

HE SAYS  
**BE  
STILL**  
AND KNOW THAT

**I AM • I WILL BE EXALTED  
GOD / AMONG THE NATIONS  
I WILL BE EXALTED IN THE EARTH**

**THE  
LORD**  
ALMIGHTY  
IS WITH US

**THE  
GOD**  
OF JACOB  
IS OUR  
FORTRESS  
PSALM  
46:10-11

**ARDEN  
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MISSIONS  
CONFERENCE  
2017**

January 18-22

Arden Presbyterian Church (PCA)

2215 Hendersonville Road

Arden, NC 28704

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## 2017 Missions Conference

Keynote Speaker:

Rev. Dr. Lloyd Kim

Guest Speakers:

Rev. Esaïe Etienne

Rev. Keith and Ruth Powlison

Rev. Bill and Suzanne Scott

### Wednesday, January 18

5:00 – 6:15 PM     Dinner, Multipurpose Room

6:15 – 7:30 PM     Joint Youth & Adult program;  
Children's Catechism Class

### Thursday, January 19

12:30 PM             S.U.P.E.R. Saints Luncheon

Featuring Keith & Ruth Powlison

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## Friday, January 20

- 5:30–6:30 PM Missions Dinner (need RSVPs)
- 6:15–8:00 PM Nursery for children up to age 4
- 6:30–8:00 PM Introduction of Missionaries  
Message: Dr. Kim  
Grades PreK - 5 Missions Program,  
Fellowship Room, led by Kathy Meeks

## Saturday, January 21

- 9:30–11:00 AM Church-Wide Breakfast (need RSVPs)  
Panel Discussion with Q & A  
Nursery provided during the panel

## Sunday, January 22

- 9:15 - 10:15 AM Joint Sunday School, Chapel
- 10:45- 12:00 PM Morning Worship Service,  
Dr. Kim preaching  
Flag Processional  
Faith Promise cards received

**Rev. Dr. Lloyd Kim**

Lloyd Kim was elected coordinator of Mission to the World (MTW) by the 2015 General Assembly.

A native of California, he graduated from UC Berkeley with a degree in engineering and worked as a consultant with Ernst & Young before getting his M.Div. at Westminster Seminary in California and his doctorate in New Testament Studies at Fuller Theological Seminary.



He was associate pastor with New Life Mission Church (PCA) in Fullerton, Calif., before joining MTW.

Lloyd and his wife Eda served as missionaries with MTW beginning in 2004 in the Philippines and then in Cambodia, where they initiated a new church-planting work which has grown to a team of 20 with five sites and four church plants. Eda worked part-time as a physician at a Christian clinic in Phnom Penh, which treated patients connected to their church-planting work. She also mentored medical students and home schooled their children.

Lloyd served as MTW’s international director of the Asia-Pacific region before his nomination as MTW coordinator in July of 2014. The Kims have three children: Kaelyn, Christian, and Katy. They reside in Lilburn, Georgia.

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## Keith and Ruth Powlison

The Powlisons have been in Peru and Ecuador going on 30 years. They have participated in seven church plants in Ecuador and seven in Peru. Leadership training for local church members has always been the focus. They serve with a team of several families in a combination of leadership



training, church planting, clinic ministry, and the Josephine House orphanage.

Ruth founded the Josephine House, a home for abandoned and abused children, in 2008. To date over 50 children have been rescued and cared for until they can be placed in adoption or safely returned to their family of origin.

The Powlisons realized they couldn't adopt every child in danger, but they could create a safe place for many through the Josephine House. They did, however, adopt Ellie and Emma, both Quechua. Seeing the family situations that the girls came out of made it even more clear to Keith and Ruth that there was a vital need in Cusco for a ministry to children at risk.



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## **Bill and Suzanne Scott**

Bill and Suzanne Scott met in Philadelphia while both were involved in campus ministries. (Bill at Univ. of Pa with Campus Crusade for Christ and Suzanne at Moore College of Art on staff at Tenth Presbyterian Church).



Bill received his Master of Divinity and Masters of Theology New Testament from Westminster Theological Seminary in Philadelphia. Bill was ordained in the PCA in 1986. They served with Mission to the World co-opted to World Harvest Mission in a renewal and teaching ministry in Nairobi, Kenya and in Berlin, Germany 1990-2004.

Since 2005 they have been with MTW working in an out-reach among Muslims in a major US city. Their focus is refugees, mostly from the Middle East.

They have 5 grown children and 4 grandsons.

## **Esaïe Etienne, MTW, Haiti**

Esaïe Etienne is a native of Haiti who grew up in a Christian family, but Esaïe received Christ as his personal Savior at the age of nine. Esaïe left his native land, Haiti, in 1991 with his mother and 4 sisters to join his father who had been living here for about 10 years before that.

**Esaïe Etienne, MTW, Haiti , cont.**

Esaïe is an ordained minister in the Presbyterian Church in America and a member of Southwest Florida Presbytery. He is a graduate of Reformed Theological Seminary (Orlando) with a Master of Divinity degree and has been involved in church planting in South Florida, Central Florida and Haiti for the past 20 years.



Esaïe and his wife Natacha have three sons, Ishtyler, Isaiah and Ishmaiah. They are commissioned as missionaries to Haiti by Mission to the World since 2006. Following several disasters, Esaïe and Natacha returned to South Florida to live. Esaïe travels back and forth to Haiti monthly for the ministry. Their ministry includes church planting, theological education, school for kids, medical clinics, and a children's home in the planning.

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Our weekly schedule includes Bible studies, prayer groups,  
activities, choir rehearsals, youth group, Sunday School  
classes and worship services, and more.

**Sunday:**

Classes for children & adults begin at 9:15 am

Worship service at 10:45am

**Tuesday** Morning ladies Bible Study meets at 9:30 am

**Mid-Week** at Arden

5:00pm dinner, followed by Youth group and classes for  
children and adults. From January– Easter; September-  
Thanksgiving.

**Thursday**

Gathering of Men for prayer and study meets at 6:30am

**Friday:**

Men's study of the Westminster Confession meets at Chick-  
fil-A on Hendersonville Road at 6:30am

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