

CONSEJO LATINO
LATINO MINISTRY - CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH



WHAT IS OUR MISSION?

- The Consejo Latino seeks the wellbeing, respect, honor, and dignity of the Latino community inside and outside the churches in United States and Canada
- The Consejo Latino seeks to promote a healthy development of Latino leaders and Latino congregations
- The Consejo Latino seeks to promote the reformed faith among the different and diverse Latino communities (urban and rural) in United States and in Canada in collaboration with the agencies and other ministries of the CRCNA



WHAT IS OUR MISSION? (cont.)

- The Consejo Latino seeks to support the Latino congregations of the CRCNA to make an impact in the communities where is inserted
- The Consejo Latino as an intergenerational and mutliethnic, seeks to keep the unity of the family and the community, respecting its unique characteristics
- The Consejo Latino works collaboratively with agencies, institutions and ministries of the CRCNA that are involved with the Latino congregations and their communities



WHAT IS OUR VISION?

- To define and implement from the grassroots healthy congregations in United States and in Canada
- To assist the established churches in raising new Latino church-plants in US and in Canada
- To implement an Annual Conference for the Latino Churches
- To create bilingual materials for healthy leaders, healthy churches, spiritual formation, church planting, discipleship, etc.



WHAT IS OUR VISION?

- To create a network of liturgical resources and have a updated bilingual Church Order
- To create and established a bilingual communication network (webpage, Facebook, newsletters)
- To create and establish a network support for the work of intervention in pastoral crisis (deportation, violence and abuse, divorce, etc.)
- To create opportunities to bridge and bring unity in the gap between generations
- To assist churches in developing and implementing strategies of holistic ministries in their communities (ABCD, Communities First, address hunger, jobs, abuse, immigration, education, advocacy, violence, etc.)



WHAT ARE THE PRESENT REALITIES?

- The numbers of Latino people in United States continuously grows. The CRCNA along with the Consejo Latino can provide a place and a biblical response to the lives, needs, and challenges of the Latino community in its own context
- Latino Pastors, leaders, and congregations will benefit from an increase sense, knowledge, and affirmation that they belong to a larger community, to the family of the CRCNA
- Pastors, leaders, and congregations will also benefit from learning and working collaborative with classis, denominational agencies, and ministries as one body to advance the gospel of the kingdom among the Latino communities



SIX CRUCIAL ELEMENTS

1. Promoting a healthy Latino leadership
2. Ministry Insight Assessment of Latino leading from their strengths
3. Face to face personal meetings
4. CRC Latino Ministry Annual Conference
5. Regional support and visits
6. Communication



OUR PARTNERSHIPS

- Christian Reformed Home Missions
- Synergy Team for the Americas and the Caribbean (STAC)
- Office of Race Relations
- Black and Urban Ministry
- SEAPI (South East Asian and Pacific Island)



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