



# Dayo Bankole

GREATNESS CHURCH

# About the Family

My wife, Seyi, and I were born and raised in Nigeria. We met at the place of service in a local church during our undergraduate studies in University of Ilorin while she was studying medicine, and I was studying history. We got married in 2009 and have two beautiful girls, Ola and Ire.

Seyi and I love to serve and have continued to serve the church of Jesus Christ together. We have been privileged to lead for more than two decades in various capacities ranging from being associates to leading and pioneering in various cities and cultures, ministries and church plants.

In late 2021, I landed in Canada and the family joined shortly after in obedience to the dream God has put in their hearts to come plant a life-giving church in Ottawa—Canada's capital city.

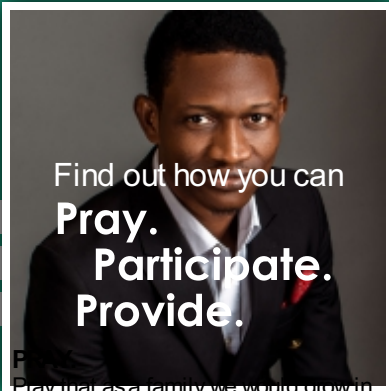
## About My Church Plant

In February 2024, we will be launching Greatness Church in Ottawa.

In 2019, StatCan stated that only 23% of people reported attending religious group activities, such as church services, at least once a month. Between 2000 and 2009, the figure was higher at around 30% but now in 2023, in the aftermath of COVID-19, the figures have further dwindled such that more than 80% do not go to church.

We are greatly burdened about the brokenness and spiritual state of our city and are trusting God to help us reach the unreached in our city. As part of our pre-launch efforts, we have started building a launch team and are excited about how well God is helping us to get these committed people disciplined and equipped to help disciple those who will be drawn to our new church.

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**Pray.**  
**Participate.**  
**Provide.**

Pray that as a family we would grow in our love for Jesus Christ and that above all else, we carry out this mission with great joy.  
Pray that our marriage and our girls will be shielded and kept safe from discouragement or any form of attacks of the enemy.  
Pray that we would share the gospel of Jesus Christ with boldness and supernatural wisdom.  
Pray the unchurched and the dechurched people of Ottawa who are separated from Christ will find Jesus through our efforts.  
Pray that the Spirit of God will take hold of the people of Ottawa such that a gospel revival will be stirred in the city like has never been seen before.  
Pray that as we yield to God, He will build this church Himself.

### **PARTICIPATE**

**Partner:** This dream requires the generosity and sacrifice of people like you. Ask God if He would have you give financially toward helping launch Greatness Church.

**Connect:** Connect with us on Facebook or Instagram @GreatnessOttawa to stay up-to-date on what God is doing through us in Ottawa consider joining our launch team.

**Recommend:** Do you know someone who may be interested in partnering with a vision like this? Tell them about us!

### **PROVIDE**

Learn the ministry strategy and context, so you can provide relevant resources. Support a missionary financially.

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