

The Missionary Monthly

A monthly update on
U.S. Missions happenings,
important dates, and a
message from the
Executive Director

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News You Can Use

Have you ever wondered just exactly what the correct way is to abbreviate U.S. Missions? Is it AGUSM, A/G U.S.M., USM . . . you get the idea! Below we have shared some guidelines to follow to make sure you are staying consistent with the U.S. Missions Style Guide.

U.S. Missions can be contracted as:

- Assemblies of God U.S. Missions
- U.S. Missions
- AGUSM

Assemblies of God is abbreviated as AG. A slash mark between AG is not needed.

Remember, it is a U.S. Missions policy that either the words “U.S. Missions” or the AGUSM logo appear on all newsletters and printed promotional pieces. A downloadable version of the AGUSM logo can be found on our Web site, usmissions.ag.org, under the Downloads tab.

MAY Save the Date

- [2-4] Zollie Smith *speaking at the New Jersey District Council*
- [5] *National Day of Prayer*
- [8] *Mother’s Day*
- [15] Zollie Smith *speaking at New Covenant AG, Gary, IN*
- [30] *Memorial Day, AG National Office Closed*



AGUSM Donor Guide

We recently redesigned the AGUSM Donor Guide! This booklet explains all of the options for supporting AGUSM missionaries and ministries, and gives information on how our system works. A faith promise and credit card form are also included. To order your FREE copy call 800-641-4310, or order online at GospelPublishing.com. Item # 722-005



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A MESSAGE FROM

As a result of the spring season, we have experienced several rain showers over the past month. Some people find the showers dreary and depressing, but I find the showers exciting and motivating! The spring rain showers serve as yet another reminder to me of the greatness of our God. Without the April showers, we would not have the May flowers that are soon to pop up everywhere, showing off a beautiful array of colors, ready to liven up roadsides and parks, and even our own backyards.

It is exciting to see God's creative presence through His plants. It's just awesome!

And that's what U.S. Missions is doing—getting ready to liven up because we are indeed a portrait of the beauty of Jesus Christ. We are His rainbow presence here on earth, so let us allow love, joy, and peace to permeate everything about U. S. Missions. Let us shine a beautiful array of that floral presence to the glory of God as we love one another and work together in unity to fulfill the Great Commission so everyone will know *we are there, that none perish!*

On June 27 & 28, 2011, U.S. Missions will be sponsoring the **GO! 2011** conference for missionaries who have reached appointment status in the last year and a half.

Missionaries attending **GO! 2011** will take part in training classes, department meetings, and be honored at a commissioning service. Several district superintendents and missions directors will also be present for the conference and commissioning service.

The conference will be held at the Ramada Oasis, Springfield, MO. Please be in prayer for our AGUSM staff members as they plan the conference and for the missionaries who will attend.



AGTV May Features

[2] Youth Alive

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Campus Ministries

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