## East Jamaica Conference Of Seventh-day Adventists

## POSSIBILITY MINISTRIES DEPARTMENT

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TO ALL: PASTORS, ELDERS AND POSSIBILITY MINISTRIES DIRECTORS.

## RE: ADVENTIST POSSIBILITY MINISTRIES DAY AND WEEK

Adventist Possibility Ministries (APM) is about building relationships through an inclusive compassion for those who are often ignored and sometimes abused. Central to this ministry is the conviction that "All are gifted, needed, and treasured." This year Adventist Possibility Ministries (APM) Week will run from March 16 to 24, 2024 under the theme "I CARE."

Adventist Possibility Ministries (APM) includes seven distinct ministries. It brings focus to those experiencing spousal loss, the blind and those with low vision, the Deaf and the hard of hearing, those with mental and emotional challenges, orphans and vulnerable children, those with physical and mobility challenges, and finally to those who serve as caregivers of those who need physical and emotional support.

Adventist Possibility Ministries (APM) Day can be celebrated or highlighted on March 16 or 23, 2024. The week's activities and events plan to include and have an impact in each conference island wide. Your presence and support is needed not only in East Jamaica Conference but throughout the week in all conferences. Please see the line-up of activities and events coming from the Jamaica Union Conference:

Sabbath March 16, 2024- APM Day in churches

Sunday March 17, 2024- APM Convention at the Port Maria Seventh-day Adventist Church in North East Jamaica Conference highlighting Spousal Loss, 10am to 3pm

Monday March 18, 2024- North Jamaica Conference focusing on Mental Development Delays Tuesday March 19, 2024- Central Jamaica Conference the Deaf and Hard of Hearing emphasis Wednesday March 20, 2024- West Jamaica Conference concentrating on the Blind Thursday March 21, 2024- Assistive Technology and Health Symposium 9:30am to 3pm at the Andrews Memorial Seventh-day Adventist Church, 29 Hope Road, Kingston 10. Friday March 22, 2024- Online (Virtual) Activities

Sabbath March 23, 2024- APM Day (those churches who did not use on the 16<sup>th</sup> of March). Sunday March 24, 2024- Planned visits to Possibility Ministries Members with tokens and gifts.

Let us show our Possibility Ministries members everywhere that I CARE

Yours in the Master's Hand,

Sheldon Schooler, Pastor