

Rev. Dr. Raul A Sanchez, Jr.

Pastor Raul has passionately served the people of God through pastoral ministry, Educational Ministry and District Executive Leadership within the Assemblies of God. He has been visionary and instrumental in the establishment and implementation of leadership and ministry development for the constituency of the Formerly Northern Pacific Latin American District and Now the CENTRAL PACIFIC MINISTRY NETWORK. He has served as section presbyter and General Presbyter. He has served this Network since October 2010. He served 10 years as vice-Superintendent and as corporate secretary Treasurer since October 2020. He grew-up in a single parent Christian home. He grew up in church and received Christ at the age of 12.

Born in San Jacinto, San Salvador, He immigrated to the USA to become a dentist; but God had other plans for him. After graduating as Valedictorian from the Latin American Bible Institute in La Puente CA in 1989, he went on to complete a Bachelor in Pastoral Ministries from Southern California College in 1993. He has earned two master's degrees, an MTS from Vanguard University (2006), and a Master of Divinity from the American Baptist Seminary of the West (2013). And on May 1st, 2015, He earned a Doctor of Ministry degree in Pastoral Care and Counseling from the Assemblies of God Theological Seminary in Springfield, Missouri.

He has served in uninterrupted pastoral ministry since 1987; and as a credential minister since 1990. He has been married to his Bible School sweetheart Martha since August 5, 1989. He has two sons. His oldest son, Joshua and his wife Cali have a daughter (Carter) and are expecting their second daughter Harper. Nathan an ordained minister of AG and the youngest son and his wife Hannah are both finishing up their master's and Doctorate degrees. Pastor Raul enjoys reading, sports, the outdoors, worship and instrumental/classical music among others.

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El Pastor Raúl ha servido apasionadamente al pueblo de Dios a través del ministerio pastoral, el Ministerio Educativo y el Liderazgo Ejecutivo Distrital dentro de las Asambleas de Dios. Ha sido visionario e instrumental en el establecimiento e implementación del desarrollo de liderazgo y ministerio para el distrito electoral del anteriormente Distrito Latinoamericano del Pacífico Norte y ahora la RED DE MINISTERIOS DEL PACÍFICO CENTRAL. Ha servido en esta Red desde octubre de 2010. Sirvió 10 años como vicesuperintendente y como secretario corporativo Tesorero desde octubre de 2020. Creció en un hogar cristiano monoparental. Recibió a Cristo a la edad de 12 años.

El Nació en San Jacinto, San Salvador. El emigró a los USA para estudiar odontología; pero Dios tenía otros planes para él. Después de graduarse con honores y el primero de su clase del Instituto Bíblico Latinoamericano en La Puente CA en 1989,

completó una Licenciatura en Ministerios Pastorales del “Southern California College” en 1993. Obtuvo dos maestrías, un MTS de Vanguard University (2006), y una Maestría en Divinidad del “American Baptist Seminary of the West” (2013). Y el 1^{ro} de mayo de 2015, obtuvo un Doctorado en Ministerio en Cuidado Pastoral y Consejería del Seminario Teológico de las Asambleas de Dios en Springfield Missouri.

Ha servido en el ministerio pastoral ininterrumpido desde 1987; y como ministro credencial desde 1990. Ha estado casado con Martha, su novia de la Escuela Bíblica, desde el 5 de agosto de 1989. Tiene dos hijos. Su hijo mayor, Joshua y su esposa Cali tienen dos hijas (Carter) y esperan a el nacimiento de su segunda hija, Harper. Nathan, un ministro ordenado de AG y el hijo menor y su esposa Hannah, están terminando sus maestrías y doctorados. El pastor Raúl disfruta de la lectura, los deportes, el aire libre, la adoración y la música instrumental/clásica, entre otros.

Curriculum Vitae

Contact Information

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(Fluent in the Spanish Language)

EDUCATION

AGTS - Assemblies of God Theological Seminary – Earned Doctor of Ministry Degree (D. Min.).
1435 North Glenstone Avenue Springfield, MO 65802

Doctoral Project – *Personal Resiliency: A training module for fostering personal wholeness for Newly Credential Ministers of the Northern Pacific Latin American District (now CENTRAL PACIFIC MINISTRY NETWORK).*

Graduated: May 2015

ABSW - American Baptism Seminary of the West (GTU Member) Master of Divinity (M.Div.) 2606
Dwight Way Berkeley, CA 94704.

Graduated: May 2012

VUSC - Vanguard University Of Southern California – MTS Master in Theological Studies
(Leadership Emphasis) 55 Fair Drive Costa Mesa, California

Graduated: May 2006

SCC - Southern California College – BA in Religion (Pastoral Ministries Emphasis) 55 Fair Drive
Costa Mesa, California.

Graduated: May 1993

LABI COLLEGE – Latin American Bible Institute – 3-year Bible School Diploma. 14209 E.
Lomitas Street La Puente, CA 91746.

Graduated May 1989

SANTA ANA COLLEGE: 1530 W. 17th Street Santa Ana California 92706

AA: General Education Classes High School Diploma (Fall 1985- Summer 1986)

RANCHO SANTIAGO ADULT EDUCATION (Currently known as Santa Ana Colleges:
School of continuing education) 2900 W. Edinger Avenue Santa Ana California 92704.

High School Diploma –

Graduated May 1985

INFRAMEN – INSTITUTO NACIONAL GENERAL FRANCISCO MENENDEZ -

20 Avenida Norte y 29 Calle Oriente Colonia Atlacatl, San Salvador, El Salvador. *Bachiller en Odontología.* Graduado con Honores (High School Diploma)

Graduated October 1982

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

NETWORK LEAD PASTOR/CORPORATE EXECUTIVE OFFICER (CEO)/SUPERINTENDENT

Elected Network Lead Pastor or Superintendent of the Network on **July 23, 2022**. I lead a network of 135 churches with 267 credential ministers. I serve as an elected executive officer for a four-year term. I am responsible for the general oversight and operations of the Network. I lead the nine-member Network Board, the four-elected Region Pastors, the eleven Areas with their Facilitator and team members, and the Network Ministry Teams. I am responsible to cast vision and lead this network in the fulfillment of its mission and the intentional engagement of our core values as we seek to have healthy effective and relevant ministers reproduce healthy, effective and relevant ministries, while empowering the local church to fulfill its mission.

LEAD PASTOR (Part-Time)

I serve as the Lead Pastor (corporate President & CEO) at Abundant Life Christian Church at 1845 E. 15th Street Oakland, CA 94606. I conduct and oversee clergy and administrative duties in this small church. I lead a team of two part-time clergy and a team of about 20 volunteers. I supervise

their recruitment, training, and development. I work with the administrative board to effectively operate all church functions. Worked from February 14, 2015- August 31, 2022.

EXECUTIVE PASTOR/ Corporate Secretary-Treasurer (CFO)

Appointed as interim Secretary-Treasurer for the Central Pacific Ministry Network from November 2020 through May 2021. On May 2021 at the Network Council, I received an excess of votes required to serve the remaining term of the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer up to the next Network Council July 2021. This office is responsible to oversee the financial office, the office of Minister and office of Churches, along with all administrative duties required of the corporate treasurer. I spearhead the Theological Education for the Network under the Center for Theological Studies (CTS) – worked from November 2020 – July 23, 2022.

ASSISTANT NETWORK SUPERINTENDENT/ EDUCATION DIRECTOR (Executive Officer / Part-Time) I work as the Assistant Superintendent (vice-president) for the Central Pacific Ministry Network (CPMN)– 6051 S. Watt Ave. (PO BOX 292758) Sacramento, CA 95829. I have shared- oversight of 145 churches, and 269 credential ministers. I serve as the education director overseeing an average of seven education centers in the Northern California area. I have developed, implemented, and directed the Theological and Biblical curriculums for the CENTER FOR THEOLOGICAL STUDIES with the Bible school under it functioning as the Fast-Track Levels I & II. I have actively taught a variety of undergrad level courses in the various education centers in the Northern California area. I have taught theology, biblical studies, and ethics among others since 1998 both in English and Spanish. I have held this part-time executive job from October 2010 to October 31st, 2020.

THEOLOGY PROFESSOR & PROGRAM DIRECTOR

AGTS MA Program – Holistic Leadership (Personal Resiliency) Course – Contracted Professor for this course – Intensive Cohort Class given on April 27-29, 2017

LABI COLLEGE PROFESSOR

I worked per contracted classes as professor with both the Latin American Bible College (LABI), and the Latin American Theological Seminary (LATS) in their extension programs. I also coordinated and served as the director for the Richmond Center (2003-2010). I worked for LABI College 1994-2010, and LATS from 2006-2010.

LEAD PASTOR

Templo La Hermosa – 56 S. Montgomery Street San Jose, California 95110 – Lead Pastor, I serve as the church President & CEO. Duties included administration, operations, and outreach to the community from November 1999 to April 2003.

El Golgotha Church at 3912 Macdonald Avenue Richmond, California 94805. I led all clergy and administrative duties in the local Assembly. I constantly sought ways to integrate with the community through ESL, after-school programs, food pantries, and facilitate small business seminars in the Richmond Community from November 7, 1999 - October 2010.

INTERIM PASTOR (during Tenure as Assistant Superintendent) – 2012-2014

- 1) Templo Rosa de Saron – 826 N Sanborn Rd. Salinas CA 93905 – 4 mo. (Fall 2012)
- 2) Jesucristo es la Respuesta – 205 Russell Street Winter CA 95694 8 mo. (spring – fall 2013)
- 3) Monte de Sion – American Canyon (Summer 2013- spring 2014)

MISSIONARY ASSOCIATE (Church Planting and Revitalization)

Assemblies of God United States Missions (AGUSM) – Part Time Church Planting and Revitalization work done under my duties as INTERIM PAST OR with NPLAD (Now Central Pacific Ministry Network). I worked under DARLENE ROBISON, Church Planting and\

STANFORD UNIVERSITY & HOSPITALS PSYCHIATRY DEPARTMENT
SLEEP DISORDERS DATA AIDE IV & CLINIC LIAISON:

401 Quarry Road, Palo Alto, CA. I collected, manage and distributed data results for medical care. I worked as a liaison between insurance companies and the clinic and mediated complaints between the patients and clinic (medical care). I worked from April 1993–November 2000.

ASSOCIATE – PASTOR (Volunteer)

Templo La Luz 2000 Woodside Road Redwood City, CA 94601. I volunteer served in pastoral staff under the direct leadership of lead pastor Rev. Paul Corrales. I had discipleship, leadership development and cell group/evangelism responsibilities. I had rotating responsibilities with sacerdotal duties. I served in this role from July 7, 1993 – November 1999

ASSOCIATE -PASTOR (Volunteer)

Templo Sinai 2030 S. Flower Street Santa Ana, CA 92707. I volunteer served in pastoral staff under the leadership of lead pastor Rev. Daniel Tamara. I had youth leadership development & pastor responsibilities and led Evangelism. I participated in preaching and Sunday School teaching responsibilities. June 1987 – December 1992

LICENSES / CERTIFICATION

Ordained Minister – Ordained minister of the General Council of the Assemblies of God (AOG, Inc.) February 19, 1999 – Present.

License Minister – Licensed credential minister of AOG, Inc., from 1995-1999

Certified Minister – Certified credential minister of AOG, Inc., from 1990-1995

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS & BOARDS

Member of the General Presbytery of the General Council of the AOG Inc. at 1445 North Boonville Avenue Springfield, MO 65802. Telephone: 417-862-2781.
August 2008 to August 2010; 2022 to Present.

Ordained Minister with the General Council of the AOG, Inc. at 1445 North Boonville Avenue Springfield, MO 65802. Telephone: 417-862-2781. August 1999 to Present

Board Member of the Latin American Bible Institute (LABI College)
14209 E. Lomitas Avenue La Puente, CA 91706. August 2010- August 2017

SKILLS & INTERESTS

SKILLS:

Professionally Trained in Pastoral Care & Counseling, Professionally Trained in Pastoral Ministries
Graduate studies in Leadership and Theological Studies, Biblical & Ministerial Studies professor
Pastoral and Church Consultant (Missionary Associate)
Computer Literate: Avid computer user. (Word, Excel, Publisher, Power Point among others)

INTERESTS:

Intellectual: reading in general. I like to stay abreast on Social & Political Issues.

Active sports/ activities: Sports, walking/jogging, swimming, and working on my front and backyard.

Passive sports: Green Bay Packers, and Real Madrid (Spain Soccer) Fan. When time permits, I may watch NBA (Finals), MLB (World Series); & FIFA World Cup Finals.

Family: I have been married for 33 years with Martha Lopez. I have two grown married sons. Joshua is a ministry student married to Cali Sanchez. They have two daughters: Carter Kinsley and Harper Faith. My youngest son Nathan is married to Hannah, they are both finishing postgraduate & terminal degrees. I enjoy taking and spending time with family. I enjoy traveling when possible.

Brief BIO

Rev. **Raul Sanchez**, Jr., DMin

Dr. Raul Sanchez has been an ordained minister of the Assemblies of God since 1999, and a Certified credential minister since 1990. After graduating as Valedictorian of the class of 89 at the Latin American Bible Institute in La Puente California (now LABI COLLEGE). He went on to earn a BA in religion at Southern California College (SCC) in Costa Mesa, CA; an MTS from Vanguard University (VU) in Costa Mesa, CA; an MDiv from American Baptist Seminary of the West (ABSW) at GTU in Berkeley, CA; and a DMin from Assemblies of God Theological Seminary (AGTS) in Springfield, MO in 2015. His doctoral project titled—*Personal Resiliency: A training module for Fostering Personal Wholeness for Newly Credential Ministers of the Northern Pacific Latin American District*.

He has served as associate pastor and lead pastor and interim pastor at various churches since 1987. He currently serves as Lead Pastor of Abundant Life Christian Church in Oakland, CA. He has served in the Central Pacific Ministry Network formerly known as NPLAD since 1999 in Section Leadership and has served in elected office as executive officer (General Presbyter, Assistant Superintendent and now as Secretary Treasurer) since 2010. He lives to serve the bride of Christ and facilitate opportunities to implement systems for leadership development for present and upcoming generations.

He has been married for 33 years to Rev. Martha Sanchez. They have two married sons. The eldest son, Joshua Sanchez a ministry student married to Cali Sanchez. They daughters (my two princesses Carter Kinsley, and Harper Faith—granddaughters). And the youngest son, Rev. Nathan Sanchez, an ordained minister with AG married to Dr. Hannah Sanchez. Dr. Raul Sanchez enjoys long-drives on vacations, family time, and camping. He likes the Green Bay Packers, Angels and Real Madrid.