



North American Primates Council Statement 2-5 March 2015



The Charismatic Episcopal Church of North American Primates Council met from 2-5 March 2015 at the Cathedral of Saint Dismis. Attendees were:

Abp Craig Bates
Bp Doug Kessler

Abp Charles Jones
Bp Gregory Ortiz

Bp Michael Davidson
Bp David Simpson

Bp David Epps
Fr James House

The 2015 State of the Charismatic Episcopal Church of North American and each Diocese was presented, and along with the financial budgets.

Dioceses: The Gulf Coast and the Carolinas have been combined into the Diocese of Gulf Coast and the Carolinas.

GOC: A Discussion of Gathering of Champions, a youth meeting of year past was discussed. The Bishop agreed to begin looking at persons who can lead and coordinate the meeting.

Clergy Gathering: Discussion about have clergy convocation in July 2016 in Orlando. The idea was approved and research on location and costs have begun.

National Canons: Bishop Ortiz raised the issues that should be included in the national canons, those issues will be research and submitted at the Oct 2015 Primates Council.

Armed Forces: Bishop Epps presented a report on the Department of the Armed Forces, US Military Chaplains.

Ecumenical Relations: Bishop Simpson reported on his work ecumenical relations, and will work with the Patriarch to craft a letter to the CEEC in this regard for the House of Bishops.

RCL: The Patriarch announced that the RCL was accepted at the official lectionary of the ICCEC.