



# GKPN NEWS

## UPDATES ON LIMA 2017

Dear friends of the GKPN,

We are so honored that Lima, Peru has been chosen to be the place of the gathering in March 7-10, 2017. We are excited to be hosting you and are prayerfully preparing the details both large and small to help you all feel at home and have an enjoyable experience here with us. Peru has many amazing things to offer guests from world-class cuisine to one of the wonders of the world, Machu Picchu and we will be happy to show it to you all. Peru's strategic geographic location makes it good for commerce, tourism and also ministry.

In Miami and Lisbon, some of you have brought your children (20 or older). Please feel free to do it again. This can be a wonderful opportunity to introduce them to your colleagues of the GKPN.

The event will take place in the heart of San Isidro neighborhood, in a 5-star hotel that's sure to leave you breathless. You'll also be able to enjoy delicious dining, incredible shopping and the most vibrant and eclectic art district just blocks away from the hotel.

Registrations can be made at [gkpn.org](http://gkpn.org); username: pastor; password: g1k2p3n4. Any question, send an email to [ameliadantas.csgc@gmail.com](mailto:ameliadantas.csgc@gmail.com).

Love,

Sergio and Carla Homung  
Host Pastors

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Global Kingdom Annual Meeting - Lima, Peru – [gkpn.org](http://gkpn.org) – March 7-10, 2017



## ANNUAL MEETING IN LIMA, PERU – TRAVEL TIPS

We are experiencing a record number of early registrations to the meeting in Peru. This good news seems to indicate a great interest in our annual meeting. Peru is a wonderful country, with plenty for all of us to visit and enjoy. We recommend you consider a few days before or after the meeting as a vacation time, to go around the country, or even stay in Lima, and get to know that beautiful nation a little better.

As you get ready to come, here are some good tips on flights:

a. Lima receives direct flights from the following places:

**Europe:** London (about to begin with British Airways), Amsterdam, Madrid, Paris and Frankfurt (Air Europe).

**North America:** Mexico City, Toronto, New York, Washington, Miami, Dallas, Houston, Newark, Atlanta and Los Angeles.

**Central and South America:** Virtually all major capitals and cities. Brazil has direct flights from Rio, Brasilia and Sao Paulo.

b. Other Continents and Connecting Flights:

**Asia:** There are several good options for those coming from Asia: 1. Connecting in Europe, in one of the airports listed above; 2. connect in one of the US airports with direct flights to Lima – Los Angeles is a very good option, with 5 flights to Lima per day; fly via Dubai or Abu Dhabi to Sao Paulo, Rio, Panama City or Bogota, and connect to Lima;

**Oceania:** Use one of the US or Europe cities with direct flights, or fly via Qantas from Sydney to Santiago, Chile, connecting to Lima. (this is, by far, the shortest route).

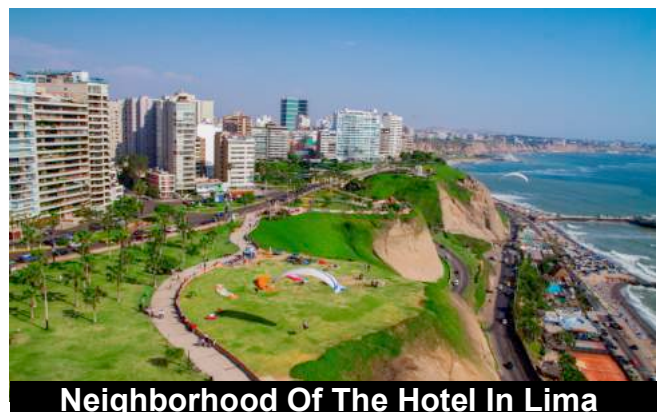
**Africa:** There are several direct flights to Brazil, with easy connections to Lima (only a four hours flight from Rio or Sao Paulo to Lima). Addis, Luanda and Johannesburg,. You can also use any connection in Europe or North America to reach Lima. Coming through Brazil is the most saving time option. Johannesburg or Addis flights are only seven hours to Rio or Sao Paulo. From Brazil to Lima is an additional four hours flight.

## TABLE OF SENIOR PASTORS

**Brazilian Regional Chapter:** The Brazilian Chapter met in Salvador, Bahia, on August 22-24. Pastor Milton, from First Baptist Church in that city was our host. 120 participants attended the gathering. Pastor Charles Price, from Toronto, and himself a member of the Senior Pastors Global Table, attended the meeting with his wife Hillary, and brought two beautiful and blessed devotionals.



Brazilian Chapter – Senior Pastors



Neighborhood Of The Hotel In Lima



## REFUGEE INITIATIVE

GKPN continues with its effort to help churches in the Mid-East and Europe to reach out to refugees and internally displaced people. We thank you all for your engagement in this crucial initiative.

After our GKPN Gathering in Lisbon, where we heard about the tremendous need of the Syrian refugees in Europe, an idea was formulated to send Arabic speaking Christians to work with the churches in Europe reaching these people.

The first groups have already gone and are experiencing great success, including conversions and baptisms. Pastor Peter Wenz told us that the 5 volunteers he received have achieved remarkable results in less than a month of work.

We now have many churches asking for Arabic speaking volunteers, but have been encountering some visa problems, particularly for those volunteering from Egypt. It would be easier for volunteers from countries where there are no, or minimal, visa requirements for Europe to send workers.

Part of the agreement with the local church is that they provide accommodation for the volunteers but airfares and food are down to the sponsoring group.

This project is showing great fruit and is an opportunity that exists NOW, but may not exist once all of the refugees have been settled.

If you have Arabic speaking members of your church who can give 3 – 6 months working through the churches amongst the refugees in Europe, please contact Ashraf Bacheet ([ashrafbacheet@cvglobal.co](mailto:ashrafbacheet@cvglobal.co)) who will act as a Coordinator for this mission.

## MARKETPLACE NEWS

### Conesul Chapter

On August 11-12, the Conesul Chapter of the Marketplace met for its second meeting at the First Baptist Church, Curitiba. Pastor Paschoal Piragine was our host for the meeting. The meeting was well attended. The chapter will meet again on August 2017, in Belo Horizonte, Brazil.

### Marketplace Congress

The Conesul Chapter tried a pilot initiative with great success. They decided to have a Marketplace Congress right after the chapter meeting. The goal was to bless people and churches from all over Brazil. Lord Bob Edmiston and his wife, Tracie, accepted the invitation to come as special speakers for the chapter meeting and for the congress. The congress happened on August 12-13, in the facilities of First Baptist Church of Curitiba. 1,200 people registered to attend. Several of the Brazilian members of the global table of the Marketplace also spoke in some of the workshops. Praise God.

### Southeast Asia Chapter Meeting

The Southeast chapter is meeting as GKPN Pastors Table & Marketplace at Le Meridien Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, 22-25 November 2016.

Pastor Daniel Ho will provide the pastoral leadership for the meeting. Glen Yu and his wife, Francis Wong and his wife, Oi Hian Lee and his wife are the team in charge of the meeting. The group would love to receive any member of the network who would like to come and attend the meeting as fraternal visitor. In special, the chapter is inviting the brothers and sisters from the Asia Chapter (India, Sri Lanka) to join them on this meeting. The Asia chapter is not meeting this year, and perhaps its members could join the southeast Asia chapter meeting.

Registrations for the meeting can be done at [bit.ly/GKPN2016](http://bit.ly/GKPN2016) or <https://www.formpl.us/form/5078367338496000/>



# GLOBAL YOUTH MOVEMENT

The excitement is growing with this important initiative of the GKPN. Here are some of the good news coming out of the movement:

## Regional Chapters

So far, this year has seen wonderful chapter meetings for the Global Youth Movement. Here are some of the details:

**Mid-East Chapter.** The group met at Beit el Wadi, Egypt, on March 1-3, with participants from Syria, Algeria, Emirates, Jordan, Lebanon, Iraq, Yemen and Egypt. The meeting was very inspiring and fruitful. Pastor Sameh Maurice was the host pastor.

**European Chapter:** The group met at Word of Life Church, in Upsala, Sweden, on April 26-28. There were leaders from Sweden, Germany, France, Scotland, Portugal, Ukraine, Switzerland and Finland in attendance. The group decided to create another Chapter and call it East Europe Chapter. Pastor Joakim Ludviquist was the host pastor. There will be a planning meeting for the East Europe Chapter on November 10, in Kiev, Ukraine.

**East Africa Chapter:** The group met in Kampala, Uganda, with participants from Uganda, Burundi, Rwanda, Kenya, South Sudan. The chapter will meet again in 2017, in Kigali, Rwanda. Pastor Gary Skinner was the host pastor.

**Latino Chapter:** The group met in San Jose, Costa Rica, with participants from Dominican Republic, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Mexico, USA, Argentina, Peru, Colombia and Ecuador. The meeting was a great blessing. Pastor Hugo Solis and Pastor Cash Luna were the host pastors. The group decided to start regional chapters in all the countries represented at the meeting. These new chapters will involve at least 910 youth pastors.

**Brazilian Chapter:** The Brazilian Chapter is meeting this coming November 14-16, in Ribeirão Preto, SP. There will be 150 attendees from 20 states in the country, each leading at least 500 youths.

## Regional Congresses

**Mid-East Youth Leaders Congress:** This second congress for the youth leaders happened on March 4-5, in Beit el Wadi, Egypt. Pastor Sameh, as he normally does, served as the host pastor. Aziz and Nader were the local host youth pastors. 750 leaders came from eight Mid-East nations. Great blessing, indeed.

**Brazilian Congress:** Up to 3,500 youth leaders met in Curitiba. The meeting happened at the facilities of First Baptist Church. Pastor Pascoal Piragine was our host pastor. Michael and Lucas, local youth pastors, served as youth hosts. The group decided to have two congresses in July 2017. One will be for the North-Northeast part of







## PRAYER REQUESTS AND THANKSGIVING

### Let us pray for the following requests:

- a. Bethany Church – Larry and Jonathan Stockstill are leading the effort of helping many thousands of people in Louisiana affected by the terrible flood that has afflicted the state since mid-August. Their own church had six feet of water inside the main sanctuary. If you are interested in helping them and the people in their area, please contact Larry at [pl@bethany.com](mailto:pl@bethany.com).
  - b. Pray for the existing major opportunities for the outreach of new refugees in Europe. There are several ways you can join the initiative. See information above.
  - c. Pray for the work with refugees in Syria, Iraq, Lebanon, Jordan and Egypt.
  - d. Pray for India and Russia, countries that passed recent laws against evangelization done by Evangelicals.
  - d. Pray for the health of Cleusa, wife of our dear brother, Pastor Paschoal Piragine.
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### Let us give thanks to God for the following reasons:

- a. For the great response from the GKPN members for the meeting in Lima, Peru, in March 7-10 2017.
- b. For the conclusion of Pastor Carlito Paes' new church sanctuary, with 6,500 seats and two services already in place.
- c. For the incredible work of Pastor Jhon Milton in Cali, Colombia. His new sanctuary, for 7,800 people and the construction of the church full university are developing very well. They scheduled the inauguration of the new sites for November 2017.
- d. For the addition of a new building at the Gospel Forum, Stuttgart, Germany.
- e. For the release of the first full movie produced by Citylife Church, in Auckland, New Zealand, a church led by our colleague, pastor Peter Mortlock.
- f. For the great success of the movie God is Not Dead 2, produced and financed by our colleague of the Marketplace, Troy Duhon.
- g. For the incredible growth in the number of new churches planted by the C3 network, led by our colleague, pastor Phil Pringle.
- h. For the most deserved honor received by our colleague, Dr. Daniel Ho, in his home country. He was awarded the title "Datuk" (equivalent to the British "Sir") by the state government of Penang last Monday. Doris, his wife, got the title "Datin". Congratulations to Dan and Doris.



New Campus of Pastor Carlito's Church in Brazil