

# FLC UPDATES

## September to December 2021

### A FRUITFUL 41<sup>ST</sup> ICFLC ANNUAL MEETING (AM)

The FLC Movement thrives amidst the pandemic. It's because we never cease praying and working for justice, peace, reconciliation, and especially healing for our world!

The **Annual Meeting, ICFLC's 41<sup>st</sup>**, was held on October 16 to 22 this year, via Zoom. Highlights of the meeting include the approval of 22 FLC Project Grants and one Scholarship Award for Young Women, and a decision to seriously re-imagine the FLC movement that is responsive to the challenges of the pandemic and of the 'next normal'.

The Annual Meeting helped strengthen the fellowship, sisterhood and teamwork among the ICFLC member organizations. Thank you for praying with us for its success.

### TWENTY-TWO PROJECT GRANTS APPROVED FOR 2022

Despite low turnout in the 2020 FLC Offerings the ICFLC committed to support project grants for 2022, as the following: **Africa, 5**; Asia, 4; **Europe, 3**; WCC (World Council of Churches)-endorsed, 1 (in Africa); **WICC (Women's Inter-Church Council in Canada)-endorsed, 1 (Canada)**; WDPIC (World Day of Prayer International Committee)-endorsed, 1 (Slovenia); **Pacific, 3**; Middle East, 4.

### TOUCH OUR LIVES, HEAL OUR WORLD!

- ◇ The Circle of Prayer volume 26 will be out in 2022.
- ◇ Contributions are still welcome, especially from South America and the Pacific.
- ◇ Email [icflcph@gmail.com](mailto:icflcph@gmail.com) for the guidelines.
- ◇ Deadline for contributions is extended to **31 January 2022.**

### SCHOLARSHIP AWARD FOR YOUNG WOMEN RECIPIENT

The 2021 SAYW recipient is **Cynthia**



**Manuela Bautista Pijal**, 22, of the Lutheran Church from Ecuador. She is enrolled as a BA in Pedagogy of National and Foreign Languages student at the Central University of Ecuador and hopes to finish by 2024.

Let us commit our prayers for a generous FLC Offerings to support the 2022 FLC grants. Also, let us accompany Cynthia with our prayers for her successful studies.

### CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:

- ◇ **Tornado-hit states in the USA.** See, <https://nypost.com/2021/12/13/kentucky-tornado-aftermath-dozens-dead-over-100-still-missing/>
- ◇ **The People Nagaland, India.** See, <https://www.hrw.org/news/2021/12/08/india-army-kills-14-civilians-nagaland>
- ◇ **Healing and Grace, as we continue to struggle with this pandemic and re-imagine our post-pandemic world**

VISIT the website for more about the **Fellowship of the Least Coin** and on how you can be part of the FLC movement.

May this Christmas bring you more joy and passion to help heal our world!

Sisterly yours, *Liza and Raquel* (ICFLC Office)

<https://www.fellowshipoftheleastcoin.org/>