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## **Canada Walk 4 Jesus Edmonton 2024 – Event Report**

On Saturday June 8<sup>th</sup>, 2024, God answered our prayers for a sunny day for the walk 4 Jesus, after series of cloudy and rainy weather condition in preceding days. Before the walk, believers of diverse cultural backgrounds and church denominations participated in leading opening prayers, worship and other program items. There was no sufficient time for an evangelistic training. But the participants responded to my message that upon our spiritual rebirth, we inherited both a positional and functional streams of identity. I explained what I meant by functional identity in three Scriptural revelations: royalty, priesthood and witnesses. Participants repeated the lines after me that we are 3<sup>rd</sup> generation witnesses, who must testify to the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ as God's provision for the redemption of mankind. By a show of hands, most of them committed to going to express this witnessing identity at the summer events in Edmonton including the July 1<sup>st</sup> Canada Day celebration and the Edmonton Heritage Festival in early August that is visited by over 480,000 people annually.

In response to the gospel preached, a sizable number of hands from the crowd were raised for salvation and as I further invited them to come to the front, some of them ran to the front of the altar, were led in sinners' prayers and the Holy Spirit adopted them into the family of God. Praise God!

Before the walk, pastors and leaders came to the front and cut the ribbon with intense intercessory prayers. During the walk procession, street preachers took turns with the microphones, proclaiming the gospel to the tens of thousands of people living along the route, many of who were watching from their balconies, as the rest of the singing participants echoed a resounding and supportive yes and amen to the gospel preached. One of the people who came out from their home to see the procession was weeping in sorrowful repentance and joyful acceptance of faith in Jesus as one of the brothers led her in sinners' prayers. When we had an open microphone, one of the two sisters that spoke gave a testimony to the participants and the crowd listening from their homes, about how after her husband died of HIA-AIDS disease, Jesus miraculously healed her from the same disease 30 years ago and now she has a healthy 30-year-old son. Praise God! After the walk, and upon returning to the gathering point, participants went in a circle singing we are heirs of the Father, we are jointed with the Son, we are family, we are one. Some pastors took turns in making prayer declarations over the church, the city, the province and the country. I prayed for healing for the participants who were still left before the closing prayers. From past events, I have heard from people who testified of getting healed at this event.

Finally, as before, this event brought the ecclesia in Edmonton closer in obedience to the command of Jesus to (1) show a demonstrable love for one another so the world knows we are His believers (and by so doing, they will come to the truth we preach) (John 13); (2) be in unity so we be like the three persons of the Holy Trinity who are united and by so doing, we attract the approval from heaven (John 17) and (3), proclaim the gospel (Mark 16:15-20, Matthew 28:19-20). With respect to the command to proclaim the gospel, participants were (1) encouraged and emboldened to publicly identify with Jesus in a culture of increasing intimidation and hostility towards the faith in Jesus; (2) motivated and mobilized to see summer events in Edmonton as gospel harvest fields and deploy accordingly; (3) encouraged and trained to make sharing Jesus with others as a lifestyle. Praise be to our Lord and God for a successful event and many thanks to intercessors, volunteers and pastors who came out to be part of what the Holy Spirit is doing. Yes, this is the move of the Spirit of God. We can quench it with our apathy, rejection of the means by which He is doing it, starve the vision with the necessary provision it requires, ignore and build our own. I pray this will not be the case for us in Jesus' name, amen!

Thank you.

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**Walk 4 Jesus Edmonton 2024 – Appeal for Charity to Charity and Individual Donations**

However, as before and as can be expected, this is a big budget event bringing our total ministry cost to date to **\$11,060.61**. A similar project slated for July 13, that promotes unity in the advancement of God’s kingdom is the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Mass Public Baptism and Church Fest. This also comes with significant costs. RUWEMI Ministries makes the required payments using a personal credit card. To cover these costs, we will rely on charity-to-charity donation from your church and tax receipts will be issued for donations from individuals who provide their full name, address with postal code, email address and phone number. The breakdown of the costs and ways to make donations are listed below and on our website, www.ruwemi.org. By the way, other costs like travel costs, without receipts are not included.

As these events foster unity of the ecclesia in evangelism and the advancement of the Kingdom of God, I believe that a church, ministry or individual that supports them financially is in proper alignment with the will of God in this season and meets the requirement for what I call a commanded blessing, in line with Psalm 133.

Thank you in advance of your giving to help us cover the cost for the Walk 4 Jesus Edmonton 2024 and the Mass Public Baptism coming up on July 13. Below is the breakdown of the costs.

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**Ways to Donate**

1. Cheque made payable to “RUWEMI Ministries”. We may be reached at 5879873390, [admin@ruwemi.org](mailto:admin@ruwemi.org), to pick it up.
2. Online banking - E-transfer (email money) to [admin@ruwemi.org](mailto:admin@ruwemi.org) (automatic deposit enabled)
3. PayPal including the options to use debit or credit card through this link: [https://www.paypal.com/donate/?hosted\\_button\\_id=6YPVSYDR2GBDL](https://www.paypal.com/donate/?hosted_button_id=6YPVSYDR2GBDL). (PayPal link is also directly accessible through our website: [www.ruwemi.org](http://www.ruwemi.org))
4. Cash donations received at event sites. Cash may also be handed over to the following people on behalf of RUWEMI Ministries – Victor Smith, Monica Farell, Mark Morin, Maria (Malou) Castro, Sue Pilgrim or Joshua Adetunji.
5. If it comes to your heart that you or your church/ministry wants to be our monthly or yearly financial partner so we have the resources needed to continue to advance the gospel together, we may be reached at 5879873390.

**Note:** Revenue Canada Income tax receipt will be issued for donations from individuals who provide their full name, mailing address with postal code, email and phone number so we can process the tax receipt.

**Breakdown of Expenses**

Item	Merchant	Amount
1. Edmonton Police Service Fee (4 members and 4 vehicles) for the Walk + City Traffic Operations	City of Edmonton	\$2,916.00 + \$250 (Actual)





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2. General Liability Insurance for event license requirement for the Walk + the Public Baptism	NFP Canada Insurance company	\$390.00 (Actual) + \$280 (Actual)
3. Two portable toilets for the Walk	P-Cann Services Ltd	\$375.90 (Actual)
4. Music, sound equipment and 1 power generator rentals for the Walk	Long and McQuade / Spectrum Rent All	\$425.00 (Actual) +\$52
5. Music Truck Rental + gas purchase	Enterprise Rent - A - Car (gas based on last year's actual cost):	\$266.48 (Actual) + \$63.95
6. Shine FM Radio Ad	Touch Canada Broadcasting	\$2,362.50 (Actual)
7. 100 Chairs rented for the Public Baptism and church fest event	Edmonton Bouncy Castle	\$296.67 (Actual)
8. Facebook and YouTube (Google) Advertisement for the Walk and Public Baptism	Facebook (Meta Platforms Inc.) / Google Inc.	\$600 + \$40.89
9. Printing costs – posters, flyers, papers, refill ink, ink cartridges	Staples Store #244, #150, #41 and Amazon.ca	\$210.50 (Actual)
10. Jesus Is Lord T-shirt Order (qty – 100)	Stitchery and More (cost of t-shirts expected to be recovered through sales)	\$1,267.88 (Actual)

**Total cost as at June 14, 2024:**

Walk 4 Jesus Edmonton Cost - \$7,989.80

Public Baptism and Church Fest Cost - \$1,808.17

Total - \$9,797.97

Ministry expenses to date not related to the two events above - \$1,262.64

**Grand Total: \$11, 060.61**

