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PROFILE

Peter Wayne Cusick, is a 44 year veteran of the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada. Having been ordained in 1980 Peter has pastored and traveled extensively in missions work (training leaders and teaching in Bible colleges). He has ministered as Camp Director of Silver Birches Camp, taught at Master's Intercultural Bible College, First Nation's Stream, Moscow Theological Satellite School in Novokuznetsk, Siberia Russia, Universidad Teológica Pentecostal Cuba (UTPC), and Master's College and Seminary. Peter has served on the PAOC Theological Commission. He has worked with Teen Challenge ministries (Canada, Russia, Jamaica) and has actively pursued further education. Peter's focus has been to train and release people in their ministry and destiny. Peter is the founder and director of Beside Peaceful Streams www.besidepeacefulstreams.com a ministry dedicated to prayer and Spiritual Direction. Peter, a Certified Spiritual Director, is available for to conduct church or staff prayer retreats and available for one on one spiritual direction, and pulpit supply. Peter is now working with the Western Ontario District of the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada as the Spiritual Director coordinator (<https://wodistrict.org/here-to-serve/spiritual-direction/>) Peter is the prayer coordinator for the Western Ontario District of the PAOC.

EXPERIENCE**ASSISTANT PASTOR, BETHEL PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE , STRATFORD ONTARIO— 1978-1980**

Oversight, visioning, and direction of youth, music and general ministry under Rev. Herb Shoemaker

PASTOR, CALVARY PENTECOSTAL CHURCH, WAWA, ONTARIO — 1980-1985

Directing and ministering to see the building of new church facilities; development of church administration, development and training of staff, writing weekly newspaper column, weekly radio broadcast

PASTOR, SOUTH PORCUPINE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH — 1985-1993

Directing and ministering to see the building of new church facilities, parsonage and church cabin; general pastoral oversight in developing lay ministries, developing programming and budgetary directions.

PASTOR, LIFEHOUSE, 1993 TO 2022

Peter arrived in St Thomas at a critical time. Since that time the church facilities have had extensive repairs, renovations, an addition has been built, and plans for future church development. Extensive work has been given to decentralize the authority and power structure of the church. Extensive ministry has been maintained on an on-going basis to fulfill the vision statement of STPA Together Taking Jesus to Our World. Since renaming LifeHouse (2019)—A renewed vision to be a thriving family, pursuing life together and guiding others to Jesus, is creating great passion and zeal at LifeHouse. LifeHouse is moving ahead with a Five Fold leadership focus.

EDUCATION

Three Year Ministerial Study: Eastern Pentecostal Bible College — 1978

Bachelor of Theology: Eastern Pentecostal Bible College — 1994

Expository Preaching: One and Half Continuing Education Units (CEU) Westminster Theological Seminary, 1994

Diploma Of Pentecostal Studies: Master's Pentecostal Seminary — 2011

Master's of Theological Studies: Tyndale College and Seminary — 2011

Spiritual Formation Disciplines: (5 courses) Tyndale College and Seminary—2014 to 2017

Doctor of Ministry In Spiritual Formation (Candidate) 2020 to

LICENSES / CERTIFICATION

Certificate of Licensed Minister: Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada: 1978

Certificate of Ordination: Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada: 1980

Member: Tyndale Association of Spiritual Directors <https://www.tyndale.ca/seminary/tasd>

Spiritual Director Practicum Sept 2015- May 2016 Tyndale Seminary <http://www.tyndale.ca/seminary/spiritual-formation/csd/tobecomeCSD/practicum>

Global Ed Volunteer <http://stmnetwork.ca> with the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

Certified Spiritual Director. Canadian Council for Professional Certification Global (CCPC) <http://www.ccpcglobal.com>; February, 2018

SKILLS

Highly motivated by purpose, destiny and leaving of a legacy, Peter is creative, funny, energetic and visionary. Writing extensively and developing spiritual direction and prayer materials, leadership development and teaching curriculum has been his focus. Peter has developed a strong preaching and teaching emphasis in his public ministry. Peter enjoys performing music, reading, and his family. His recent training in spiritual direction has afforded his clients a safe, comfortable, and inviting environment for ministry. Peter has recently been conducting seminars for pastor—introducing them to the ministry of Spiritual Direction.

REFERRALS

Dr. Van Johnson, Dean of Master's Seminary, vjohnson@apchurch.com; 1-416-291-9575 ext. 256

Dr David Wells, National Superintendent of the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada, David.Wells@paoc.org 905-542-7400

Rev. Jason Small, Western Ontario District Superintendent, jsmall@wodistrict.org 705-698-2463

Hans Oegema Licensed Spiritual Director (Tyndale Association of Spiritual Directors), hoegema@hotmail.com; 1-519-851-7201

PUBLICATIONS/BOOKS

Contributor to *Authentically Pentecostal* Here's what we see--A Conversation, December 2010 The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada.

Contributor to *His Witnesses* Christian Witness in a Multi-Religious World, January 2013 The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

Contributor to *Nexus, Practices to Reinforce a Pentecostal Spirituality*, January 2015 The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

A History of Spring Bay Pentecostal Camp--December 2010 The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada Archives

Jesus the Soon Coming King,--Enrich Magazine, Winter 2005, The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

Contributor to *Pentecostal Testimony* Something to Think About—Pentecostal Testimony, January 2014, The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

Weekly Columnist in the Weekly [news:--http://www.theweeklynews.ca/elgincounty/](http://www.theweeklynews.ca/elgincounty/) 2006 to December 2017

Contributor to *Pentecostal Testimony* Perspective Lover or Lord? Understanding God's first concern for our lives, February 2017, The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

Contributor to *Pentecostal Testimony* Perspective Anyone Hungry? February 2018, The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

Contributor to *Pentecostal Testimony* Creation: Search me O God: Revisiting an Ancient Discipline, Summer 2020, The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

Contributor to *Pentecostal Testimony* Creation: DOES EVERY CHURCH HAVE A SHELF LIFE? —A blueprint for longevity, Spring 2021, The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

Contributor to *Pentecostal Testimony* Creation: A Display of God's Glory, Fall 2021, The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

Bi-Weekly Comumnist *The Middlesex* BANNER & MAPLE Publishing www.banner.on.ca. January 2019 to January 2020

The BluePrint, Essence Publishing 2020 ISBN 978-1-4600-1165-2

Lord Teach us to Pray: Self published 2021 ISBN 978-1-776130-0-6

Contributor to *Testimony and Enrich*. Search me Oh God. The Examen: Revisiting an Ancient Discipline. Summer 2020, The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada