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**LEADERSHIP
CONFERENCE**
JULY 10-14



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A Word from Dr. Paul Chappell



Dear Friend,

The Lord has done a marvelous work of grace in our church and ministry, as well as in my life over the last twelve months. It would be hard to describe it in words, but we have prayed earnestly that God would extend that work through the power of His Holy Spirit and grace during this Spiritual Leadership Conference.

From the depths of my heart, I thank you for joining us for this very special week of edification, encouragement, fellowship, and spiritual growth. We are praying that God will do a mighty work in your life and in your church as a result of this time.

For many months, we have prayed and labored in preparation for this week, and we are excited about fellowshipping with you and growing together in God's grace. If there's any way that we can serve you or make your time here more enjoyable, please let us know. Again, welcome to Lancaster Baptist Church and to the Spiritual Leadership Conference!

May God bless you this week.

Your friend,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Paul Chappell". The script is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of "Paul" and "Chappell" being capitalized and prominent.

Paul Chappell

A Word from Our Mayor



Dear Conference Delegates,

Welcome to the City of Lancaster, home of Lancaster Baptist Church. Our city is delighted to be your host for the 2011 Spiritual Leadership Conference.

This annual conference provides a very unique opportunity for spiritual leaders from across our nation to unite and share experiences. The conference is designed to help your ministries succeed in reaching out to your various communities. You will be afforded the opportunity to expand your knowledge, while combining efforts to make a difference in many people's lives.

The Lancaster City Council and I are appreciative of the many efforts Pastor Paul Chappell and Lancaster Baptist Church continue to do for our community. Our city has become a much better place for hardworking families to live and raise their children as a result of their labors.

I encourage you to enjoy your visit to the Antelope Valley, and wish you a rewarding experience at this 2011 Spiritual Leadership Conference.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "R. Rex Parris". The signature is fluid and cursive.

R. Rex Parris

Mayor



R. Rex Parris	Mayor
Ronald D. Smith	Vice Mayor
Sherry Marquez	Council Member
Ken Mann	Council Member
Marvin E. Crist	Council Member
Mark V. Bozgian	City Manager



Conference Schedule Information

Workshop Outline Key

Each workshop is assigned a number that corresponds to the *Notes* section of this notebook and blank note pages are also available.

Workshop Tracks

For your convenience in planning, each workshop has been assigned to a track. These tracks are given as recommendations to enhance your time at this year's Spiritual Leadership Conference. We encourage church staff and laymen to see if their pastor recommends a particular session for their benefit.

Track	Intended Audience	Track	Intended Audience
1	Pastors/Missionaries	10	Christian Educators
2	Church Planters	11	Church Administration
3	Assistant Pastors	12	Men
4	Adult Ministry	13	Ladies
5	Soulwinning/Discipleship	14	Pastors' Wives
6	Music Ministry	15	Secretarial/Support Staff
7	Media and Technology	16	Teenagers
8	Children's Ministry	17	Español
9	Student Ministry Leaders		

Room Key

Main Aud.	Main Auditorium	305	Revels Building 305—3 rd Floor
N. Aud.	North Auditorium	308	Revels Building 308—3 rd Floor
101	Revels Building 101—1 st Floor	309	Revels Building 309—3 rd Floor
102	Revels Building 102—1 st Floor	Choir Rm.	Choir Room in the Admin. Building
204	Revels Building 204—2 nd Floor	MP	Multipurpose Room—North Auditorium
207	Revels Building 207—2 nd Floor	Mod. C	Modular C
208	Revels Building 208—2 nd Floor	Mod. P-3	Modular P-3
209	Revels Building 209—2 nd Floor	Mod. P-4	Modular P-4
302	Revels Building 302—3 rd Floor	DH-1	Dining Hall 1—in the Student Life Center
303	Revels Building 303—3 rd Floor	DH-2	Dining Hall 2—in the Student Life Center
304	Revels Building 304—3 rd Floor	SLC	Student Life Center

Conference Schedule

Monday, July 11

Time	Event	Room
8:45 AM	Conference Registration Begins	Revels 102
12:00 PM	Church Planters' Luncheon	N. Aud.
6:00 PM	Doors Open	Main Aud.
7:00 PM	Evening Service	Main Aud.

Tuesday, July 12

Time	Event	Room
7:30 AM	Registrants' Breakfast	DH-1
8:45 AM	Morning Service	Main Aud.
11:00 AM	Combined Ministry Workshop with Dr. Chappell	Main Aud.
12:00 PM	Senior Pastors' Wives Luncheon	N. Aud.
12:00 PM	Registrants' Lunch A	SLC
12:45 PM	Registrants' Lunch B	SLC
1:30 PM	Split Workshop #1	
2:30 PM	Split Workshop #2	
6:00 PM	Doors Open	Main Aud.
7:00 PM	Evening Service	Main Aud.

Wednesday, July 13

Time	Event	Room
7:30 AM	Registrants' Breakfast	DH-1
8:45 AM	Morning Service	Main Aud.
11:00 AM	Split Workshop #3	
12:00 PM	WCBC Alumni Luncheon	N. Aud.
12:00 PM	Registrants' Lunch A	SLC
12:45 PM	Registrants' Lunch B	SLC
1:30 PM	Split Workshop #4	
2:30 PM	Split Workshop #5	
2:30 PM	Teen Activity	Breezeway
6:00 PM	Doors Open	Main Aud.
7:00 PM	Evening Service	Main Aud.

Thursday, July 14

Time	Event	Room
7:30 AM	Registrants' Breakfast	DH-1
8:45 AM	Morning Service	Main Aud.
11:00 AM	Combined Ministry Workshop with Dr. Chappell	Main Aud.
12:00 PM	Registrants' Lunch A	SLC
12:45 PM	Registrants' Lunch B	SLC
1:30 PM	Split Workshop #6	
2:30 PM	Split Workshop #7	
6:00 PM	Doors Open	Main Aud.
7:00 PM	Evening Service	Main Aud.

View the Conference Schedule on Your Mobile Phone

If you have an internet-enabled mobile phone, you can view the entire conference schedule at mobile.lancasterbaptist.org.

Your Personal Schedule

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room

Workshop Schedule

Tuesday, July 12

11:00 AM Combined Ministry Workshop with Dr. Chappell

#	Title	Speaker	Track	Room
1	Growing through Adversity	Pastor Chappell	All	Main Aud.
S-1	Growing through Adversity (Translated)	Pastor Chappell	17	Main Aud.

1:30 PM

Split Workshop #1

#	Title	Speaker	Track	Room
2	The Preaching of Paul	Scott Tewell	1	Main Aud.
3	Ministering with Compassion	John Wilkerson	1	302
4	Growing Through Transitions in Ministry Leadership	Dave Delaney	1	MP
5	Leading the Church Staff	Mike Norris	1	102
6	Effectively Overseeing the Ministry of the Local Church	Scott Wendal	1	305
7	Starting a Church from Scratch	Stephen Chappell	2	303
8	An Account of Thy Stewardship	Dane Keely	3	Mod. K-1
9	Leading Your Adult Class to Spiritual Maturity	Jerry Ferrso	4	Mod. C
10	Creating an Annual Music Ministry Planner	Jon Guy	6	204
11	The Four Basics of Building a Website	Jeremy Lofgren	7	308
12	Establishing a Registration System	Julie Hanna	8	Mod. P-4
13	Eight Qualities of Biblical Youth Ministry	Cary Schmidt	9	207
14	Developing Great Character in the Next Generation	Mark Rasmussen	10	304
15	Making Pastor's Vision a Reality	Toby Weaver	12	209
16	Encouraging Your Pastor's Wife	Rita Weaver	13	Choir Rm.
17	A Life in Balance	Terrie Chappell	14	N. Aud.
18	Training an Effective Secretarial Staff	Lisa Stoner	15	208
19	Avoiding the Pitfalls of the Teen Years	Larry Chappell	16	309

2:30 PM

Split Workshop #2

#	Title	Speaker	Track	Room
20	Protecting the Priorities and Person of the Preacher	Troy Dorrell	1	Main Aud.
21	Leading Multiple Ministries Under the Same Local Church	Tim Rabon	1	304
22	Insight on Developing a Multicultural Ministry	Ray Cazis	1	305

23	Developing Men with Hearts for God	Wayne Hardy	1	208
24	How Compassion Makes the Difference	Paul Kingsbury	1	MP
25	Church Planting with a Young Pastor	Wayne Sehmish	2	303
26	Effectively Leading a Ministry Team	Cary Schmidt	3	102
27	Principles of an Effective Sunday School	Jon Stone	4	Mod. K-1
28	Organizing Your Soulwinning Program	Jerry Ferrso	5	207
29	Spiritual Songs and a Godly Spirit	Ron Hamilton	6	209
30	Piano Accompanying	Shelly Hamilton	6	204
31	Page Layout and Design Made Simple	Andrew Jones	7	308
32	Leading an Organized and Fruitful Bus Ministry	Billy Willis	8	Mod. P-4
33	Establishing an Automated Giving Program	Ben Hobbs	11	302
34	Understanding and Defending Our Baptist Distinctives	Rick Houk	12	Mod. C
35	Helping and Mentoring New Christian Ladies	Nicole Christoson	13	Choir Rm.
36	Coordinating Ministry Projects	Danielle Mordh	15	306
37	Developing a Real Personal Walk with the Lord	John Goetsch	16	309

Wednesday, July 13

11:00 AM

Split Workshop #3

#	Title	Speaker	Track	Room
38	Strengthening the Things that Remain	Pastor Chappell	1-5	Main Aud.
39	The Importance of a Children's Music Ministry	Melissa Baker	6	204
40	Recruiting and Encouraging Nursery Workers	Julie Hanna	8	Mod. P-4
41	Learning How to Stand for Truth with a Godly Spirit	Bryan Samms	12	102
42	Redeeming the Gift of Time	Debbie Goddard	13	Mod. C
43	Surviving the Storms of Life	Terrie Chappell	14	N. Aud.
44	The Pastor's Secretary	Bonnie Ferrso	15	Choir Rm.
45	A Portrait of a Successful Teenager	Mark Rasmussen	16	309

1:30 PM

Split Workshop #4

#	Title	Speaker	Track	Room
46	Ideas for Growing Your Preaching and Teaching Skills	John Goetsch	1	Main Aud.
47	Skyrocketing Your Summer Midweek Service Results	Keith Thibo	1	302
48	Maintaining Compassion for Your City	Tim Ruhl	1	102

Workshop Schedule (cont.)

49	Avoiding the Trends and Lifting Up the Truth	Mike Edwards	1	304
50	Insights for Effective Missionary Work	Dwight Tomlinson	1	305
51	God's Passion: Church Planting Then and Now	Bud Calvert	2	303
52	Five Functions of an Adult Bible Class	Tim Christoson	4	MP
53	Revitalizing Soulwinning in an Older Church	Tim Rasmussen	5	204
54	Allowing Music to be a Reflection of Salvation	Mike Zachary	6	209
55	Simple Solutions to Maximize Your Online Presence	Jeremy Lofgren	7	308
56	Youth Leaders Discussion Forum	Cary Schmidt	9	207
57	Seven Attributes of a Christian School of Distinction	Rick Houk	10	Mod. K-1
58	Leading Men to Encourage and Care for the Pastor	John Alvarez	12	Mod. C
59	Mentoring Teen Girls in Godliness	Dana Schmidt	13	Choir Rm.
60	So, Your Husband is Starting a Church	Kathy Houk	13	306
61	Keeping a Servant's Heart Toward Your Husband's Call	Jenny Navarrete	14	N. Aud.
62	Maintaining a Spirit of Joy in a Busy Ministry Environment	Tammy Schellenberg	15	208
63	How to Prepare for Bible College	Peter Mordh	16	309

2:30 PM

Split Workshop #5

#	Title	Speaker	Track	Room
64	Walking with God before Men	Don Sisk	1	Main Aud.
65	A Fresh View of the Same Old Path	John Goetsch Jr.	1	304
66	Standing for the Truth Over Decades	Max Barton	1	102
67	Reaching Out to the Law Enforcement Community	Rick Stonestreet	1	204
68	Biblical Foundations for Church Planting	Mark Irmeler	2	303
69	Representing Your Pastor and His Vision	Larry Chappell	3	309
70	How to Add Adult Classes Annually	Tim Christoson	4	MP
71	Discipling New Converts to Maturity and Leadership	John Honeycutt	5	207
72	Developing a Dynamic Spirit in Your Music Ministry	Jon Guy	6	209
73	Setting Up Campus Internet Filtering	Anthony King	7	308
74	Policies and Procedures for Children's Ministry	Billy Willis	8	Mod. P-4

75	Ten Fruitful Characteristics of an Effective Teacher	Jerry Goddard	10	305
76	The Purpose and Function of the Church Finance and Audit Committees	Ben Hobbs	11	302
77	How to Study the Bible	Mike Lester	12	Mod. C
78	Maintaining a Spirit to Serve	Kay Husband	13	Choir Rm.
79	The Missionary Family	Becky Martin	14	N. Aud.
80	Supporting the Soulwinning and Discipleship Process	Joy Keely	15	208

Thursday, July 14

11:00 AM Combined Ministry Workshop with Dr. Chappell

#	Title	Speaker	Track	Room
81	Effective 2:2 Ministry	Pastor Chappell	1	Main Aud.
S-2	Effective 2:2 Ministry (Translated)	Pastor Chappell	17	102

1:30 PM

Split Workshop #6

#	Title	Speaker	Track	Room
83	Seven Qualities of a Servant Leader	Rick Martin	1	Main Aud.
84	A Soulwinning Leader with Fruit that Remains	Mark Rasmussen	1	102
85	Young Pastors on an Old Path	Josh Irmeler	1	208
86	Teaching Biblical Distinctives in a Decaying Culture	Alan Fong	1	204
87	Overcoming Church Planting Barriers	Dave Teis	2	303
88	Developing Dynamic Ministry to Young Singles	Cary Schmidt	3	304
89	Implementing Care Groups in the Adult Sunday School	Tim Christoson	4	MP
90	Following Up on People	Jerry Ferrso	5	207
91	Developing Vocal Skills in Your Choir and Ensembles	Ron Hamilton	6	209
92	Getting Started with Effective Video Editing	Larry Chappell	7	308
93	Hosting a VBS Week	Billy Willis	8	Mod. P-4
94	Creating a Junior High Annual Plan	Jon Sisson	9	Mod. K-1
95	Preparing Your Child for College	Diane Goetsch	10	305
96	Caring for Your Church Employees	Déirdre Finn	11	302
97	Embracing the Biblical Role of Deacon	Dave McCollum	12	Mod. C
98	The Biblical Disciplines of a Christian Home	Joyce Jones	13	Choir Rm.
99	Lessons I Have Learned over Fifty Years of Ministry	Virginia Sisk	14	N. Aud.
100	Preparing for a Great Future in God's Will	Jeremy Whitman	16	309

Workshop Schedule (cont.)

2:30 PM

Split Workshop #7

#	Title	Speaker	Track	Room
101	Avoiding the Trends of Contemporary Compromise	John Goetsch	1	Main Aud.
102	Igniting Your Church Family through an Effective Revival Meeting	Lou Rossi	1	305
103	How to Keep a Missions Mindset in the Whole Church	J.B. Godfrey	1	209
104	The Pastor as a Burden Bearer	Mike Ray	1	102
105	Discipling New Believers in a Young Church	Rob Badger	2	303
106	Ministering to the Deaf in Your Community	Rick Allen	3	306
107	Discipling Young Christian Families by God's Grace	Reggie Williams	5	Mod. K-1
108	Leading and Growing the Church Orchestra	Jon Guy	6	204
109	Making Your Special Music Special	Shelly Hamilton	6	304
110	Taking Your PowerPoint to the Next Level	Andrew Jones	7	308
111	Becoming an Educator with a Ministry Heart	Ken Jones	10	MP
112	Leading Your Church Family Through a Building Program	Tim Christoson	11	302
113	Helping Your Pastor Involve Others in the Ministry	Tim Butterfield	12	207
114	Biblical Principles for Counseling Ladies	Sherry Marquez	13	Mod. C
115	How to Have Joy for the Journey	Ginna Dunwoody	13	Choir Rm.
116	How You Can Increase Your Husband's Effectiveness in Ministry	Suza Rasmussen	14	N. Aud.
117	How to Build a Timeline for Event Planning	Denise Wells	15	208
118	Developing Your Life through Godly Music	Daniel Hopkins	16	309

Combined Ministry Workshops

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
1	Growing through Adversity	Pastor Chappell	Tues 11:00	Main Aud.
38	Strengthening the Things that Remain	Pastor Chappell	Wed 11:00	Main Aud.
81	Effective 2:2 Ministry	Pastor Chappell	Thurs 11:00	Main Aud.

Track 1—Pastors/Missionaries

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
2	The Preaching of Paul	Scott Tewell	Tues 1:30	Main Aud.
3	Ministering with Compassion	John Wilkerson	Tues 1:30	302
4	Growing Through Transitions in Ministry Leadership	Dave Delaney	Tues 1:30	MP
5	Leading the Church Staff	Mike Norris	Tues 1:30	102
6	Effectively Overseeing the Ministry of the Local Church	Scott Wendal	Tues 1:30	305
20	Protecting the Priorities and Person of the Preacher	Troy Dorrell	Tues 2:30	Main Aud.
21	Leading Multiple Ministries Under the Same Local Church	Tim Rabon	Tues 2:30	304
22	Insight on Developing a Multicultural Ministry	Ray Cazis	Tues 2:30	305
23	Developing Men with Hearts for God	Wayne Hardy	Tues 2:30	208
24	How Compassion Makes the Difference	Paul Kingsbury	Tues 2:30	MP
46	Ideas for Growing Your Preaching and Teaching Skills	John Goetsch	Wed 1:30	Main Aud.
47	Skyrocketing Your Summer Midweek Service Results	Keith Thibo	Wed 1:30	302
48	Maintaining Compassion for Your City	Tim Ruhl	Wed 1:30	102
49	Avoiding the Trends and Lifting Up the Truth	Mike Edwards	Wed 1:30	304
50	Insights for Effective Missionary Work	Dwight Tomlinson	Wed 1:30	305
64	Walking with God before Men	Don Sisk	Wed 2:30	Main Aud.
65	A Fresh View of the Same Old Path	John Goetsch Jr.	Wed 2:30	304
66	Standing for the Truth Over Decades	Max Barton	Wed 2:30	102
67	Reaching Out to the Law Enforcement Community	Rick Stonestreet	Wed 2:30	204

Track 1—Pastors/Missionaries (cont.)

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
83	Seven Qualities of a Servant Leader	Rick Martin	Thurs 1:30	Main Aud.
84	A Soulwinning Leader with Fruit that Remains	Mark Rasmussen	Thurs 1:30	102
85	Young Pastors on an Old Path	Josh Irmeler	Thurs 1:30	208
86	Teaching Biblical Distinctives in a Decaying Culture	Alan Fong	Thurs 1:30	204
101	Avoiding the Trends of Contemporary Compromise	John Goetsch	Thurs 2:30	Main Aud.
102	Igniting Your Church Family through an Effective Revival Meeting	Lou Rossi	Thurs 2:30	305
103	How to Keep a Missions Mindset in the Whole Church	J.B. Godfrey	Thurs 2:30	209
104	The Pastor as a Burden Bearer	Mike Ray	Thurs 2:30	102

Track 2—Church Planters

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
7	Starting a Church from Scratch	Stephen Chappell	Tues 1:30	303
25	Church Planting with a Young Pastor	Wayne Sehmish	Tues 2:30	303
51	God's Passion: Church Planting Then and Now	Bud Calvert	Wed 1:30	303
68	Biblical Foundations for Church Planting	Mark Irmeler	Wed 2:30	303
87	Overcoming Church Planting Barriers	Dave Teis	Thurs 1:30	303
105	Discipling New Believers in a Young Church	Rob Badger	Thurs 2:30	303

Track 3—Assistant Pastors

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
8	An Account of Thy Stewardship	Dane Keely	Tues 1:30	Mod. K-1
26	Effectively Leading a Ministry Team	Cary Schmidt	Tues 2:30	102
69	Representing Your Pastor and His Vision	Larry Chappell	Wed 2:30	309
88	Developing Dynamic Ministry to Young Singles	Cary Schmidt	Thurs 1:30	304
106	Ministering to the Deaf in Your Community	Rick Allen	Thurs 2:30	306

Track 4—Adult Ministry

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
9	Leading Your Adult Class to Spiritual Maturity	Jerry Ferrso	Tues 1:30	Mod. C
27	Principles of an Effective Sunday School	Jon Stone	Tues 2:30	Mod. K-1
52	Five Functions of an Adult Bible Class	Tim Christoson	Wed 1:30	MP
70	How to Add Adult Classes Annually	Tim Christoson	Wed 2:30	MP
89	Implementing Care Groups in the Adult Sunday School	Tim Christoson	Thurs 1:30	MP

Track 5—Soulwinning/Discipleship

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
28	Organizing Your Soulwinning Program	Jerry Ferrso	Tues 2:30	207
53	Revitalizing Soulwinning in an Older Church	Tim Rasmussen	Wed 1:30	204
71	Discipling New Converts to Maturity and Leadership	John Honeycutt	Wed 2:30	207
90	Following Up on People	Jerry Ferrso	Thurs 1:30	207
107	Discipling Young Christian Families by God's Grace	Reggie Williams	Thurs 2:30	Mod. K-1

Track 6—Music Ministry

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
10	Creating an Annual Music Ministry Planner	Jon Guy	Tues 1:30	204
29	Spiritual Songs and a Godly Spirit	Ron Hamilton	Tues 2:30	209
30	Piano Accompanying	Shelly Hamilton	Tues 2:30	204
39	The Importance of a Children's Music Ministry	Melissa Baker	Wed 11:00	204
54	Allowing Music to be a Reflection of Salvation	Mike Zachary	Wed 1:30	209
72	Developing a Dynamic Spirit in Your Music Ministry	Jon Guy	Wed 2:30	209
91	Developing Vocal Skills in Your Choir and Ensembles	Ron Hamilton	Thurs 1:30	209
108	Leading and Growing the Church Orchestra	Jon Guy	Thurs 2:30	204
109	Making Your Special Music Special	Shelly Hamilton	Thurs 2:30	304

Track 7—Media and Technology

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
11	The Four Basics of Building a Website	Jeremy Lofgren	Tues 1:30	308
31	Page Layout and Design Made Simple	Andrew Jones	Tues 2:30	308
55	Simple Solutions to Maximize Your Online Presence	Jeremy Lofgren	Wed 1:30	308
73	Setting Up Campus Internet Filtering	Anthony King	Wed 2:30	308
92	Getting Started with Effective Video Editing	Larry Chappell	Thurs 1:30	308
110	Taking Your PowerPoint to the Next Level	Andrew Jones	Thurs 2:30	308

Track 8—Children’s Ministry

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
12	Establishing a Registration System	Julie Hanna	Tues 1:30	Mod. P-4
32	Leading an Organized and Fruitful Bus Ministry	Billy Willis	Tues 2:30	Mod. P-4
40	Recruiting and Encouraging Nursery Workers	Julie Hanna	Wed 11:00	Mod. P-4
74	Policies and Procedures for Children’s Ministry	Billy Willis	Wed 2:30	Mod. P-4
93	Hosting a VBS Week	Billy Willis	Thurs 1:30	Mod. P-4

Track 9—Student Ministry Leaders

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
13	Eight Qualities of Biblical Youth Ministry	Cary Schmidt	Tues 1:30	207
56	Youth Leaders Discussion Forum	Cary Schmidt	Wed 1:30	207
94	Creating a Junior High Annual Plan	Jon Sisson	Thurs 1:30	Mod. K-1

Track 10—Christian Educators

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
14	Developing Great Character in the Next Generation	Mark Rasmussen	Tues 1:30	304
57	Seven Attributes of a Christian School of Distinction	Rick Houk	Wed 1:30	Mod. K-1
75	Ten Fruitful Characteristics of an Effective Teacher	Jerry Goddard	Wed 2:30	305
95	Preparing Your Child for College	Diane Goetsch	Thurs 1:30	305
111	Becoming an Educator with a Ministry Heart	Ken Jones	Thurs 2:30	MP

Track 11—Church Administration

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
33	Establishing an Automated Giving Program	Ben Hobbs	Tues 2:30	302
76	The Purpose and Function of the Church Finance and Audit Committees	Ben Hobbs	Wed 2:30	302
96	Caring for Your Church Employees	Déirdre Finn	Thurs 1:30	302
112	Leading Your Church Family Through a Building Program	Tim Christoson	Thurs 2:30	302

Track 12—Men

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
15	Making Pastor's Vision a Reality	Toby Weaver	Tues 1:30	209
34	Understanding and Defending Our Baptist Distinctives	Rick Houk	Tues 2:30	Mod. C
41	Learning How to Stand for Truth with a Godly Spirit	Bryan Samms	Wed 11:00	102
58	Leading Men to Encourage and Care for the Pastor	John Alvarez	Wed 1:30	Mod. C
77	How to Study the Bible	Mike Lester	Wed 2:30	Mod. C
97	Embracing the Biblical Role of Deacon	Dave McCollum	Thurs 1:30	Mod. C
113	Helping Your Pastor Involve Others in the Ministry	Tim Butterfield	Thurs 2:30	207

Track 13—Ladies

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
16	Encouraging Your Pastor's Wife	Rita Weaver	Tues 1:30	Choir Rm.
35	Helping and Mentoring New Christian Ladies	Nicole Christoson	Tues 2:30	Choir Rm.
42	Redeeming the Gift of Time	Debbie Goddard	Wed 11:00	Mod. C
59	Mentoring Teen Girls in Godliness	Dana Schmidt	Wed 1:30	Choir Rm.
60	So, Your Husband is Starting a Church	Kathy Houk	Wed 1:30	306
78	Maintaining a Spirit to Serve	Kay Husband	Wed 2:30	Choir Rm.
98	The Biblical Disciplines of a Christian Home	Joyce Jones	Thurs 1:30	Choir Rm.
114	Biblical Principles for Counseling Ladies	Sherry Marquez	Thurs 2:30	Mod. C
115	How to Have Joy for the Journey	Ginna Dunwoody	Thurs 2:30	Choir Rm.

Track 14—Pastors' Wives

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
17	A Life in Balance	Terrie Chappell	Tues 1:30	N. Aud.
43	Surviving the Storms of Life	Terrie Chappell	Wed 11:00	N. Aud.
61	Keeping a Servant's Heart Toward Your Husband's Call	Jenny Navarrete	Wed 1:30	N. Aud.
79	The Missionary Family	Becky Martin	Wed 2:30	N. Aud.
99	Lessons I Have Learned over Fifty Years of Ministry	Virginia Sisk	Thurs 1:30	N. Aud.
116	How You Can Increase Your Husband's Effectiveness in Ministry	Suza Rasmussen	Thurs 2:30	N. Aud.

Track 15—Secretarial/Support Staff

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
18	Training an Effective Secretarial Staff	Lisa Stoner	Tues 1:30	208
36	Coordinating Ministry Projects	Danielle Mordh	Tues 2:30	306
44	The Pastor's Secretary	Bonnie Ferrso	Wed 11:00	Choir Rm.
62	Maintaining a Spirit of Joy in a Busy Ministry Environment	Tammy Schellenberg	Wed 1:30	208
80	Supporting the Soulwinning and Discipleship Process	Joy Keely	Wed 2:30	208
117	How to Build a Timeline for Event Planning	Denise Wells	Thurs 2:30	208

Track 16—Teenagers

#	Title	Speaker	Time	Room
19	Avoiding the Pitfalls of the Teen Years	Larry Chappell	Tues 1:30	309
37	Developing a Real Personal Walk with the Lord	John Goetsch	Tues 2:30	309
45	A Portrait of a Successful Teenager	Mark Rasmussen	Wed 11:00	309
63	How to Prepare for Bible College	Peter Mordh	Wed 1:30	309
100	Preparing for a Great Future in God's Will	Jeremy Whitman	Thurs 1:30	309
118	Developing Your Life through Godly Music	Daniel Hopkins	Thurs 2:30	309

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Dr. David Gibbs, Jr. founded the Christian Law Association, a nationwide legal ministry defending Christian liberty, in 1969. CLA has represented 10,000 churches in all fifty states. Attorney Gibbs is recognized as one of the leading constitutional lawyers. He has appealed and argued before fifteen different state supreme courts. From the pulpit, Dr. Gibbs exhorts Christians to stand for Jesus.



Dr. Sam Davison became pastor of Southwest Baptist Church on May 1, 1990. Since May of 1999, he has been serving as the President of Heartland Baptist Bible College in Oklahoma City. After twenty faithful years as the pastor at Southwest, he is now traveling with his wife, preaching the Gospel and influencing young preachers.



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Jerry Ferrso—Associate Pastor

Brother Ferrso serves as associate pastor at Lancaster Baptist Church, directs the soulwinning and outreach ministries and teaches the *Homebuilders* adult Bible class. He also teaches at West Coast Baptist College.



Cary Schmidt—Associate Pastor

Brother Schmidt has served as an associate pastor at Lancaster Baptist Church for twenty years. His responsibilities include the student and singles ministries, Striving Together Publications, media ministries, and weekly service oversight. He teaches the senior high student Sunday school class and part time in the college.



Tim Christoson—Associate Pastor

Brother Christoson assists Dr. Chappell with daily church administration and the oversight of construction on the campus. He also leads the *True North* adult Bible class for couples and has been on our staff since 1997. He and his wife, Nicole, have three children.



Dr. Don Sisk—Missions Department Chairman of WCBC

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Leadership Team Workshop Speakers (cont.)



Dr. Mark Rasmussen—Vice President of WCBC

Dr. Rasmussen is the Vice President of West Coast Baptist College where he and his wife Suza have been serving since 1997. He has been teaching on the college level for the past thirty years and is the author of *101 Tips for Teaching* and co-author of *Mentoring and Modeling* with Dr. John Goetsch. He and Suza also lead the *A.V. Bible Class* every week.



Carlos Navarrete—Spanish Associate Pastor

Brother Navarrete was saved through the ministry of Lancaster Baptist Church and is a graduate of West Coast Baptist College. He joined our staff in 1999. Brother Navarrete serves as the Spanish Department pastor.



Billy Willis—Children's Ministries

Billy Willis organizes the children's programs of Lancaster Baptist Church including the Sunday school, *Cactus Kids' Club*, *Kiddie Church*, the bus ministry, Vacation Bible School, and the children's sports leagues. He also teaches the *Couples* class.



Larry Chappell—Assistant Pastor

Brother Chappell grew up at Lancaster Baptist Church and is a graduate of West Coast Baptist College. He now serves as the senior high youth pastor at Lancaster Baptist Church and produces the ministry's live streaming video.



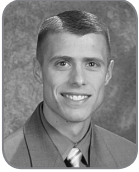
Ben Hobbs—Director of Finance

Ben Hobbs oversees the financial offices of Lancaster Baptist Church including West Coast Baptist College and Lancaster Baptist School. He is also an instructor at West Coast Baptist College. Brother Hobbs and his wife, Carla, have been a part of our staff for ten years and have two children.



Dr. Jerry Goddard—Dean of Administrative Affairs of WCBC

Dr. Goddard brings over thirty years of experience in Christian college administration to West Coast Baptist College. He oversees the college admissions process and the online master's degree program and teaches full time in the college. He teaches the *Second Mile* adult Bible class.



Jon Guy—Music Administrator

After graduating from West Coast Baptist College in 2006, Brother Guy began teaching at Lancaster Baptist School and now serves full-time in the music ministry—scheduling music, administrating details, and leading the choir. He teaches the *New Journeys* adult Bible class.



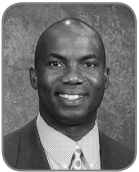
Jon Stone—Associate Pastor

Brother Stone is an associate pastor at Lancaster Baptist Church. He oversees the adult Bible classes and teaches at West Coast Baptist College. Jon and his wife, Dawn, have three children.



Jeremy Whitman—Assistant to Pastor Chappell

Brother Whitman was saved through the ministry of Lancaster Baptist Church and is a graduate of West Coast Baptist College. He joined our staff in 1996. In addition to discipling, teaching, and mentoring in the singles department at Lancaster Baptist Church, Brother Whitman preaches in youth conferences across the nation and in several foreign countries. He currently serves as personal assistant to Pastor Chappell.



Reggie Williams—Assistant Pastor

Brother Williams joined the staff in September of 2005. He teaches Bible in the high school and in the college, and serves in the church outreach department. He also teaches the *Family Heritage* adult Bible class. He and his wife, Sheryl, have two children.

Staff Workshop Speakers



Dr. Rick Allen—WCBC Instructor

Dr. Allen teaches sign language and a missions class at West Coast Baptist College. He also teaches the *Vital Signs* adult Bible class for the hearing impaired. He is a board certified family physician and served as an Air Force physician for twelve years.



Tim Butterfield—WCBC Instructor

Brother Butterfield has served at Lancaster Baptist Church for seventeen years, first as an assistant pastor, then as a professor at West Coast Baptist College where he teaches full time. He has been the class leader of the *Home Improvements* adult Bible class for twelve years.



Mrs. Terrie Chappell—Ladies Ministry Director

Mrs. Chappell directs the ladies ministry at Lancaster Baptist Church. In addition to teaching at West Coast Baptist College, she teaches the fourth grade girls Sunday school class at Lancaster Baptist Church and is the author of *It's a Wonderful Life*.



Mrs. Nicole Christoson—Ladies Ministry

Mrs. Christoson assists Mrs. Chappell with the ladies ministry at Lancaster Baptist Church. She also helps her husband in the *True North* adult Bible class. She is the mother of three.



Mrs. Ginna Dunwoody—WCBC Instructor

After teaching high school for ten years, Mrs. Dunwoody joined the faculty of WCBC in the fall of 2008, teaching English and piano. She also trains and accompanies vocal groups in the school and church. She is married to an airline pilot and has a daughter and a son. Her greatest joy is seeing young people excited about serving the Lord.



Mrs. Bonnie Ferrso—Secretary to Pastor Chappell

Mrs. Ferrso has been on staff at Lancaster Baptist Church for the past eighteen years. She is Dr. Chappell's administrative assistant, and is also an accomplished church instrumentalist and a faithful soulwinner. She ministers to the ladies in the *Homebuilders* adult Bible class.



Miss Déirdre Finn—Accounting & Human Resource Manager

Miss Finn came to Lancaster to study for a Masters degree at West Coast Baptist College in 2007 and began working in the Finance Department. With a background in banking and an MBA in Finance, she has since expanded her role to incorporate human resources. She teaches a second grade girls Sunday school class.



Mrs. Debbie Goddard—WCBC Administrative Assistant

Mrs. Goddard has been involved in Christian college work for over thirty years. She currently works in the college tour scheduling office.



Dr. J.B. Godfrey— WCBC Instructor

Dr. J. B. Godfrey and his wife Linda joined BIMi in 1973. They travel all over the Far East encouraging and helping missionaries. He is the Far East director of Baptist International Mission Incorporated. Dr. Godfrey teaches missions courses at West Coast Baptist College each fall semester.



Mrs. Diane Goetsch—WCBC Instructor

Mrs. Goetsch has been teaching at West Coast Baptist College since the fall of 1996. In addition to teaching a third grade girls Sunday school class at Lancaster Baptist Church, Mrs. Goetsch faithfully supports her husband as he oversees the administrative offices and spiritual development of West Coast Baptist College.



Mrs. Julie Hanna—Nursery Director

Mrs. Hanna serves as the nursery director for Lancaster Baptist Church. Each week she schedules, oversees, supplies, and encourages teams of ladies who care for hundreds of children in the network of LBC nurseries. She and her family have been members since 1988.



Daniel Hopkins—WCBC and LBS Instructor

Brother Hopkins became a member of our staff five years ago. He serves in the student ministries of the church, teaches music and academic classes in Lancaster Baptist School, and teaches piano lessons at WCBC.

Staff Workshop Speakers (cont.)



Mrs. Kathy Houk—Elementary Principal of LBS

Mrs. Houk taught kindergarten at Lancaster Baptist School from its inception in 1989 until moving into an administrative role in 1999. She ministers to the ladies in the *Family Foundations* class and is a wife, mother of five, and grandmother.



Rick Houk—Bible Department Chairman of WCBC

In 1989, Brother and Mrs. Houk started Lancaster Baptist School. Brother Houk was the principal of the school for eleven years before he began teaching at West Coast Baptist College full time. He serves as chairman of the Bible department of the college and teaches the *Family Foundations* adult Bible class.



Mrs. Kay Husband—Ladies Ministry

The Husband family has been members of LBC for twenty-five years. Mrs. Husband has two children and one grandson. She has taught the *Ladies of Today* adult Bible class for the last twelve years. She is one of the church soloists and assists Mrs. Chappell in the Ladies Ministry.



Andrew Jones—Graphics Department

Andrew Jones is the assistant editor of *The Baptist Voice*, oversees the church PowerPoint, and is involved in the publications department. He grew up in Lancaster Baptist Church and graduated from West Coast Baptist College where he now teaches. He also teaches the *Higher Ground* adult Bible class.



Mrs. Joyce Jones—LBS Instructor

Mrs. Jones has been involved in Christian education for thirty-five years and has served on staff for twenty years. She assists her husband in the *Berean* adult Bible class, the senior saints group, and is the mother of six children.



Ken Jones—LBS Instructor

Brother Jones has been in the ministry for thirty-nine years. Thirty-two of those years have been spent in Christian education. He has been teaching at Lancaster Baptist School for nineteen years. Brother Jones also teaches the *Berean* adult Bible class.



Dane Keely—WCBC Instructor

Brother Keely graduated with his Masters degree in Bible from West Coast Baptist College and has been on staff since 2003. He currently teaches full time in the Bible Department of the college and some online Master's courses. He also leads the *Family Ties* adult Bible class on Sundays, as well as oversees the parking lot ministry.



Mrs. Joy Keely—Secretary

Mrs. Keely joined the staff in 2003, and is the secretary to Brother Jerry Ferrso. She assists him in the areas of outreach and missions. She ministers to the ladies in the *Family Ties* class and is a mother of four daughters.



Anthony King—Director of Technology Services

Anthony King served in the US Navy as a network engineer and is the director of technology services at Lancaster Baptist Church. He is a Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer, Cisco Certified Network Associate, and a Cisco Certified Design Associate. He and his wife, Angela, teach a singles adult Bible class.



Mike Lester—Academic Dean of WCBC

Brother Lester is a favorite teacher of the students of the college and is a tremendous teacher of the Word of God. He also teaches the *Solid Foundations* adult Bible class for career singles. Brother and Mrs. Lester have been on our team since 1995 and have five children.



Jeremy Lofgren—Graphics Department

Brother Lofgren is a graduate of West Coast Baptist College and serves as the media department director of Lancaster Baptist Church. He oversees the printed materials and websites of all the ministries. He is also responsible for the sound ministry at Lancaster Baptist.



Mrs. Sherry Marquez—Ladies Counseling

In 1990 the Marquez family transferred to Edward Air Force Base in the Antelope Valley. God led them to retire from the Air Force and stay in Lancaster. Mrs. Marquez serves with the ladies' counseling ministry and is on the Lancaster City Council.



Mrs. Danielle Mordh—Striving Together

Danielle Mordh is Dr. Chappell's oldest daughter. She grew up at Lancaster Baptist Church and is a graduate of Lancaster Baptist School and West Coast Baptist College. She has given oversight to *Striving Together* Publications since its beginning in 2001. She is a wife and mother of one.

Staff Workshop Speakers (cont.)



Peter Mordh—Director of WCBC Advancement

Brother Mordh serves in the Advancement Office of WCBC and oversees the college activities. He travels with tour groups throughout the year and also teaches the *College and Career 2* class in the Student Ministries of Lancaster Baptist Church.



Mrs. Jenny Navarrete—Spanish Ministry

Mrs. Navarrete faithfully serves with her husband, Carlos, in the Spanish ministry at Lancaster Baptist Church. She helps organize events and assists her husband. She is a talented vocalist, wife, and mother of five. She is a graduate of West Coast Baptist College.



Mrs. Suza Rasmussen—WCBC Instructor

Mrs. Rasmussen teaches secretarial and computer courses at West Coast Baptist College and is a tremendous example and mentor to the young ladies of the college. Mrs. Rasmussen is often invited to speak at Christian Education clinics and women's meetings. She also assists her husband with the *A.V. Bible Class*.



Bryan Samms—WCBC Instructor

Brother Samms serves on the Bible and Evangelism Faculty at West Coast Baptist College and is an evangelist and representative for the college. He served as a full-time evangelist for five years prior to coming to WCBC. Brother Samms has preached in many youth conferences, revival meetings, evangelistic crusades, camps, chapels and youth rallies across America.



Mrs. Tammy Schellenberg—WCBC Registrar

The Schellenbergs have been members of Lancaster Baptist Church for eighteen years. Mrs. Schellenberg joined the staff in 2004 as the WCBC registrar. She is a registered nurse and oversees the college admissions process.



Mrs. Dana Schmidt—Student Ministries

Mrs. Schmidt has served alongside her husband, Cary, in the student ministries of Lancaster Baptist Church for the past twenty years. She has three children and has immersed herself in serving the Lord, serving her family, and investing her life into young people and families.



Mrs. Virginia Sisk—WCBC Instructor

Mrs. Sisk joined the staff of West Coast Baptist College in 2003. She teaches our Missionary's Wife Class and is a joy and encouragement each time she steps on campus. Mrs. Sisk also travels with her husband to churches around the world, visiting and encouraging missionaries.



Jon Sisson—LBS Athletic Director

Brother Sisson grew up as the son of a missionary in the Philippine Islands. He and his wife, Kristine, are both graduates of West Coast Baptist College. Jon teaches at Lancaster Baptist School and serves in the Student Ministries Sunday school department.



Mrs. Lisa Stoner—Office Manager

The Stoners have been members of Lancaster Baptist Church for over twenty-four years. Mrs. Stoner has a BA in Management Science and has worked in the church office for over nineteen years, where she coordinates and oversees the secretarial staff. She also teaches part-time at West Coast Baptist College and is the mother of three.



Mrs. Rita Weaver—Dean of WCBC Women

In addition to serving as Dean of Women, Mrs. Weaver also teaches in the college. She began working at West Coast Baptist College in January of 2002. Before working at WCBC she served as a pastor's wife.



Dr. Toby Weaver—Dean of WCBC Students

Dr. Weaver joined the staff in 2001. He is the Dean of Students at WCBC where he teaches Bible and education. He also assists the administration in areas of student discipline and counseling on a daily basis. Dr. Weaver travels with the tour groups on weekends and during the summer.



Mrs. Denise Wells—WCBC Project Manager

Mrs. Wells joined our staff in 2005. She assists her husband as he leads the *Navigators* adult Bible class for military couples, and she is a wife and mother of two sons.



Dr. Mike Zachary—Music Department Chairman of WCBC

Dr. Zachary received the degree Doctor of Musical Arts in piano performance from the American Conservatory of Music in Chicago, Illinois. Dr. Zachary's college teaching career began in 1982, and he is currently Chairman of the Music Department at West Coast Baptist College. Dr. Zachary and his wife Angela have three children.

Guest Workshop Speakers



Rob Badger planted Victory Baptist Church in Hollywood, California in 2004 and graduated from West Coast Baptist College in 2005. God has blessed the church, and it now has many ministries including personal discipleship and a Spanish department. In addition to pastoring Victory Baptist Church, Pastor Badger teaches church planting classes at West Coast Baptist College.



Mrs. Melissa Baker brings with her over thirty of experience teaching, organizing, and developing church, school and college music programs. God instilled in her a passion for music done right—music that honors the Lord and is done from the heart—and she loves to instill that passion in others. Mrs. Baker is currently serving at Valley Forge Baptist Temple and Academy as music coordinator and teacher.



Dr. Max Barton was called to pastor People's Baptist Church in January, 1989. Through the fundamental leadership of Pastor Barton, the church and school has grown to become a multifaceted ministry that ministers to thousands daily. Dr. Barton retired from the active pastorate January 2011. He continues to preach revival meetings and conferences across the country.



Dr. Bud Calvert started Fairfax Baptist Temple in 1970 and served as Pastor of FBT for 35 years before stepping down in 2006 and turning the church over to his son, Troy Calvert. He now serves as Pastor Emeritus and travels throughout the United States and around the world preaching in missions conferences, helping start churches, encouraging missionaries and pastors, and training men who are preparing for the ministry.



Ray Cazis is the pastor of International Baptist Church and Chancellor of International Bible College. International Baptist Church preaches the gospel from two locations in New York City and trains men and women to serve the Lord at International Bible College.



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Alejandro Cordova faithfully pastors the Fundamental Baptist church of Celaya Mexico, where they recently celebrated their nineteenth anniversary. He travels often as a speaker with topics on the family, administration, and leadership.



Dr. David Cortez has faithfully pastored Open Door Baptist Church in Tijuana, Mexico, for over thirty years. Nineteen churches have been started through the ministry of his church. Pastor Cortez has two children who are both serving the Lord in full-time ministry.



Dave Delaney has pastored Shawnee Baptist Church since December of 2009. Pastor Delaney is the author of *Who Needs a Superhero? I'm a Youth Pastor, Loving the Lost*, and *Storm Proof*. He is also the creator of three Sunday School series for teens: *Stupid People of the Bible*, *S.T.R.I.V.E.*, and *P.U.S.H.*



Troy Dorrell is the Senior Pastor of Eastland Baptist Church in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Under Pastor Dorrell's leadership Eastland has grown to an average attendance of nine hundred and completed a five million dollar building expansion in 2008. Pastor Dorrell speaks in many churches each year on the topics of the family and the home.



Dr. Mike Edwards planted the Heritage Baptist Church in Washington D.C. in 1981. The church has since grown to an average attendance of seven hundred and has a Christian school with over three hundred students. Dr. Edwards preaches in many conferences across the country



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Alan Fong is the pastor of Heritage Baptist Church in San Leandro, California. Heritage Baptist Church has an aggressive soulwinning, outreach, and discipleship program and is experiencing the Lord's blessing both numerically and spiritually. Pastor Fong also serves on the cooperating board of the *Sword of the Lord*, and is an advisory member to West Coast Baptist College where his son is enrolled.



John Goetsch, Jr. has been the pastor of Faith Baptist Church in Yuma, Arizona, since May of 2009. Pastor Goetsch has a passion to reach the people of Yuma for God's glory. He and his wife, April, have been married for ten years, and they have four children—three daughters and a son



Ron Hamilton, "Patch the Pirate," is an internationally-known sacred music composer and soloist. He is best known for the Christian character-building recordings—*The Adventures of Patch the Pirate*—heard on over five-hundred radio outlets around the world. Ron Hamilton's humorous presentation style and his stirring personal testimony will encourage you to excel in your ministry.



Mrs. Shelly Hamilton ministers at Majesty Music as pianist, composer, arranger, and recording producer. She is experienced in instrumental arranging and in choral arranging of three and four-part choirs, ensembles, and children's choirs. Mrs. Hamilton has authored and compiled the three-volume *Hymnproviser Piano Series*—a comprehensive study of hymn playing improvisational techniques.



John Honeycutt has personally planted four churches in Metro Manila and partnered with over 500 National church planters to establish churches. In recent years, "doors" have opened to minister to Chinese and the Honeycutts spend the majority of their time on this focus now. He authored the *Journey* discipleship lessons used in over twenty countries.



Wayne Hardy became pastor of Bible Baptist Church in March 1999. Pastor Hardy was born in Charleston, South Carolina and was saved at age four. In 1984, he married Lisa, his high school sweetheart. They have three children: Daniel, Samuel, and Emmalee. Pastor Hardy serves as a director of Heartland Baptist Bible College.



Joshua Irmeler is the pastor of Ambassador Baptist Church in Fresno, California. Under his leadership the church has seen tremendous growth and is in the planning stages of building a new auditorium. Pastor Irmeler is a graduate of West Coast Baptist College.



Mark Irmeler has been involved in church planting and church restarts in the state of California for over two decades. Brother Irmeler now serves as a Church Planting Evangelist on the staff of the Ambassador Baptist Church as well as serving as the executive director of Fundamental Church Plants. Brother Irmeler also teaches classes on church planting at West Coast Baptist College.



Dr. Paul Kingsbury has been the senior pastor of North Love Baptist Church since 1982, with a congregation that has grown to nine hundred regular attending members. His ministry includes a private Christian school, Bible College, Bus Ministry, and is the home of *Reformers Unanimous*. He and his wife Dianne have twelve children, all of whom are serving Christ with their lives, as well as seven grandchildren.



Mrs. Becky Martin went to the Philippines with her husband, Rick, in 1977, and has been bringing children to Iloilo Baptist Church for over thirty years. She is the author of *To Cross the Widest Ocean*.



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Dr. Mike Norris is the pastor of the Franklin Road Baptist Church in Murfreesboro, Tennessee. Franklin Road Baptist Church supports 167 missionaries, ministering in many foreign countries, in excess of \$600,000 annually. Franklin Road Baptist Church is presently in a building program expanding their educational facility and nursery department.



Luis Parada has been the Spanish pastor of the First Baptist Church of Long Beach for over nineteen years. He was saved in America after fleeing civil war in his native country of El Salvador. Under his leadership, the Spanish department of First Baptist Church has grown from thirty to over 1,400 weekly.

Guest Workshop Speakers (cont.)



Tim Rasmussen has served at Faith Baptist Church of Canoga Park for the past thirteen years. Pastor Rasmussen has a tremendous burden for the San Fernando Valley, an area with a population of almost two million people which presently has very few independent, soulwinning Baptist churches.



Tim Rabon has been the senior pastor of Beacon Baptist Church since November 1, 1997. He and his wife, Sharon, have two sons and a daughter. God has blessed Beacon Baptist Church under his leadership and the attendance has doubled during these years. God continually blesses with souls saved, lives changed, and people developing a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.



Mike Ray has served as the pastor of Hopewell Baptist Church in Napa, California, for the last twenty-two years. Prior to that, he was a youth pastor for seven years in Louisiana. Pastor Ray and his wife Verna have five children.



Lou Rossi has preached in hundreds of revivals over the last twenty-five years. His unwavering burden has not diminished, and God has given him a great urgency and message to the churches of our nation. His anointed preaching emphasizes repentance, death to self, prayer, and the power of the Holy Spirit as the biblical way to a God-sent revival.



Tim Ruhl is the pastor of Pleasant Valley Baptist Church in Chico, California. He is the administrative president of Pleasant Valley Baptist Schools and directs Mount Zion Baptist Camp. Pastor Ruhl also teaches at Golden State Baptist College and is a popular conference speaker. His four grown children are graduates of West Coast Baptist College and are now serving in ministry.



Dr. Ezekiel Salazar began Montecito Baptist Church in California in 1979. Over fifty faithful servants have left Montecito to start their own churches and expand the gospel of the Lord. Montecito also supports over eighty missionaries across the globe, including China, Alaska, and Egypt.



Wayne Sehmish had been pastor of the Good Shepherd Baptist Church for twelve years when he felt God's call to Thailand to train national pastors and reach the lost. He has been there nearly three years. His goal is to set up a training place where he can train men and send them out.



Kurt Skelly has been the senior pastor of Harvest Baptist Church since 1996. By God's enablement, Harvest Baptist Church has seen remarkable growth and has twenty-eight acres of impressive grounds. Brother Skelly is an engaging Bible preacher, and a frequent speaker at youth camps and conferences, Bible colleges, and revival services in the United States and abroad.



Rick Stonestreet has been the pastor of Calvary Baptist Church since 1992. Under his leadership, the church has seen remarkable growth spiritually, as well as numerically. His love for the Lord and his burden for souls are the driving forces behind this dynamic ministry.



Dr. Dave Teis is the pastor of Liberty Baptist Church in Las Vegas, Nevada. Liberty Baptist Church is home to Liberty Baptist Academy, which recently celebrated its tenth year of operation. Liberty Baptist Church supports over 120 missions projects worldwide and gives nearly half a million dollars, yearly, to missions. Dr. Teis and his wife, Anna, have been married for thirty-two years and have five children.



Keith Thibo has pastored the Bay View Baptist Church of Washington, Illinois, since 1985. He is the founder of King's Kids International Baptist Mission and is the author of both the *King's Kids Club* and *TRAC* curriculums.



Dwight Tomlinson has been pastoring Liberty Baptist Church since 1990. Pastor Tomlinson is the author of two books entitled *Healing the Wounded Church* and *Healing the Wounded City*. He also co-authored *Sending Forth Laborers* with Pastor Paul Chappell of Lancaster Baptist Church.



Dr. Scott Tewell has been the senior pastor of Rosedale Baptist Church since 1997. He is also the President of Baltimore Christian College, a ministry of Rosedale Baptist Church.

Guest Workshop Speakers (cont.)



Scott Wendal is the senior and founding pastor of Valley Forge Baptist Temple in Collegeville, Pennsylvania. Valley Forge Baptist, located just outside of Philadelphia, has a growing missions program currently supporting over 165 missionaries and projects worldwide. By God's grace and power, the church family has experienced numerical and financial growth every year for over twenty-five years.



John Wilkerson became the pastor of First Baptist Church of Long Beach in June of 2000, after serving in the field of Christian education for eleven years. First Baptist Church is a very missions-hearted church that God has preserved for His honor and glory. He is a godly leader with a passion for souls.

Lay Workshop Speakers



John Alvarez—Layman, Deacon

Brother Alvarez and his family have been members of Lancaster Baptist Church since 1992. He serves as a deacon, one of the head ushers, and leads our church prayer ministry. Brother Alvarez is a Senior Field Service Engineer at Edwards Air Force Base.



Dave McCollum—Layman, Deacon

Brother McCollum works as a network administrator at Edwards Air Force Base. He and his family have been members of Lancaster Baptist Church since 1990, and he has served as a deacon for eighteen years. He is the director of the pre-teen department and oversees the Eagles ministry, an outreach to Edwards Air Force Base.



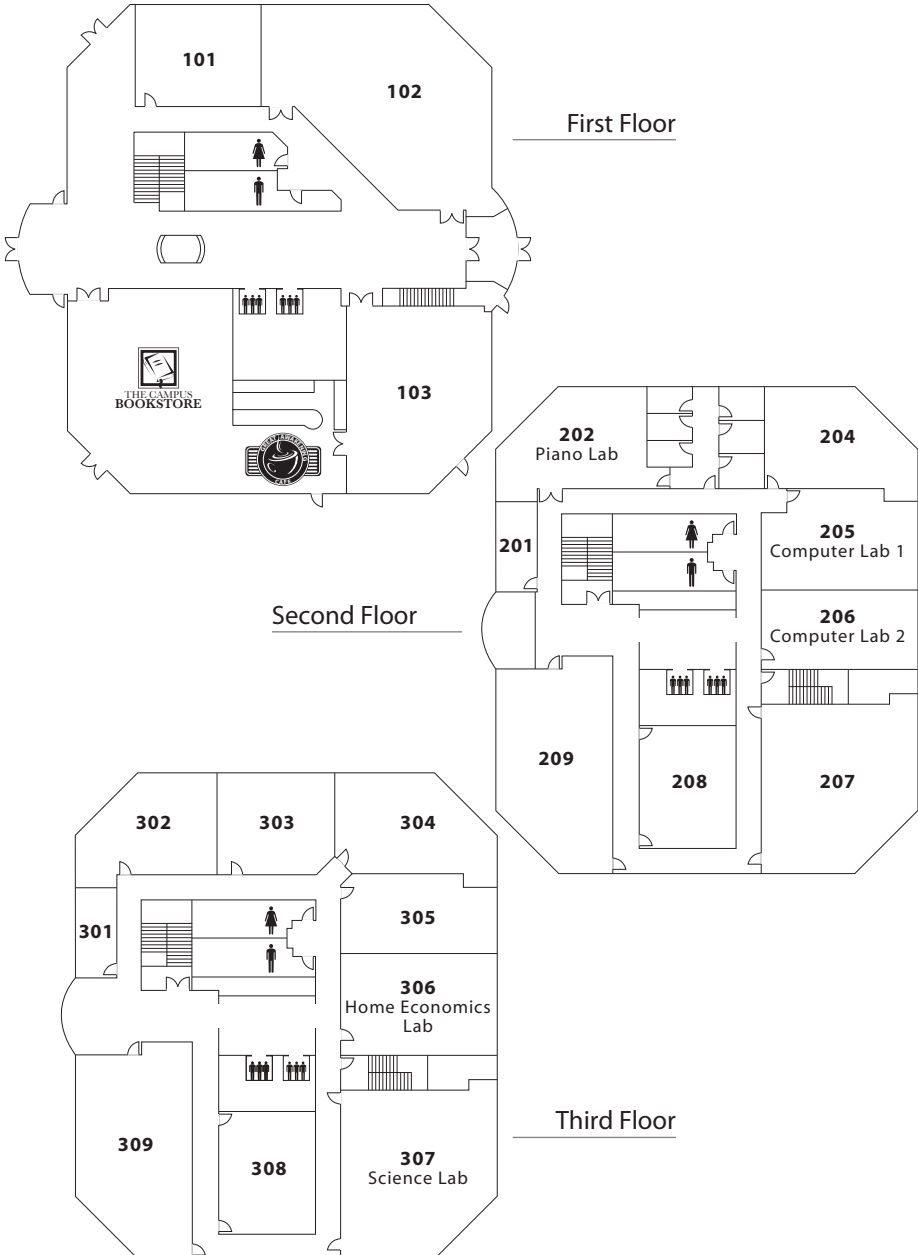
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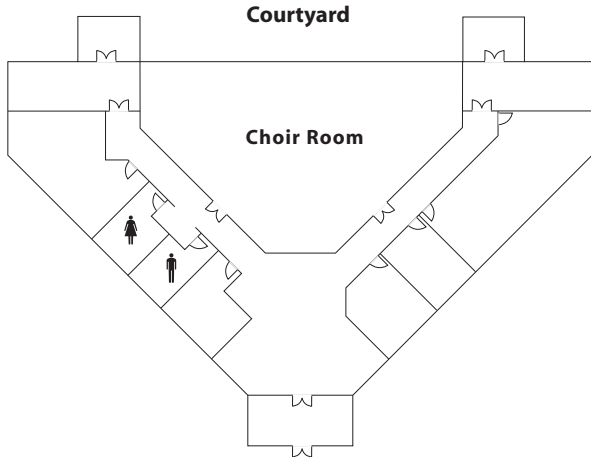
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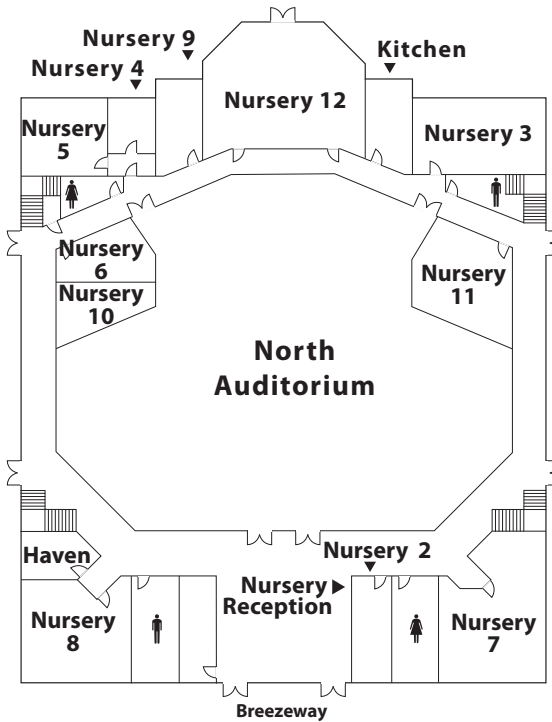
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If you are interested in a tour of the entire campus including the Revels Building, the Music and Administration Building, and pastoral offices, please meet Brother Peter Mordh on Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday at 3:30 PM by the WCBC display in the Student Life Center.



Displays

Stop by the 25th Anniversary Exposition Center (behind the Revels Building) for helpful ideas and ministry resources. The Exposition Center will be open before and after services and during meal times. Enjoy a cup of cold lemonade while you browse around.

Dorm Shuttle

Complimentary shuttle-van transportation to the Stater Brothers and WalMart shopping centers will be available for those staying in the dorms on Monday–Thursday evenings as follows:

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- 5:30 PM pick up at Stater Brothers Plaza
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Technical Ministry Tour

If you are interested in a tour of the sound, video, and projection facilities, please meet Brother Larry Chappell and Brother Robert Brunner in the Main Auditorium lobby at 3:30 PM on Wednesday.

Conference Meals

Meal Schedule	Day	Time	Location
Senior Pastors' Wives Luncheon	Tuesday	12:00 PM	N. Aud.
WCBC Alumni Luncheon	Wednesday	12:00 PM	N. Aud.
Registered Delegate Breakfast	Tues–Thurs	7:30 AM	SLC
Registered Delegate Lunch A	Tues–Thurs	12:00 PM	SLC
Registered Delegate Lunch B	Tues–Thurs	12:45 PM	SLC
West Coast Café	Mon–Thurs	Following Services	DH-1

Senior Pastors' Wives Luncheon

The registered senior pastors' wives and registered wives of missionaries are invited to join Mrs. Terrie Chappell for a luncheon Tuesday at 12:00 PM in the North Auditorium.

WCBC Alumni Luncheon

The West Coast Baptist College alumni are invited to a luncheon with Pastor Chappell, Dr. John Goetsch, and Dr. Mark Rasmussen in the North Auditorium on Wednesday at 12:00 PM.

Meals for Registered Delegates

For registered delegates, complimentary continental breakfast and lunch will be served at the following times Tuesday through Thursday in the Student Life Center. Only those wearing a name tag or possessing a meal ticket will be served.

Continental Breakfast

7:30 AM–8:20 AM

Lunch A

12:00 PM–12:45 PM

Lunch B

12:45 PM–1:30 PM

Meal Tickets

For non-registered delegates, meal tickets may be purchased on Monday at registration for the entire week for \$25 or at the SLC during mealtimes for \$5 per meal.

Conference Refreshments

Coffee Station

Complimentary coffee will be available from 7:30 AM–8:30 AM Tuesday–Thursday mornings in the East Guest Services Center.

Cooling Stations

Complimentary bottles of water will be available each day from 10:00 AM–4:00 PM throughout the conference at the cooling stations.

West Coast Café

The West Coast Café, located in Dining Hall 1, includes hamburgers, cheeseburgers, chili dogs, nachos, curly fries, and drinks and will be open each evening after the services.

Great Awakening Café

Hours

Monday	8:00 AM–11:00 PM
Tuesday–Thursday	6:30 AM–11:00 PM
Friday	7:30 AM–9:00 PM
Saturday	9:00 AM–6:00 PM

Location

The Great Awakening Café is located adjacent to the Campus Bookstore in the Revels Building.

Menu

Over twenty hot and cold varieties of drinks are available, including coffee, fountain drinks, smoothies, and lattes ranging from \$1.25–\$4.50. Cheese sticks, pastries, muffins, and other snack items are also available and range from \$.50–\$2.00.

Conference Childcare

Daytime Childcare

Childcare for infants through sixth grade is provided for **paid delegates only**. Childcare begins Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday at 8:15 AM and will end following the last session. Children will be fed snacks and lunch. Any children on a special diet or with allergies will need to be fed by parents. No peanut products will be served in the classrooms. Please register your children in the lobby of the North Auditorium.

Birth–5 year olds

Please check your birth–5 year olds in at the nursery registration counter in the North Auditorium.

Elementary

- 1st–2nd grade Mod. D-1
- 3rd–4th grade Mod. D-3
- 5th–6th grade Mod. E-3

Children with Special Needs

- 3 yrs–13 yrs the Haven



Evening Childcare

Childcare for the evening services is provided beginning at 6:15 each evening for infants through sixth grade in the locations listed below.

Birth–5 year olds

Please check your birth–5 year olds in at the nursery registration counter in the North Auditorium.

Primary Church

- 1st–2nd grade girls Mod. D-1
- 1st–2nd grade boys Mod. D-2
- 3rd–4th grade girls Mod. D-3
- 3rd–4th grade boys Mod. E-1
- 5th–6th grade girls Mod. E-2
- 5th–6th grade boys Mod. E-3

Children with Special Needs

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Teen Activity to Mulligans

Schedule

Wednesday, July 13

2:30 PM • Meet in the breezeway

6:00 PM • Arrive back at the church

Cost

The cost is included in the registration fee. If your teen did not register for the conference, the cost is \$15.00 and can be paid when they meet for the activity. All teens need to bring additional money for dinner.

Dress

The dress is casual—jean skirts for the ladies and jeans for the guys.

What to Expect

A fun time of miniature golf, a mini 500 raceway, bumper boats, batting cages, a grand arcade, and lasertag!



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Name: _____

Church/City: _____

How did you hear about the conference? _____

What was the most helpful session to you? _____

What sessions would you like to hear in the future? _____

Comments: _____

Do You Have a Question?

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With that in mind, it's a joy to introduce a new effort to encourage and strive together with these servant leaders—The Spiritual Leadership Podcast. This podcast is published once per month and there is no cost to subscribe.



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- Updates and information on new Striving Together resources

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I pray that this podcast will encourage, equip, and edify you for the work that Christ has called you to do. This podcast comes from the heart of a local church ministry. Thank you for striving together for the faith of the Gospel!

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Hours

Monday

8:00 AM–11:00 PM

closed during the service

Tuesday–Thursday

6:30 AM–11:00 PM

closed during the evening services



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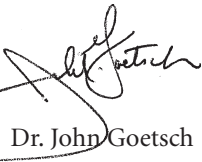
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It is a joy to welcome you to the Spiritual Leadership Conference. For a quarter of a century, under the leadership of Pastor Chappell, the Lancaster Baptist Church has endeavored to pray, work hard, and trust God for the increase. What the Lord has done in these twenty-five years is marvelous to us and for that we give all the glory to God.

It is our prayer that this conference in the desert will serve as a spiritual oasis for you and provide resources that will enhance your spiritual life and equip you for ministry in the days ahead. This is no time to sit on our successes, but rather recommit ourselves to the vast harvest fields of the world. We serve a God “that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us” (Ephesians 3:20).

It is our prayer that you will be encouraged, edified, and energized during these days with us. Thank you for coming. We look forward to serving you.

Sincerely,



Dr. John Goetsch
Executive Vice President
West Coast Baptist College

WCBC 2011–2012 Calendar

Fall Semester Opening Week

August 29–September 2, 2011

College Days

November 3–5, 2011

College days are designed to give your high school juniors and seniors the opportunity to experience WCBC. Meet our pastor, faculty, and students; visit classes, attend college chapel, and participate in various events and activities planned for three days of college life.

Interview Days

November 17–18, 2011

Two days are set aside for pastors to meet and interview the graduating class of 2012.

Winter Classic Basketball Tournament

January 17–20, 2012

WCBC Music Conference

February 16–18, 2012

This three-day seminar hosted by West Coast Baptist College is designed to train and equip your music director and musicians.



Youth Conference

April 11–13, 2012

Bring your young people for three action-packed days. The opening service is Wednesday at 7:00 PM, and the conference ends Friday at noon. Your teens will be challenged from God's Word to make a difference for the cause of Christ.

Graduation Week

May 7–9, 2012

Join us for our graduation week events, which include the Student Preaching Contest final round, the Spring Music Concert, the Baccalaureate service, the final chapel service of the semester, and the 2012 Commencement Exercises.

Summer Camps

Seventh through twelfth graders, sharpen your skills at basketball, volleyball, and music, or learn how to preach. You will grow spiritually and enjoy five days of fun activities.

Music Camp—June 11–15, 2012

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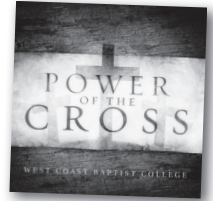
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WCBC Music

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West Coast Baptist Fine Arts

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Growing through Adversity

By Dr. Paul Chappell

2 Corinthians 12:7-10

“7 And lest I should be exalted above measure through the abundance of the revelations, there was given to me a thorn in the flesh, the messenger of Satan to buffet me, lest I should be exalted above measure. 8 For this thing I besought the Lord thrice, that it might depart from me. 9 And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness. Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me. 10 Therefore I take pleasure in infirmities, in reproaches, in necessities, in persecutions, in distresses for Christ’s sake: for when I am weak, then am I strong.”

Deuteronomy 10:17

For the LORD your God is God of gods, and Lord of lords, a great God, a mighty, and a terrible, which regardeth not persons, nor taketh reward.

2 Timothy 3:12

Yea, and all that will live godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution.

“There hath no temptation taken you but such as is common to man: but God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear it” (1 Corinthians 10:13).

1. The _____ of Adversity

A. Because of _____ Warfare

B. Because of _____ Weakness

Sickness

Fatigue

“In weariness and painfulness, in watchings often, in hunger and thirst, in fastings often, in cold and nakedness. Beside those things that are without, that which cometh upon me daily, the care of all the churches” (2 Corinthians 11:27-28).

2 Timothy 4:10

For Demas hath forsaken me, having loved this present world...

Matthew 5:11-12

Blessed are ye, when men shall revile you, and persecute you, and shall say all manner of evil against you falsely, for my sake. Rejoice, and be exceedingly glad: for great is your reward in heaven...

Matthew 5:44

But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, And persecute you;

Colossians 4:6

Let your speech be alway with grace, seasoned with salt...

Luke 4:22

And all bare him witness, and wondered at the gracious words which proceeded out of his mouth...

C. Because of _____ Challenges**D. Because of _____ Discouragement****Attrition****Financial burdens****Criticism**

All you have to do to make some Christian people angry with you is to become a failure or a success. When you know more, do more, or have more, people hate you. The Christian world is looking for leaders who are brilliantly mediocre.

QUOTE: “A critic is someone who points out how imperfectly other people do what the critic does not do at all!”—**Unknown**

Five Ways to Develop a Spirit of Grace in Your Church

1. Seek the filling of the Holy Spirit as a pastor.
2. Avoid crudeness in the pulpit.
3. Don't retaliate when you are attacked.
4. Forgive when you are mistreated.
5. Don't bring ministerial battles to your pulpit.

2. The _____ for Adversity**A. The _____ of God**

“But rejoice, inasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ's sufferings; that, when his glory shall be revealed, ye may be glad also with exceeding joy. If ye be reproached for the name of Christ, happy are ye; for the spirit of glory and of God resteth upon you: on their part he is evil spoken of, but on your part he is glorified” (1 Peter 4:13-14).

1 Samuel 30:6

And David was greatly distressed...but David encouraged himself in the LORD his God.

Psalm 119:71

It is good for me that I have been afflicted; that I might learn thy statutes.

2 Timothy 2:3

Thou therefore endure hardness, as a good soldier of Jesus Christ.

Job 23:10

But he knoweth the way that I take: when he hath tried me, I shall come forth as gold.

Ephesians 1:6

To the praise of the glory of his grace, wherein he hath made us accepted in the beloved.

Luke 22:42

Saying, Father, if thou be willing, remove this cup from me: nevertheless not my will, but thine, be done.

B. The _____ of His Servant

Preaching is not the performance of an hour. It is the outflow of a life. If the preacher grows the sermons grow.

QUOTE: “God whispers to us in our pleasures, speaks in our conscience, but shouts in our pains: it is His megaphone to rouse a deaf world.”

—C.S. Lewis

We must hear His Word.

QUOTE: “Suffering so unbolts the door of the heart, that the Word hath easier entrance.”

—Richard Baxter

We must trust His way.

Suffering reminds us of our inability to control life.

Satan wishes to destroy our faith through suffering; God desires to refine it.

We must rest in His sovereignty.

Four Guidelines Regarding Trials or Closed Doors

1. God is sovereign—in control.
2. Being in full control, God takes full responsibility for results.
3. The closing of a good opportunity often leads to a better one.
4. Only when we walk through the better door, will we realize the necessity of the previously closed one.

We must find our identity in Christ.

C. The _____ of God’s Will

QUOTE: “I am afraid that all the grace that I have got of my comfortable and easy times and happy hours, might almost lie on a penny. But the good that I have received from my sorrows, and pains, and griefs, is altogether incalculable... Affliction is

Philippians 3:10
That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death;

the best bit of furniture in my house. It is the best book in a minister's library."—**C.H. Spurgeon**

D. The _____ of Priorities

E. The _____ of His Work

“But I would ye should understand, brethren, that the things which happened unto me have fallen out rather unto the furtherance of the gospel” (Philippians 1:12).

F. The _____ of Your Vision

Opportunity does not equal obligation.

G. To Increase Our Burden for _____

3. The _____ to Adversity

“Rejoice in the Lord always: and again I say, Rejoice. Let your moderation be known unto all men. The Lord is at hand. Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God. And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus. Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things” (Philippians 4:4–8).

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

Turn every care into a prayer.

Isaiah 26:3-4

Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth in thee. Trust ye in the LORD for ever: for in the LORD JEHOVAH is everlasting strength:

D. _____

Worry is a mental state you actively or passively accept.

E. _____

Conclusion

Lord,

Today, I want to PRAISE You because Your sacrifice for me is immeasurable, and Your love for me is unfathomable. I praise You because You are merciful and faithful to me.

Today, I want to express POISE, real moderation and peaceableness because You are sovereign and You are at hand. With poise, I want to model joy in ministry and family life. Help me not to persist in worry, but to live peaceably. Remind me to place rest and margin on my schedule that I may hear Your voice.

Today, I want to PRAY with supplication for Your power and filling. I recon myself, my tendencies, my past, present, and future to You because of the cross. I ask You to help me make this world less to me, and Your power to dominate my heart. I thank You for saving me and providing for me. I thank You for a loving family and the privilege to serve You.

Today, I pray for the PEACE that passes all understanding. Give me peace that comes from a proper vision of You and faith in Your sovereignty. Help me to sleep well.

Today, I want to practice POSITIVE thinking of that which is pure, lovely, and true. I ask You to renew my mind today through Your Word.

Strengthen the Things that Remain

By Dr. Paul Chappell

Revelation 3:2-3

"2 Be watchful, and strengthen the things which remain, that are ready to die: for I have not found thy works perfect before God. 3 Remember therefore how thou hast received and heard, and hold fast, and repent. If therefore thou shalt not watch, I will come on thee as a thief, and thou shalt not know what hour I will come upon thee."

Seven Steps to Strengthen the Things that Remain...

1. Our Conviction for _____

A. In Our _____ Lives

Carry Gospel tracts.

Schedule times for witnessing.

Keep a list of prospects.

Invite unsaved people for fellowship.

B. In Our _____ Life

Keep the main thing the main thing.

Preach about soulwinning.

Schedule soulwinning times.

Acts 20:20

...and have taught you publicly, and from house to house.

Matthew 28:19

Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost:

2 Corinthians 6:14

*Be ye not unequally
yoked together with
unbelievers...*

Romans 16:17

*Now I beseech you,
brethren, mark them
which cause divisions
and offences contrary
to the doctrine which
ye have learned; and
avoid them.*

Amos 3:3

*Can two walk together,
except they be agreed?*

Proverbs 13:10

*Only by pride cometh
contention: but with
the well advised is
wisdom.*

Psalms 133:1

*Behold, how good and
how pleasant it is
for brethren to dwell
together in unity!*

2. Our Conviction for Ecclesiastical _____

We all agree in some form of ecclesiastical separation.

Sometimes, Christians are commanded to separate from other Christians.

A. Your _____ Platform

“For if the trumpet give an uncertain sound, who shall prepare himself to the battle?”

(1 Corinthians 14:8).

B. Your _____ Platform

“And this I pray, that your love may abound yet more and more in knowledge and in all judgment; That ye may approve things that are excellent; that ye may be sincere and without offence till the day of Christ” (Philippians 1:9–10).

3. Our Conviction against Foolish Questions and _____

“But foolish and unlearned questions avoid, knowing that they do gender strifes”

(2 Timothy 2:23–24).

A. Avoid a _____ Spirit.

“Charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up, Doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not her own, is not easily provoked, thinketh no evil; Rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth; Beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things” (1 Corinthians 13:4–7).

Luke 15:1-2

Then drew near unto him all the publicans and sinners for to hear him. And the Pharisees and scribes murmured, saying, This man receiveth sinners, and eateth with them.

1 Corinthians 3:4

For while one saith, I am of Paul; and another, I am of Apollos; are ye not carnal?

1 Corinthians 11:17-18

Now in this that I declare unto you I praise you not, that ye come together not for the better, but for the worse. For first of all, when ye come together in the church, I hear that there be divisions among you; and I partly believe it.

Romans 14:16

Let not then your good be evil spoken of...

1 Thessalonians 5:22

Abstain from all appearance of evil.

1 Peter 5:6

Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you in due time:

B. Avoid the _____ of the Pharisaical.

C. Avoid _____ and Marginalizing.

“A sound heart is the life of the flesh: but envy the rottenness of the bones” (Proverbs 14:30).

D. Avoid Separation over a _____ or preference.

QUOTE: “Every sincere Christian should be governed by Bible principles, and not personalities or preferences.”—**Curtis Hutson**, *Unnecessary Divisions amongst Fundamentalists*

There are tremendous dangers when we elevate our preferences to the level of theology.

4. Our Conviction to Strengthen Our _____ for Purity

A. Preach the Importance of the _____-Filled Life.

B. Avoid the _____ of Evil.

C. Establish Clear Workers _____.

D. Have Thorough _____ for Hiring.

5. Our Conviction for _____ Young Pastors

A. Model Godly _____ in Ministry.

*1 Timothy 6:20-21
O Timothy, keep that
which is committed
to thy trust, avoiding
profane and vain
babblings, and
oppositions of science
falsely so called: which
some professing have
erred concerning the
faith. Grace be with
thee. Amen.*

B. Support Decisions with _____.

C. Admit _____.

D. Allow for _____ that Don't Violate Your Convictions.

QUOTE: "Sometimes veteran leaders see new and different techniques and interpret them as new and different values."—**R.B. Ouellette**

E. Seek to _____ Their Young Family.

F. Fear the _____.

6. Our Conviction to Strengthen Our _____ in Ministry

A. _____ for Pastors in Your State.

QUOTE: "Men spurn our appeals, reject our messages, oppose our arguments, despise our persons, but they are helpless against our prayers."—**S. Baxter**

B. Go to Them _____ with Your Concerns.

C. Take a Pastor to _____.

D. Allow a Pastor to _____.

QUOTE: "As the years went by and we studied more, we changed our position, and we now preach the premillennial return of Christ, as well as the resurrection of the dead. I admitted that I was wrong with some of my doctrinal teaching."
—**Curtis Hutson**

E. Send a _____ Certificate.

7. Our Conviction to Strengthen Our _____ for the Future

Philippians 4:9
Those things, which ye have both learned, and received, and heard, and seen in me, do: and the God of peace shall be with you.

Acts 13:2
...the Holy Ghost said, Separate me Barnabas and Saul for the work whereunto I have called them.

A. Training _____

B. Starting _____

“For this cause left I thee in Crete, that thou shouldst set in order the things that are wanting, and ordain elders in every city, as I had appointed thee” (Titus 1:5).

C. Sending _____

The greatness of your church is not determined by its size, but by its reach.

D. Seeking _____

“Wilt thou not revive us again: that thy people may rejoice in thee?” (Psalm 85:6).

QUOTE: “I don’t have to keep the light burning, I just have to keep the globe clean.”

—Dr. Bobby Roberson

Conclusion

It’s up to us. Will we continue to destroy or will we begin to rebuild?

Effective 2:2 Ministry

By Dr. Paul Chappell

2 Timothy 2:2

“2 And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.”

1 Timothy 4:16

Take heed unto thyself, and unto the doctrine; continue in them...

Matthew 5:8

Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God.

2 Timothy 4:2

Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine.

Paul challenged Timothy to take heed to his own testimony.

The preacher is the sermon. You cannot separate the character and conduct of the preacher from the message.

Life is always lived from the inside out.

When the heart is pure, the vision is clear.

Paul Challenged Timothy to Fight the Good Fight of Faith.

“For the love of money is the root of all evil: which while some coveted after, they have erred from the faith, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows. But thou, O man of God, flee these things; and follow after righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, meekness. Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, whereunto thou art also called, and hast professed a good profession before many witnesses” (1 Timothy 6:10–12).

Paul Challenged Timothy to Preach the Word.

Paul Challenged Timothy to Commit Truth to the Next Generation.

Hence, 2:2 Ministry requires a long-term commitment...

1. Committed to the Truth of God's _____

1 Timothy 4:16

Take heed unto thyself, and unto the doctrine...

2 Timothy 2:15

Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.

Colossians 1:9

...do not cease to pray for you, and to desire that ye might be filled with the knowledge of his will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding;

1 Corinthians 9:16

For though I preach the gospel, I have nothing to glory of: for necessity is laid upon me; yea, woe is unto me, if I preach not the gospel!

A. Committed to _____

QUOTE: “Brethren, if you are not theologians you are in your pastorates just nothing at all. You may be fine rhetoricians, and be rich in polished sentences; but without knowledge of the Gospel, and aptness to teach it, you are but a sounding brass and a tinkling cymbal.”—**C.H. Spurgeon**

QUOTE: “Some brethren have done with their text as soon as they have read it. Having paid all due honour to that particular passage by announcing it, they feel no necessity further to refer to it.”

—**C.H. Spurgeon**

B. Committed to _____

Begin with the text.

For the rest of his life, a pastor will find himself getting ready for Sunday. No man in the active ministry ever escapes from that burden.

Study the context.

The business of the prophet is to fill the pulpit, not the pews.

C. Committed to _____ and Meditation

Preachers are men of meditation. It was said of Joseph, “Behold, this dreamer cometh.”

2. Committed to the _____ of God's Word

A. From a Burdened _____

Acts 5:42

And daily in the temple, and in every house, they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ.

Ephesians 4:12

For the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ:

Acts 20:20

...have taught you publicly, and from house to house,

Romans 1:15-16

So, as much as in me is, I am ready to preach the gospel to you that are at Rome also. For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek.

Acts 6:7

And the word of God increased; and the number of the disciples multiplied in Jerusalem greatly...

B. In the _____ of God

QUOTE: “The preacher has more to do with the Spirit of the Ages than with the spirit of the age.”

—**Keith Knauss**, *Heartbeats of the Holy*

“And the servant of the Lord must not strive; but be gentle unto all men, apt to teach, patient” (2 Timothy 2:24).

C. For the _____ of God

Every member is a minister.

3. Committed to Reaching Others through _____

A. _____

Soulwinning is better caught than taught.

It is only as we develop others around us that we permanently succeed.

Tips for Your Soulwinning Program

1. Cultivate the field with mailers and media.
2. Have two enrollment periods annually.
3. Vary the approach.
4. Have a brief challenge.
5. Work at assigning partners.
6. Keep prospect lists.

B. _____

C. _____

4. Committed to Multiplication through _____

Titus 1:5

For this cause left I thee in Crete, that thou shouldest set in order the things that are wanting...

2 Peter 3:18

But grow in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ....

Acts 17:11

These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the scriptures daily, whether those things were so.

A. Through Adult Bible Study _____

A dream without a plan is a wish.

Contact every first-time visitor.

Enroll every adult visitor into a class.

Provide a loving and accepting atmosphere.

The post-modern great commandment is “whatever.”

Acceptance is the optimum environment for growth.

B. Through One-On-One _____

Enroll new believers into a class.

Train disciplers within the class.

Start meetings by reviewing the past week’s study.

Conclusion



The Preaching of Paul

Scott Tewell

ACTS 17:1-4—*Now when they had passed through Amphipolis and Apollonia, they came to Thessalonica, where was a synagogue of the Jews: And Paul, as his manner was, went in unto them, and three sabbath days reasoned with them out of the scriptures, Opening and alleging, that Christ must needs have suffered, and risen again from the dead; and that this Jesus, whom I preach unto you, is Christ. And some of them believed, and consorted with Paul and Silas; and of the devout Greeks a great multitude, and of the chief women not a few.*

Introduction: _____

I. The _____ of his ministry

ACTS 9:20

And straightway he preached Christ in the synagogues, that he is the Son of God.

ACTS 13:5

And when they were at Salamis, they preached the word of God in the synagogues of the Jews: and they had also John to their minister.

LUKE 4:16

And he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up: and, as his custom was, he went into the synagogue on the sabbath day, and stood up for to read.

II. The _____ of his message

ACTS 28:23

And when they had appointed him a day, there came many to him into his lodging; to whom he expounded and testified the kingdom of God, persuading them concerning Jesus, both out of the law of Moses, and out of the prophets, from morning till evening.

A. The _____ of his sermons

1. _____

MATTHEW 5:1-2

And seeing the multitudes, he went up into a mountain: and when he was set, his disciples came unto him: And he opened his mouth, and taught them, saying,

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

I THESSALONIANS 2:11

As ye know how we exhorted and comforted and charged every one of you, as a father doth his children,

6. _____

7. _____

8. _____

ACTS 17:17

Therefore disputed he in the synagogue with the Jews, and with the devout persons, and in the market daily with them that met with him.

9. _____

ACTS 20:20

And how I kept back nothing that was profitable unto you, but have shewed you, and have taught you publickly, and from house to house,

10. _____

ACTS 21:28

Crying out, Men of Israel, help: This is the man, that teacheth all men every where against the people, and the law, and this place: and further brought Greeks also into the temple, and hath polluted this holy place.

11. _____

COLOSSIANS 1:27

To whom God would make known what is the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles; which is Christ in you, the hope of glory:

12. _____

13. _____

14. _____

ACTS 28:23

And when they had appointed him a day, there came many to him into his lodging; to whom he expounded and testified the kingdom of God, persuading them concerning Jesus, both out of the law of Moses, and out of the prophets, from morning till evening.

B. The _____ of his sermons

1 PETER 1:5

Feed the flock of God which is among you, taking the oversight thereof, not by constraint, but willingly; not for filthy lucre, but of a ready mind;

MATTHEW 4:4

But he answered and said, It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.

C. The _____ of his sermons

LUKE 24:27-32

And beginning at Moses and all the prophets, he expounded unto them in all the scriptures the things concerning himself.

And they drew nigh unto the village, whither they went: and he made as though he would have gone further. But they constrained him, saying, Abide with us: for it is toward evening, and the day is far spent. And he went in to tarry with them. And it came to pass, as he sat at meat with them, he took bread, and blessed it, and brake, and gave to them. And their eyes were opened, and they knew him; and he vanished out of their sight. And they said one to another, Did not our heart burn within us, while he talked with us by the way, and while he opened to us the scriptures?

D. The _____ of his sermons

ACTS 20:27

For I have not shunned to declare unto you all the counsel of God.

ACTS 28:23

And when they had appointed him a day, there came many to him into his lodging; to whom he expounded and testified the kingdom of God, persuading them concerning Jesus, both out of the law of Moses, and out of the prophets, from morning till evening.

III. The _____ of his methods

Conclusion: _____

Ministering with Compassion

John Wilkerson

MATTHEW 9:36–38

But when he saw the multitudes, he was moved with compassion on them, because they fainted, and were scattered abroad, as sheep having no shepherd. Then saith he unto his disciples, The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few; Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest.

JUDE 22

And of some have compassion, making a difference:

Introduction: _____

“Compassion is _____ in action.” —**Oswald Smith**

I. Begins with a _____.

A. God—_____

B. Yourself—_____

C. People—_____

II. _____ a sense of urgency

III. Breaks our _____.

IV. _____ us to pray.

V. Bait the _____ of others.

VI. _____ further eternal opportunities.

VII. Brings a _____.

Conclusion: _____

Growing Through Transitions in Ministry Leadership

Dave Delaney

Introduction: _____

I. _____ for Transitions:

- A. Health
 - B. Workload
 - C. Growth and Glory of God
- _____
- _____
- _____

II. _____ of Transitioning:

- A. Identify your Timothy
 - B. Prepare
 - C. Timing/ To Early, To Late
 - D. Finances
 - E. Let it go!
- _____
- _____
- _____

III. _____ During the Transition:

- A. Focus on People First
- B. Tag your Mentors
- C. Crystal Clear
- D. Leave the Legacy Intact
- E. Staff Retention

Conclusion: _____

Leading the Church Staff

Mike Norris

Introduction: _____

- I. _____ —**All staff members are assistants to the Pastor**
 - A. The staff member is responsible to the Pastor's position
 - B. The best thing a staff member can do is ask, "Pastor is there anything I can do for you today?"
 - C. The Pastor cannot implement the changes his church needs without the staff's help.

- II. _____ —**All staff members should strive to become professionals in their area of ministry**
 - A. Make changes to become the best.
 - B. Don't ride the coat tails of another successful staff member or drag your feet.
 - C. Every staff members needs to be a go-to-guy, not a dude.

- III. _____ of _____ —**All staff members get a piece of the pie**

- A. When success occurs in the ministry everyone benefits
- B. Financially, spiritually, and joyfully

Conclusion: _____

Effectively Overseeing the Ministry of the Local Church

Scott Wendal

ACTS 20:17-28

And from Miletus he sent to Ephesus, and called the elders of the church. And when they were come to him, he said unto them, Ye know, from the first day that I came into Asia, after what manner I have been with you at all seasons, Serving the Lord with all humility of mind, and with many tears, and temptations, which befell me by the lying in wait of the Jews: And how I kept back nothing that was profitable unto you, but have shewed you, and have taught you publickly, and from house to house, Testifying both to the Jews, and also to the Greeks, repentance toward God, and faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ. And now, behold, I go bound in the spirit unto Jerusalem, not knowing the things that shall befall me there: Save that the Holy Ghost witnesseth in every city, saying that bonds and afflictions abide me. But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that I might finish my course with joy, and the ministry, which I have received of the Lord Jesus, to testify the gospel of the grace of God. And now, behold, I know that ye all, among whom I have gone preaching the kingdom of God, shall see my face no more. Wherefore I take you to record this day, that I am pure from the blood of all men. For I have not shunned to declare unto you all the counsel of God. Take heed therefore unto yourselves, and to all the flock, over the which the Holy Ghost hath made you overseers, to feed the church of God, which he hath purchased with his own blood.

Introduction: _____

I. Serve the Lord with _____
Be Humble or Be Humbled!

- A. When I Remember How Big God is.
- B. When I Remember how Small I am.

II. Serve the Lord without Prejudice

God does not have Prejudice Heart—follow His Example!

III. Serve the Lord by Preaching a Clear Salvation Message

Keep the Main Thing the Main Thing!

- A. Repentance toward God.
- B. Faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ

IV. Serve the Lord with a Clear Conscience

God will not convict you twice of a sin you've confessed once!

- A. Do _____.
- B. Don't Hold _____.

V. Preach the Whole Counsel of God

Let your preaching be a Full Seven Course Meal!

VI. Guard your Walk with God—_____

God promises success to "Bible Meditators,"

VII. Guard God's flock

Stay in the Battle until the day you die!

- A. From the Outside
- B. From the Inside

VIII. Serve the Lord with Diligence and _____

The success of your ministry is not the size of your church, but the countenance of your wife's face and the respect of your children.

IX. Serve the Lord without being _____

Be Honest. Be Content. Stay out of Debt!

X. Serve the Lord with Compassion

Be giving. Be generous. And you will be Blessed!

XI. Bathe your ministry in _____

Little is much when God is in it!

Acts 20:37–38

The Miletus Message—Never forget it. God's instructions for a _____!

Conclusion: _____

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Leading Multiple Ministries Under the Same Local Church

Tim Rabon

Introduction: _____

1. As a _____, leadership is _____ we are.
2. “Leadership is the skills of _____ people to _____ work toward goals identified as being for the common _____, with _____ that inspires _____”—James C. Hunter, *The World’s Most Powerful Leadership Principle*.
3. As a pastor of a _____ church, it requires that you work to _____ the talents, _____, abilities, _____, and weaknesses of individual team members into that which is _____ than the _____ of every part.
4. Our God is the _____ of such _____
—Ecclesiastes 4:9–12; I Corinthians 12:4–14.

T _____ Every Ministry into the Same

_____.

1. The _____ is born in the _____ of the pastor, but it must be _____ to every team member and they must _____ to the vision.
2. It is _____ that there be _____.

PHILIPPIANS 2:18–21

For the same cause also do you joy, and rejoice with me. But I trust in the Lord Jesus to send Timotheus shortly unto you, that I also may be of good comfort, when I know your state. For I have no man likeminded, who will naturally care for your state. For all seek their own, not the things which are Jesus Christ’s.

E _____ **Each Team Leader in the**

_____.

1. Just as David needed his hand _____ in the _____ hand, every member of your _____ needs to be _____ from time to time—I Samuel 23:14–18.
2. Encourage through your _____.
3. Encourage through your _____.

A _____ **To the _____ of Every Member.**

1. Be aware of both their _____ and _____.

ROMANS 12:15

Rejoice with them that do rejoice, and weep with them that weep.

2. Notice any _____ change in any team _____.

M _____ **By Walking** _____.

1. Every good _____ must learn how to _____ as well.
2. You must manage the _____, _____, and _____.

W _____ **With Everyone on the** _____.

1. Set a good _____ of including everyone as you _____ forward in the ministry.

2. Even though you _____ your fellow laborer's _____ and _____ better than anyone else, you must still _____

ROMANS 12:10

Be kindly affectioned one to another with brotherly love; in honour preferring one another.

O _____ **For Best** _____.

1. Always _____ that your _____ of organization does not just _____ you.
2. You _____ organize your _____ and _____.
3. Organized people _____ organization and unorganized people _____ it.

R _____ **Properly To** _____.

1. As a church grows, things will _____. These are not changes of _____ the _____, or standards, but changes of _____ of ministry.
2. Most of the _____, it is not the change that people _____, but it is the _____ of making a change.
3. It is _____ that you do _____ resist _____ change.

II CORINTHIANS 3:18

But we all, with open face beholding as in a glass the glory of the Lord, are changed into the same image from glory to glory, even as by the Spirit of the Lord.

K _____ **Your** _____ **Heart.**

1. _____ to be a _____ yourself.

MATTHEW 20:26-28

But it shall not be so among you: but whosoever will be great among you, let him be your minister; And whosoever will be chief among you, let him be your servant: Even as the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom for many.

PHILIPPIANS 2:3-4

Let nothing be done through strife or vainglory; but in lowliness of mind let each esteem other better than themselves. Look not every man on his own things, but every man also on the things of others.

COLOSSIANS 3:22-24

Servants, obey in all things your masters according to the flesh; not with eyeservice, as menpleasers; but in singleness of heart, fearing God: And whatsoever ye do, do it heartily, as to the Lord, and not unto men; Knowing that of the Lord ye shall receive the reward of the inheritance: for ye serve the Lord Christ.

2. Continually _____ the _____ of Christ.

PHILIPPIANS 2:5-8

Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus: Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God: But made himself of no reputation, and took upon him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men: And being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross.

Conclusion: _____

Ideas for Growing your Preaching and Teaching Skills

John Goetsch

2 TIMOTHY 4:2—*“Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine.”*

Introduction: _____

Ten principles to help us grow our preaching and teaching:

I. Capture the _____.

- A. Read your Scripture with authority and interpretation!
- B. Summarize your Scripture with a strong declarative statement.
- C. An illustration can help here.

II. Chart _____.

- A. One of the big mistakes in preaching is to wait until the conclusion to make application.
- B. Give the Holy Spirit a chance to start the conviction process early in the message.
- C. Statements accuse whereas questions convict.

III. Convey _____.

- A. Our authority is in the Scriptures! Not in our experience or wisdom.

IV. Communicate _____.

- A. Our goal is not to make the message easy to preach but easy to understand.
- B. Teaching is taking people from the known to the unknown.
- C. Big high sounding words are often graves in which men bury their little ideas.
- D. “He went down deeper; stayed down longer; and came up drier than any man I ever heard.

V. Crusade _____.

- A. Often times the text has about as much to do with the sermon as the National Anthem has to do with a football game. It gets things started and then we never hear from it again.
- B. Expository preaching is more a philosophy than it is a method.
- C. Definition: “Expository preaching is the communication of a Biblical concept, derived from and transmitted through a historical, grammatical, and literary study of a passage in its context, which the Holy Spirit first applies to the personality and experience of the preacher, and then through him to the hearers.”

- D. Don't bend the Scriptures to your mind—bend your mind to the Scriptures.

VI. Create _____.

- A. Scripture is your number one tool.
- B. Quotations from people in a better position to speak on something than you.
- C. Make sure your illustrations are true.
- D. Every person has a right to their opinion but no one has a right to be wrong about their facts.
- E. You are God's voice—not a comedian or entertainer.

VII. Convince _____.

- A. Let the message touch your heart and then touch others through your heart.
- B. Preaching is not head to head, but heart to heart and life to life.

VIII. Crucify _____ **and** _____.

- A. Just preach and leave the results to God.

IX. Catalog _____.

- A. Always be thinking homiletically.
- B. File ideas, illustrations, quotes, outlines, etc.

X. Cultivate _____ .

- A. The word “instruments” in verse 13 means “tools” or “weapons.”
- B. God created us as instruments—weapons of righteousness that He has chosen to use.

Conclusion: _____

Avoiding the Trends and Lifting Up the Truth

Mike Edwards

Introduction: _____

"The trend is your _____."

"Truth is not _____!"

I. Identifying the Trends

A. Re-packaged _____

- There is a resurgence of reformed thinking it is the old rigid Calvinism reasserting itself and it will have a strangling affect eventually on personal _____ and world -wide evangelization.

B. New is _____

1. In my tenure of ministry I have noted two deadly extremes:
 - a) A philosophy that states, "We have never done it that way and therefore any new way must be rejected."
 - b) An opposite philosophy that states, "That is how it has always been done and to attract the lost and disciple believers we must have something new."
2. More and more I hear young pastors who are convinced if it is not new it won't work now. I believe that kind of thinking has given us the "_____ movement."

C. Emerging truth

1. In our post modern world, relativism has become both acceptable and attractive to many.

2. Many liberal thinking Americans think that philosophies and documents that guided society in the past have become irrelevant for our day. That philosophy has given rise to the “ _____ Church.”

II. Identifying the Error

A. The error in re-packaged reform. There are two tenants of reformed theology that many find unacceptable.

1. _____ atonement
John 1:7, John 1:29, John 3:16–17, I Timothy 2:3–6, II Peter 3:9
2. _____ grace
Romans 2:1–2, Romans 5:15–17

B. The error in “new is _____.”

1. New is now is my not so clever way of labeling the “seeker” movement.
2. I would suggest that the basic premise of the “seeker” mindset is _____. The concept of the “seeker” movement can be understood in this premise:
 - a) That concept is not supported biblically. Actually Scripture teaches the exact _____.
Romans 3:10–11, Romans 1:20–21
 - b) So pastors and churches launch into a frantic exercise to _____ themselves in order to be appealing to the lost man that they have decided is seeking God.
3. The ministry of _____ was certainly not seeker sensitive.

C. The error in the “ _____ church” movement.

1. What defines the purpose of the emerging church movement?
2. The emergent church would suggest that your

and _____ are more valid than Scripture.

3. _____ is the scourge of the post modern world. God's Word is truth and provides specific instruction to the church and the believer.
John 17:7, Revelation 2:14-17, Matthew 7:15-20

III. Implementing truth

A. The perspective of _____

B. The perspective of _____

1. In 1882 a German philosopher named Friederich Nietzsche published a book entitled The Gay Science in which he made this statement.
2. Tired of the _____ brought on by adherence to the Scripture, Nietzsche and other rationalists wanted to do away with faith and obedience toward a holy and eternal God.

C. The perspective of _____

1. In some ways the trends that our world observes today have in common that they are all about "_____!"
2. Christianity stands alone as the "others" focused faith. When the Word describes and encourages us to have the mind of Christ, listen to what it tells us.

Conclusion: _____

Some of the best work of the devil is done in an atmosphere of _____. Confusion allows for _____ and re-direction. Standing in the place of truth may not always be the place of exciting popularity but it is the right place to stand, to minister, and to live.

Insights for Effective Missionary Work

Dwight Tomlinson

ROMANS 15:20—“*Yea, so have I strived to preach the gospel, not where Christ was named, lest I should build upon another man’s foundation:*”

Introduction: _____

I. Being Effective as a Missions-Minded Pastor in the States

A. Seek _____

B. Begin _____

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

C. Establish _____

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

D. Consider _____

II. Being Effective as a Missionary on the Field

A. Seek _____

B. Serve _____

C. Make _____

1. Self _____

2. Self _____

3. Self _____

D. Minister _____

E. Do your best _____

F. Be consistent _____

G. Guard _____

Conclusion: _____

Walking with God before Men

Don Sisk

GENESIS 5:21-24; AMOS 3:3

Introduction:

I. What does it means to walk with God?

- A. We are going in the same Direction.
- B. Our final Destination is the same.

REVELATION 21:1-5

- 1 *“And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea.*
- 2 *And I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.*
- 3 *And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God.*
- 4 *And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away.*
- 5 *And he that sat upon the throne said, Behold, I make all things new. And he said unto me, Write: for these words are true and faithful.”*

- C. There are various stops along the way. Enjoy the journey.
 1. Starts with Conversion:
 2. Growth is important. (Baptism, church membership,

Bible reading and prayer)

3. Commitment of our Life to the Lord
4. Total Surrender

D. We keep in step with Him

E. There is no controversy between me and God.
Amos 3:2

II. How do we walk with God?

A. We follow His Word:

JOHN 5:39

“Search the scriptures; for in them ye think ye have eternal life: and they are they which testify of me.”

PSALM 1:1-2

“Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful. But his delight is in the law of the LORD; and in his law doth he meditate day and night.”

PSALM 119:105

“Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.”

2 TIMOTHY 3:16

“All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness:”

B. We Talk to God:

EPHESIANS 6:18

“Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints;”

MATTHEW 26:41

“Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation: the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.”

C. We Think about God and meditate on Him:

PSALM 39:1-3

“I said, I will take heed to my ways, that I sin not with my tongue: I will keep my mouth with a bridle, while the wicked is before me. I was dumb with silence, I held my peace, even from good; and my sorrow was stirred. My heart was hot within me, while I was musing the fire burned: then spake I with my tongue,”

D. We are Sensitive to His leadership:

PSALM 37:23-25

“The steps of a good man are ordered by the LORD: and he delighteth in his way. Though he fall, he shall not be utterly cast down: for the LORD upholdeth him with his hand. I have been young, and now am old; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread.”

ACTS 8:26

“And the angel of the Lord spake unto Philip, saying, Arise, and go toward the south unto the way that goeth down from Jerusalem unto Gaza, which is desert.”

ACTS 16:6-10

“Now when they had gone throughout Phrygia and the region of Galatia, and were forbidden of the Holy Ghost to preach the word in Asia, After they were come to Mysia, they assayed to go into Bithynia: but the Spirit suffered them not. And they passing by Mysia came down to Troas. And a vision appeared to Paul in the night; There stood a man of Macedonia, and prayed him, saying, Come over into Macedonia, and help us. And after he had seen the vision, immediately we endeavoured to go into Macedonia, assuredly gathering that the Lord had called us for to preach the gospel unto them”

E. We associate with Godly people:

PSALM 16:1-3

“Preserve me, O God: for in thee do I put my trust. O my

soul, thou hast said unto the LORD, Thou art my Lord: my goodness extendeth not to thee; But to the saints that are in the earth, and to the excellent, in whom is all my delight."

HEBREWS 10:24-25

"And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works: Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching."

PROVERBS 27:17

"Iron sharpeneth iron; so a man sharpeneth the countenance of his friend."

III. Others before us walked with God

A. Enoch

GENESIS 5:21-24

"And Enoch lived sixty and five years, and begat Methuselah: And Enoch walked with God after he begat Methuselah three hundred years, and begat sons and daughters: And all the days of Enoch were three hundred sixty and five years: And Enoch walked with God: and he was not; for God took him."

B. Noah

GENESIS 6:5-9

"And GOD saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually. And it repented the LORD that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him at his heart. And the LORD said, I will destroy man whom I have created from the face of the earth; both man, and beast, and the creeping thing, and the fowls of the air; for it repenteth me that I have made them. But Noah found grace in the eyes of the LORD. These are the generations of Noah: Noah was a just man and perfect in his generations, and Noah walked with God."

C. Abram

GENESIS 17:1-2

“And when Abram was ninety years old and nine, the LORD appeared to Abram, and said unto him, I am the Almighty God; walk before me, and be thou perfect. And I will make my covenant between me and thee, and will multiply thee exceedingly.”

GENESIS 22:1-2

“And it came to pass after these things, that God did tempt Abraham, and said unto him, Abraham: and he said, Behold, here I am. And he said, Take now thy son, thine only son Isaac, whom thou lovest, and get thee into the land of Moriah; and offer him there for a burnt offering upon one of the mountains which I will tell thee of.”

D. Zacharias:

HEBREWS 13:5-6

“Let your conversation be without covetousness; and be content with such things as ye have: for he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee. So that we may boldly say, The Lord is my helper, and I will not fear what man shall do unto me.”

Conclusion: _____

A Fresh View of the Same Old Path

John Goetsch, Jr.

JEREMIAH 6:10-17

- 10 *To whom shall I speak, and give warning, that they may hear? behold, their ear is uncircumcised, and they cannot hearken: behold, the word of the LORD is unto them a reproach; they have no delight in it.*
- 11 *Therefore I am full of the fury of the LORD; I am weary with holding in: I will pour it out upon the children abroad, and upon the assembly of young men together: for even the husband with the wife shall be taken, the aged with him that is full of days.*
- 12 *And their houses shall be turned unto others, with their fields and wives together: for I will stretch out my hand upon the inhabitants of the land, saith the LORD.*
- 13 *For from the least of them even unto the greatest of them every one is given to covetousness; and from the prophet even unto the priest every one dealeth falsely.*
- 14 *They have healed also the hurt of the daughter of my people slightly, saying, Peace, peace; when there is no peace.*
- 15 *Were they ashamed when they had committed abomination? nay, they were not at all ashamed, neither could they blush: therefore they shall fall among them that fall: at the time that I visit them they shall be cast down, saith the LORD.*
- 16 *Thus saith the LORD, Stand ye in the ways, and see, and ask for the old paths, where is the good way, and walk therein, and ye shall find rest for your souls. But they said, We will not walk therein.*
- 17 *Also I set watchmen over you, saying, Hearken to the sound of the trumpet. But they said, We will not hearken.*

Introduction: _____

I. A _____ Lie

EPHESIANS 4:14-15

That we henceforth be no more children, tossed to and fro, and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the sleight of men, and cunning craftiness, whereby they lie in wait to deceive; But speaking the truth in love, may grow up into him in all things, which is the head, even Christ:

JOHN 8:32

And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.

II. A _____ Motive

EPHESIANS 4:14-15

But speaking the truth in love, may grow up into him in all things, which is the head, even Christ:

JOHN 14:15

If ye love me, keep my commandments.

III. A _____ Purpose

EPHESIANS 4:13

Till we all come in the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fulness of Christ.

EPHESIANS 2:8-10

For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast. For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them.

I CORINTHIANS 10:31

Whether therefore ye eat or drink or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God.

Standing For the Truth over Decades

Max Barton

JOSHUA 1:1-9; JOSHUA 22-24

Introduction: _____

I. Joshua's _____ . 1:1-9

- A. Joshua was _____ By God's Purpose.
- B. Joshua _____ in God's Promise.
- C. Joshua _____ on God's Power.
- D. Joshua was _____ by Godly Priorities.

II. Joshua's _____ .

- A. Joshua's Loyalty in _____ God's Word. 10:1-7
- B. Joshua's Loyalty in _____. 10:8-15
- C. Joshua's Loyalty in _____. 10:16-27
- D. Joshua's Loyalty Resulted in the _____ of the Land. 10:40-42.

III. Joshua's _____ .

- A. Joshua's _____ to the Leaders. 22:12
- B. Joshua's Charge to _____ the Lord. 22:2-8
- C. Joshua's Charge to _____ the Lord. 22:9-13

Reaching Out to the Law Enforcement Community

Rick Stonestreet

ACTS 16:5-10

Introduction: _____

There are two types of chaplains: Law E _____
Chaplain and C _____ Chaplain.

Being a chaplain is a calling and some of you might be called and you don't even know it.

Similarities Between Pastors and Law Enforcement

1. They both are charged to uphold laws and values that are decaying at a rapid pace.
2. They are both expected to be strong pillars of their communities, but are ridiculed instead of revered.
3. They are often mocked openly and behind closed doors by people that need their help the most.
4. Often they are called to help those in need when it is too late to bring a positive closure to the situation.
5. The communities we serve seldom listen to our advice.
6. We both understand what it is like to never be off duty.
7. The community will treat us as if we represent every bad minister or officer they have ever known.
8. We are called upon to do things in our community that nobody else wants to do.
9. Law Enforcement and pastors pay high emotional dues in fulfilling their charges.
10. We both deal with people who are always telling us why the laws or rules don't apply to them.

I. There is an external call

- A. Because of the need
- B. Because of the trust
- C. Because of the compassion

II. There is an internal call

- A. Inward burden by the Holy Spirit
- B. Inward desire by the Holy Spirit

Conclusion: _____

Seven Qualities of a Servant Leader

Rick Martin

Introduction:

I. A servant leader must be trustworthy

- A. GENESIS 39:6—Potipher trusted Joseph with all he had.
- B. GENESIS 39:22 & 33—Joseph as a prisoner, was entrusted with the whole prison.
- C. GENESIS 41:44-45—Pharaoh entrusted Joseph with the whole nation in time of crisis.

II. A servant leader must have a good attitude

GENESIS 39:20-23—Joseph was accused falsely and put in prison but never complained. His good spirit was the thing that God used to help him get out of prison.

III. A servant leader must have initiative

GENESIS 39:6, 22-23—Joseph figured out a way to run Potipher's house, the prison, and the whole country.

IV. A servant leader must be a servant

GENESIS 40:4—When the butler and baker were put in prison the Bible says about Joseph, “and he served them.”

V. A servant leader must give God the glory—not himself

GENESIS 41:33-39—Joseph gave all the glory to God when he stood before Pharaoh and interpreted his dream.

VI. A servant leader uses good judgment

GENESIS 41:33-39—Joseph made a plan to save the nation of Egypt by wisely saving the grain during the 7 good years of harvest.

VII. A servant leader is proven under pressure

GENESIS 39-41—In every trial Joseph faced he walked with God and had a good testimony in being faithful to God.

Conclusion: _____

A Soulwinning Leader with Fruit that Remains

Mark Rasmussen

PROVERBS 11:30

The fruit of the righteous is a tree of life; and he that winneth souls is wise.

PROVERBS 14:25

A true witness delivereth souls:

Introduction: _____

I. Realize it is _____

II. Realize that outside of church, most people are _____

People who matter are most aware that everyone else does too. —**Malcolm S. Forbes**

III. Have a _____ **to go**

IV. Find something to _____

“If you want to win friends, make it a point to remember them. If you remember my name, you pay me a subtle compliment; you indicate that I have made an impression on you. Remember my name and you add to my feeling of importance.”—**Dale Carnegie**

V. Have a _____ **to follow**

VI. Draw the net but realize the _____ brings people to _____

VII. Realize that often times it will take _____ visits

VIII. _____

IX. Keep and treat as a _____ ... that you love!

- A. _____
- B. Call
- C. Give _____
- D. Remember birthdays, anniversaries, etc...

X. Realize _____ counts

- a. New believers need to _____ a Christian home.
- b. New believers need to see a Christian family _____.
- c. New believers need to _____ your personal _____ in their lives.
- d. Remember we are encouraging these new believers to walk away from their _____ life style.
- e. We are asking them to make high levels of _____ and we must _____ that commitment.

Young Pastor's on an Old Path

Josh Irmeler

JEREMIAH 6:33 —*Stand ye in the way and see and ask for the old path wherein is the good way and walk therein and they said; we will not walk therein.*

Introduction: _____

I. The _____ of Being a Young Pastor On An Old Path

- A. Limited _____
 - B. Limited _____
 - C. Limited _____
- _____

II. The _____ facing Young Pastor's On An Old Path

- A. The Choice of our _____
- B. The Choice of our _____
- C. The Choice of our _____
- D. The Choice of our _____

III. The _____ to Young Pastor's On An Old Path

- A. Stand _____ (vs. 33a—“stand”)
- B. See _____ (vs. 33b—“and see”)
- C. Stay _____ (vs. 33c—“and walk therein”)

Conclusion: _____

Teaching Biblical Distinctives in a Declining Culture

Alan Fong

II TIMOTHY 3:1-5

This know also, that in the last days perilous times shall come. For men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, Without natural affection, trucebreakers, false accusers, incontinent, fierce, despisers of those that are good, Traitors, heady, highminded, lovers of pleasures more than lovers of God; Having a form of godliness, but denying the power thereof: from such turn away.

II TIMOTHY 4:1-3

I charge thee therefore before God, and the Lord Jesus Christ, who shall judge the quick and the dead at his appearing and his kingdom; Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all long suffering and doctrine. For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears;

Introduction: _____

I. The Problem of a Declining _____

A. The meltdown of fundamental _____.

1. _____ of marriage and the family.
2. _____ of Biblical values.
3. _____ of parental responsibility.
4. _____ public sector

5. _____ of places of worship

*“I don’t think we’ve got the gospel right yet...I don’t think the liberals have it right. But we don’t have it either. None of us have arrived at orthodoxy.”—**Brian Maclaren***

B. The migration of foreign _____.

1. Foreign newcomers bring a whole set of different issues to our culture.
2. 2020 English will be the second language in many major West Coast cities!
3. Foreigners come to America expecting to retain their language, their culture and their idolatrous worship!
4. Christianity is considered a threat to their traditions!

II. **The Process For a Differentiating** _____

A. Our _____

II TIMOTHY 3:16

All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness:

ACTS 19:20

So mightily grew the word of God and prevailed.

B. Our _____

1. The _____ of soulwinning.
2. The _____ of soulwinning.
3. The _____ of soulwinning.

C. Our _____

1. _____ preaching!
2. _____ preaching!
3. _____ preaching!

D. Our _____

1. Sunday School
2. Discipleship
3. Clubs and Fellowships
4. New member assimilation
5. Christian School
6. Language based classes

E. Our _____

F. Our _____

III. The Product of a Dynamic _____

What is the end result we are striving for?

A. A _____ people

B. A _____ people

C. A _____ people

Conclusion: _____

Avoiding the Trends of Contemporary Compromise

John Goetsch

JUDE 1-3

Jude, the servant of Jesus Christ, and brother of James, to them that are sanctified by God the Father, and preserved in Jesus Christ, and called: Mercy unto you, and peace, and love, be multiplied. Beloved, when I gave all diligence to write unto you of the common salvation, it was needful for me to write unto you, and exhort you that ye should earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints

Introduction: _____

I. Be _____ in _____.

A. A Present _____ (Verse 3a)

TITUS 2:12

Teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world;

ROMANS 13:11-12

And that, knowing the time, that now it is high time to awake out of sleep: for now is our salvation nearer than when we believed. The night is far spent, the day is at hand: let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armour of light.

HEBREWS 12:1

Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us,

B. A Previous _____ . (Verse 3b)

II TIMOTHY 3:15-17

And that from a child thou hast known the holy scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus. All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: That the man of God may be perfect, throughly furnished unto all good works.

HEBREWS 12:2-3

Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God. For consider him that endured such contradiction of sinners against himself, lest ye be wearied and faint in your minds.

II. Be _____ of _____ .

A. An _____ Membership. (Verse 4)

- Hiscox states: “None but converted and godly persons have any right in the Church of Christ as members. To admit the ungodly and the profane to the fellowship of the holy, to share the privileges of the faithful, and partake of the sacred Communion of the Body and Blood of Christ, would be a scandal and a shame, not to be endured by those who profess to be His disciples.... Members must give good evidence that they are a ‘new creature in Christ.’ If our churches are to fulfill their mission, remain true to their traditions, and honor their apostolical pretensions, they must insist, with unabated vigor, on a regenerate membership. Nor must they insist on it in theory only, but take every precaution to maintain it in practice.”

II CORINTHIANS 11:13-15

For such are false apostles, deceitful workers, transforming themselves into the apostles of Christ. And no marvel; for Satan himself is transformed into an angel of light. Therefore it is no great thing if his ministers also be transformed as the ministers of righteousness; whose end shall be according to their works.

- B. An _____ Manner. (Verse 15)

HEBREWS 5:14

But strong meat belongeth to them that are of full age, even those who by reason of use have their senses exercised to discern both good and evil.

- C. An _____ Murmuring. (Verse 16)

PROVERBS 29:8

Scornful men bring a city into a snare: but wise men turn away wrath.

PROVERBS 22:10

Cast out the scorner, and contention shall go out; yea, strife and reproach shall cease.

ROMANS 16:17

Now I beseech you, brethren, mark them which cause divisions and offences contrary to the doctrine which ye have learned; and avoid them.

- D. An _____ Mocking. (Verse 18)

II PETER 3:3-4

Knowing this first, that there shall come in the last days scoffers, walking after their own lusts, And saying, Where is the promise of his coming? for since the fathers fell asleep, all things continue as they were from the beginning of the creation.

II TIMOTHY 3:13-14

But evil men and seducers shall wax worse and worse, deceiving, and being deceived. But continue thou in the things which thou hast learned and hast been assured of, knowing of whom thou hast learned them;

III. Be _____ in _____.

A. A Regular _____ . (Verse 17, 20a)

PSALM 119:9-11

Wherewithal shall a young man cleanse his way? by taking heed thereto according to thy word. With my whole heart have I sought thee: O let me not wander from thy commandments. Thy word have I hid in mine heart, that I might not sin against thee.

PSALM 119:105

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.

JOSHUA 1:8

This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success.

ISAIAH 34:16

Seek ye out of the book of the LORD, and read: no one of these shall fail, none shall want her mate: for my mouth it hath commanded, and his spirit it hath gathered them.

B. A Rigorous _____ . (Verse 20b)

II CORINTHIANS 3:5

Not that we are sufficient of ourselves to think any thing as of ourselves; but our sufficiency is of God;

JOHN 3:27

John answered and said, A man can receive nothing, except it be given him from heaven.

JAMES 5:16

Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed. The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much.

MATTHEW 17:21

Howbeit this kind goeth not out but by prayer and fasting.

IV. Be _____ in _____ .

A. An _____ Compassion. (Verse 22)

II CORINTHIANS 5:11

Knowing therefore the terror of the Lord, we persuade men; but we are made manifest unto God; and I trust also are made manifest in your consciences.

ROMANS 9:3

For I could wish that myself were accursed from Christ for my brethren, my kinsmen according to the flesh:

ROMANS 10:1

Brethren, my heart's desire and prayer to God for Israel is, that they might be saved.

ACTS 20:24

But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that I might finish my course with joy, and the ministry, which I have received of the Lord Jesus, to testify the gospel of the grace of God.

B. An _____ Compelling. (Verse 23)

ACTS 1:8

But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judæa, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

V. Be _____ to the _____ .

A. An Earthly _____ . (Verse 24a)

EPHESIANS 3:20

Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us,

PHILIPPIANS 1:6

Being confident of this very thing, that he which hath begun a good work in you will perform it until the day of Jesus Christ:

ISAIAH 41:10

Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee; yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness.

PSALM 125:1-2

They that trust in the LORD shall be as mount Zion, which cannot be removed, but abideth for ever. As the mountains are round about Jerusalem, so the LORD is round about his people from henceforth even for ever.

B. An Eternal _____ . (Verse 24b)

I JOHN 2:28

And now, little children, abide in him; that, when he shall appear, we may have confidence, and not be ashamed before him at his coming.

Conclusion: _____

How to Keep a Missions Mindset in the Whole Church

JB Godfrey

Introduction: _____

I. At Church

- A. Do not wait until Missions Conference to put up a missions theme. Keep maps, flags, missionary items in view all year. Put the missionary's names on your bulletins or somewhere that will be seen on a regular basis. Read the missionary letters and talk about their victories and their burdens.
- B. Have a vibrant missions conference. It should never be boring. It can be the best time of the year. Some even call it a missions revival. Let the missionaries mingle with your people. They will learn more about missions sitting at the table and talking with the missionaries than during the services. Let the missionaries stay with some families. This can have a great impact on the children of the home.
- C. Get the missionaries into the Sunday School classes and into your school classrooms. It is better for a missionary to be admired than a Hollywood star.
- D. Plan a good missions trip. Get your people out to

the fields. This should not be a tourist trip, but something that can help the missionary and his work. People get to see the missionary and his family as real people.

- E. Do kind things for the missionaries and their families. Missionary children need to be understood and loved. Just being friendly and understanding goes a long way.
- F. Keep good missionary books in your library. If you do not know which books are best, ask someone who can help.
- G. Preach and teach missions and grace giving. Set the example in both areas.

II. At Home

- A. Personal contact is vital. Some missionaries have websites. Most have email. Letters still work.
 - 1. It may take some work to find out what you can do. Price of postage, what is permissible to send, what is practical, are things that you can determine.
 - 2. Let me give you some suggestions about things to send. (cards, Kool Aid, chewing gum, comics, a good book, Sword of the Lord, writing material, Bible study material, crossword puzzles, videos)
 - 3. Do this even if the missionary does not respond rapidly.
- B. Make the home a missionary place.
 - 1. Keep good books close by.
 - 2. Bring out the prayer cards.
 - 3. Talk with your children about the world and the missionary enterprise.
 - 4. Keep a missionary family in your home.
 - 5. Call a missionary. It may be cheaper than you think.
 - 6. Be willing for God to use your children.

III. In the Christian School and the Bible College

- A. Hire teachers who have been missionaries.
- B. Keep the mission fervor.
- C. Have a great missions conference.
- D. Let missionaries speak in chapel and in the classrooms.
- E. Teach classes that are practical and helpful.
- F. Send them out.

Conclusion: _____

The Pastor as a Burden Bearer

Mike Ray

GALATIANS 6:1-9

- 1 *“Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such an one in the spirit of meekness; considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted.*
- 2 *Bear ye one another’s burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ.*
- 3 *For if a man think himself to be something, when he is nothing, he deceiveth himself.*
- 4 *But let every man prove his own work, and then shall he have rejoicing in himself alone, and not in another.*
- 5 *For every man shall bear his own burden.*
- 6 *Let him that is taught in the word communicate unto him that teacheth in all good things.*
- 7 *Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap.*
- 8 *For he that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting.*
- 9 *And let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not.”*

Introduction: _____

Burden– a _____; something to _____.

The Pastor must:

I. Bear His Own

A. It’s what _____ did.

B. It’s what _____ is all about.

1. Don’t _____ anyone

2. Don’t _____ from it.

C. You'd better get some _____ .

D. Where to get strength:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____

II. Bear His Others (Job 2–3)

A. By your _____ .

B. By your _____ .

C. By your _____ .

III. Bear His Burden (Matthew 11:28–30)

Conclusion: _____

Starting a Church From Scratch

Stephen Chappell

I TIMOTHY 4:1-5

- 1 *“Now the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils;*
- 2 *Speaking lies in hypocrisy; having their conscience seared with a hot iron;*
- 3 *Forbidding to marry, and commanding to abstain from meats, which God hath created to be received with thanksgiving of them which believe and know the truth.*
- 4 *For every creature of God is good, and nothing to be refused, if it be received with thanksgiving:*
- 5 *For it is sanctified by the word of God and prayer.”*

Introduction: _____

I. The Preparation of the _____

A. _____

I CORINTHIANS 9:24

24 *“Know ye not that they which run in a race run all, but one receiveth the prize? So run, that ye may obtain.”*

1. It is _____

2. It is _____

3. It is _____

B. _____

C. _____

II. The Privilege of _____

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

1. Our _____

2. Our _____

III. The Pursuit of the _____

A. Our _____

B. Our _____

C. Our _____

IV. The Production of _____

A. _____ Gifts

1 CORINTHIANS 12:20

20 *"But now are they many members, yet but one body."*

B. _____ Gifts

C. _____ Gifts

V. The Power of _____

A. We Realize Instruction _____

B. We Realize Influence _____

C. We Realize Incremental _____

Conclusion: _____

Biblical Foundations for Church Planting

Mark Irmiler

ACTS 17:6

...these that have turned the world upside down are come hither also.

Introduction: _____

_____ were they?

_____ were they doing?

I. The _____ of God's Plan

A. The _____ flow of God's Plan "Outward"

B. The _____ specified in God's Plan

- Jerusalem
- Judaea
- Samaria
- Uttermost

C. The _____ word in God's Plan Acts 1:8
"Both"

D. The _____ of neglecting God's Plan
"70 AD"

II. The _____ of God's Plan

A. The _____ of the Church in Jerusalem

1. We see a Church _____ Acts 8:4 & Acts 11:19
2. We see a Church _____ Acts 8:4
3. "Biblical Church Planting is _____ that results in new churches being started.

4. Any church planting methodology that does not incorporate evangelism at its heart, is not the _____ of church planting.
5. We see a Church _____ Acts 9:31

- B. The _____ of the Church in Jerusalem
1. God's _____ is the Great Commission
 2. God's _____ is Church Planting

III. The _____ of God's Plan

- A. There _____ involved in church planting (Saints at Work)
- B. The _____ endured while church planting (Satan at Work)
- C. The _____ supplied for church planting (Spirit at Work)

IV. The _____ of God's Plan

- A. Multiplying _____ Acts 6:1,7
- B. Multiplying _____ Acts 8:4; 11:19
- C. Multiplying _____ Acts 9:31; 14:21–23

V. The _____ of God's Plan

- A. It's the only plan God gave us to reach our _____.
- B. It's the only plan _____ by the New Testament Churches.

- C. It's the only plan that aligns our _____ with our _____.
- D. It's the only plan that both _____ and _____ know really _____.

VI. The _____ of God's Plan

- A. Our _____—"Look to the Manuscript not our Mentors for God's Plan"
- B. Our _____—"Become world changers through New Testament Church Planting."

Conclusion: _____

Overcoming Church Planting Barriers

Dave Teis

Introduction: _____

When we think of church planting barriers, we often think of things such as:

- A. _____—no place to meet
- B. _____—no money
- C. _____—no one knows me
- D. _____—no energy
- E. _____—rejected by the community

I. Lack of Proper _____

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____
- E. _____

II. Lack of _____

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____

1. First year—100%
2. Second year—50%

III. Lack of Proper _____

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____

IV. Lack of _____

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____

V. Lack of a _____

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____

VI. Lack of _____

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____

VII. Lack of _____

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____
- E. _____

VIII. Lack of _____

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____
- E. _____
- F. _____

Conclusion: _____

Discipling New Believers in a Young Church

Rob Badger

ACTS 20:26-32

Introduction: _____

I. Several Core Principles Associated with Discipling New Believers

- A. Principle of _____
- B. Principle of _____
- C. Principle of _____

II. The Particulars of an Effective Discipleship Program

- A. The _____
- B. The _____
- C. The _____
- D. The _____

III. Creating a Culture of Discipleship within a Young Church

- A. _____ Promote

B. _____ to Scheduling

C. _____ Encourage

D. _____ Empower New Disciples

IV. The Product of Developing Mature Believers

A. _____ of God

B. _____ with a Heart for God's Work

C. _____ and _____

Conclusion: _____

An Account of Thy Stewardship

Dane Keely

LUKE 16:2—*And he called him, and said unto him, How is it that I hear this of thee? give an account of thy stewardship; for thou mayest be no longer steward.*

Introduction: _____

The _____ of Effective Communication

The Key of _____

The Key of _____

I. The _____ of Effective Communication

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

II. The _____ of Effective Communication

A. _____

B. Establish _____

C. Observe _____ Teachers

D. Keep a _____

E. Avoid _____

F. Maintain _____ Values

III. The _____ of Effective Communication

A. _____

B. _____ Learning

C. _____

D. _____

IV. The _____ of Effective Communication

A. Know your _____

B. _____ Contact

C. _____

D. _____

E. _____

F. Providing _____

G. _____ before Responding

H. _____ Language

I. Be _____

J. Ask Questions

K. _____ Back

L. _____

The _____ of Effective Communication

Conclusion: _____

Effectively Leading a Ministry Team

Cary Schmidt

Introduction: _____

I. Understand the _____

II. _____ the People You Lead

III. Inspire Them to _____

IV. Be a _____

V. Be a Joyful _____

Conclusion: _____

Representing Your Pastor and His Vision

Larry Chappell

PHILIPPIANS 2:19-20—*But I trust in the Lord Jesus to send Timotheus shortly unto you, that I also may be of good comfort, when I know your state. For I have no man likeminded, who will naturally care for your state.*

Introduction: _____

I. Embrace Your _____

- A. Be Sure of Your _____
 - You are a Representative of Christ
 - You are a Supporter of your Pastor
- B. Abandon _____ Ambitions & _____ Stubbornness
- C. Endeavor to _____ & _____ Your Pastor's Ministry
- D. _____ the Role of Pastor

II. Become a _____

- A. Seek to Know your Pastor's _____
- B. Seek to Know your Pastor's _____
 - Vision = Direction
 - Direct Tasks & Desired Outcome
- C. Ask _____
- D. Welcome _____

III. _____ Your Pastor and _____

His Vision

- A. With _____
- B. With _____
- C. With _____ & _____
- D. With _____
- E. With _____
- F. With _____
- G. With the _____
- H. With _____

IV. Provide _____

- A. Always Be _____—(You are your pastor's _____ & _____)

What to do when a problem presents itself:

- Some problems should be ignored
- Some problems can be addressed yourself
- Some issues should be immediately shared with your pastor

- B. Communicate _____

- Ministry Updates
- Personal Updates

Conclusion: _____

Developing Dynamic Ministry to Young Singles

Cary Schmidt

Track 3

Introduction: _____

I. Offer _____ Support After High School

II. Structure for Unique _____

Conclusion: _____

Ministering to the Deaf in Your Community

Rick Allen

Introduction: _____

I. Vision— _____

- A. Worship Services—interpret clearly and faithfully
- B. Loving God thru _____
 - Prayer—interpret
 - Songs—prepared
 - Offertory—signed
 - Sermon—interpret
 - Invitation—2 interpreters
 - Counseling—counselor + interpreter
 - Scribe(s)—add synonyms
 - Quality Interpreting—practice, workshops
 - Transportation

II. Vision— _____

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____
- E. _____
- F. _____ (interpret for them to better assimilate)

- G. _____ Deaf Leaders
- H. _____ List—pray, visit, write, text, call, e-mail
- I. _____—KEY
- J. _____ Classes
- K. _____ Assistance—often missing

III. Vision—_____

- A. Soulwinning
- B. Discipleship
- C. Reach/Teach family, friends
- D. Church ministry(s)—interpret for the Deaf as needed

Conclusion: _____

Leading Your Adult Class to Spiritual Maturity

Jerry Ferrso

Introduction: _____

**I. The Teacher Must be _____ to His
Personal Growth.**

- A. Modeling the right _____
- B. Mirroring the right _____
- C. Ministering with the right _____

**II. The Teacher Must be _____ the
Truth Practically.**

- A. What do you want them to _____?
- B. What do you want them to _____?

**III. The Teacher Must be _____ to the
People.**

- A. Spend _____ with your couples.
- B. Have them in your _____ for fellowship.
- C. Keep a healthy balance between _____
and _____.
- D. Be present during times of _____ and _____.

IV. The Teacher Must Know the Spiritual _____ of His class.

- A. Know where your couples are _____.
- B. Ask _____ that pertain to their spiritual growth.
- What has God taught you lately?
 - What area in your life are you growing in right now?
 - When was the last time you took your wife out for a date?
 - How are you doing in balancing family/church/work?

V. The Teacher Should Always be Willing to _____ a Wayward Member.

- A. Everyone has _____.
- B. Problems don't _____ if they are not faced head on.
- C. Try to determine what the _____ are beforehand.
- D. Remain _____ in the Lord.
- E. Go into the meeting with a _____.
- F. Expect resistance but _____ with grace.
- G. Share biblical principles for _____.
- H. Reassure them of _____, God's, the Pastor's, and yours.

VI. The Teacher Should Use the Church _____ for Spiritual Growth.

_____ spiritual **leadership** conference _____

- A. _____ the church wide events.
- B. _____ in these events.
- C. _____ with those in your class during these times.

VII. The Teacher Must Communicate Important _____ to the Pastor.

- A. Communicate good _____.
- B. Communicate _____.
- C. Communicate changed _____.
- D. Communicate during times of major _____.

Conclusion: _____

Principles of an Effective Sunday School

Jon Stone

MATTHEW 28:19-20

19 *Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost:*

20 *Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen.*

Introduction: _____

5 Reasons why Sunday Schools are not effective

- I. _____ of Good Models:
- A. Lack of exposure to effective Sunday School.
 - B. Lack of instruction as to the principles of an effective Sunday School.

- II. Cultural _____:
- A. Sunday School's role has been abandoned in lieu of small groups.
 - B. Sunday's School's relevance has been questioned because it is not "New."

- III. Non-committed _____:
- A. It is Expensive
 - B. It is Expansive
 - C. It is Exhausting

"Sunday School is a tool that must be worked. You cannot sit back and watch it work. You have to sharpen it and apply it in the way in which it is intended."

—Steve Parr

- IV. Uncertain _____:

- V. Inward _____: Houseboat vs. Fishing Vessel?
- A. An Inward perspective tends to be of a Maintenance Mode. (Houseboat)
 - B. An Outward perspective tends to be of a Ministry Mode. (Fishing vessel)

5 Reasons Evangelism and Follow Up Should Flow through Your Sunday School

1. It is the most natural ministry to implement evangelism.
2. It has the best follow up mechanism because of age specific grouping.
3. It is the only ministry where guests are immediately welcome.
4. It has an invitation to small groups which has much more appeal than an invitation to blend into a large group.
5. It has a forum to emphasize Bible study, where the Gospel can be heard and understood and will thereby lead to salvation decisions.

I. What an Effective Sunday School Is: _____

It is how we tangibly and practically put the Great Commission into action.

“The Sunday School is the church organized to do the work of the Great commission.”—Allan Taylor

- A. Its _____ Nature: This is the philosophy of Sunday School defined

1. _____: Reaching the Lost. (Matt. 28:19 “GO”)
2. _____: Transformation of Lives. (Matt. 28:20 “TEACHING THEM TO OBSERVE ALL THINGS.”)
3. _____: Distribution of New Leaders. (Matt. 28:20 “UNTO THE END OF THE WORLD.”)

B. It’s _____ Nature: The Sunday School is the only ministry that recruits its members from the outside of the church.

II. What an Effective Sunday School Does: The

_____ _____
Matthew 28:19–20 (Go; Preach (Mk. 16:15);
Baptize; Teach)

- A. To _____—The Sunday School Reaches People. Reaching the lost must always be the highest priority of the Sunday School. (To fish)
- B. To _____—The Sunday School Teaches People
 1. Bible-focused. (Rom. 10:17, “Faith ... by the Word of God.”)
 2. Change driven. (Matt. 28:20, “to observe all things.”)
 3. Age appropriate. (Neh. 8:2, “... and all that could hear with understanding.”)
 4. Quarterly-minded.
 5. Fellowship orientated
 6. Discipleship ready

III. To _____—The Sunday School Develops Leaders.

A. Through _____ education modules for teachers.

B. By _____ new teachers

C. By _____ new classes

1. New classes = New People = New Growth
2. New classes keep the church growing wider.
3. New classes means more laborers
4. New classes = More souls

Conclusion: _____

Five Functions of an Adult Bible Class

Tim Christoson

ACTS 2:41-47

Then they that gladly received his word were baptized: and the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls. And they continued stedfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers. And fear came upon every soul: and many wonders and signs were done by the apostles. And all that believed were together, and had all things common; And sold their possessions and goods, and parted them to all men, as every man had need. And they, continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, did eat their meat with gladness and singleness of heart, Praising God, and having favour with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved.

Introduction: _____

I. The class _____ people of a specific age group with the Gospel

- A. By involving the class in weekly _____
- B. By _____ friends, neighbors, co-workers, and relatives to the class
- C. By systematically _____ up on visitors and prospects

II. The class _____ new members and meets needs through relationships

“People will get connected when they are noticed, when they receive ministry, and when they develop relationships with others in the class.”—Sunday School that Really Works, by Steve Parr

A. By inviting visitors to _____ in the class

Four keys for effective enrollment:

1. The class secretary welcomes guests and invites them to complete the enrollment card.
2. The class leader assigns the new enrollee to a care group.
3. The care group leader contacts the new enrollee within six days to welcome them to the class, explaining their role as care group leaders.
4. The new enrollee is ministered to, included in fellowship, and contacted by the class leader and care group leader on a regular basis.

B. By having effective _____ groups within the class

C. By including members in regular _____ and informal fellowship

Three keys for purposeful activities:

1. Preparing properly (involve a volunteer “Activities Coordinator”)
2. Promoting strategically
3. Pursuing the involvement of both members and prospects

III. The class _____ **Bible truth for life application**

I TIMOTHY 4:16

Take heed unto thyself, and unto the doctrine; continue in them: for in doing this thou shalt both save thyself, and them that hear thee.

A. By presenting _____ sound lessons

1. The first and third quarters of the year will be scheduled as unified curriculum, provided by the Sunday school office.
 2. The second and fourth quarters of the year will allow for varied class-specific or department-specific curriculum, approved by the Sunday school office.
- B. By speaking to the _____ needs of each stage of life
1. For Singles: Biblical Decision Making, Healthy Relationships, Godly Priorities
 2. For Married Couples: Biblical Marriage Instruction, Biblical Principles for Parenting
 3. For All Adults: Overcoming Trials, Prayer, Exercising Faith, Developing a Devotional Walk
- C. By involving students through _____ teaching methods

Ten ways to involve adults in the weekly lesson:

1. Provide a fill-in-the-blank lesson outline (or a booklet with multiple lesson outlines).
2. Use projection for visual aids such as maps, photos, and diagrams.
3. Use a dry-erase marker board or chalk board.
4. Provide an incentive for those who correctly answer review questions from the previous week's lesson.
5. In the lesson introduction, solicit input from the floor on a topic that allows for a variety of answers (such as, "Name a leader in the Bible" or "Name your favorite sport").
6. Ask students to read Scriptures aloud as a group.
7. Call on an individual student (with advance notice) to read Scripture.
8. Provide memory verses related to the following week's lesson. Then, call on students (with advance notice) to recite those verses at the appropriate time in the lesson.

9. Provide study questions related to the following week's lesson. Then, call on students (with advance notice) to provide their answers.
10. Ask students to write down a specific response to today's lesson, on a piece of paper you have

IV. The class _____ people toward maturity through discipleship and participation in church life

- A. By _____ new believers with mature Christians for one-on-one discipleship
- B. By training members to walk with Christ

- C. By encouraging _____ in church-wide opportunities for growth

Spiritual growth opportunities:

Sunday Evening and Midweek Services

Winter Revival Meeting

Annual Events (*Singles Retreat, Couples Retreat, Men and Boys Campout, Ladies Retreat*)

Spiritual Leadership Conference

Missions Conference

Vision Night Service

V. The class _____ new leaders by providing opportunities to serve others

I PETER 4:10

As every man hath received the gift, even so minister the same one to another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God.

- A. By assigning _____ to growing class members

Class Leadership Opportunities:

- Class Leader
- Soulwinning Assistant
- Class Secretary
- Disciplers
- Care Group Leaders
- Class Secretary
- Greeters
- Refreshment Team

- B. By working together to meet _____ within the class
- C. By _____ members to pioneer new classes

ACTS 13:2-3

As they ministered to the Lord, and faster, the Holy Ghost said, Separate me Barnabas and Saul for the work whereunto I have called them. And when they had fasted and prayed, and laid their hands on them, they sent them away.

Conclusion: _____

Organizing Your Soulwinning Program

Jerry Ferrso

Introduction: _____

**I. _____: We should never
_____ the _____ of the
preaching of God's Word.**

ROMANS 1:15-16

So, as much as in me is, I am ready to preach the gospel to you that are at Rome also. For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek.

**II. _____: We need to encourage and
challenge Christians to be personally _____
in the _____ of the church.**

MATTHEW 28:18-20

And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen.

A. The Great Commission is stated _____

B. The Great Commission must be approached

C. The Great Commission is _____

III. _____ : **We communicate the
_____ of soul winning by the
_____ we do ahead of time.**

TITUS 1:5

For this cause left I thee in Crete, that thou shouldst set in order the things that are wanting, and ordain elders in every city, as I had appointed thee:

IV. _____ : **We must remember
the biblical mandate to _____ the
believers for the _____ of the ministry.**

II TIMOTHY 2:2

And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.

V. _____ : **One of the greatest
hindrances of Christians not sharing the Gospel
is the _____ of not _____ how to do it.**

S _____

ROMANS 3:10

As it is written, There is none righteous, no, not one:

ROMANS 3:23

For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;

A _____

ROMANS 5:8-9

But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. Much more then, being now justified by his blood, we shall be saved from wrath through him.

L _____

JOHN 3:16

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

T _____

ROMANS 10:9

That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.

ROMANS 10:13

For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.

VI. _____: The tracking of people and work goals are an important step in determining _____.

“Paperwork is people work.”

- A. The tracking of _____.
- B. The tracking of _____.
- C. The tracking of _____.
- D. The tracking of _____.
- E. The tracking of _____.

VII. _____: The mission of reaching our communities with the Gospel should never be _____.

I CORINTHIANS 15:34

Awake to righteousness, and sin not; for some have not the knowledge of God: I speak this to your shame.

VIII. _____: We need to take time to develop a yearly _____ to reach our community with the Gospel.

A. Vary your _____

B. Vary your _____

C. Vary your _____

Conclusion: _____

Revitalizing Soulwinning In an Older Church

Tim Rasmussen

PROVERBS 11:30

The fruit of the righteous is a tree of life; and he that winneth souls is wise.

DANIEL 12:3

And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament; and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars for ever and ever.

Introduction:

I. The Importance of Soulwinning

MATTHEW 28:19–20

Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world. Amen.

MARK 16:15

And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.

ACTS 1:8

But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judæa, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

II. The Importance of being a Soulwinner

PROVERBS 11:30

The fruit of the righteous is a tree of life; and he that winneth souls is wise.

DANIEL 12:3

And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament; and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars for ever and ever.

III. The Importance of Obedience

ACTS 2:41

Then they that gladly received his word were baptized: and the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls.

ACTS 8:35-38

Then Philip opened his mouth, and began at the same scripture, and preached unto him Jesus. And as they went on their way, they came unto a certain water: and the eunuch said, See, here is water; what doth hinder me to be baptized? And Philip said, If thou believest with all thine heart, thou mayest. And he answered and said, I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God. And he commanded the chariot to stand still: and they went down both into the water, both Philip and the eunuch; and he baptized him.

IV. The Importance of Discipleship

MATTHEW 28:19-20

Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world. Amen.

V. The Importance of Teaching Others

II TIMOTHY 2:2

And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.

Conclusion: _____

Discipling New Converts to Maturity and Leadership

John Honeycutt

Introduction: _____

I. The Journey to Christ

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

II. The Journey to Maturity

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

III. The Journey to Leadership

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

IV. Components for Success

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

D. _____

E. _____

F. _____

G. _____

H. _____

Conclusion: _____

Following Up on People

Seeing Them Saved, Baptized, and Growing

Jerry Ferriso

ACTS 2:41-47

Then they that gladly received his word were baptized: and the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls. And they continued stedfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers. And fear came upon every soul: and many wonders and signs were done by the apostles. And all that believed were together, and had all things common; And sold their possessions and goods, and parted them to all men, as every man had need. And they, continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, did eat their meat with gladness and singleness of heart, Praising God, and having favour with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved.

Introduction: _____

I. _____

- A. Own every _____ that has been _____ to you.

Four Levels of Visits:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Have Soul Winning Goals:

1. Leave a _____ with everyone.
2. Give a _____ invitation for the person to visit.

3. Create a _____ in their heart that the church can meet their needs.
4. Don't wear out your _____. Know when to _____.
5. Become their _____.
6. Keep the _____ open for another _____.
7. Lead them to _____.

B. Receive the _____ that comes along with _____.

C. Owners know the _____ of their sheep.

PROVERBS 27:23

Be thou diligent to know the state of thy flocks, and look well to thy herds.

JOHN 21:15

So when they had dined, Jesus saith to Simon Peter, Simon, son of Jonas, lovest thou me more than these? He saith unto him, Yea, Lord; thou knowest that I love thee. He saith unto him, Feed my lambs.

II. _____

- A. There is a great need for _____ talk.
- B. Casual talk establishes a “_____ relationship.”
- C. This gives the person an opportunity to _____ comfortable with you.
- D. Casual and friendly conversation gives you a _____ to take the visit to the next level.
- E. Develop a love and concern for _____ people.
- F. We have a tendency to _____ people that are like us.

G. Learn to look beyond the _____ appearance and see them the way Christ does.

COLOSSIANS 4:6

Let your speech be always with grace, seasoned with salt, that ye may know how ye ought to answer every man.

III. _____

A. Ask others to _____ with you to _____ people.

B. Introduce your _____ to _____ within your class.

C. Friendships are _____ for spiritual _____.

HEBREWS 10:24-25

And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works: Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.

IV. _____

ROMANS 1:11

For I long to see you, that I may impart unto you some spiritual gift, to the end ye may be established;

A. Use the church _____ to your _____.

B. _____ your prospects to your _____.

1. New believers need to _____ a Christian home.
2. New believers need to see a Christian family _____.
3. New believers need to _____ your personal _____ in their lives.
4. Remember we are encouraging these new believers to walk away from their _____ life style.

5. We are asking them to make high levels of _____ and we must _____ that commitment.

C. People don't care how much you _____ till they know how much you _____.

V. _____

A. Why should we expect our prospects to _____ if we haven't invested in them?

B. Go the _____ in outreach.

C. When we _____ and _____ non-committed people become committed members.

HOW TO HELP NEW MEMBERS

1. 60% of all visitors come little or no understanding of church or the bible.
2. 10% of people leave each year
3. 16% of first time guest must become faithful to average 5-6% growth
4. 85% of guests who return for a second visit will become a part of the church family.
5. 20% of all classes should be less than two years.
6. 90% of newcomers who are involved in a small group will remain loyal.
7. 75% of those who become active in the church do so within 6-12 months.

TEN REASONS WHY I SHOULD BE A PART OF A LOCAL CHURCH

1. Gives me an environment in which to grow spiritually.
Acts 2:42, 14:22-23, Hebrews 10:24-25.
2. Identifies me with my fellow believers.
Ephesians 2:19, 1 Peter 2:9-12.

3. Allows for genuine friendships, healthy relationships, and voluntary accountability.
Romans 16:1–6, James 5:16, Proverbs 27:17.
4. Enables burdens to be shared and loads to be lightened.
Galatians 6:1–5,10, Ecclesiastes 4:9–10, Acts 4:32–37.
5. Builds a prayer network, for mutual intercession.
Romans 15:30, 1 Timothy 2:1, 5:5.
6. Places me under the spiritual protection of godly leaders.
Hebrews 13:17, Acts 20:28–29.
7. Provides a means to honor God financially by supporting local and world evangelism.
1 Corinthians 16:1–2, Philippians 4:14–18.
8. Serves as a place for me to bring others, so they may hear the Gospel.
Matthew 28:18–20, Acts 17:1–4.
9. Creates an opportunity to discover and exercise my spiritual gifts.
Romans 12:6–8, 1 Timothy 4:14, 1 Peter 4:10.
10. Connects me to something eternal and more significant than myself.
Romans 12:4–5, Colossians 3:1–3.

VI. _____

- A. Once again _____ the _____ calendar to your advantage.
- B. Disciples are not mass _____ but are hand crafted.
- C. Every service is a _____ opportunity.

The Purpose of Discipleship:

1. The purpose of discipleship is twofold; First, to _____ new believers in the Word of God; Secondly, develop Christlike character by _____ and _____ Biblical principles.

2. To equip new believers to become _____ soulwinners.
3. To mentor Christians so they are _____ to disciple new believers.
4. To develop a close _____ with your discipler.

The Priority of Discipleship:

1. Discipleship protects and prepares the new believer for _____ from Satan.
2. Discipleship gives the new believer _____ and _____ correction.
3. Discipleship _____ the new believer. (Personal Growth)
4. Discipleship provides the new believer with a Christ-honoring _____.
5. Discipleship _____ the new believer Godly habits.
6. Discipleship provides the new believer with biblical counsel to make _____.

VII. _____

- A. Leaders are involved in the _____ of the ministry.
- B. Leaders are helping _____ along in their spiritual growth.
- C. Leaders are committed to the _____ of the Pastor.

Conclusion: _____

Discipling Young Families by God's Grace

Reggie Williams

2 TIMOTHY 2:1-2

- 1 *"Thou therefore, my son, be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus.*
- 2 *And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also."*

Introduction: _____

I. The _____ of Discipleship

- A. The Purpose of Discipleship
- B. The Pattern of Discipleship
- C. The Power of Discipleship
- D. The Prize of Discipleship

II. The _____ of Discipleship

- A. There is a personal call to holiness
- B. There is the need for continual ,personal , spiritual growth
- C. There is the need for a soulwinning fervor
- D. There is the need for a follow-up endeavor
- E. There is the need of realizing there is a cost

III. The _____ of Discipleship

- A. The exercise of Implementing the need of salvation
- B. The exercise developing Maturity over Mediocrity
- C. The exercise of encouraging personal discipline
- D. The exercise elevating Edification
- E. The exercise the principle of love
- F. The exercise of progress through perseverance
- G. The exercise of training through trials
- H. The exercise of preparing for service

IV. The _____ of Discipleship

- A. Love in the home
- B. Teaching in the home
- C. Protecting the home
- D. Worship in the home
- E. Counseling in the home
- F. Discipline in the home
- G. Encouraging in the home

Conclusion: _____

Creating an Annual Music Ministry Planner

Jon Guy

1 CORINTHIANS 14:40—*“Let all things be done decently and in order.”*

Introduction: _____

I. What Is a _____?

- A. _____ map for the next year
- B. _____ for the next year

II. What does a _____ Accomplish?

- A. _____ you a big picture
- B. _____ time
- C. _____ you accomplish your goals
- D. _____ you flexibility

III. Contents of a _____

- A. _____
- B. _____

Quote: “He who aims at nothing hits it every time”

Goals should be:

1. Concrete
2. Measurable
3. Calendarized

Quote: "Goals that aren't time-activated are just dreams"

C. _____

1. Songs learned (choir, ensembles, groups, soloists)
2. Projects completed
3. Goals reached
4. Special guests or services

D. _____ Services

E. _____

1. Construction/Building project
2. Organization project
3. Weekly projects

F. _____

1. Projects
2. Annual Events
3. Hosting
4. Reoccurring Projects

IV. _____ **it Work**

A. Start _____

B. You must _____ everything

C. You must use your time-activation _____

Conclusion: _____

Piano Accompanying

Shelly Hamilton

Introduction:

Purpose:

- A. To enhance the vocalist by:
 - 1. Supporting, but not getting in the way
 - 2. Being a follower
- B. To enhance the message by:
 - 1. Word painting the lyrics with style
 - 2. Word painting the lyrics with chord patterns

Process:

- A. Follow the chords indicated by the song's 4-part-writing
- B. Figure out the chords by using your ear
- C. Plan an outline of the accompaniment and a mood setting introduction
- D. Choose appropriate accompanying patterns
- E. Determine if a transposition would be beneficial

Particulars:

- A. let the singer take pick-up notes by himself
- B. seldom play the melody

- C. set a comfortable tempo for the singer, appropriate to the song
- D. when the singer has a lot of motion, stay simple—when the singer is stationary, provide motion

Patterns:

- A. Blocked chords
- B. Arpeggiated and rolled chords
- C. Horn fifths
- D. Pedal tone octaves—LH and RH
- E. Scales
- F. Arpeggios

Conclusion: _____

The Importance of a Children’s Music Ministry

Of Such is the Kingdom

Melissa Baker

MATTHEW 19:14—*But Jesus said, Suffer little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me: for of such is the kingdom of heaven.*

PSALM 148:11-13—*Kings of the earth, and all people; princes, and all judges of the earth: Both young men, and maidens; old men, and children: Let them praise the name of the LORD: for his name alone is excellent; his glory is above the earth and heaven.*

Introduction: _____

I. The _____ : Our _____

EXODUS 15:2—*The LORD is my strength and song, and he is become my salvation: he is my God, and I will prepare him an habitation; my father’s God, and I will exalt him.*

II. The _____ : Our _____

PSALM 30:12—*To the end that my glory may sing praise to thee, and not be silent. O LORD my God, I will give thanks unto thee for ever.*

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III. The _____ : Our _____

HEBREWS 13:15—*By him therefore let us offer the sacrifice of praise to God continually, that is, the fruit of our lips giving thanks to his name.*

IV. The _____ : Our _____

PSALM 149:6—*Let the high praises of God be in their mouth, and a twoedged sword in their hand.*

Conclusion: _____

Allowing Music To Be a Reflection of Salvation

Mike Zachary

Introduction: _____

I. _____

A. _____, not earned

B. Is accessed _____

C. Is based on the _____ of Christ, not the _____ of man

II. _____ **Music**

A. Is made by musicians _____

B. Is attempted by musicians who _____ they are good enough

C. Is filled with evidence of _____

III. _____ **Technique**

A. Reveals the three most common _____

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

_____ spiritual **leadership** conference _____

B. Reveals the underlying sources of _____

1. _____, not giving

2. Working in _____, not in _____

IV. The Proper Kind of _____

A. _____ striving

B. _____ concentration

V. Great Musical Processes _____
_____ **of Salvation by Grace**

Conclusion: _____

Developing a Dynamic Spirit in Your Music Ministry

Jon Guy

Introduction: _____

I. _____

A. To _____ God

II CHRONICLES 5:13

It came even to pass, as the trumpeters and singers were as one, to make one sound to be heard in praising and thanking the LORD; and when they lifted up their voice with the trumpets and cymbals and instruments of musick, and praised the LORD, saying, For he is good; for his mercy endureth for ever: that then the house was filled with a cloud, even the house of the LORD.

B. To see people _____

LUKE 19:10

For the Son of man is come to seek and to save that which was lost.

C. To allow _____ to serve

II. _____

A. A winning team believes in the _____

B. A winning team has no individual _____

C. A winning team sacrifices _____

D. A winning team appreciates different _____ and _____

E. A winning team serves with little _____

III. _____

1 PETER 5:5B

...For God resisteth the proud, and giveth grace to the humble

PROVERBS 15:33B

...and before honour is humility

JAMES 4:6

...God resisteth the proud, but giveth grace unto the humble

MATTHEW 23:12

And whosoever shall exalt himself shall be abased...

A. It starts with _____

B. It must be reflected in our _____

IV. _____

ECCLESIASTES 9:10

Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might...

A. Let your first area of excellence be in _____

PHILIPPIANS 4:6

Be careful for nothing; but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God.

1. Pray for wisdom
2. Pray over your song selection
3. Pray for your groups
4. Pray for your team members

B. _____ of excellence in your music ministry

V. _____

A. Understand your Pastor's _____

ACTS 20:28

Take heed therefore unto yourselves, and to all the flock, over the which the Holy Ghost hath made you overseers, to feed the church of God, which he hath purchased with his own blood.

B. Plan the big picture _____

C. Fine tune each monthly _____

VI. _____

PROVERBS 30:25

The ants are a people not strong, yet they prepare their meat in the summer;

A. Prepare yourself before the _____

B. Have quality _____

VII. _____

A. Communicate to the _____

B. Follow through on _____

C. Respond to _____ and _____

VIII. _____

A. Have a weekly _____

B. Walk through _____

IX. _____

A. Express _____

1. Face to face
2. Hand written notes
3. Emails
4. Letters

B. Have _____

1. Ensemble fellowships
2. New members fellowship
3. Music luncheon

Conclusion: _____

Leading and Growing the Church Orchestra

Jon Guy

Introduction:

I SAMUEL 18:6

And it came to pass as they came, when David was returned from the slaughter of the Philistine, that the women came out of all cities of Israel, singing and dancing, to meet king Saul, with tabrets, with joy, and with instruments of musick.

I CHRONICLES 15:16

And David spake to the chief of the Levites to appoint their brethren to be the singers with instruments of musick, psalteries and harps and cymbals, sounding, by lifting up the voice with joy.

I CHRONICLES 16:42

And with them Heman and Juduthun with trumpets and cymbals for those that should make a sound, and with musical instruments of God. And the songs of Jeduthun were porters.

I CHRONICLES 5:13

It came even to pass, as the trumpeters and singers were as one, to make one sound to be heard in praising and thanking the LORD; and when they lifted up their voice with the trumpets and cymbals and instruments of musick, and praised the LORD, saying, For he is good; for his mercy endureth for ever: that then the house was filled with a cloud, even the house of the LORD;

I. Have a _____

A. Be willing to start _____

B. Look for ways to _____

II. Where to _____

- A. Start playing _____ on Sunday nights
- B. Begin learning one _____ song a month (and accompany Sun night)
- C. Involve _____ students

III. Enlisting _____

- A. Ministry _____ Night
- B. Get to know new _____
- C. Ask your _____

IV. Finding _____

- A. Songs the _____ is singing
- B. _____
 1. Word Music
 2. Praise Gathering Music
 3. Prism Music
 4. Brentwood Benson
 5. Lillenas
- C. The _____

V. _____ the orchestra

- A. Determine a _____
 1. Choose a convenient time
 2. Start on time
 3. Have music ready

- 4. Keep the practice moving
- 5. Have a plan

- B. The orchestra _____
- C. File _____
- D. Piano _____

VI. Planning for a _____ _____

- A. Put together a _____
- B. Orchestra _____
- C. Practice _____
- D. Have a few big _____
- E. Have _____
- F. Express _____ for their time invested

Conclusion: _____

Making Your Special Music Special

Shelly Hamilton

Introduction: _____

Special things special music does for your church:

- Adds _____ to your services
- Gives musicians more chances to use their _____
- Provides _____ for more people to get involved when you form vocal or instrumental duets, trios, quartets, and other small ensembles
- Enhances the overall vocal sound of your choir as you spend in—in-depth time developing the core of your choir members' _____
- Encourages _____ musicians to become a part of your church

Helpful tips:

- Get _____— create a master schedule three to four times a year, published and mailed for all to see. (We have found that printed schedules help ward off problems with musicians not being prepared and with feelings of unfairness in the scheduling.)
- Make sure all ensemble members are _____ of rehearsal schedules. (Weekly e-mails work well as reminders.)

- Keep rehearsals _____ and sweet, moving at a comfortable clip so as not to waste anyone's time.
- When working with small _____, be meticulous with cut offs, uniform dynamics, rise and fall of the melodic line, limited vibrato, and good intonation.
- Work with your special music people to try to look like they have the _____ of the Lord on their faces as well as in their hearts. Telling them to smile with their eyes as they sing works well. Watch them during the rehearsals to make sure they are doing so.
- Performing by _____ is best, but many times not feasible. Make sure anyone ministering in special music does not bury their face in the music books, but looks out as much as possible to the congregation.
- Occasionally, someone will be _____ when not being chosen to participate in the special music. Do your best to include as many people as you can, but you will soon discover it's impossible to please everyone. Keep open communication with your musicians, and always be prayerful and kind in your responses.

Conclusion: _____

The Four Basics of Building a Website

Jeremy Lofgren

Introduction: _____

I. _____ the Four Skills

A. _____ — asks the question: What will this _____?

B. _____ — asks the question: How will it _____?

C. _____ — asks the question: _____ we do this?

Note—Never build a site or feature that you are not willing to support _____

D. _____ — asks the question: What will this _____?

Note: There are three keys to building website traffic:

_____, _____, _____

II. _____ with the four skills

A. The four skills in relation to _____

B. The four skills in relation to _____ _____:

III. _____ for the four skills

A. Compensating for _____—

B. Compensating for _____—

C. Compensating for _____—

D. Compensating for _____—

Conclusion: _____

Page Layout and Design Made Simple

Andrew Jones

Introduction:

I. The Process of Your Design

Where do you begin when you start to design or re-design something?

Define your project—focal point

Decide what you want your readers to see first.

Plan your project—logical groups

Decide on the relationships between these groups.

II. The Four Basic Design Principles

A. Proximity—the grouping of related elements

1. The basic purpose of proximity is to organize. If information is organized, it is more likely to be read and more likely to be understood.
2. When several items are in close proximity of each other, they become one visual unit rather than several separate items.
3. Use proximity to create a logical progression throughout the piece. Form a definite beginning and a definite ending.

B. Alignment—the visual connection of items on a page

1. The basic purpose of alignment is to unify and organize the page.

2. Every object that is placed on a page creates invisible lines.
3. Avoid center aligning text and graphics. This is the most common sign of amateur design. Find a strong line and use it.
4. Avoid using more than one text alignment on the page.

C. Repetition—*the repetition of familiar elements on a page*

1. Repetition of visual elements through the design unifies and strengthens a piece by tying together otherwise separated parts.
2. Use consistent colors and shapes.
3. Repetition acts as an accent to the design piece.
4. Avoid repeating elements so much that they become annoying or overwhelming.

D. Contrast—*when two or more elements are different*

1. Contrast is one of the most effective ways of adding interest to your page. Contrast on a page draws our eyes to it.
2. Contrast aids in the organization of information.
3. If two items are not exactly the same, then make them very different.
4. Add contrast through your typeface, line thickness, colors, shading, shapes, sizes, and space.

III. Design Essentials for Page Layout

- A. Limit your fonts to two per piece.
- B. White space is good as long as it is not trapped.

- C. Never try to just fill space.
 - D. Simple is good. People do not like to read.
 - E. As a general rule, do not use boxes to separate items.
 - F. Keep artwork and photos in proportion.
 - G. Use appropriate fonts, colors, photos, and artwork.
 - H. You do not have to use words to communicate everything that needs to be communicated.
 - I. When designing an advertisement for an event, you do not need to list excessive details.
 - J. Do not use words that are unnecessary or that insult your reader's intelligence.
 - K. Think of a creative way to draw someone's attention.
 - L. Get ideas from everywhere.
 - M. Learn to keep up with desktop publishing.
 - N. Be careful about making things look the same.
 - O. Know your grammar and composition.
 - P. Be mindful of who you are trying to reach.
 - Q. Create constants within a document that give uniformity.
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IV. Do's and Don't of Design

A. Do not

1. Do not use two scripts on the same page
2. Do not use two moderns, two sans serifs, two oldstyles, or two slab serifs on the same page.
3. Do not add importance to one typographic element by making it bolder, and to another on the same page by making it bigger.
4. Do not use a script and an italic on the same page.
5. Do not use a fancy decorative face to compliment another eye-catching typeface.
6. Do not create a type arrangement that is extremely interesting, but unreadable.

B. Do

1. If one face is tall and slender, do choose another that is short and thick.
2. If one face has strong/thick transitions, do choose a sans serif or a slab serif.
3. Do remember to use the four basic design principles when using any type in any way.

Software Resources:

Adobe Creative Suite

Photoshop—Image Creation and Editing

InDesign—Page Layout

Illustrator—Artwork Creation and Layout

(also includes GoLive, Acrobat Professional)

Design Resources:

Magazines

Before & After: How to design cool stuff (bamagazine.com)

Books

- The Non-Designer Design Book* by Robin Williams
- The Non-Designers Type Book* by Robin Williams
- Before and After Page Design* by John McWade
- Pantone's Guide to Communicating with Color* by Leatrice Eiseman
- Looking Good in Print* by Roger Parker
- Color Harmony* from Rockport Publishers
- Design Workshop* by Robin Williams

Photo/Illustration Websites

- www.istockphoto.com
- www.bigstockphoto.com
- www.fotolia.com
- www.shutterstock.com
- www.photos.com
- www.photospin.com
- www.liquidlibrary.com
- www.gettyimages.com

Conclusion: _____

Simple Solutions To Maximizing Your Online Presence

Jeremy Lofgren

Introduction: _____

I. Through your _____

- A. Photos
- B. _____ and _____
- C. Updating _____
- D. _____ from ministry leaders
- E. _____ with social media links

II. Through _____

- A. View Social Media as a _____
- B. View Social Media as a “_____”
- C. _____ and _____

III. Through your _____

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____

Conclusion: _____

Setting Up Campus Internet Content Filtering

Anthony King

Introduction:

1. Network Infrastructure

- A. Firewall Device
- B. Wireless
 - WRT54G
 - DD-WRT
- C. Internal Network
 - All users must have their own username and password
- D. No guest should have access to private network.

II. General

- A. User agreement
- B. Regular password changes
 - Unique passwords
 - Keepass/LastPass, etc.
- C. User training
- D. Physical data security
- E. Diligence

III. Spam Filtering

- A. Barracuda Spam Filter
- B. Google Apps for Domains

IV. Content Filtering Configurations

- A. At the computer
- B. On the network

V. Content Filtering Solutions

- A. Barracuda Web Filter
- B. OpenDNS
- C. Family Shield
- D. Safe Eyes
- E. K9 Web Protection

VI. Filter Circumvention & Cleanup Software

- A. VPN Software
- B. Proxy Software
- C. Phone Tethering
- D. Private Browsing Modes

Conclusion: _____

Getting Started with Effective Video Editing

Larry Chappell

LAMENTATIONS 3:51—*Mine eye affecteth mine heart...*

1. Become a student of video production.

2. Define the message and purpose of your project.

3. Know the capabilities of your camera.

4. Properly light your interviews.

5. Don't overlook the importance of quality audio.

6. Edit creatively.

7. Choose music that supports the message.

8. Use motion graphics to create interest

9. Distribute video appropriately.

Taking Your PowerPoint to the Next Level

Andrew Jones

Introduction: A Brief History of Visual Aids

I. Creating a New Slide Ideology

We are all inherently visual communicators.

- A. A Case for Presentations
- B. Selecting a Strategy
- C. Understanding the Three-Step Approach
 - 1. Document
 - 2. Teleprompter
 - 3. Presentation

D. Time and Focus

The amount of time required to develop a presentation is directly proportional to how high the stakes are.

- 1. Time Estimate for Developing a Presentation
- 2. Responding to Your Audiences Needs
- 3. Seven Questions to Knowing Your Audience
- 4. How to Define Your Audience

II. Crafting a Message, Not Slides

Applications are simply containers for ideas, not the means to generate them.

- A. Understand the Message

B. Use Clarity as Your Guide

C. Abstract Concepts

1. Flow
2. Structure
3. Cluster
4. Radiate

D. Realistic Concepts

1. Pictorial
2. Display Data
3. Cluster
4. Radiate

III. Displaying Your Sources

Facts are not really about data, they are about giving context to your message.

- A. Be Accurate with Your Sources
- B. Get to the Point
- C. Choose the Right Tools
- D. Highlight What Is Important
- E. Keep It Simple

IV. Think Like a Designer

Every decision a designer makes intentional.

- A. There Should Always Be a Purpose to Your Visuals
- B. Designing Effective Slides
 1. Arrangement
 2. Visual Elements
 3. Movement

V. Arranging Elements

It is laziness on the presenter's part to put everything on one slide.

- A. Make Your Main Points Clear
- B. Ordering How the Information Is Processed
- C. See the Relationship between Elements
- D. Give Your Audience Breathing Room

VI. Using Visual Elements

A powerful image library creates re-usable components that fit together well with each other. This enables you to focus on your thinking.

- A. Ingredients of a Great Slide
 - 1. Background
 - 2. Color
 - 3. Text
 - 4. Images
- B. Create Dimensions
- C. Obey Language Rules
- D. Creating Movement
 - 1. Only Use If Necessary to Explain an Idea
 - 2. Keep It Short and Simple

VII. Governing with Templates

When more than one person generates presentations for your church, a well-built template is a must.

- A. Making Template Design Decisions
- B. Rarely Change

1. Church Logo
2. Signage
3. Visual Attributes

C. Often Transform

1. Sermon Series
2. Annual Themes
3. Ad Campaigns

VIII. Interacting with Slides

Nothing should ever take away from the message of the presenter.

- A. The Power of Constraints
- B. Constraining the Text
- C. Using the 10/20/30 Rule
- D. To Project or Not to Project
- E. A Call to Relate
- F. Help Them See What You are Saying

Conclusion: _____

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Establishing a Registration System

Julie Hanna

I CORINTHIANS 14:33—*For God is not the author of confusion, but of peace, as in all churches of the saints.*

Introduction: _____

I. _____ Information

- A. What do you _____ to _____
 - B. Create a _____
 - C. Getting it _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

II. _____ the Information to Work for You

- A. _____
 - B. _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

III. Security

_____ spiritual **leadership** conference _____

A. Using the _____ to help you

B. Know the _____ and _____

C. Enforce your _____

Conclusion: _____

Jesus loves the little children and so do we!!!!

Leading an Organized and Fruitful Bus Ministry

Billy Willis

PHILIPPIANS 4:17

Not because I desire a gift: but I desire fruit that may abound to your account.

Introduction: _____

“If you take care of the spiritual, God will take care of the financial.”—Dr. Bob Jones Sr.

- I. _____
Definition of _____—Having a formal _____ or structure, especially to coordinate or carry out for widespread activities
 - A. In _____
 1. Campaigns that support the Vision
 2. Special Days
 3. Discipleship
 4. Soulwinning/Follow-up
 5. Route Areas
 - B. In Policies & _____
 1. Rider Permission Slips
 - a. Signed by parent/guardian
 - b. Filed away at church
 2. Data Entry/Filing
 3. Vehicle Inspection/Records
 4. Worker Policies & Procedures
 5. Rider Behavior Dismissal

6. Emergency Contacts

C. In _____

1. Is it just about the crowd?
2. Is this ministry benefiting families?
3. Does it support the vision of the church?
4. What is the purpose of our church running busses?

II. _____

Definition of _____—abounding in _____

- Having a large crowd doesn't necessarily confirm that there is fruit that remains and abounds.

A. _____ of Follow-up

1. First Time Guest
2. Newly Saved
3. Needs to be Baptized

B. _____ and Special Days

1. Contest for Kids and Captains
 - Friend Day
 - Lancaster Bus Basketball
2. Numerical Goal for Each Route
3. Spiritual Goal for Each Route
 - a. Scripture Memory
 - b. Invite a Friend

C. _____ and Daily Walk

1. Accountability with riders
2. 1-on-1 Teen Discipleship

D. Community _____

1. Vacation Bible School
2. Community Appreciation Day

E. _____

1. Baptism Sunday
2. Thanksgiving Basket

Recruiting and Encouraging Nursery Workers

“Crazy or Called”

Julie Hanna

Introduction: _____

I. C _____

II. A _____

III. L _____

IV. L _____

V. E _____

VI. D _____

Conclusion: _____

Remember to nurture your relationship with the volunteers.

Policies and Procedures for the Children's Ministry

Billy Willis

PHILIPPIANS 2:15

That ye may be blameless and harmless, the sons of God, without rebuke, in the midst of a crooked and perverse nation, among whom ye shine as lights in the world;

II PETER 3:14

Wherefore, beloved, seeing that ye look for such things, be diligent that ye may be found of him in peace, without spot, and blameless.

JOHN 3:19

And this is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil.

Introduction: _____

Definition of _____—an overall plan, principle, or guideline

Definition of _____—a series of steps taken to accomplish an end

I. _____ Policies

A. _____ Policies

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

B. _____ Policies

1. _____ Reporting

2. Background Checks of _____
3. Tips on _____
4. _____ in Clear Terms
5. Understood by _____
6. Volunteers _____ Reminded

II. _____ Procedures

A. Classroom _____

1. _____ Breaks
 - a. Worker to child ratio
 - b. Ages of children
 - c. Proper restroom usage
2. Classroom _____ Sheets
 - a. Confidential
 - b. Legal Document
 - c. Picking Up, Filling Out and Filing
3. _____
 - a. No Physical Discipline
 - b. Tone of Voice
 - c. How To Contact Leadership
4. Worker _____
 - a. Soulwinning/Follow up
 - b. Questions/Comments

B. _____ Procedures

1. _____ Permission Slips
2. Misbehavior/Communication to _____
3. Activity _____
4. Failed _____ of Volunteer

C. _____ Procedure

1. _____ Reports
2. _____ Reporting
3. _____ Information

III. _____ Policies and Procedures

- A. _____
 - 1. _____ that your church needs them
 - 2. Use _____ policies and procedures
 - 3. Create proper ones that would _____ the needs of your church

- B. _____
 - 1. Help the volunteers _____
 - a. The necessity
 - b. What to do with them
 - 2. Help the volunteers take _____

- C. _____
 - 1. Volunteer meetings
 - 2. MBWA

Conclusion: _____

Hosting a VBS Week

Billy Willis

Introduction: _____

I. Game _____

A. _____

1. Outreach
2. Inreach

B. _____ of Volunteers

1. Veterans
2. Rookies
 - VBS is a great time to enlist new church members.

C. _____ Times

1. Play Book
2. Fight Song

II. Game _____

A. _____

1. Easily understood by the lost
2. Excites the mind of a child
3. Easy to develop
 - a. Logo
 - b. Décor
 - c. Skits
 - d. Curriculum

B. Community _____

1. Bus Routes
2. Radio Announcements
3. Fliers hung in business's
4. Door to Door Soulwinning

III. Game _____

A. Game _____

1. Craft/Game Time
2. Classroom Time
3. Snack Time
4. Counseling Time
5. Rally Time
6. Dismissal Time

B. _____ Pep Rally

1. Saturday Visitor Follow-up
2. Saturday Baptism Follow-up
 - VBS is not over until the last child is picked up from the children's choir.

C. Sunday _____ Ceremony

1. Baptism Emphasis
2. Sunday Children's choir
3. Themed prize for every child that attends

Conclusion: _____

Eight Qualities of Biblical Youth Ministry

Getting Back to God's Heart

Cary Schmidt

I THESSALONIANS 2; TITUS 2

I TIMOTHY 3:15

But if I tarry long, that thou mayest know how thou oughtest to behave thyself in the house of God, which is the church of the living God, the pillar and ground of the truth.

Introduction: _____

I. Biblical Youth Ministry Is _____

II. Biblical Youth Ministry Is _____

I THESSALONIANS 2:13

For this cause also thank we God without ceasing, because, when ye received the word of God which ye heard of us, ye received it not as the word of men, but as it is in truth, the word of God, which effectually worketh also in you that believe.

III. Biblical Youth Ministry Is _____

MALACHI 4:6

And he shall turn the heart of the fathers to the children, and the heart of the children to their fathers, lest I come and smite the earth with a curse.

IV. Biblical Youth Ministry Is _____

TITUS 1:5

For this cause left I thee in Crete, that thou shouldest set in order the things that are wanting, and ordain the things that are wanting, and ordain elders in every city, as I had appointed thee:

HEBREWS 13:7

Remember them which have the rule over you, who have spoken unto you the word of God: whose faith follow, considering the end of their conversation.

V. Biblical Youth Ministry Is _____

2 TIMOTHY 3:10

But thou hast fully known my doctrine, manner of life, purpose, faith, longsuffering, charity, patience,

1 THESSALONIANS 2:6-8

Nor of men sought we glory, neither of you, nor yet of others, when we might have been burdensome, as the apostles of Christ. But we were gentle among you, even as a nurse

cherisheth her children: So being affectionately desirous of you, we were willing to have imparted unto you, not the gospel of God only, but also our own souls, because ye were dear unto us.

VI. Biblical Youth Ministry Is _____

1 THESSALONIANS 2:9-11

For ye remember, brethren, our labour and travail: for labouring night and day, because we would not be chargeable unto any of you, we preached unto you the gospel of God. Ye are witnesses, and God also, how holily and justly and unblameably we behaved ourselves among you that believe: As ye know how we exhorted and comforted and charged every one of you, as a father doth his children,

2 THESSALONIANS 3:7

For yourselves know how ye ought to follow us: for we behaved not ourselves disorderly among you;

1 TIMOTHY 4:12

Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity.

2 TIMOTHY 2:22

Flee also youthful lusts: but follow righteousness, faith, charity, peace, with them that call on the Lord out of a pure heart.

VII. Biblical Youth Ministry Is _____

EPHESIANS 5:17-18

Wherefore be ye not unwise, but understanding what the will of the Lord is. And be not drunk with wine, wherein is excess; but be filled with the Spirit;

VIII. Biblical Youth Ministry Is _____

I CORINTHIANS 15:58

Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.

HEBREWS 10:35

Cast not away therefore your confidence, which hath great recompence of reward.

Conclusion: _____

Creating a Junior High Annual Plan

Jon Sisson

Introduction: _____

I. The _____ of the Planner

- A. Set goals for the youth group
- B. Better Organization
- C. Overview plan for the year

II. The _____ of the Planner

- A. Number of activities or events in a year.
- B. Dates for the activities (according to the church and pastor's calendar)
- C. Budget
- D. Enlist workers
- E. Final checklist for each activity or event.

III. The _____ of the Planner

- A. Christ—Glorify Christ
- B. Teens—Spiritual Growth, souls saved, new teens involved.
- C. Parents—They will have a schedule in advance, and have peace of mind knowing preparation and planning has gone into the event.

D. Pastor—He will know that you are well prepared and it will give him peace of mind.

Conclusion: _____

Developing Great Character in the Next Generation

Mark Rasmussen

PROVERBS 1:7

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge: but fools despise wisdom and instruction.

PSALM 1:1

Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful.

Introduction: _____

I. Part One: Modern Education

A. Differing _____

1. _____ Purpose of Education
2. _____ View of Education

B. Education and _____

1. A _____ Religion
2. _____ Results

The concept of _____—to teach a child and equip him to do what God wants him to do.

The concept of _____ education—to equip a child for the work place.

II. Part Two: What Does the _____ Say About Education?

A. The _____ is the beginning

of knowledge

PROVERBS 9:10

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom: and the knowledge of the holy is understanding.

B. All education begins with _____

III. Part Three: What Is Our _____?

A. Children must be educated according to _____ rules

PROVERBS 22:6

Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it.

B. Children must know the _____ of disobeying God

PROVERBS 8:36

But he that sinneth against me wrongeth his own soul: all they that hate me love death.

It is not that public schools do not teach a religion.

They teach a religion that is the opposite of what God teaches in His Word.

C. Children must be taught to _____ false ideas

EPHESIANS 4:14

That we henceforth be no more children, tossed to and fro, and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the sleight of men, and cunning craftiness, whereby they lie in wait to deceive;

Concerning multi-culturalism, Ravi Zacharias said, "In one culture, they say love your neighbor, in another culture they say eat your neighbor. Which do you prefer?"

D. Children must learn who and what they are in God's _____

PSALMS 139:14

I will praise thee; for I am fearfully and wonderfully made: marvellous are thy works; and that my soul knoweth right well.

PSALMS 8:1

O LORD our Lord, how excellent is thy name in all the earth! who hast set thy glory above the heavens.

E. Children must learn how to be _____ according to God's plan

MICAH 6:8

He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the LORD require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God.

ECCLESIASTES 12:13

Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter: Fear God, and keep his commandments: for this is the whole duty of man.

IV. Part 4: Basic _____ to Pass On

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____
- E. _____
- F. _____
- G. _____
- H. _____

_____ spiritual **leadership** conference _____

I. _____

J. _____

Conclusion: _____

Seven Attributes of a Christian School of Distinction

Rick Houk

LUKE 2:52; 2 PETER 1:5-7

Introduction: _____

I. Bible Based _____

- A. The _____ of Education
- B. The _____ of Curriculum
- C. The _____ of Character

II. Local Church _____

- A. _____ to the Pastor's Heart
 - 1. Understand his Heart for _____
 - 2. Understand his Heart for _____
- B. _____ Priorities
- C. _____ Procedures
 - 1. Implement the _____
 - 2. Implement the _____
 - 3. Implement the _____
 - 4. Implement the _____

III. Christ Focused _____

- A. Dedicated _____
- B. Active _____ Members
- C. Consistent _____

IV. Caring Campus _____

- A. Loving the _____
- B. Working with _____
- C. Encouraging _____

V. Balanced Based _____

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____

VI. Building Bold _____

- A. Teaching our _____
 - 1. As _____
 - 2. As _____
- B. Learning our _____
 - 1. As _____
 - 2. As _____
- C. Developing _____
 - 1. Loyalty to _____
 - 2. Loyalty to the _____
 - 3. Loyalty to _____

VII. Developing Servant— _____

- A. By the Bible's _____ it
- B. By the teacher's _____ it
- C. By the students' _____ it

Track 10

Ten Fruitful Characteristics of an Effective Teacher

Jerry Goddard

Introduction: _____

G _____ — _____

R _____ — _____

A _____ — _____

P _____ — _____

E _____ — _____

F _____ — _____

R _____ — _____

U _____ — _____

I _____ — _____

T _____ — _____

Conclusion: _____

Preparing Your Child For College

Diane Goetsch

PROVERBS 1:5

A wise man will hear, and will increase learning; and a man of understanding shall attain unto wise counsels:

Introduction:

“Without a spiritual purpose, education is in vain. Man’s part is to be faithful in the performance of the task given him by God; the results are of His ordering.”—C.B. Eavey

I. Preparation—II Timothy 2:15

- A. Encourage daily devotions: Psalms 88:9b
- B. Encourage Bible memory: Psalms 119:11
- C. Pray together: Psalms 55:17
- D. Share God’s blessings and God’s will through life experience
- E. Encourage your child to seek godly counsel: Proverbs 20:5

II. Preparation—Proverbs 3:9–10

- A. Teach principles of saving!
- B. Teach principles of banking!
- C. Plan early for college expenses!

1. TALK honestly about expectations for the child and child for the parent concerning money.
2. Establish a budget!
3. Put in writing obligations and expectations. SIGN the form.

III. _____ **Preparation—Proverbs 1**

- A. The right mindset... “College is fun, exciting, and rewarding But it is exhausting, trying, and challenging!”
- B. The right vision...Prov. 24:3–6 Your future depends on your surrender to the Lord. Let God lead, not you.
- C. The right response...Problems, conflicts may come. Be prepared...
 1. Girlfriend-boyfriend relationships Dating!
 2. Money problems
 3. Wrong friends--peer pressures
 4. Academic problems or decisions
 5. Conflicts with authority, “I want to.....but they won’t let me.”

Solutions: Talk, Pray, Seek Counsel!

Conclusion: _____

Becoming an Educator with a Ministry Heart

Ken Jones

Introduction:

I. You can add value by modeling ministry before your Church

- A. Attendance at church and special meetings
- B. Faithful at reaching the lost
- C. Faithful in my giving

II. You can add value by modeling ministry before your Students

- A. Encouraging students by talking to them at church
- B. Training students by encouraging them to take part in church ministries
- C. Showing them how to serve by including them in your ministries

III. You can add value by modeling ministry before your Student's Parents

- A. Showing parents that ministry involvement can happen with busy schedules
- B. Encouraging parents, along with their children,

to be active in church

C. Helping parents add value by bringing others to Christ

Conclusion: _____

Establishing an Automated Giving Program

Ben Hobbs

Introduction: _____

I. The reality of an evolving _____

II. The _____ of systematic giving

III. The options for _____ programs

IV. The _____ to process automated gifts

V. The benefits of a _____ provider

VI. The blessings of _____ obedience

Conclusion: _____

The Purpose and Function of the Church Finance and Audit Committees

Ben Hobbs

Introduction: _____

I. The Priority of _____

II. The Significance of _____

III. The Sharing of the _____

IV. The _____ of the Committees

V. The _____ of the Finance Committee

VI. The _____ of the Audit Committee

VII. The _____ of Faithful Stewardship

Conclusion: _____

Caring For Your Church Employees

Deirdre Finn

GALATIANS 6:10

As we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith.

I. Ensuring Your Church Employees are Cared for

A. Setting Financial Remuneration

B. Medical Benefits

C. Vacation Leave

D. Setting Work Schedules

II. Ensuring Your Church Employees are Cared for

A. Creating a Spiritual Environment

B. Providing Ministry Opportunities

**III. Ensuring Your Church Employees are Cared for
and**

A. Reinforcing the Need for Margin

B. Mentoring Your Church Employees

C. Allowing for Continuing Education

Conclusion: _____

Making Pastor's Vision a Reality

Toby Weaver

PHILIPPIANS 2:19-24

- 19 *"But I trust in the Lord Jesus to send Timotheus shortly unto you, that I also may be of good comfort, when I know your state.*
- 20 *For I have no man likeminded, who will naturally care for your state.*
- 21 *For all seek their own, not the things which are Jesus Christ's.*
- 22 *But ye know the proof of him, that, as a son with the father, he hath served with me in the gospel.*
- 23 *Him therefore I hope to send presently, so soon as I shall see how it will go with me.*
- 24 *But I trust in the Lord that I also myself shall come shortly."*

Introduction: _____

I. A commitment to my _____.

II. The death of my personal _____.

III. _____ of the vision. I must not withhold my heart. I have no plan B. Pastor much know I am not holding back.

IV. Growth in ministry _____.

A. _____ growth

B. _____ growth

C. _____ and _____ growth
(read)

“If I fear the burden of success then I will remain incompetent.”—Dr. Paul Chappell

V. Ability to lead and execute the _____.

VI. Revive the standard of _____.

VII. _____ praise and recognition.

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

Conclusion: _____

Understanding and Defending our Baptist Distinctives

Rick Houk

Introduction: _____

I. The _____ of our Distinctives—2 Tim. 3:16

II. The _____ of our Distinctives

B— _____

A— _____

P— _____

T— _____

I— _____

S— _____

T— _____

S— _____

III. The _____ of our Distinctives

A. The _____ Churches

B. The _____ of the True Gospel

W. H Rone cites the Dutch Reformed historians Dermout and Ypeig's unbiased and insightful testimony:

We have now seen that the Baptists who were formerly called Anabaptists, and in later times Mennonites, were the original Waldenses, and who have long in the history of the Church received the honor of that origin. On this account the Baptist may be considered as the only Christian community which has stood since the days of the Apostles, and as a Christian society which has preserved pure the doctrines of the Gospel through all ages. The perfectly correct external and internal economy of the Baptist denomination tends to confirm the truth, disputed by the Romish Church, that the Reformation brought about in the sixteenth century was in the highest degree necessary, and at the same time goes to refute the erroneous notion of the Catholics that their denomination is the most ancient.

The Baptist preacher C. H. Spurgeon gives his astute opinion concerning the history of the Baptists, stating the following.

We believe that the Baptists are the original Christians. We did not commence our existence at the Reformation, we were reformers before Luther or Calvin were born; we never came from the Church of Rome, for we were never in it, but have always existed from the very days of Christ, and our principles, sometimes veiled and forgotten, like a river which may travel underground for a little season, have always had honest and holy adherents. Persecuted alike by Romanists and Protestants of almost every sect, yet there has never existed a government holding Baptist principles which persecuted others; nor, I believe, any body of Baptist ever held it to be right to put the consciences of others under the control of man. We have ever been ready to suffer, as our martyrologies will prove, but we are not ready to accept any help from the State, to prostitute the purity of the Bride of

Christ to any alliance with Government, and we will never make the Church, although the Queen, the despot over the consciences of men.

IV. The _____ of our Distinctives

- A. The _____ of Persecution
- B. The _____ of Persecution
- C. The _____ of Persecution

V. The _____ of our Distinctives

- A. The Perception of our _____
- B. The Perpetual Teaching of our _____
- C. The Propagation of the _____

Conclusion: _____

Learning How to Stand for Truth with a Godly Spirit

Bryan Samms

Introduction:

A fundamentalist is by nature a separatist. Biblically and historically, fundamentalists have taken the militant separatist position. The word fundamentalist has some negative connotation in various religions, but the word actually was developed to label those men who were remaining true to the “fundamental” doctrines of the Word of God. It simply refers to someone who is committed to being loyal to the doctrinal and practical teachings of the Bible.

Although we must take a firm stand for the faith, our attitude must be tempered with the grace and love that can only come from the Holy Spirit.

I. _____ of a Pastor

- A. A Pastor must not be a _____ or a brawler.
- B. A Pastor must not be soon _____.

II. A Commandment for all to _____

- A. Love _____ long.
- B. Love does not think _____.

III. Not Everyone is an _____

Do we have to agree with everything?

1. There are saved people who do disagree on things that are non-_____.
2. Check your _____ toward the other man.
3. Whatever your position is; be sure that it is for the _____ of God and not the fulfillment of your flesh.
4. The judgment seat of Christ will be the _____.
5. Instead of judging, be sure that we are not creating a stumbling _____.
6. Be careful of your _____ before others.
7. _____ that non-essentials are non-essential
8. Make _____ a priority rather than war.

Conclusion: _____

Leading Men To Encourage And Care For the Pastor

John Alvarez

HEBREWS 13:7 — “Remember them that have the rule over you, who have spoken unto you the word of God: whose faith follow, considering the end of their conversation.”

I TIMOTHY 5:17 — “...Let the elders that rule well be counted worthy of double honour, especially they who labour in the word and doctrine.”

Introduction: _____

I. L_____ your Pastor scripturally

II. E_____ your men to be leaders

III. A_____ your Pastor’s needs

IV. D _____ yourself to serve your Pastor

V. I _____ action items quickly

VI. N _____ his ministry

VII.G _____ of yourself

Conclusion: _____

A Guide to Studying the Bible

Finding God's Approval on my life...

Mike Lester

2 Timothy 2:15

Introduction: _____

I. Study

II. Shew—"present thyself"

III. Approved unto God

IV. Workman—not ashamed

V. Rightly dividing

From the practical side...How do we do it?

I. Have proper _____ for studying Scripture.

II. Develop good _____.

III. _____ on those things which are studied.

IV. Meditate must lead to _____.

Embracing the Biblical Role of Deacon

Dave McCollum

ACTS 6:1-7

- 1 *And in those days, when the number of the disciples was multiplied, there arose a murmuring of the Grecians against the Hebrews, because their widows were neglected in the daily ministrations.*
- 2 *Then the twelve called the multitude of the disciples unto them, and said, It is not reason that we should leave the word of God, and serve tables.*
- 3 *Wherefore, brethren, look ye out among you seven men of honest report, full of the Holy Ghost and wisdom, whom we may appoint over this business.*
- 4 *But we will give ourselves continually to prayer, and to the ministry of the word.*
- 5 *And the saying pleased the whole multitude: and they chose Stephen, a man full of faith and of the Holy Ghost, and Philip, and Prochorus, and Nicanor, and Timon, and Parmenas, and Nicolas a proselyte of Antioch:*
- 6 *Whom they set before the apostles: and when they had prayed, they laid their hands on them.*
- 7 *And the word of God increased; and the number of the disciples multiplied in Jerusalem greatly; and a great company of the priests were obedient to the faith.*

I. R _____

II. O _____

III. L _____

IV. E _____

Helping Your Pastor Involve Others in the Ministry

Tim Butterfield

TITUS 1:4-5—*To Titus, mine own son after the common faith: Grace, mercy, and peace, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ our Saviour. For this cause left I thee in Crete, that thou shouldest set in order the things that are wanting, and ordain elders in every city, as I had appointed thee:*

Introduction: _____

I. _____

II. _____

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III. _____

IV. _____

Conclusion: _____

Encouraging Your Pastor's Wife

Rita Weaver

1 SAMUEL 14:7

... behold, I am with thee according to thy heart.

Introduction: _____

1. Be in your _____.
2. Serve with the right _____.
3. Shield her from _____ things.
4. Back her _____.
5. Don't dwell on the _____ but be reminded of the _____ and _____.
6. _____ your pastor's wife.
7. _____ for her and for her children.
8. Get to _____ her.
9. Send her _____ and _____ of encouragement.
10. Remember _____ and _____.
11. Be _____ to her family time.
12. Be responsive in times of _____ or needs.
13. If she mentions something she _____, get it for her.
14. Offer free _____.

15. Pay for her to have a _____.
16. Give her a gift of _____.
17. When she has company, bring a homemade
_____.
18. Be _____.
19. Don't expect her children to be _____.
20. Be a _____.
21. Don't be a _____ to your pastor.
22. Be appropriate with _____ to
your pastor.

Conclusion: _____

Redeeming the Gift of Time

Debbie Goddard

Introduction: _____

I. Redeeming the _____ of time with God

A. _____ redeeming time for God

B. _____ your time for God

II. Redeeming a spiritual present in the _____

A. Have a _____ spiritual influence on your children.

B. Our children ought to learn early _____
_____ as they hear their _____
praying.

C. Some ideas of bringing _____
in your home.

III. Redeeming the gift of time to _____
_____.

A. Care for the _____.

B. Care for the _____.

C. Care for your _____ _____.

D. Care for _____ _____.

Conclusion: _____

Mentoring Teen Girls in Godliness

Dana Schmidt

II THESSALONIANS 3:3-5

But the Lord is faithful, who shall stablish you, and keep you from evil. And we have confidence in the Lord touching you, that ye both do and will do the things which we command you. And the Lord direct your hearts into the love of God, and into the patient waiting for Christ.

Introduction: _____

I. Maintain a _____ and _____

A. Model godliness _____.

B. Model godliness in _____.

C. Model godliness in _____.

D. Model _____.

II. Enlist a _____ to Help

A. Look for _____ and _____.

B. Look for _____ in spirit and a _____.

C. Teach these ladies how to _____ into younger girls.

D. _____ together as a team.

III. Involve Yourself in _____

A. Take girls _____ with you.

B. Take girls _____ or _____.

C. Mentor them on _____ and during _____.

D. Teach them through _____.

E. Write girls _____ frequently.

F. Let the pastor know through _____.

IV. Teach _____ to Young Ladies

A. Consider creating _____ just for girls.

B. Develop _____ just for the girls.

C. Don't assume _____!

D. Don't assume that _____ these things; often they are not!

E. Make the principles _____ and _____.

F. Look for moments when the girls are _____

_____!

V. Lovingly _____

- A. Be aware of _____ and _____ problems.
- B. _____ the problem, have a _____, and _____.
- C. The goal is _____, _____, and _____.
- D. Lead individuals to _____ and _____.
- E. Lead individuals to _____.

Conclusion: _____

So....Your Husband is Starting a Church

Kathy Houk

Introduction: _____

I. _____ — without them, you will have no _____.

- A. _____ to your Saviour~
Matthew 22:37–38
- B. _____ to your husband~
Ephesians 5:22
- C. _____ of children~
Proverbs 22:6
- D. _____ Spirit—controlled~
Ephesians 5:18
- E. _____ of younger women~
Titus 2:3–5
- F. _____ forgiving one another~
Ephesians 4:32
- G. _____ thankful in everything~
1 Thessalonians 5:18

II. _____ —without it, you will have no _____.

- A. Our _____ with God.

A _____

C _____

T _____

S _____

B. His _____ with us.

R— _____

H— _____

S— _____

M— _____

M— _____

III. _____—without it, you will have no _____.

IV. _____—without it, you will have no _____.

V. _____—without it, you will have no _____ . (completion)

VI _____—without them, you will have no _____ .

Some Common Struggles:

* _____

* _____

- * _____
- * _____
- * _____
- * _____
- * _____
- * _____

VII. _____ —without it, there will be
no _____.

Conclusion: _____

Maintaining a Spirit to Serve

Kay Husband

PHILIPPIANS 2:5-11

Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus: who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God: But made himself of no reputation, and took upon him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men: And being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross. Wherefore God also hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name; that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; and that every tongue should confess the Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Introduction: _____

S— _____ Heart to the Spirit

MATTHEW 20:28

“Even as the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom for many.”

EPHESIANS 6:5-7

“Servants, be obedient to them that are your masters according to the flesh, with fear and trembling, in singleness of your heart, as unto Christ; Not with eyeservice, as menpleasers; but as the servants of Christ, doing the will of God from the heart; With good will doing service, as to the Lord, and not to men:”

E— _____ to Help

R— _____ I could miss the Blessing

PHILIPPIANS 2:13

V— _____ of Joy

JOHN 15-17

JOY in Serving others!

A— _____ the Needs

EPHESIANS 2:10

N— _____ God's Power

PHILIPPIANS 4:13

**T— _____ God to bring you to the
right people**

Conclusion: _____

MATTHEW 25:21

His lord said unto him, Well done, thou good and faithful servant: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy lord.

The Biblical Disciplines of a Christian Home

Joyce Jones

Introduction:

I. The Construction Job

PSALMS 127:1

“Except the LORD build the house, they labour in vain that build it: except the LORD keep the city, the watchman waketh but in vain.”

- A. Two contributors
 - 1. The Architect and Designer
 - 2. The laborers

 - B. Quality of the finished product
 - 1. Not according to skill of workers
 - 2. Dependent on devotion and obedience to Contractor
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II. The Biblical Mandate for Family Survival— Deuteronomy 6

- A. Hear the Truth continually—verse 4
- B. Love the Lord supremely—verses 5–6
- C. Teach the children diligently—verses 7–9
- D. Fear the Lord greatly—verse 13

III. The Christian Home built, established, filled

PROVERBS 24:3-4

“Through wisdom is an house builded; and by understanding it is established: And by knowledge shall the chambers be filled with all precious and pleasant riches.”

- A. Wisdom –to pay the price to be different
- B. Understanding—to inculcate biblical truth in everyday life
- C. Knowledge—to conduct our relationships according to Scriptures

Conclusion: _____

Biblical Principles for Counseling Ladies

Sherry Marquez

ROMANS 15:1

*We then that are strong ought to bear the infirmities of the weak, and **not to please ourselves.***

Introduction: _____

I. Establish a starting _____ .

II. Establish a _____ .

III. Establish whether they are _____ .

IV. Establish whether they are taking _____

_____.

V. Establish a timeline for _____ .

EPHESIANS 5:15-17

“See then that ye walk circumspectly, not as fools, but as wise, Redeeming the time, because the days are evil. Wherefore be ye not unwise, but understanding what the will of the Lord is.”

Conclusion: _____

How To Have Joy On The Journey

GINNA DUNWOODY

PSALM 37:3-5—Trust in the LORD, and do good; so shalt thou dwell in the land, and verily thou shalt be fed. Delight thyself also in the LORD; and he shall give thee the desires of thine heart. Commit thy way unto the LORD; trust also in him; and he shall bring it to pass

Introduction: _____

I. _____ Ahead

A. Have a good _____.

B. Have a good _____.

II. _____ Right

A. Pack your “_____.”

B. Pack your “_____.”

C. Pack your “_____.”

D. Pack your “_____.”

III. _____ Attention

Conclusion: _____

A Life In Balance

Terrie Chappell

PROVERBS 11:1

A false balance is abomination to the LORD: but a just weight is his delight.

Introduction: _____

I. The _____ of balance

II. The _____ of balance

III. The _____ of balance

IV. The _____ of balance

Conclusion: _____

Surviving the Storms of Life

Terrie Chappell

MARK 4:35-40

And the same day, when the even was come, he saith unto them, Let us pass over unto the other side. And when they had sent away the multitude, they took him even as he was in the ship. And there were also with him other little ships. And there arose a great storm of wind, and the waves beat into the ship, so that it was now full. And he was in the hinder part of the ship, asleep on a pillow: and they awake him, and say unto him, Master, carest thou not that we perish? And he arose, and rebuked the wind, and said unto the sea, Peace, be still. And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. And he said unto them, Why are ye so fearful? how is it that ye have no faith?

Introduction: _____

I. The _____

- A. Storms are a _____ of life.
- B. Storms are _____.
- C. Storms are _____.
- D. Storms are God _____.
- E. Storms can expose areas of _____ or _____.
- F. The storm arose while they were being _____ to Christ.
- G. The storm was during a time of great _____.

H. _____ is common.

I. We are _____.

J. They are needed help us to _____.

II. The _____

A. _____ His will

B. Get our _____

C. Meet our _____

D. Build our _____

E. _____ our lives

F. Bring _____ to God

G. Show us our _____ for Christ

H. Know how to _____ one another's burden

I. _____ others to Christ

J. _____ the _____ of God in our
lives

III. The _____

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____ Source

D. _____

IV. The _____

A. _____ on _____

B. _____

C. Believe _____

D. Respond _____

E. Remember His _____

V. The _____

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

D. _____

E. _____

Conclusion: _____

Keeping a Servant's Heart Toward Your Husband's Call

Jenny Navarrete

Introduction: _____

I. A Servant's Heart Towards the Caller: _____

A. A Heart of _____

PSALM 23:1—*The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.*

MARK 14:36—*And he said, Abba, Father, all things are possible unto thee; take away this cup from me:*

NEVERTHELESS *not what I will, but what thou wilt.*

B. A Heart of _____

PHILIPPIANS 2:5-8 —*Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus: Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God: But made himself of no reputation and took upon him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men; And being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross.*

II. A Servant's Heart Towards the Called:

A. Understand my #1 Calling: _____

GENESIS 2:18—*And the LORD God said, It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him an help meet for him.*

B. Understand my #1 Enemy: _____

I PETER 5:8—*Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour:*

III. A Servant's Heart Towards the Calling: _____

A. A _____ Heart

MATTHEW 5:8 —*Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God.*

JAMES 4:8 — *...purify your hearts...*

JAMES 1:27— *Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this, To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself unspotted from the world.*

B. A _____ Heart

DANIEL 1:8—*But Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the portion of the king's meat...*

COLOSSIANS 3:22 — *...in singleness of heart, fearing God.*

Conclusion: _____

The Missionary Family

Becky Martin

Introduction: _____

I. Pray

II. Love

III. Encourage

IV. Submit

V. Protect

VI. Attitude

Conclusion: _____

How To Increase Your Husband's Effectiveness in Ministry

Suza Rasmussen

Introduction: _____

1. Remember, it's not about _____, it's about _____.

2. Be a _____.

3. Don't be the _____.

4. Know people's _____ and their _____.

5. Keep a close eye on his _____.

6. Help him be _____.

7. Keep his _____ done.

8. Always include your husband's name in
_____ and _____.

9. Be _____ with what he provides.

10. Don't be _____.

11. Don't expect him to tell you _____ that
went on at the office.

12. Don't _____.

13. Take care of the little problems regarding your
_____.

14. Keep a _____ home.

15. Keep a _____ home.

16. Say _____ words.

17. Don't say _____ words.

18. Be a _____ wife.

19. Be a _____ for him.

20. Be someone he can _____.

21. Suggest _____ to have over and let him know when is a good time for you to _____.

22. Keep a _____ house.

23. Tell him you enjoyed his _____, his _____.

24. In a crowd, keep good _____ contact with him in case he needs to motion to you or tell you something.

25. Keep _____ so there are no misunderstandings.

26. Be _____.

27. Meet his _____ needs.

28. _____ and _____ for him.

29. Share his _____.

30. Be a good _____.

Training an Effective Secretarial Staff

Lisa Stoner

EXODUS 18:20

And thou shalt teach them ordinances and laws, and shalt shew them the way wherein they must walk, and the work that they must do.

Introduction: _____

As a leader you need to be ...

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

As a trainer you need to be ...

1. Start with _____

2. Model the _____ you want
to train

3. Model the _____ you want
to train

4. Give written _____ and _____

5. _____ is the key to learning

6. Be _____ and _____

Tools

Conclusion: _____

Coordinating Ministry Projects

Danielle Mordh

COLOSSIANS 1:10

That ye might walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God;

Introduction: _____

I. Take ownership.

II. Gather information.

III. Develop a strategy.

IV. Execute your plan.

V. Make adjustments.

VI. Record assessments.

VII. Express gratitude.

Conclusion: _____

The Pastor's Secretary

Bonnie Ferrso

Introduction: _____

She is _____

She is _____

She is _____

She is _____

She is _____

She gives _____

She is _____

*A pessimist sees the difficulty in every opportunity;
an optimist sees the opportunity in every difficulty.*

She is _____

She is _____

She is _____

She is _____

*If you don't have time to do it right,
when do you have time to do it again?*

Attributes of a Great Assistant:

Maintaining a Spirit of Joy in a Busy Ministry Environment

Tammy Schellenberg

Introduction: _____

I. _____ **Busy versus** _____ **Busy**

A. Setting priorities:

B. Establishing boundaries:

C. Simplifying your environment

II. **Joy** _____ **versus Joy** _____

A. Joy _____

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

B. Joy _____

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

III. Maintenance Plan

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

I CORINTHIANS 15:58

Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labor is not in vain in the Lord.

Conclusion: _____

Supporting the Soulwinning and Discipleship Process

Joy Keely

Introduction: _____

I. _____ and Training New Soulwinners

A. The _____ Kickoff

B. Basic and Advanced _____ for Soulwinners

II. _____ Outreach Events

A. _____

B. _____ and _____

C. Weekly Soulwinning _____

III. Following up with Visitors and Soulwinning

A. Gathering _____ Information

B. _____ Visits

C. Maintaining Accurate _____

IV. Supporting the Discipleship _____

A. Enrolling _____

B. Facilitating _____

C. Structuring for _____

Conclusion: _____

How to Build a Timeline for Event Planning

Denise Wells

ROMANS 12:11

Not slothful in business; fervent in spirit; serving the Lord;

EPHESIANS 5:16

Redeeming the time, because the days are evil.

I CORINTHIANS 14:40

Let all things be done decently and in order.

II TIMOTHY 3:1-5

Let all your things be done with charity.

Introduction: _____

“When God made _____, he made plenty of it.” It is up to us to _____ it wisely.

I. _____ is a timeline?

A. A _____ made schedule designed to time activate courses of action needed to complete an event/project in an absolute, organized, and timely fashion

II. _____ benefits from a timeline?

A. Project _____

B. Those _____ with the project

C. Event _____

III. _____ is a timeline necessary?

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. Anything with many _____ and/or participants

IV. _____ do I build a timeline?

- A. Start with the _____
ECCLESIASTES 7:8
Better is the end of a thing than the beginning thereof:...
- B. First, add your big _____
- C. Then, include the _____
- D. Next, insert your _____
- E. Finally, make _____ as you go

Conclusion: _____

Avoiding the Pitfalls of the Teen Years

Larry Chappell

Introduction: _____

1. Peer Pressure

2. Sexual Impurity

3. Guy/Girl Relationships

4. Bad Attitudes

5. Media

6. Bitterness

7. Hypocrisy

8. Impersonal Christianity

9. Gossip, Contention, Pettiness, Filth

10. _____

Developing a Real Personal Walk with the Lord

John Goetsch

PSALM 1:1-6

Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful. But his delight is in the law of the LORD; and in his law doth he meditate day and night. And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper. The ungodly are not so: but are like the chaff which the wind driveth away. Therefore the ungodly shall not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous. For the LORD knoweth the way of the righteous: but the way of the ungodly shall perish.

Introduction: _____

I. A Teenager who is _____ the _____.

1 JOHN 2:15-17

Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world. And the world passeth away, and the lust thereof: but he that doeth the will of God abideth for ever.

MICAH 2:10

Arise ye, and depart; for this is not your rest: because it is polluted, it shall destroy you, even with a sore destruction.

JEREMIAH 10:2

Thus saith the LORD, Learn not the way of the heathen, and be not dismayed at the signs of heaven; for the heathen are dismayed at them.

A. Avoid Self-oriented _____.

PSALM 33:11

The counsel of the LORD standeth for ever, the thoughts of his heart to all generations.

PROVERBS 19:21

There are many devices in a man's heart; nevertheless the counsel of the LORD, that shall stand.

REVELATION 4:11

Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honour and power: for thou hast created all things, and for thy pleasure they are and were created.

B. Avoid a Sinful _____.

PROVERBS 1:10

My son, if sinners entice thee, consent thou not.

PROVERBS 4:14

Enter not into the path of the wicked, and go not in the way of evil men.

ROMANS 6:13

Neither yield ye your members as instruments of unrighteousness unto sin: but yield yourselves unto God, as those that are alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness unto God.

HEBREWS 11:24

By faith Moses, when he was come to years, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter;

C. Avoid Scornful _____.

PROVERBS 22:24

Make no friendship with an angry man; and with a furious man thou shalt not go:

PROVERBS 29:22

An angry man stirreth up strife, and a furious man aboundeth in transgression.

PROVERBS 22:25

Lest thou learn his ways, and get a snare to thy soul.

I CORINTHIANS 15:33

Be not deceived: evil communications corrupt good manners.

II. A Teenager who is _____ to the _____.

A. God's Word becomes his Primary _____.

I PETER 2:2

As newborn babes, desire the sincere milk of the word, that ye may grow thereby:

HEBREWS 5:14

But strong meat belongeth to them that are of full age, even those who by reason of use have their senses exercised to discern both good and evil.

PSALM 119:103

How sweet are thy words unto my taste! yea, sweeter than honey to my mouth!

JEREMIAH 15:16

Thy words were found, and I did eat them; and thy word was unto me the joy and rejoicing of mine heart: for I am called by thy name, O LORD God of hosts.

JOB 23:12

Neither have I gone back from the commandment of his lips; I have esteemed the words of his mouth more than my necessary food.

B. God's Word becomes his Perpetual _____.

JOSHUA 1:8

This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success.

PSALM 119:148

Mine eyes prevent the night watches, that I might meditate in thy word.

I TIMOTHY 4:15

Meditate upon these things; give thyself wholly to them; that thy profiting may appear to all.

III. A Teenager who is not _____ by the

- A. He is _____ in a Divine _____.

MATTHEW 7:24-25

Therefore whosoever heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them, I will liken him unto a wise man, which built his house upon a rock: And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell not: for it was founded upon a rock.

I CORINTHIANS 3:11

For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ.

- B. He is _____ a Desirable _____.

JOHN 15:4-5

Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit of itself, except it abide in the vine; no more can ye, except ye abide in me. I am the vine, ye are the branches: He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit: for without me ye can do nothing.

LUKE 6:43-44

For a good tree bringeth not forth corrupt fruit; neither doth a corrupt tree bring forth good fruit. For every tree is known by his own fruit. For of thorns men do not gather figs, nor of a bramble bush gather they grapes.

C. He is _____ in a Discovered _____.

MATTHEW 6:33

But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

PSALM 37:23

The steps of a good man are ordered by the LORD: and he delighteth in his way.

II CHRONICLES 16:9

For the eyes of the LORD run to and fro throughout the whole earth, to shew himself strong in the behalf of them whose heart is perfect toward him. Herein thou hast done foolishly: therefore from henceforth thou shalt have wars.

D. He is _____ to a Damaging _____.

JOHN 15:18-19

If the world hate you, ye know that it hated me before it hated you. If ye were of the world, the world would love his own: but because ye are not of the world, but I have chosen you out of the world, therefore the world hateth you.

II TIMOTHY 3:12-14

Yea, and all that will live godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution. But evil men and seducers shall wax worse and worse, deceiving, and being deceived. But continue thou in the things which thou hast learned and hast been assured of, knowing of whom thou hast learned them;

ROMANS 12:19

Dearly beloved, avenge not yourselves, but rather give place unto wrath: for it is written, Vengeance is mine; I will repay, saith the Lord.

IV. A Teenager who is not _____ of his

_____ .

A. His _____ may be _____ .

I PETER 4:12

Beloved, think it not strange concerning the fiery trial which is to try you, as though some strange thing happened unto you.

B. His _____ will be _____ .

REVELATION 2:10

Fear none of those things which thou shalt suffer: behold, the devil shall cast some of you into prison, that ye may be tried; and ye shall have tribulation ten days: be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life.

Conclusion: _____

A Portrait of a Successful Teenager

Mark Rasmussen

JOSHUA 1:8

This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success.

Introduction: _____

Honors _____

I CORINTHIANS 10:31

Whether therefore ye eat, or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God.

Honors _____

EPHESIANS 6:2-3

Honour thy father and mother; which is the first commandment with promise; that it may be well with thee, and thou mayest live long on the earth.

I. _____ Right

PROVERBS 23:7

For as he thinketh in his heart, so is he:

JOSHUA 3:5

And Joshua said unto the people, Sanctify yourselves: for to morrow the LORD will do wonders among you.

“Watch your thoughts, for they become words.

Watch your words, for they become actions.

Watch your actions, for they become habits.

Watch your habits, for they become character.

Watch your character, for it becomes your destiny.”

II. _____ Right

I TIMOTHY 4:12

Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity.

A. At _____

B. At _____

C. At _____

III. _____ Right

DEUTERONOMY 1:41

Then ye answered ans said unto me, We have sinned against the LORD, we will go up and fight, according to all that the LORD our God commanded us. And when ye had girded on every man his weapons of war, ye were ready to go up into the hill.

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

D. _____

IV. _____ Right

DEUTERONOMY 30:19

I call heaven and earth to record this day against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing: therefore choose life, that both thou and thy seed may live:

A. _____

“Character is so largely affected by association; we cannot afford to be indifferent as to who or what our friends are.”

PSALM 119:63

I am a companion of all them that fear thee: and of them that keep thy precepts.

B. _____

C. _____

PSALM 101:3

I will set no wicked thing before mine eyes:

V. _____ Right

I CORINTHIANS 11:1

Be ye followers of me, even as I also am of Christ.

VI. _____ Right

“Do right—till the stars fall from the sky—do right.”

—**Dr. Bob Jones, Sr.**

“Character is much better kept than recovered.”

—**Thomas Paine**

II KINGS 18:3

And he did that which was right in the sight of the LORD, according to all that David his father did.

VII. _____ Right

“I long to accomplish a great and noble task, but it is my chief duty to accomplish small tasks as if they were great and noble.”

—**Helen Keller**

"The secret of success is to do the common things uncommonly well."—**John D. Rockefeller, Jr.**

"We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence, then, is not an act, but a habit."—**Aristotle**

NEHEMIAH 4:6

So built we the wall; and all the wall was joined together unto the half thereof: for the people had a mind to work.

II CHRONICLES 15:7

Be ye strong therefore, and let not your hands be weak: for your work shall be rewarded.

VIII. _____ Right

MICAH 6:8

He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the LORD require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God?

Conclusion: _____

How to Prepare for Bible College

Peter Mordh

EXODUS 16:14-21

And when the dew that lay was gone up, behold, upon the face of the wilderness there lay a small round thing, as small as the hoar frost on the ground. And when the children of Israel saw it, they said one to another, It is manna: for they wist not what it was. And Moses said unto them, This is the bread which the LORD hath given you to eat. This is the thing which the LORD hath commanded, Gather of it every man according to his eating, an omer for every man, according to the number of your persons; take ye every man for them which are in his tents. And the children of Israel did so, and gathered, some more, some less. And when they did mete it with an omer, he that gathered much had nothing over, and he that gathered little had no lack; they gathered every man according to his eating. And Moses said, Let no man leave of it till the morning. Notwithstanding they hearkened not unto Moses; but some of them left of it until the morning, and it bred worms, and stank: and Moses was wroth with them. And they gathered it every morning, every man according to his eating: and when the sun waxed hot, it melted.

Introduction: _____

I. Potential comes from _____

MATTHEW 25:14

For the kingdom of heaven is as a man travelling into a far country, who called his own servants, and delivered unto them his goods.

II. Potential is based on _____

MATTHEW 25:15

And unto one he gave five talents, to another two, and to another

one; to every man according to his several ability; and straightway took his journey.

III. Potential must be _____

Potential is God's gift to you what you do with it is your gift to God —**Pastor Chappell**

IV. Potential _____ makes God angry

MATTHEW 25:24-29

Then he which had received the one talent came and said, Lord, I knew thee that thou art an hard man, reaping where thou hast not sown, and gathering where thou hast not strawed: And I was afraid, and went and hid thy talent in the earth: lo, there thou hast that is thine. His lord answered and said unto him, Thou wicked and slothful servant, thou knewest that I reap where I sowed not, and gather where I have not strawed: Thou oughtest therefore to have put my money to the exchangers, and then at my coming I should have received mine own with usury. Take therefore the talent from him, and give it unto him which hath ten talents. For unto every one that hath shall be given, and he shall have abundance: but from him that hath not shall be taken away even that which he hath.

V. Potential is to be _____

A. Develop Yourself for _____

MATTHEW 25:16-23

Then he that had received the five talents went and traded with the same, and made them other five talents. And likewise he that had received two, he also gained other two. But he that had received one went and digged in the earth, and hid his lord's money. After a long time the lord of those servants cometh, and reckoneth with them. And so he that had received five talents came and brought other five talents, saying, Lord, thou

deliveredst unto me five talents: behold, I have gained beside them five talents more. His lord said unto him, Well done, thou good and faithful servant: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy lord. He also that had received two talents came and said, Lord, thou deliveredst unto me two talents: behold, I have gained two other talents beside them. His lord said unto him, Well done, good and faithful servant; thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy lord.

Only two requirements to hearing those words “Well Done”

A. You Must Be _____

B. Your Must Be _____

B. Develop Yourself for _____

C. Develop Yourself for _____

MATTHEW 25:23

His lord said unto him, Well done, good and faithful servant; thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy lord.

Conclusion: _____

Preparing for a Great Future in God's Will

Jeremy Whitman

JOSHUA 1:1-18

"It's not the will to win that matters—everyone has that. It's the will to prepare to win that matters."—Paul "Bear" Bryant

"By failing to prepare you are preparing to fail."—Benjamin Franklin

JEREMIAH 29:11

For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the LORD, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end."

I. _____ through _____ decisions

"We have been given the power of choice. We have the power to make a choice. Once we make a choice, it has power over us."

—A.C. Green

A. He was _____ - v. 1, 2 (Exodus 17)
4 marks of dependability...

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

B. He was a _____ - Exodus 24:13

EXODUS 24:13—*"And Moses rose up and his minister Joshua."*

"You cannot be fully Christ-like if you do not possess the heart of a servant."

MARK 10:45—*"For even the Son of Man came not to be*

ministered unto, but to minister, and to give His life a ransom for many."

Five misconceptions about serving

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

C. He was _____—Exodus 24:18

EXODUS 24:18—*"And Moses went into the midst of the cloud, and gat him up into the mount: and Moses was in the mount forty days and forty nights."*

EXODUS 32:15—*"And Moses turned and went down, and Joshua heard the noise"*

3 things we lose when we don't wait on the Lord!

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

PSALM 27:14—*"Wait on the Lord, be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart: wait, I say on the Lord."*

D. He was _____ - Numbers 11:28

"People respond with loyalty to those who invest in them."—John Maxwell

"Our loyalty must have principle at its core, or it is not loyalty at all."

3 types of loyalty

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

E. He was _____ – Joshua 3:1

“Character, in the long run, is the decisive factor in the life of an individual and of nations alike.”—Theodore Roosevelt

MARK 1:35—*“And in the morning rising up a great while before day, he went out, and departed into a solitary place, and there He prayed.”*

“Every character has an inward spring; let Christ be that spring. Every action has a keynote; let Christ be that note, to which your whole life is attuned.”—Henry Drummond

F. He held _____ – Exodus 32:17

“Convictions are the spark plug for the Christian life”

Definition—*“A personal _____ based on a biblical _____”*

How to guard your convictions

1. Begin with a Bible principle
2. Develop a conviction
3. Establish a standard
4. Seek accountability

II. Prepared through _____ dependence —Joshua 1:1–9

A. He _____ God’s _____—vs. 1–4

EPHESIANS 5:17—*“Wherefore be ye not unwise, but understanding what the will of the Lord is.”*

NUMBERS 32:12—*“Save Caleb the son of Jephunneh the Kenezite, and Joshua the son of Nun: for they have wholly followed the LORD.”*

B. He _____ in _____ Presence—vs. 5-6

**NUMBERS 27:18—“And the LORD said unto Moses, Take thee Joshua the son of Nun, a man in whom is the Spirit.”*

“Peace is not found in the absence of the storm but in the presence of the Saviour.”

**HEBREWS 13:5—“ He hath said, I will never leave thee nor forsake thee, so that we may boldly say, the Lord is my helper, and I will not fear what man will do unto me...”*

C. He _____ on God’s Preserved _____—vs. 7-8

“The Bible, God’s Word, is the true guide for mankind. It is a fixed source of direction and reference for every area of life. It is the never-changing, ever-relevant, always-accurate, divinely-given, perfectly-preserved, un-biased, giver of direction.”

“Those who have the Holy Spirit in their heart and the Scriptures in their hands have all they need!”—Alexander Maclaren

**III. _____ through purposed _____
—Joshua 1:10-18**

“Decisions + Dependence + Direction = Destination!”

DANIEL 1:8—“But Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the portion of the king’s meat, nor with the wine which he drank: therefore he requested of the prince of the eunuchs that he might not defile himself.”

A. His _____ the _____—vs. 10-15

NUMBERS 14:8—*“If the LORD delight in us, then he will bring us into this land, and give it us; a land which floweth with milk and honey.”*

PROVERBS 3:5-6—*“Trust in the LORD with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths.”*

B. He _____ the _____ - vs. 16-18

PROVERBS 29:18—*“Where there is no vision, the people perish:”*

“It is only as we develop others that we permanently succeed.—Harry Firestone

**Conclusion—God always _____ those who
_____ prepare!**

PSALM 75:6—*“For promotion cometh neither from the east, nor from the west, nor from the south, but God is the judge: he putteth down one, and setteth up another.”*

Developing Your Life through Godly Music

Daniel Hopkins

Introduction:

I. God's heart is that we love _____.

A. Singing and listening to godly music is a

_____ of God.

PSALM 34:3— "O magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt his name together."

B. It is a part my _____ and _____
to God.

REVELATION 5:9— "And they sung a new song, saying, Thou art worthy to take the book, and to open the seals thereof: for thou wast slain, and hast redeemed us to God by thy blood out of every kindred, and tongue, and people, and nation;"

C. It _____ to others that I want to
_____ God.

PSALM 40:3— "And he hath put a new song in my mouth, even praise unto our God: many shall see it, and fear, and shall trust in the LORD."

ACTS 16:25— "And at midnight Paul and Silas prayed, and sang praises unto God: and the prisoners heard them."

II. Godly music can _____ my heart and my _____.

A. It helps me to think about _____.

II CORINTHIANS 5:17— *“Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new.”*

B. It does not tell my _____ to _____ me as worldly music does.

GALATIANS 5:17— *“For the flesh lusteth against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh: and these are contrary the one to the other: so that ye cannot do the things that ye would.”*

C. It encourages me to make decisions based on

_____ instead of _____ and _____.

I JOHN 2:15— *“Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.”*

D. It _____ me against evil.

I SAMUEL 16:23— *“And it came to pass, when the evil spirit from God was upon Saul, that David took an harp, and played with his hand: so Saul was refreshed, and was well, and the evil spirit departed from him.”*

E. It _____ up my _____.

2 CHRONICLES 5:12-14— *“Also the Levites which were the singers, all of them of Asaph, of Heman, of Jeduthun, with their sons and their brethren, being arrayed in white linen, having cymbals and psalteries and harps, stood at the east end of the altar, and with them an hundred and twenty priests sounding with trumpets: It came even to pass, as the trumpeters and singers were as one, to make one sound to be heard in praising and thanking the LORD; and when they lifted up their voice with the trumpets and cymbals and instruments of musick, and praised the LORD, saying, For he is good; for his mercy endureth for ever: that then the house was filled with a cloud, even the house of the LORD; So that the priests could not stand to minister by reason of the cloud: for the glory of the LORD had filled the house of God.”*

F. It _____ my faith in God and His Word.

COLOSSIANS 3:16— *“Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom; teaching and admonishing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with grace in your hearts to the Lord.”*

G. It allows the _____ to work in my life.

EPHESIANS 5:18-19— *“And be not drunk with wine, wherein is excess; but be filled with the Spirit; Speaking to yourselves in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord;”*

H. It teaches me _____ for modern-day Christianity.

PHILIPPIANS 2:5— *“Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus:”*

- I. It allows another Christian’s _____ to _____ my life.

I THESSALONIANS 1:6 -9— *“And ye became followers of us, and of the Lord, having received the word in much affliction, with joy of the Holy Ghost: So that ye were ensamples to all that believe in Macedonia and Achaia. For from you sounded out the word of the Lord not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but also in every place your faith to God-ward is spread abroad; so that we need not to speak any thing. For they themselves shew of us what manner of entering in we had unto you, and how ye turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God;”*

Conclusion: _____
