



**PROCLAIMING JUSTICE  
TO THE NATIONS**

## **THE REV. SAM CLARKE**

### **CHRISTIAN MINISTER - TEACHER**



Sam is an ordained Anglican minister. Since his ordination in 1997, he has served two small congregations in middle Tennessee and a large congregation in Winter Park Florida. His primary gifting is teaching the word of God with particular emphasis on the Hebrew Roots of Christianity.

serve in Jerusalem.

In 2001, the United States branch of the International Christian Embassy in Jerusalem (ICEJ) located in Washington, D.C. contacted him about participating in a special service of Reconciliation and Repentance at the Washington Synagogue in Washington, D.C.. This began a relationship with ICEJ that would ultimately lead to a call to live and

During a visit to Israel in 2007, Sam was contacted by Malcolm Hedding, the Executive Director of the ICEJ. The embassy had entered into an agreement with Yad Vashem, the Holocaust Museum and Memorial in Jerusalem to establish a Christian office at Yad Vashem and Malcolm asked Sam to consider becoming the first director of this office. After interviewing with Yad Vashem, he accepted the call and agreed to a one year contract. In January 2007, Sam moved to Jerusalem and began working at Yad Vashem.

The partnership between Yad Vashem and ICEJ represents a huge breakthrough in Jewish-Christian relations. Yad Vashem is a venerated institution in Israel. Most Jews consider the Holocaust as a horror that happened in “Christian Germany” and in “Christian Europe.” The idea of establishing a Christian office at Yad Vashem would not have been possible without years of building trust with the ICEJ. It was an incredible honor for Sam to have been selected to serve as the first director.

In March 2010, Sam and Laurie Cardoza-Moore, President of Proclaiming Justice the Nations (PJTN), sensed the Lord calling them to join together to promote the mission of PJTN. This mission is “to educate Christians about their biblical responsibility to stand with our Jewish brothers and sisters and to defend the State of Israel.” In January 2012, Sam became the Program Director for PJTN. He is working with Laurie to develop educational programs to supplement PJTN’s powerful film and video presentations,

grassroots initiatives, special events, and legislation supporting the State of Israel. Sam will also help promote PJTN to pastors and Christian leaders.

Sam's passion is to awaken Christians to God Almighty's love for His chosen people and to equip them to understand and overcome centuries of Christian anti-Semitism. To accomplish this goal, he has developed a teaching entitled "The Church, the Jews and the Shoah: Understanding and Overcoming the Roots of Church Anti-Semitism" along with other teachings focusing on the Hebrew roots of Christianity.