

**International Pentecostal–Anglican Commission  
Inaugural Meeting  
15-20 June 2022**



The first meeting of the International Pentecostal–Anglican Commission (IPAC) took place at Bethel Church, Rapid City, South Dakota, USA between 15 and 20 June 2022. The Commission was set up as a result of decisions by the Anglican Consultative Council (Resolution 16:22, 2016) and the Pentecostal World Fellowship to explore ecumenical dialogue together.

During the meeting Commission members explored the rich complexity of their different theological, historical, liturgical and missiological traditions and, in particular, the models of unity that each tradition sought. The Commission also heard stories and examples of the relationship between Anglicans and Pentecostals in different parts of the world and noted their great variety.

At the conclusion of this initial meeting of the Commission, members resolved further to explore the theme of *A Transforming Holiness* and topics including the basis of our shared faith, worship, discipleship and formation, mission and service. Working groups were set up to prepare for the next meeting, to take place between 10 and 16 June 2023.

The meeting took place in South Dakota, USA, at the invitation of the Pentecostal World Fellowship . The Commission wishes to extend its thanks to Bethel Church in Rapid City, to the District Superintendent of South Dakota Assemblies of God, the Reverend Stephen Schaible, to Trinity Bible College, Ellendale, and to Mr Sonny Schriener and Mrs Mary Schriener for their generous hospitality.

## **Members of IPAC**

### ***Anglican***

The Rt Revd Dr Royce Victor (Church of South India) Co-Chair

The Revd Canon Professor James Amanze (Church of the Province of Central Africa)\*

The Revd Natalie Blake (Church in the Province of the West Indies)

The Revd Dr Preston Parsons (Anglican Church of Canada)

The Revd Dr Will Adam (Anglican Communion Office) Co-Secretary.

### ***Pentecostal***

The Revd Dr David Wells (Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada) Co-Chair

The Revd Dr Glenn Balfour (Assemblies of God, UK)

The Revd Dr David Han (Church of God-Cleveland, USA)

The Revd Professor Jacqueline Grey (Australian Christian Churches)

The Revd Dr Paul Alexander (Assemblies of God, USA) Co-Secretary.

The meeting was supported by the Revd Neil Vigers, Programme Executive for Unity, Faith and Order, Anglican Communion Office and Mrs Christy Ann Medley and Mr Tyler Medley, Trinity Graduate School, Ellendale ND.

\*Professor Amanze was unable to be present at the meeting.