spirit in the Africa Assemblies of God

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## Africa AG Leaders Convene for Historic Assembly



Chairman Mtokambali reviews the completed AAGA five-year strategic plan of advance during the final session of the conference.

**About 60 Assemblies of God church leaders and missionaries gathered from across Africa to discuss strategies for reaching the continent for Christ.**

During the special-called assembly in Accra, Ghana, on February 6-9, newly-elected Chairman, Dr. Barnabas Mtokambali of Tanzania, challenged the delegates to aggressively mobilize their churches to fulfill their Decade of Pentecost commitments during the final three years of the emphasis. National AG churches have committed to plant more than 49,000 new churches and deploy missionaries to many unreached people groups during the decade. Dr. Mtokambali further challenged the delegates to look beyond the present decade to the next by leading them in developing a strategic plan of advance.

This plan addressed seven key areas of strategic concern: (1) fulfilling the Great Commission through vigorous missions and church planting, (2) developing effective missional leaders, (3) mobilizing a continent-wide prayer movement, (4) nurturing a Pentecostal awakening in the churches, (5) fostering greater unity and cooperation between national churches, (6) responding

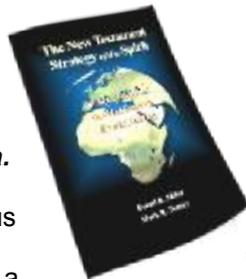
in compassion to Africa's humanitarian crises, and (7) mobilizing financial resources needed to accomplish the work. The delegates developed a 21-page Strategic Objectives document to guide the way forward. Each national church and AAGA-related ministry has been tasked to develop their own strategic responses to the plan. Dr. Mtokambali, Chairman, said, "This is truly a new day for the Africa Assemblies of God."

—Dr. Denny Miller, Director, Acts in Africa Initiative

### Free Strategy Booklet

AIA has also published a new missions booklet entitled, **The New Testament Strategy of the Spirit: An Acts 1:8 Model for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Church Planting in Africa.**

The 44 page book presents the missions strategy employed by Jesus and Paul. Authors, Denzil R. Miller and Mark R. Turney, believe it to be a lasting model of how the church should advance in the power of the Spirit until Jesus returns from heaven. You can download this booklet for free in e-book format (PDF) at the [www.DecadeofPentecost.org](http://www.DecadeofPentecost.org) website



### Free Theme Resources Available

Our 2018 Decade of Pentecost theme is **'In the Spirit's Power, BOLDLY GO!'** Acts in Africa has prepared promotional resources to aid churches in promoting the theme in their countries. These resources include print-ready posters and banner mats in English, French, Portuguese, and Spanish. You can download these resources at this link: [www.DecadeofPentecost.org/2018-theme](http://www.DecadeofPentecost.org/2018-theme). AIA will also produce the same resources in other languages upon request. Make your request by writing [ActsInAfrica@agmd.org](mailto:ActsInAfrica@agmd.org).

Free theme sermon outlines are also available at the above link. In addition, the books, *Proclaiming Pentecost: 100 Sermon Outlines on the Power of the Holy Spirit*, and *Proclaiming Christ to the Nations* are available for free download on the [www.DecadeofPentecost.org](http://www.DecadeofPentecost.org) website.



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