

Dr. Shanklin has served as a community leader for over 30 years. He is the Founder and President of The Center of Transformation (TCOT). TCOT strives to provide information and development resources in various areas including health, community and personal development.

The Center of Transformation serves as the parent organization to New Life Fellowship International Ministries, New Life Childcare & Academy, New Image Development Corporation, and its health arm, New Momentum Health and Wellness which focuses on Mental Health Wellness. This collaboration helps to serve hundreds of people monthly both nationally and internationally.

In 2022, he completed 28 years of pastoral ministry leading the people of New Life Fellowship International Ministries into a Safe Place for Loving God, People, and Vision.

This man of God is passionate about serving Christ and leading others to Him. An anointed and gifted teacher, preacher, motivational speaker and leader; Bishop Shanklin is known for his down-to-earth and realistic approach to inspiring people.

Dr. Shanklin helps to honor those who disciple the people of God. He teaches the principles of how you can reach out and build character and confidence, while expanding the Kingdom Agenda and navigating a path to success. He is committed to mentoring and releasing both men and women into their Kingdom callings.

Having received his education from the Chesapeake Theological and Andersonville Theological Seminaries, Bishop Shanklin holds two advanced degrees with a Ph.D. in Clinical Christian Counseling from Chesapeake Bible College and Seminary and a Doctorate in Theology from Andersonville Theological Seminary. Dr. Shanklin, a recipient of many certificates, honors and awards, has also attended many conferences, retreats, and conventions for continued education. He is also a proud veteran of the United States Air Force.

Dr. Shanklin is the author of the book, *The Best Man Project, Redefining Godly Manhood and Masculinity*. He has lectured and mentored across the country and on four continents.

Dr. Shanklin and his wife of 35 years, the former Ingrid K. Palmore currently resides in Hanover, MD. They have four children and together they model the dignity and sanctity of the home.