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Dear Pastor

Greetings, in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ. As our friends and colleagues, we know that you would want us to alert you about anything that we thought might be important to us as Pastors, and to whole the Body of Christ here in Long Island. And so, we want to share something with you that is very significant for this Island, and in this time of God's plan for our region.

We have been attending some very special meetings over the last few months, and we would like to invite you to join us and other Pastors. Some very excited Pastors and leaders have been meeting, and we have watched the Lord draw us together in a way that we have not seen in the past. I pray that you would be a participant in this great move of God, along with us.

Under the leading of the Holy Spirit, many of us have gathered to hear "what the Spirit is saying to the Church" in this hour. The word is Unity through Him, and He is calling us collectively to come humbly unto Him for a time of prayer, worship, repentance and reconciliation. This will be a demonstration of our Unity under the headship of Jesus, as His gatekeepers in this region. Would you join us as we press into the Lord in obedience, recognizing that none of us individually can alter the spiritual climate of this region? Only He can! And, He will not do that until we demonstrate our unity and mutual love of Him and each other.

On August 4<sup>th</sup>, there will be a Long Island Regional Worship Celebration in the center of our Region which includes Brooklyn, Queens, Nassau, and Suffolk. That day we will be gathering ourselves, our churches, and the community of believers to worship Him ... and lift up our prayers. There is no other agenda, but to minister unto our Lord. This is not a concert, nor conference, nor a time to build our individual churches. It is a time set aside unto Him alone. We are excited about what the Lord is doing... I pray you will catch this vision with us and the other Pastors who are already participating.

Our next meeting will be held on June 28th, from 10 am to about 12:30pm. These are important days... and we don't want to miss the hour of God's visitation for the Long Island region. Please put that on your calendar... and let's go together. As Jonathan said to his armorbearers, "Let's go and see what God will do." We are excited and expecting a great move of God, as we submit ourselves to Him and each other.

The location for the June 28<sup>th</sup> meeting will be held at: Word of Life Church, 80 West Merrick Road, Freeport, NY. We need your participation to make this a dynamic season for all of our churches. Please let us know how you will be involved: how many people from your church will attend (we need approximate counts for seating and size of the tent) and if you will help us cover the cost with a donation of \$250/\$500/\$750 or more. You can make your donation online at [www.lirpl.org](http://www.lirpl.org) or mail your donation to Long Island Regional Pastors and Leaders att: Joe Calabrese at 185 Merritts Road Farmingdale NY 11735. Please make your check out to Long Island Regional Pastors and Leaders. We will contact you within the next week to get your response to our invitation.

We are looking forward to a new day on Long Island.

Co-laboring in Christ,

Bishop Gaspar Anastasi

Pastor Dennis Bambino.

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