

District Staff visit Light of the Gospel Fellowship

On May 31, 2026, Don Mitchell, Director of Intercultural Ministries, and Pete Kontra, District Executive, traveled to Staten Island, NY, to worship and fellowship with Light of the Gospel, an Arabic-speaking fellowship in the Atlantic Northeast District. Pastored by Brother Joseph Gendy, the members come from Egypt, Jordan, Lebanon, Syria, and other nations, living as a vibrant faith community who pour out love and hospitality to all who gather. Brother Don brought a good word and greeting from the district, and Pete shared a message of living out our purpose in Christ to the world. Committed to the Church of the Brethren, they welcome anyone to come and worship together.

You can watch a recording of the worship service on Facebook [here](#).



