

Our Vision - CGI Ottawa

We are a congregation of brothers and sisters in Christ who through God's Word and His vision are striving to identify and nourish each other's spiritual gifts and Agape-Love to spread the gospel to our youth, our children and to the public, and to better love and serve the brethren.

Our Plan

Continue

1. **preaching and living the Gospel of Jesus Christ through** Special Outreach Services with invitation cards & ads in local newspapers, street people visits and the CGI Ottawa website
2. **caring for our congregation** by
 - * worshipping God together on the Sabbath and Feast Days
 - * encouraging and building up the whole congregation with sermons, mid-week Bible Studies, intercessory prayers, announcements, music (choir, special music, traditional and contemporary hymns)
 - * welcoming everyone to our congregation with agape-love and warmth
 - * getting to know each other through Fellowship Hour after services, socials, Talent Shares plus sharing hospitality throughout the week
 - * showing thankfulness to each other by words, e-mails, phone calls, cards
 - * keeping informed through the CGI Canada and Ottawa websites and other resources.

Start

As God's Spirit enables more volunteers, proceed with the following plans by

- * continuing ads in local newspaper Church Directories as affordable 2016-17
- * working **towards** having CGI booklets translated into French and preparing to offer simultaneous interpretation of services into French before advertising in French local newspapers 2017-18
- * offering special Sabbath Services to which those who wish could invite family, friends and acquaintances 2017-18
- * creating a CGI Ottawa Facebook Page with support of volunteers 2017-18
- * starting youth & children's ministries on a phase-in basis Fall 2016