

Friday, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

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Ministry Workshop and Presenter Room

Evangelism Track

- *How to be Culturally Sensitive in Sharing with Internationals, Butch and Nell Green B2014
- *Evangelism at the Speed of Text Messaging, Shane Nixon..... A2002

Hispanic Ministry Track

- Como Iniciar Nuevas Iglesias Hispanas, Javier Benitez..... B1048

Local Church Special Interests

- *You and Your Church: Working in Interfaith Cooperation Toward A Better Community, Ryan M. Eller B1050
- *Building the Church Library to be a Church and Community Resource, Jean B. Ham B1029 (Library)
- Leadership for Missional Congregations, Terry Hamrick B1061
- A Key to Your Successful Leadership: Strengthening Your Core Through Coaching,
Jack Causey and Melissa Clodfelter..... B1031
- *Humor in the Bible, Mark Biddle B1052
- Preaching From the Inside Out, Chuck Bugg B1035

Age Group Track

- *Weaving the Sacred into Family Life with Children, Rick Bennett B1046

Church and Technology Track

- *Technology: Reaching Out With Less, Shannon DeWitt..... A2005
- *Communicating Faith in an Online World, Richard Wood..... A2004

Mission Stories

- *A Missional Church: Myths, Fears and Truths, Harry Rowland..... B1044
- Opportunities of Service with the Slavic Community, Mike Graham B1063
- Come Over and Help Us! The Belize Pastors' School, Bob Lamb..... B1062
- Student Missions in Your Backdoor, Scott Freese B1033

Understanding Other Faiths Track

- *Understanding Hinduism, Heather Webb B2012

Spirituality Track

- *Pilgrimage: A Journey Toward Transformation, Rebecca Husband Maynard..... B2015

Wealth and Poverty Track

- Encountering the Poor at Your (Church) Door, Steven Porter..... B2007

Racial Reconciliation Track

- *Racial Reconciliation, the Body of Christ, and the Proclamation of the Gospel,
CBFNC Racial Reconciliation Task Force..... B2025 (Youth Suite)

Learning About CBFNC

- *CBF 101, Larry Hovis..... B1051
- CBFNC Budget, Jim Hylton..... A1017

Chaplain and Pastoral Counselor Track

- Providing Ministry to Returning Military Veterans, Jerry Powell (Note: This is a 3-hour track from 1:00 - 4:30) B1045

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Friday, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

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- *Embodying Evangelism in the Local Church, Steven Porter B2011
- *Nurturing the Conversation of Evangelism in Your Church: a Local Church Discernment Process,
Todd Blake and Rendell Hipps A2004
- *Evangelism Without Additives, Jerry Chiles B2007
- Welcoming the Stranger (or, what we've learned by visiting your churches about the experience of being first-time
worship guests), Larry and Kim Hovis..... B1051

New Church Start Track

- Postmodern Worship in a Small, Mountain Setting, Jim Dean..... B2040 (Music Suite)

Hispanic Ministry Track

- Secretos para ser un Lider Exitoso, Parte I, Misael Marriaga B1048

Local Church Special Interests

- *Annual Bible Study – Acts, Woody Jenkins B2009
- Charles Barrett Howard: Preacher, Professor, and Philanthropist, Glenn Jonas..... B1052
- (2:15 p.m. - Annual Meeting of the NC Baptist Historical Society - Room B1052)**
- *Sabbaticals: A Better Choice than Pulpit Committees, Tim Moore..... A1017
- The Least, the Little Known and the Unnamed: Old Testament Characters You Might Not Know but Will
Be Glad To Meet, Cal Robertson and Aileen Lawrimore B1035
- Christianity's Response to Terrorism, Caleb Oladipo..... B1061
- A Gathering of Non-Traditional Worship Leaders, Giles Blankenship B1046

Age Group Track

- Becoming Like Christ: Helping Children Follow Jesus, Karen Metcalf..... B1063

Church and Technology Track

- What's Going On with All These Social Networks? John Vestal A2005

Mission Stories

- *Futuring a Missional Calling for Your Church, Harry Rowland..... B1044
- Village of Hope Mission Update, Bill Mason and Jim Wayne B1050
- International Mission Opportunities in English-Speaking Belize, Brenda Hipp..... B1062

Understanding Other Faiths Track

- *Mormonism: The Faith That's Knocking on Our Door, Paul Burgess B1033

Spirituality Track

- *An Annual Spiritual Formation Retreat for Your Congregation, Rick Bennett..... B2015
- *With the Ears of Our Hearts: Praying With Scripture, Paula Clayton Dempsey B2013

Wealth and Poverty Track

- "...that others may simply live." Greg Jarrell, Jason and Joan Williams B2012

Racial Reconciliation Track

- *Racial Reconciliation, the Body of Christ, and the Proclamation of the Gospel,
CBFNC Racial Reconciliation Task Force..... B2025 (Youth Suite)

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Friday, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

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Ministry Workshop and Presenter Room

Evangelism Track

- *Embodying Evangelism in the Local Church, Steven Porter B2011
- *Evangelism Without Additives, Jerry Chiles B2007

New Church Start Track

- Emerging Faith Communities in the 21st Century, Beverly Hatcher and Pete Zimmerman A2002
- *Planting a Hispanic Church in Your Community, Bernie A. Moraga B1062

Hispanic Ministry Track

- La Familia en Tiempos de Crisis: Una Respuesta Pastoral, Sue Smith B1048

Local Church Special Interests

- *Building the Church Library to be a Church and Community Resource, Jean B. Ham B1029 (Library)
- *Annual Bible Study – Acts, Woody Jenkins B2009
- *Do You Have Faith in Your Business? Joey Faucette C2050
- Retirement and Employee Benefits in a Challenging Economy, Gary Skeen B1035
- The History of Baptist Confessions of Faith, Curtis Freeman B1052
- A Conversation with Fred Craddock, Fred Craddock and Dan Day Sanctuary

Age Group Track

- Children’s Ministry: The Rhyme and Reason for It All, Janice Kiehm B2012
- Bible Studies You Will Enjoy Creating, Ronnie Kiehm B1046

Church and Technology Track

- *Communicating Faith in an Online World, Richard Wood A2004
- So You Have A Projector for Worship, Now What? John Vestal A2005

Mission Stories

- *A Missional Church: Myths, Fears and Truths, Harry Rowland B1044
- Global Missions in Lebanon, Chaouki Boulos B1051
- Reunion of Belize Volunteers, Brenda Hipp B1061
- Operation Inasmuch: What, Who, Why, and How, David Crocker B1063
- *Personally Experiencing the Millennium Development Goals (MDG), Carson Foushee and Karen Taylor B1031
- *Business as Missions, Ben Newell C2054

Understanding Other Faiths Track

- *Mormonism: The Faith That’s Knocking on Our Door, Paul Burgess B1033
- *Understanding Islam and Reaching Out to Muslims, Jason Duke B1050

Spirituality Track

- *An Annual Spiritual Formation Retreat for Your Congregation, Rick Bennett B2015
- *With the Ears of Our Hearts: Praying With Scripture, Paula Clayton Dempsey B2013

Wealth and Poverty Track

- *Walking in Their Shoes: Struggling with the Challenges of Poverty, Greg Jarrell, Jason and Joan Williams B2014
- How Local Churches Are Making A Difference, Church leaders in a panel discussion B2040 (Music Suite)
- *How To Leave Your Resources To The Ministries You Love, Mark E. Edwards A1017

Racial Reconciliation Track

- *Racial Reconciliation, the Body of Christ, and the Proclamation of the Gospel,
CBFNC Racial Reconciliation Task Force B2025 (Youth Suite)

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Saturday, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

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Ministry Workshop and Presenter Room

Evangelism Track

- *Nurturing the Conversation of Evangelism in Your Church: a Local Church Discernment Process,
Todd Blake and Rendell Hipps A2004
- Listening Evangelism, Wanda Kidd.....B2007

New Church Start Track

- *Planting a Hispanic Church in Your Community, Bernie A. MoragaB1062
- New Church Starts Panel, Jim Dean, Beverly Hatcher, Linda Jones and Terry Henderson A2005

Hispanic Ministry Track

- Secretos para ser un Lider Exitoso, Parte II, Misael MarriagaB1051
- Cómo Sacarle Provecho a la Biblia, Greg Smith.....B1046
- ¡Llamando a todos los pastores hispanos! Javier Benitez.....B1048

Local Church Special Interests

- *You and Your Church: Working in Interfaith Cooperation Toward A Better Community, Ryan M. EllerB1033
- *Humor in the Bible, Mark BiddleB1052
- *Sabbaticals: A Better Choice than Pulpit Committees, Tim Moore.....B2009
- *Do You Have Faith in Your Business? Joey FaucetteC2051
- Pastoral Care for the Newly Unemployed, Mark Jensen.....B2012
- Narrative Leadership, Steve Graham.....B1045

Age Group Track

- *Weaving the Sacred into Family Life with Children, Rick BennettB1031
- Sharing the CBF Story with Youth, Elizabeth EdwardsB2015

Church and Technology Track

- *Technology: Reaching Out With Less, Shannon DeWitt..... A2002

Mission Stories

- *Futuring a Missional Calling for Your Church, Harry Rowland.....B1044
- *Personally Experiencing the Millennium Development Goals (MDG), Carson Foushee and Karen TaylorB1035
- *Business as Missions, Ben Newell.....B2040 (Music Suite)
- Christian Mission in the Time of Testing, Caleb Oladipo.....B1061
- Lifestyle Compassion Ministry: Beyond One-Day Events, David CrockerB1063

Understanding Other Faiths Track

- *Understanding Hinduism, Heather WebbB2013
- *Understanding Islam and Reaching Out to Muslims, Jason Duke.....B1050

Spirituality Track

- *Pilgrimage: A Journey Toward Transformation, Rebecca Husband Maynard.....C2052

Wealth and Poverty Track

- *Walking in Their Shoes: Struggling with the Challenges of Poverty, Greg Jarrell, Jason and Joan WilliamsB2014
- *How To Leave Your Resources To The Ministries You Love, Mark E. Edwards..... A1017

Racial Reconciliation Track

- The Good News of Racial Reconciliation and Your Church, Racial Reconciliation Task Force B2025 (Youth Suite)

Learning About CBFNC

- *CBF 101, Larry Hovis.....C2054
- Mission Resource Plan, Paul BaxleyB2011

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Evangelism Track

- How to be Culturally Sensitive in Sharing with Internationals, *Butch and Nell Green*, CBF Field Personnel, *Sessions 1 and 2*
Do you want to share God's love with the Internationals you are in contact with but don't know how? Are you afraid of committing a serious "faux pas"? Come find out how to express your faith with integrity in culturally relevant ways.
- Evangelism at the Speed of Text Messaging, *Shane Nixon*, Director of Church Community Relations, Baptist Retirement Homes, *Sessions 1 and 2*
Taking the timeless message to a world that measures time in nanoseconds. Using the tools of modern technology, from the internet to cell phones to deliver the gospel message.
- Embodying Evangelism in the Local Church, *Steven Porter*, Duke Evangelism Fellow, *Sessions 2 and 3*
Popular evangelism strategies produce more conversion decisions than disciples. To reach an increasingly post-Christian culture, however, the church must embody the good news she proclaims.
- Nurturing the Conversation of Evangelism in Your Church: a Local Church Discernment Process, *Todd Blake*, Pastor, Mount Pisgah, Fayetteville and *Rendell Hipps*, Minister of Education and Discipleship, First, Hickory, *Sessions 2 and 4*
Learn about a process that will help guide your congregation through thoughtful conversation about evangelism. This conversation will help your church discern its unique evangelistic identity, calling, and strategy.
- Evangelism Without Additives, *Jerry Chiles*, Associate Pastor of Adults, Forest Hills, Raleigh, *Sessions 2 and 3*
God calls us, as ordinary people, to do ordinary things that nudge people closer to him. He calls us to pay attention, listen, ask good questions and then share Jesus in a way that is doable.
- Welcoming the Stranger (or, what we've learned by visiting your churches about the experience of being first-time worship guests), *Larry and Kim Hovis*, Executive Coordinator and First Lady of CBFNC, *Session 2*
What are the strengths and weaknesses of congregations in our state when it comes to welcoming newcomers on Sunday mornings? How can churches improve their ministry with newcomers? Hear from Larry and Kim Hovis about their experiences of visiting CBF congregations in North Carolina, including do's and don'ts for effective "hospitality evangelism."
- Listening Evangelism, *Wanda Kidd*, College Ministry Consultant, CBFNC, *Session 4*
Post-moderns don't want to hear our stories; they want us to hear their stories. We need to be equipped to share where and how Christ is already working in their lives.

New Church Start Track

- Postmodern Worship in a Small, Mountain Setting, *Jim Dean*, Pastor, The Summit, Cullowhee, *Session 2*
This workshop will focus on the story of The Summit Church in Cullowhee, N.C. Hear the story of personal call as well as of the launch and continued growth of a new church start.
- Emerging Faith Communities in the 21st Century, *Beverly Hatcher*, Church Planter and *Pete Zimmerman*, Wake Forest University Divinity School Student and Church Planter, *Session 3*
There is a movement among God's people known as the emerging church. This workshop shares information about this movement and at least one result: Via, a new faith community developing in downtown Winston-Salem.
- Planting a Hispanic Church in Your Community, *Bernie A. Moraga*, Hispanic Initiative/Missional Church Consultant, CBF, *Sessions 3 and 4*
Learn practical ways and approaches for Anglo churches to reach your Hispanic communities.
- New Church Starts Panel, *Jim Dean* "The Summit," *Beverly Hatcher and Linda Jones* "VIA," *Terry Henderson* "Unity Christian Church International" - All new church start planters, *Session 4*
Three different new church starts, three different experiences! Hear how God is moving in reaching out to those who need to hear the good news of Jesus. Is God calling out to you to plant a new church or sponsor a new church?

Hispanic Ministry Track

- Como Iniciar Nuevas Iglesias Hispánicas (Starting New Hispanic Churches), *Javier Benitez*, Pastor, Iglesia Bautista Misionera Roca Fuerte, Pittsboro and Comunidad Cristina La Roca, Raleigh, *Session 1*
 ¡El pastor Javier ha comenzado 14 iglesias nuevas! Vengan a oír porque las obras nuevas son importante. (Pastor Javier has started 14 new churches! Come hear why starting new churches is important.)
- Secretos para ser un Líder Exitoso, Parte I, *Misael Marriaga*, Pastor, The Memorial Hispanic Baptist Church, Greenville, *Session 2*
 (The Secrets to Being a Successful Leader, Part I)
- Secretos para ser un Líder Exitoso, Parte II, *Misael Marriaga*, Pastor, The Memorial Hispanic Baptist Church, Greenville, *Session 4*
 (The Secrets to Being a Successful Leader, Part II)
- La Familia en Tiempos de Crisis: Una Respuesta Pastoral (The Family in Times of Crisis: A Pastoral Response), *Sue Smith*, Coordinadora estratégica de misiones latinas, CBF (Strategic Coordinator for Latino Mission, CBF), *Session 3*
 Sugiere ideas y recomendaciones que ayudan a las congregaciones a servir a las familias que pasan por circunstancias difíciles, con cariño y amor. (Suggests ideas and recommendations designed to help congregations serve families who are going through difficult circumstances in a caring and loving manner.)
- Cómo Sacarle Provecho a la Biblia. (How to Get the Most Out of the Bible), *Greg Smith*, Coordinadora estratégica de misiones latinas, CBF (Strategic Coordinator for Latino Mission, CBF), *Session 4*
 Explora métodos y estrategias para llevar a cabo un estudio comprensivo de la Biblia. (Explores methods and strategies for carrying out a comprehensive study of the Bible.)
- ¡Llamando a todos los pastores hispanos! (Calling All Hispanic Pastors!), *Javier Benitez*, Pastor, Iglesia Bautista Misionera Roca Fuerte, Pittsboro and Comunidad Cristina La Roca, Raleigh, *Session 4*
 Muchos de ustedes están dispersados alrededor de Carolina del Norte y no se conocen. Esta sesión les ayudará a familiarizarse unos con otros y trabajar juntos mientras que sirven al señor. (Many of you are scattered across North Carolina and do not know each other. This session will help you get to know each other and network together as you serve the Lord.)

Local Church Special Interests

- You and Your Church: Working in Interfaith Cooperation Toward A Better Community, *Ryan M. Eller*, Lead Organizer, CHANGE, *Sessions 1 and 4*
 Cultivate the skills of your local leaders by identifying shared concerns, needs, and assets so that you may act together, organizing your congregation and community for the common good. Free book and materials included.
- Building the Church Library to be a Church and Community Resource, *Jean B. Ham*, Media Center Director, Snyder Memorial, *Sessions 1 and 3*
 Think outside the box in funding, attracting patrons and building readership, sources for inventory and supplies, using non-religious inventory, accelerated reading for schools, being a community resource, and staffing.
- Leadership for Missional Congregations, *Terry Hamrick*, Coordinator of Missional Leadership, CBF, *Session 1*
 Come focus on cultural transitions, a missional theology, and specific leadership qualities required to live out that theology into missional engagement.
- A Key to Your Successful Leadership: Strengthening Your Core Through Coaching, *Jack Causey and Melissa Clodfelter*, Consultants, Center for Congregational Health, *Session 1*
 What are your guiding principles for leadership? Where do they come from and how do they connect to your leadership style? Coaching is a way of deepening your authentic leadership and strengthening your core. Listen to and dialogue with a panel of ministers who use coaching as a tool in their work.
- Humor in the Bible, *Mark Biddle*, Russell T. Cherry Professor of Old Testament, Baptist Theological Seminary at Richmond, *Sessions 1 and 4*
 A theological exploration of humor in the Bible.

Preaching From the Inside Out, *Chuck Bugg*, Professor of Church Ministry and Leadership at the Divinity School and Director of Center for Transformational Leadership for the University, Gardner-Webb University, *Session 1*
How do we preach a message that we have already heard and internalized, so that what is preached comes from who we are?

Annual Bible Study – Acts, *Woody Jenkins*, Director of Donor and Church Relations, Baptist Theological Seminary at Richmond, *Sessions 2 and 3*
Learn ways to use the Smyth & Helwys Annual Bible Study on Acts in your church, including a course outline and teaching techniques.

Charles Barrett Howard: Preacher, Professor, and Philanthropist, *Glenn Jonas*, Howard Professor of Religion and Chairman of the Department of Religion and Philosophy, Campbell University, *Session 2*
Rev. Charles Howard was a well-known preacher from Buies Creek during the middle decades of the 20th century. He was the first religion professor at Campbell, and he also started the Howard Memorial Christian Education Fund. *(This session is sponsored by the NC Baptist Historical Society, which will have its annual meeting in the same room at 2:15 immediately preceding Dr. Jonas' session.)*

Sabbaticals: A Better Choice than Pulpit Committees, *Tim Moore*, Pastor, Sardis, Charlotte, *Sessions 2 and 4*
Sabbaticals are one of the keys to a long and healthy pastorate. Instead of waving goodbye to good pastors every few years, why not give them a way to re-vision a longer tenure?

The Least, the Little Known and the Unnamed: Old Testament Characters You Might Not Know but Will Be Glad To Meet, *Cal Robertson*, Assistant Professor of Biblical Studies and *Aileen Lawrimore*, Gardner-Webb University Divinity School Student, *Session 2*
Seth, Shiphrah, Hur—This session highlights select characters who are less familiar to us than the kings, prophets and other major leaders among the people of the Old Testament, but nonetheless make positive contributions to the life of faith.

Christianity's Response to Terrorism, *Caleb Oladipo*, Duke K. McCall Professor of Mission and World Christianity, Baptist Theological Seminary at Richmond, *Session 2*
Explore the mindsets behind terrorism and the inadequacies of military response. The workshop will end with Christians in search of peace in a world of violence and conflicts.

A Gathering of Non-Traditional Worship Leaders, *Giles Blankenship*, Minister of Worship and College Students, Snyder Memorial, *Session 2*
Come meet others who also lead non-traditional worship services to learn from one another about resources, strategies and testimonies.

Do You Have Faith in Your Business? *Joey Faucette*, Life Coach and Speaker, Listen to Life, *Sessions 3 and 4*
You're a businessperson. You want to share your faith with your customers. But you're not exactly sure how to do that without jeopardizing your financial bottom line. Learn how to open the door to faith-sharing while improving your financial and spiritual bottom lines.

Retirement and Employee Benefits in a Challenging Economy, *Gary Skeen*, President, Church Benefits Board, *Session 3*
With the challenging economy we're in, it's important that church leaders and others continue to focus on retirement and other benefits in ways that ensure and value the future.

The History of Baptist Confessions of Faith, *Curtis Freeman*, Research Professor of Theology and Baptist Studies and Director of the Baptist House of Studies, Duke University Divinity School, *Session 3*
This workshop will provide a brief historical overview of Baptist confessions of faith as a resource for congregations for understanding the basics of Baptist faith and practice.

A Conversation with Fred Craddock, *Fred Craddock*, Keynote Speaker, and *Chuck Bugg*, Professor of Church Ministry and Leadership at the Divinity School and Director of Center for Transformational Leadership for the University, Gardner-Webb University, *Session 3*
Join in a conversation with our General Assembly keynote speaker.

Pastoral Care for the Newly Unemployed, *Mark Jensen*, Associate Professor of Pastoral Care at WFU School of Divinity and Chaplain Supervisor at WFU Baptist Medical Center, *Session 4*

Consider how you might reach out to individuals, families and communities enduring the disruptions and losses that accompany job loss. Participants will look at job loss from the perspectives of grief and crisis care, and will be invited to reflect on their congregation's identity, mission, and programming in light of economic crisis.

Narrative Leadership, *Steve Graham*, Director of Ministerial Excellence, CBF, *Session 4*

Discover how to identify and explore your personal story as it relates to a biblical narrative and to reflect on ways these personal and Biblical stories may disclose how you lead others.

Age Group Track

Weaving the Sacred into Family Life with Children, *Rick Bennett*, Director of Congregational Life, CBF, *Sessions 1 and 4*

Church, Scouts, basketball practice and busy routines - how do we pay attention to the sacred in the midst of everyday life with children? The answer is not in adding something new, but in bringing the sacred to captive moments. Morning commutes, mealtimes, and bedtimes all have potential for paying attention to the sacred and remaining faithful to the biblical command of Deuteronomy 6:4-9. Come explore and share ideas for making ordinary chores sacred moments.

Becoming Like Christ: Helping Children Follow Jesus, *Karen Metcalf*, Author and Minister to Childhood Education, Trinity, Raleigh, *Session 2*

A new resource for 4th-6th graders on faith development is hot off the press! This conference will present an overview of the teaching resource and how to implement this in the home and local church.

Children's Ministry: The Rhyme and Reason for It All, *Janice Kiehm*, Children's Minister, First, Elkin, *Session 3*

Explore the basics that are vital to every children's ministry program and how to achieve those standards.

Bible Studies You Will Enjoy Creating, *Ronnie Kiehm*, Associate Pastor, Youth, Children and Families, First, Elkin, *Session 3*

We will examine a time-tested method for selecting a topic, choosing related scripture, developing a learning exercise and crafting a challenging experience. This "how-to" workshop will be helpful whether you teach Sunday School or volunteer as a group leader.

Sharing the CBF Story with Youth, *Elizabeth Edwards*, Associate Minister, Lakeside Baptist Church, Rocky Mount, *Session 4*

Learn about a new curriculum designed to teach youth and young adults the stories, values and principles of the CBF movement.

Church and Technology Track

Technology: Reaching Out With Less, *Shannon DeWitt*, Christian Pathway, *Sessions 1 and 4*

Is your church feeling the financial burden? Thanks to our technological society, we can look to new ways to save money. Change is not always bad; sometimes it's easier. This breakout will include numerous money-saving tips for churches.

Communicating Faith in an Online World, *Richard Wood*, Interim Minister of Students, Yates Baptist Church, Durham and IT Systems Analyst, Preferred Communications, Butner, *Sessions 1 and 3*

A discussion on reaching the generation who has grown up living in an online world, and how churches can use technology to further the Kingdom of God.

What's Going On with All These Social Networks? *John Vestal*, Computer Engineer and Ordained Minister, *Session 2*

If you don't know what a "social network" is but you have younger folks who are on Facebook, MySpace, and YouTube, come to learn what these are and how to minister through and understand this strange and wonderful technology that is available today on the internet.

So You Have A Projector for Worship, Now What? *John Vestal*, Computer Engineer and Ordained Minister, *Session 3*

Technology is changing the face of worship. How do you use this new media to enhance worship and what are the things to do to prepare for this change?

Mission Stories

- A Missional Church: Myths, Fears and Truths, *Harry Rowland*, Director of Missional Church Ministries, CBF, *Sessions 1 and 3*
It is becoming increasingly difficult to open a ministry book or attend a church conference and not be accosted by the word missional. Amid the myths and fears, missional represents a significant shift in the way we think about church. As the people of a missionary God, we ought to engage the world the same way He does – by GOING out rather than just REACHING out.
- Opportunities of Service with the Slavic Community, *Mike Graham*, CBF Field Personnel, Coordinator of WNC Slavic Ministries, Inc, *Session 1*
Discover ways that adults, youth and children can become involved with Slavic families in Asheville, NC. Ideas for mission projects to assist Slavic families who are getting their life started in a new country with two suitcases.
- Come Over and Help Us! The Belize Pastors' School, *Bob Lamb*, USA Coordinator for the Baptist Bible School of Belize, *Session 1*
OK, the call isn't from Macedonia, but from Belize. The pastors need education for ministry. If you have an M.Div. or doctorate, you could teach in the Baptist Bible School of Belize. Learn more in this workshop.
- Student Missions In Your Backdoor, *Scott Freese*, Campus Minister/Director, International Campus Ministries, Triad, *Session 1*
Reaching out through friendship and hospitality to the international students in your community.
- Futuring a Missional Calling for Your Church, *Harry Rowland*, Director of Missional Church Ministries, CBF, *Sessions 2 and 4*
Your mission committee is swamped with scores of worthy mission requests and your members are ready to engage the community and world...But what to say "yes" to and what to say "no" to? Here's a process for your church based on prayer and preparation rather than predicting and planning that will revitalize your church and give you mission direction.
- Village of Hope Mission Update, *Bill Mason*, Coordinator, Village of Hope and *Jim Wayne*, Retired Pastor, Southeast Baptist Church, Greensboro, *Session 2*
Get an update on the Village of Hope Christian Center for Children at Risk, Bucha, Ukraine. This power point presentation will answer questions for persons that might be interested in joining the team to work at the Village of Hope or in giving financial support.
- International Mission Opportunities in English-Speaking Belize, *Brenda Hipp*, CBFNC Volunteer Coordinator for Belize Missions, *Session 2*
Want to do missions in a tropical Central American country? Like to do construction, Bible school or training in churches, at the Baptist Training Center, or in community service? Want to partner with a church or pastor? Want to involve your members who cannot travel? Find out how.
- Global Missions in Lebanon, *Chaouki Boulos*, CBF Field Personnel and Founder of Living Faith Ministry, International, *Session 3*
Living Faith Ministry is dedicated to sharing Jesus throughout the Middle East via "Celebration" evangelistic events and the construction of the White Wings Training/Retreat Center. Come and hear! God is doing miraculous things in the Middle East that we never hear about on the news. White Wings is the 2009 General Assembly Offering (see pg 2).
- Reunion of Belize Volunteers, *Brenda Hipp*, CBFNC Volunteer Coordinator for Belize Missions, *Session 3*
Come and share experiences from your work in Belize. Share what went well, what was frustrating and ideas for strengthening the work. Hear about changes with new leadership at the Baptist Training Center and in the Baptist Association of Belize. Hear about the success and needs of the Bible School and Norman Willacey's studies in North Carolina.
- Operation Inasmuch: What, Who, Why, and How, *David Crocker*, Executive Director, Operation Inasmuch, Inc., *Session 3*
Get an overview of Operation Inasmuch, a proven model of community ministry involving 50 - 75% of a church's average attendance in a wide variety of hands-on ministry projects. Handouts and other resources available.
- Personally Experiencing the Millennium Development Goals (MDG), *Carson Foushee*, McAfee School of Theology Student and *Karen Taylor*, Gardner-Webb School of Divinity Student, *Sessions 3 and 4*
Karen and Carson will give an overview of the MDGs, explain their encounters with the goals during the summer of 2008 with Student.Go in five countries, as well as talk about follow-up actions individuals can make to impact the world through the MDGs.

Business as Missions, *Ben Newell*, CBF Field Personnel, Helena, Arkansas, *Sessions 3 and 4*

Learn how one model of micro-enterprise is helping teenage girls find hope and financial support with the help of CBF's Rural Poverty Initiative.

Christian Mission in the Time of Testing, *Caleb Oladipo*, Duke K. McCall Professor of Mission and World Christianity, Baptist Theological Seminary at Richmond, *Session 4*

A focus on God's mission in the world today and how the Church could participate in that mission in a meaningful way.

Lifestyle Compassion Ministry: Beyond One-Day Events, *David Crocker*, Executive Director, Operation Inasmuch, *Session 4*

What do you do after a mission trip or one-day ministry event? This workshop presents the biblical call for believers to be engaged in ongoing mercy ministry. With 14 years of experience in leading congregations into compassion ministry, David Crocker shares his latest resource for taking congregations to the next level.

Understanding Other Faiths Track

Understanding Hinduism, *Heather Webb*, Scholar for the Campbell University World Religions and Global Cultures Center, *Sessions 1 and 4*

Come learn about the diverse beliefs and practices associated with Hinduism. Participants will also explore how to build relationships with Hindus and participate in meaningful inter-religious dialogue with their Hindu neighbors.

Mormonism: The Faith That's Knocking on Our Door, *Paul Burgess*, Student Scholar in the World Religions and Global Cultures Center, Campbell University Divinity School, *Sessions 2 and 3*

This workshop will provide a brief history of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (the Mormons), as well as a general overview of the faith's doctrines and beliefs.

Understanding Islam and Reaching Out to Muslims, *Jason Duke*, Certified Teacher/Trainer for Islam, World Religions and Global Cultures Center, *Sessions 3 and 4*

A look at Islam in America, a succinct survey of the basic teachings and practices of Islam, and some thoughts on how we can relate to and minister to Muslims.

Spirituality Track

Pilgrimage: A Journey Toward Transformation, *Rebecca Husband Maynard*, Associate Pastor, First Baptist Church, Elkin, *Sessions 1 and 4*

A pilgrimage is both an inward and outward journey toward a connection with the holy; an intentional seeking to connect with God. It is a journey that involves prayer, scripture, and a willingness to be mindful of each moment, searching out the presence of God. During our time together, we will define pilgrimage and explore ways to go on pilgrimage, near and far.

An Annual Spiritual Formation Retreat for Your Congregation, *Rick Bennett*, Director of Congregational Life, CBF, *Sessions 2 and 3*

How does your congregation disciple its membership? Congregations are discovering the immense value of an annual retreat for the discipleship and spiritual formation of its members. This workshop addresses format, possible content, location, and leadership dynamics.

With the Ears of Our Hearts: Praying With Scripture, *Paula Clayton Dempsey*, Coordinating Director, Advent Spirituality Center, *Sessions 2 and 3*

Scripture has a nurturing role in the life of prayer when we listen in the text for the voice of God. Approaches to prayer using lectio divina and imagination with scripture will be practiced.

Wealth and Poverty Track

Encountering the Poor at Your (Church) Door, *Steven Porter*, Duke Evangelism Fellow, *Session 1*

As individuals and as congregations, how do we respond faithfully to persons who request financial assistance? Come join an uncomfortable conversation!

"...that others may simply live." *Greg Jarrell, Jason and Joan Williams*, all of Hyaets Community, Charlotte, *Session 2*

Simple living is a hallmark of ancient and contemporary Christian life. Amidst a culture of "Super-Size-bigger-is-better-3-for-1," participants will discuss cultivating simplicity as an abundant way of life.

Walking in Their Shoes: Struggling with the Challenges of Poverty, *Greg Jarrell, Jason and Joan Williams, Hyaets Community, Charlotte, Sessions 3 and 4*
 Experiential exercises to promote understanding of the challenges facing those who live in poverty with discussion of faithful, relational responses.

How Local Churches Are Making A Difference, *Church leaders* in a panel discussion, *Session 3*
 Come hear very practical ways local churches are having an impact on wealth and poverty issues in their communities.

How To Leave Your Resources To the Ministries You Love, *Mark E. Edwards, Attorney, Lay Leader, Lakeside Baptist Church, Rocky Mount, Sessions 3 and 4*
 Look at the ways you can give your resources to your favorite Baptist (and non-Baptist) ministries. This workshop will focus on the estate planning, long-term care planning and tax planning aspects of charitable giving.

Racial Reconciliation Track

Racial Reconciliation, the Body of Christ, and the Proclamation of the Gospel, *CBFNC Racial Reconciliation Task Force, Sessions 1, 2 and 3*
 How does reconciling blacks and whites connect with the call of the local church to share the good news of Jesus Christ? Join members of the CBFNC Racial Reconciliation Task Force as they explore a biblical/theological rationale, share their stories of interest and involvement in racial reconciliation, and examine what racial reconciliation might look like in a church setting.

The Good News of Racial Reconciliation and Your Church, *CBFNC Racial Reconciliation Task Force, Session 4*
 Have you ever considered what racial reconciliation might look like for your church? Join members of the CBFNC Racial Reconciliation Task Force as ideas are shared, resources are explored, and pathways are charted.

Learning About CBFNC

CBF 101: Everything You Always Wanted to Know about Cooperative Baptist Fellowship But Were Afraid To Ask, *Larry Hovis, Executive Coordinator, CBFNC, Sessions 1 and 4*
 Even in churches that have been supporters of CBF for years, many of the laity don't really understand CBF beliefs, ministries, finances or organizational issues. In this workshop you will have the opportunity to hear a basic overview of CBF (state and national) as well as ask questions about matters you don't understand. No questions will be off limits!

CBFNC Budget, *Jim Hylton, Business Administration Coordinator, CBFNC, Session 1*
 The financial report for our 2008-2009 fiscal year, along with the 2009-2010 budget, are open for discussion.

Mission Resource Plan, *Paul Baxley, Chair, New Day Task Force and Pastor, First, Henderson, Session 4*
 Participation in the Mission Resource Plan is growing at a tremendous rate! Come learn about this tool for mission giving that supports both CBF and NC Baptist causes in a way that honors faithfulness and freedom for congregations and ministry partners.

Chaplain and Pastoral Counselor Track

Providing Ministry to Returning Military Veterans, *Jerry Powell, Director of the Fayetteville Family Life Center and Former Army Chaplain, through Sessions 1, 2 and 3*
 This 3 ½-hour session will provide an overview of the specific and unique needs of returning veterans and their families. The focus will be on issues such as post-combat stress, reconnecting with family and faith, and how congregations can assimilate these persons into their faith communities. Issues of separation, anxiety in families and dealing with the emotions of deployment and reunion will also be addressed.
 (CEUs offered to professional chaplains and counselors.)

Newly Endorsed CBF Chaplains from North Carolina ~ April 2008 - March 2009

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| Buddy Corbin, Asheville, Hospice Chaplain | Steven Mills, Rutherfordton, Hospice Chaplain |
| T. Lee Hendricks, Greenville, Hospice Chaplain | Robert Townsend, Winston-Salem, Chaplain |
| Katherine Higgins, Winston-Salem, Part-time Chaplain | Elizabeth Sexton, Cary, CPE Resident |
| Melissa Kremer, Charlotte, Part-time Chaplain | David Wilson, Chapel Hill, CPE Resident |
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