



POLISHING THE PULPIT *Branson*

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7/10-15/2024



INAUGURAL EVENT

PTP is for **every member** of the Lord's church

PTP Lesson Audios

At the end of PTP we will give you a card that will give you access to the audio lessons from PTP. We will also upload the videos to PTP365.



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HIGHLIGHTS THIS YEAR

Keynote Series: Christianity in Ten Words. The great concepts of Christ's amazing religion come down to ten. PTP tackles them in a series of memorable keynote lessons in the inaugural PTP Branson. (pg. 13, 18, 21, 23, 29–32, 37).

Singing. If you love to sing, PTP has many opportunities to get together and lift up our voices. The schedule has 15 sessions dedicated to singing praises to God.

Two Minutes, Tops. These sessions are designed to generate ideas for the preacher. Twenty speakers with two minutes each give book recommendations, sermon illustrations, and Wednesday night devotional ideas.

Seven Minutes of Wisdom Sessions. These unique fast-moving sessions cover six aspects of a particular topic, all in one session. This year includes sessions on mental health, brotherhood resources, elders, preachers, pornography, gossip, women, and more.

An Ancient Coin Cleaning Workshop. Luke Griffin provides hands-on experience teaching students how to clean and ID ancient coins. Each receives a free ancient coin to clean and keep (pg. 20).

Seven Struggles of Ministry That Are Not Talked about Enough (4-part series). Learn insights from Jerry Martin about navigating struggles that arise while living a life of serving others.

Toolbox: Case Studies for Shepherding. Glenn Colley leads a hands-on workshop to assist elders and leaders in developing solutions to complex and difficult scenarios within congregations. It includes small group problem-solving and presentation of solutions in a practical way (pg. 12–13).

Preacher Renewal Sessions. If you are going through a challenging time, schedule a time (877-338-3397 or kelli@polishingthepulpit.com) to privately discuss what you are facing with Mike Vestal or Gary Hampton. Wives are welcome.

Bring a Friend Night (Saturday at 7:00 PM). Let's evangelize the city during

PTP. Invite the hotel staff, your server, a cashier or someone you just met around town. Bring someone to hear David Smith preach the gospel. Invitation cards will be available for handing out.

Nuts and Bolts Tech Panel.

Brotherhood experts discuss the latest technology and help with technical issues and questions (pg. 14, 20).

Bedtime Devotionals for Children.

Join other families for Bedtime Devotionals at 8:00–8:15 PM every evening. This is for children ages 2–9 and their parents.

"Simple Rules for a Good Life"

Series. Speakers give ten lessons on things any Christian can do more of to have a good life—pray more, learn more, smile more, and many other things (pg. 28–34, 37).

"Hangout" Sessions for Singles. There are three age groups so each is with those closer in age and interests. Come make new friends! Meet Wednesday–Sunday, 8:30–10:30 PM for fun and games. The groups are ages 25–35, 35–50, and 50+.

PTP-U. The 18–25 year-olds have PTP-University, which is open to singles or marrieds in that age group only. Its location is the Library Lounge (LBL) from 8:30–10:30 PM Wednesday–Sunday.

Children's Bible Class Teacher Resources: Make & Take at Your Own Pace—Renee Brown and Karen Perkins host a workshop for chalking class illustrations, visuals for enhancing Bible lessons, die-cut letters, and more. No experience necessary. You will receive step-by-step instruction. All tools and resources provided.

Future Leaders' Workshop for Young Men—Bob Oliver, Gary Hampton, and Justin Rogers teach young men the basics of public speaking and outlining sermons. Four speeches will be selected to present at the Beardless to Greybeards Forum.

Greybeards' Forum: The popular Greybeards' Forum features preachers who are 60 and over giving life advice from their experience and study. It is always the last day of PTP (pg. 33–34).



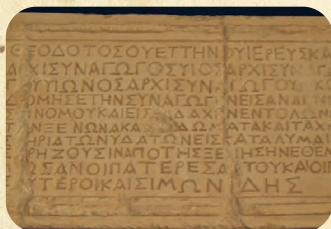
**5TH ANNUAL
BROTHERHOOD-WIDE
DOOR KNOCKING DAY
SEPTEMBER 21, 2024**

GOAL: 1000 churches of Christ going into their communities the same day.

COMMIT: Sign up online and join hundreds of sister congregations and brotherhood works. You will receive door knocking tips to help you get excited, encouraged, and prepared! nextdoor.housetohouse.com.

Since starting in 2019, almost 1000 congregations have participated. For every 10 churches that knock, one baptism has been reported.

WORKSHOP INFORMATION



Bible Land Museum: Bob Stancell is bringing the Bible Lands Museum from Oregon. This year features new models of Caesarea Maritima and Jerusalem. Visit these impressive displays!

Series: Interesting Items in My Collection

Thursday, 7/11, 3:00–3:45 PM,
Post Flood Artifacts: Venice

Friday, 7/12, 3:00–3:45 PM,
Roman Legionnaire—Crucifixion: Venice

Saturday, 7/13, 3:00–3:45 PM,
Egyptian: Venice

Sunday, 7/14, 4:00–4:45 PM,
Canaanite—Idolatry: Venice

Monday, 7/15, 4:00–4:45 PM,
Assyrian: Florence

*All sessions will be near the Bible Land Museum exhibit.

Exhibitor Hours:

Wednesday: 1:00–9:00 PM

Thursday: 8:30 AM–9:00 PM

Friday: 8:30 AM–9:00 PM

Saturday: 8:30 AM–9:00 PM

Sunday: Closed

Monday: 8:30 AM–5:00 PM



HOST CHURCH INFORMATION



Highlandville church of Christ

They have moved their services on Sunday to the Chateau, and their elders are overseeing the worship service.
417.569.2359
highlandville.churchofchrist.info



West Plains church of Christ

West 160 church of Christ
10104 County Road 8010
West Plains, MO 65775



CONTINUING EDUCATION/OPPORTUNITIES

CERTIFICATE PROGRAM



Receive a PTP certificate by attending PTP classes! Successful participation for five years (32 hours of instruction per year) in the certificate program qualifies for the PTP diploma. There is no additional charge.

Pick up a certificate form at the information desk or PTP check-in.

THE PROCESS:

Step 1: Choose your track.

Step 2: Sign up for the program at the PTP registration table.

Step 3: Attend 20 classes from a single track and 12 elective classes and record them on the certificate form.

Step 4: At the end of PTP, return your form and signed honor code with the list of classes you attended and a statement that your notes are assembled in proper order. (You do not turn in your notebook.)

Step 5: Turn in your certificate form at the information desk or mail it in after the event when you complete the required hours. Your certificate will be signed and mailed to you after PTP.



The Spiritual Sword

Published each quarter, The Spiritual Sword is a 48-page publication featuring articles by faithful brethren on various spiritual topics. It has been edited by Alan E. Highers since 1989. Subscribe to the quarterly journal for yourself, as a gift, or for a congregation.

Look for the Spiritual Sword in the exhibitor area. Find out more information at SpiritualSword.com.

This year's annual lectureship will be held on October 13–17, 2024, at the East Ridge church of Christ in East Ridge, Tennessee (greater Chattanooga area). The event is free (lodging not provided).

"Rightly dividing the Word of truth." 2 TIMOTHY 2:15



HTH SCHOOL OF EVANGELISM

Call to book your appointment for private coaching on how to implement House to House School of Evangelism principles in your congregation. Required attendance is at least one elder or one preacher (deacons and members are welcome with them). Call Rob Whitacre (931) 224-8794 to reserve your session; slots are limited.

Rob's PTP sessions will focus on various aspects of evangelism that can help churches be more effective in sharing the gospel with the lost.

Lesson Topics

God Saves When Man Obeys

From Visitor to Baptistry

The Most Important Step in Evangelism: People, People, People.

Practical Evangelism

A Model Bible Study



School of EVANGELISM
TRAINING THE SAVED TO TEACH THE LOST

FAQs

“Is registration required if I am only coming for one day?” Yes, everyone must register. You can do this when you arrive.

“Is applause appropriate after speeches?” No, but amens are encouraged!

“What is the usual dress for sessions?” Dress for church. Most men wear sports coats or pullover shirts. Ladies wear dresses or pants. Suits and dresses are usual for worship services. The directors request conservative modesty rules be observed: no skirts above the knee, no shorts, no tight clothing, no tops that show cleavage. These rules apply to both male and female, and include all teens arriving at any teen events. Those not dressed appropriately will be asked to change. Those five years old and up must adhere to the dress code.

PTP is not a casual event. It is a church event. The dress code and reverent decorum helps set the atmosphere that makes PTP the amazing event it is. Thank you for honoring the dress code (including no shorts) and not applauding speakers.

“May I record the sessions?” Yes, from your seat. You may not put anything on the stage, and no cords are allowed in the aisles. You may not live stream or post on social media or the internet.

“May ladies attend men’s sessions?” Yes.

“May men attend ladies’ sessions?” No (1 Timothy 2:12–13).

“Must I stay in one track?” No, you can attend the classes that interest you most.

“What about the hotel pools?” The pool is not available for PTPers. The directors and overseeing elders oppose mixed swimming because of the Bible’s teaching on modesty (1 Timothy 2:9), our responsibility to avoid being a stumbling block to others (Romans 14:13), and our need to avoid putting ourselves into the path of temptation (Matthew 5:28; 6:13).

“It’s too cold in the classrooms.” It is hard to maintain a constant temperature in a big facility. The result is that it gets either too cold or too hot. Too cold is preferable, given our dress code. You may want to bring a sweater or jacket.

“Parking?” It is free in the open lots. There is a valet service (\$25 per night) and a covered parking garage available (\$15 per night).

“The classrooms are too small. I couldn’t get in one session I really wanted.” We try to put the most popular subjects and speakers in larger venues, but just about everybody on the program is an outstanding presenter, so we run out of large rooms. If there is someone you really want to hear in a smaller classroom, we suggest you get there early. Remember, anything that you miss, Lord willing, will be accessible after PTP so you can hear it later. Plus, there are other awesome sessions going on in larger rooms at the same time. Roll with it and hear somebody new (who may become a new favorite).

“Will child care and children’s classes be available?” Yes, for ages 2 (must be potty-trained) and up. There is no charge.

“May I take my child under 2 into sessions?” Yes. We ask that parents take a child out immediately if he/she cries or makes noise. You will be able to listen to the lesson after PTP.

“There is a screaming child in my class, and I can’t hear what’s going on.” Parenting is a struggle. We’ve all been there. PTP has done what we can to help this situation. We have free classes at most times for 2-year-olds and up. We have signs asking mothers to take a crying child out immediately. Remind yourself that you are a selfless Christian and that you know parents want to hear, too. It can be tiring and frustrating to be left out of sessions you really wanted to attend. The good news is that there are digital downloads available, so everyone gets to hear the lesson later. There’s a play area for the younger children. Be thankful they are rearing their children in the Lord. They are the future of the church.

“Can my child move up a class because his/her birthday is coming up soon?” We have struggled with this. There are logistical problems when you are working with 900 children. What we do is give parents the option to send their child to either class in the transition year. That is, if your child is turning 6 anytime this year, he may go to the 5- or 6-year-old class. If she turns 10 this year, she can go to the 9-year-old class or the 10-year-old class. If a child is 4 or 8, then he cannot move up this year. However, they must go to the class you signed up for when registering them. We hear all kinds of reasons why a child should move up or down. We cannot make exceptions to keep siblings together or because a child is smart and “belongs” in a higher class. Please respect these rules and understand that they are for the benefit and safety of all the children.

“Can my 12-year-old go to teen classes and events?” Only children that will be a teenager in the calendar year 2024 may attend teen events.

“Is Internet access available?”
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“May I make an announcement to the group?” No, but there are tables in the hall where you may put flyers or other free material.

Lodging information is available on the PTP website. You must register through the ptp website to get rooms at the chateau.

Additional questions are covered online at polishingthepulpit.com.





TEENS

OFF-SITE ACTIVITIES MAP & DIRECTIONS

■ Polishing the Pulpit

**Chateau on the Lake
Resort Spa and
Convention Center**

415 N State Hwy 265
Branson, MO 65616

■ The Track Family Fun Parks Track 5

3525 W 76 Country Blvd
Branson, MO 65616

**Distance from PTP:
5.2 miles/10 minutes**

■ Beyond The Lens!

Branson, 3115 W 76 Country Blvd
Branson, MO 65616

**Distance from PTP:
5 miles/10 minutes**

■ Fritz's Adventure

1425 W 76 Country Blvd
Branson, MO 65616

**Distance from PTP:
7.1 miles/14 minutes**

■ Branson RecPlex

1501 Branson Hills Pkwy
Branson, MO 65616

**Distance from PTP:
10.4 miles/18 minutes**

Times and distances depend on
the route and traffic conditions.

PTP 2024
T-shirts

**Branson
RecPlex**
1501 Branson
Hills Pkwy

BRANSON, MO

Track 5
3525 W 76
Country Blvd

**Beyond
The Lens!**
Branson, 3115 W
76 Country Blvd

**Fritz's
Adventure**
1425 W 76
Country Blvd

**Polishing
the Pulpit**
Chateau on the
Lake Resort Spa &
Convention Center
415 N State Hwy 265



TEENS

LATE NIGHT PTP SCHEDULES

PRE-TEENS

Wednesday, 7/10 (8:30–10:30 PM)

Branson RecPlex

Thursday, 7/11 (8:30–10:30 PM)

Mike Bliss—Comedy and Magic Show

Friday, 7/12 (8:30–10:30 PM)

Track 5—Go-Carts, Bumper Boats, Laser Tag, and Arcade

Saturday, 7/13 (8:30–10:30 PM)

Fritz's Adventure

Sunday, 7/14 (8:30–10:30 PM)

Beyond the Lens

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Saturday, 7/13 (8:30–10:30 PM)

Track 5—Go-Carts, Bumper Boats, Laser Tag, and Arcade

Sunday, 7/14 (8:30–10:30 PM)

Branson RecPlex



Turn to the previous page for a map of off-site event locations. Keep up with event notifications and updates on the PTP app.



Classes teens actually want to go to!

Hear rock-solid truth presented by great speakers who understand young people.

Singing straight from heaven

Sing old favorites, learn new favorites, and praise God with the voice He gave you. End every night with the Atrium singing.

Night owls

Late Night activities include games and off-site activities. It's all about building meaningful relationships. Teens love the classes, but they buzz about the fellowship. It's about people—seeing old friends and meeting new ones. Some friendships begin at PTP and last a lifetime—even into heaven! Important stuff:

- Appropriate dress for sessions is pants and shirts. No shorts, skirts above the knee, or low necklines anytime at PTP (including social events and after hours). *Seriously*. PTP T-shirts are highly thought of!
- The directors ask that we not use the pool areas at any time during PTP (see FAQs).
- Maps/directions available in the PTP Branson 2024 app.

Note to Parents: This is one of the largest segments of PTP! Teens have different activity options throughout the week. We do not provide transportation to off-site locations. Teens are free to leave Late Night activities early if parents prefer them back for an earlier bedtime. It is the responsibility of parents to ensure that his/her teen is in the right place and

gets back to the hotel safely. We will have chaperones on site for teen events and parents must accompany pre-teens.

Mike Bliss—Comedy and Magic Show:

All pre-teens and teens are invited to this exciting, fun show in Windsor Hall at the Chateau on the Lake Convention Center. Laughs, tricks, and some pick-pocketing, all wrapped up in one memorable show. Cost: free.

RecPlex Community Center:

This facility has basketball courts, walking, and cone ball. *No shorts*—joggers, sweatpants, and jeans are acceptable. Cost: free.

Fritz's Adventure:

Climbing, ziplines, rope courses, warp walls, and more. They have jumbo outdoor games and unlimited drinks. *No shorts*—joggers, sweatpants and jeans are acceptable. Cost: \$10 cash at the door (\$54.95 value).

TRACK 5:

Three Go-cart tracks, Laser tag, a Laser maze, Arcade with 53 games, Bumper boats, and mini-golf. *No shorts*—joggers, sweatpants, and jeans are acceptable. Cost: \$17 paid at the event counter (\$49.99 value).

BEYOND THE LENS:

Over 150 interactive exhibits—Instagram-worthy photo ops, virtual reality rides, a hunt for Big Foot, interactive games – including 2-minute escape rooms, a pop culture walkthrough from the 1960s through today, and so much more. Cost: \$10 cash paid at the door (value \$24.99–\$36.99).



Children's classes: ages 2–12.

Note: teen classes and activities are listed in the adult schedule.

Please notice the times that children's classes end; pick up your children accordingly. Make sure we can contact you via cell phone anytime your child is in class. However, keep your phone on vibrate so as not to disturb a class.

Children have most evenings off.

Ages 2–5

Child care is for ages 2–5, potty-trained children only. A little learning, a little fun, a great memory of PTP!

Ages 6–9: PTP VBS

VBS is a fun way to come together in a classroom-style learning environment

designed for each individual age group. Children will have the opportunity to study the Bible with experienced teachers who have put in hours of study and preparation. Wait! There's more. In addition to Bible study, there will be singing, arts and crafts, snacks, Digger Doug, and . . . the beginning of new friendships that could last a lifetime.

Ages 10–12: PTP Camp

10–12-year-olds come together to enjoy Bible study and games in PTP Christian Camp. Counselors from Backwoods Christian Camp bring decades of experience working with children in a camp setting. Children gain valuable lessons in a fun atmosphere. In the afternoons there is an optional Future Preachers class for boys.

CHILDREN

CHILDREN'S CLASSES SCHEDULE

Children's classes are held in Versailles (VRS).

Wednesday

1:00–4:30 PM

Thursday–Saturday

8:15–11:30 AM

1:15–4:30 PM

Sunday

8:00–8:45 AM (Bible Class)

11:30–12:15 PM (Bible Class)

Monday

8:15–11:30 AM

1:15–4:30 PM



PTP-U

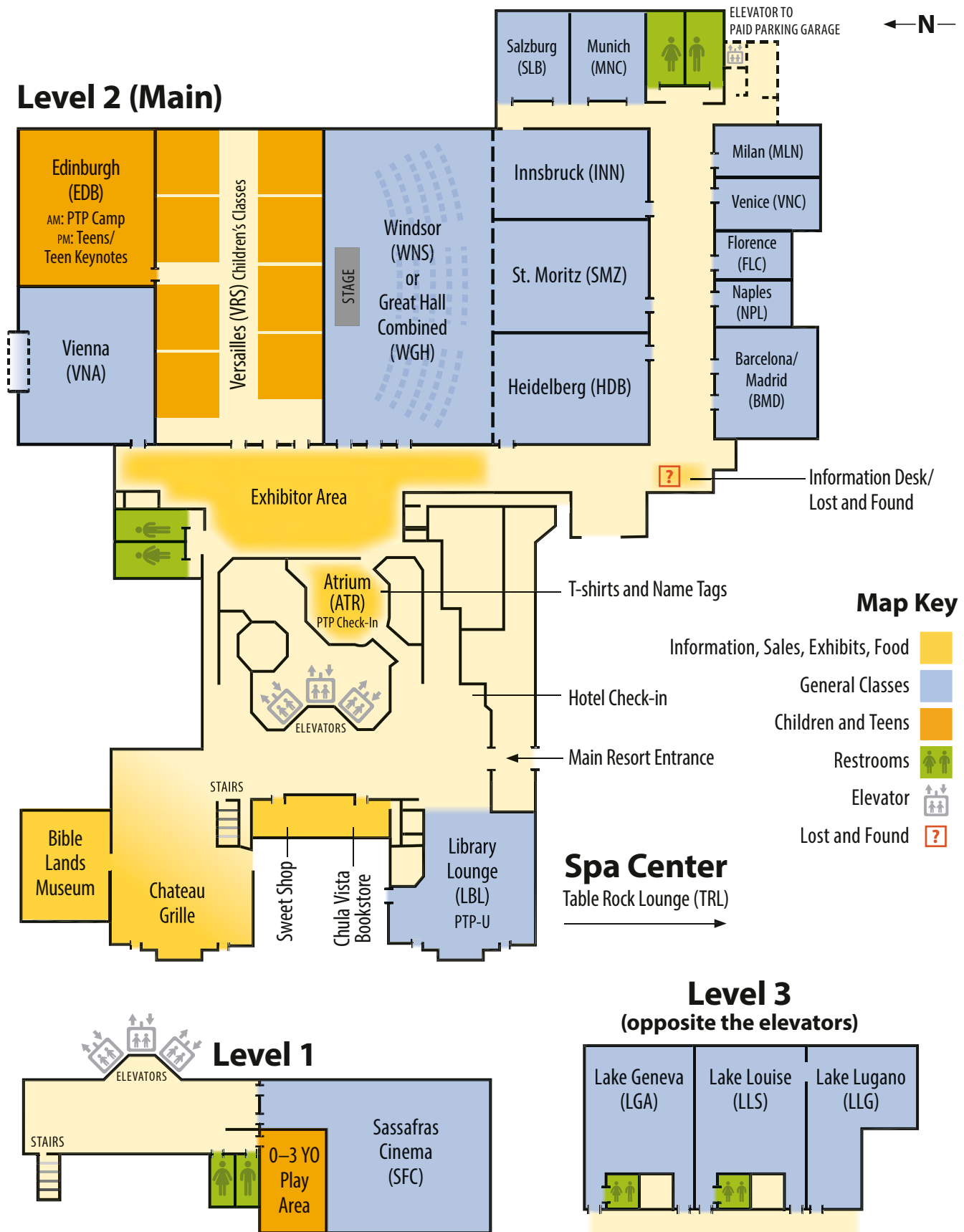
COLLEGE & YOUNG ADULTS

Join your fellow college age peers by following the college track in the schedule.

If you are single, dating, or married, come each night to the PTP-U Student Center in the Library Lounge for free food, games, and a relaxed environment to just hang out and make new friends (exclusive to those age 18–25). Look for more details on social media: PTP-University.



CONVENTION CENTER MAP



SCHEDULE KEYS

Color Key

| | |
|--|---|
| | General/ Keynote /Church/Singing/Bible Class |
| | Preachers |
| | Elders/Deacons |
| | Women |
| | Teens/Children |
| | Marriage/Family/Parenting |
| | Counseling/Spiritual Growth |

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|--|--|
| | Members/New Christians |
| | Ministry/Technology/Small Church |
| | Contemporary Issues/Special Interest |
| | Evangelism |
| | Youth Workers/Bible Teachers |
| | Textual/Doctrine/History/Scholars/Evidence |
| | College/Singles/Young Adults/PTP-U |

Room Key

| | |
|-----|---|
| ATR | Atrium (Lobby) |
| BMD | Barcelona/Madrid |
| EDB | Edinburgh (PTP Camp, Teens, Teen Keynotes) |
| FLC | Florence |
| HDB | Heidelberg |
| INN | Innsbruck |
| LLS | Lake Louise |
| LLG | Lake Lugano |
| LGA | Lake Geneva |
| LBL | Library Lounge (PTP-U) |
| MLN | Milan |
| MNC | Munich |
| NPL | Naples (Board Room) |
| SFC | Sassafras Cinema |
| SLB | Salzburg |
| SMZ | St. Moritz |
| TRL | Table Rock Lounge—Located in the Spa Center next door |
| VNA | Vienna |
| VNC | Venice |
| VRS | Versailles |
| WGH | Windsor Great Hall—Windsor Combined |
| WNS | Windsor |

PTP 2024 Branson app

1. Download the App from the App Store or Google Play: PTP Branson 2024.
2. Keep up with the latest updates during the event with Notifications in the app.
3. Create "My Sched" by selecting the sessions you want to attend.

PTP Lesson Audios

Each attendee will receive a card with instructions for accessing the PTP audios at the end of PTP.

Counseling Sessions

Counseling areas include premarital, marriage, family/parenting, parent/teen, abuse, drug/alcohol, pornography, homosexuality issues, and personal advice. Schedule before the event if possible, as the slots often fill up fast. Contact Kelli Sewell (877.338.3397; kelli@polishingthepulpit.com) for a confidential appointment. At Branson, go to PTP check-in or the information desk to check in or ask questions.

Quick Flip Guide

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| Monday | 7/15 |
| Sunday | 7/14 |
| Saturday | 7/13 |
| Friday | 7/12 |
| Thursday | 7/11 |
| Wednesday | 7/10 |

| Time | Presenter | Topic | Room | Track |
|--|--------------------------|---|------|-----------------------|
| On-site registration opens at 10:00 AM Avoid the lines! Anyone who registers before June 22 receives a name tag in the mail, and does not need to check in at registration. Your name tag is your ticket, so please wear it every day. | | | | |
| 1:00–1:45 PM | Greg Dismuke | Modern Day Parables: The Church Is Like a Tailor Shop (Part 1) | BMD | Members |
| | Keno Shrum | Doubling a Small Congregation in Two Years | FLC | Small Church |
| | | | | Evangelism |
| | Cliff Goodwin | The Miracles in Mark: The Gadarene Demoniacs (5:1–20) | HDB | Textual |
| | Dan Winkler | Satan's Traps: Anger. Ephesians 4:32–5:2 teach me to count to 5—not 10—before I speak or act when I'm upset with someone. I'm not allowed to lose my temper, seek revenge, or hold a grudge. Five steps can keep my anger in check. | INN | Members |
| | Rick Brumback | Did Jesus Actually Descend into Hell? | MLN | Scholars' Think Tank |
| | Jeff Miller | Childrearing: Correct (Part 1). Is Biblical Correction Beneficial? When the many teachings of Scripture regarding childrearing are examined, three steps emerge for those parents who wish to rear children to become faithful followers of the Lord. Step 1 (Teach) was presented in 2020 as seven sessions that can be viewed on PTP365. Step 2 (Train) was presented at PTP Sevierville in 2023 in two sessions. Step 3 (Correct). | MNC | Family |
| | Aubrey Johnson | Overcoming Common Ingredients of Weakened Faith: Procrastination | SFC | Members |
| | Joe Wells | Practical Advice for Stepping into Leadership Roles in a Congregation | SLB | College |
| | | | | Young Adults |
| | Laura Kidwell Boyd | Prayer: The Most Underused Defense | SMZ | Women |
| | Ronnie Hayes | Jesus Christ: The Way, the Truth, and the Life | VNA | Teens |
| 1:00–2:00 PM | Tom Moore | Why Do We Take the Lord's Supper Every Week? This lecture will discuss the significance, importance, and details of the Lord's supper. | VNC | Doctrine |
| | Eric Owens | The Invisible War. This lesson looks at the war in the heart of every Christian. | WNS | Contemporary Issues |
| 1:00–2:00 PM | Rob Whitacre | Getting the Congregation Involved in Evangelism That Works (Sign up required). Sign up for private coaching on how to implement House to House School of Evangelism principles in your congregation. Required attendance is at least one elder and one preacher (deacons and members are welcome with them). Call Rob Whitacre 931.224.8794 to reserve your session; slots are limited. | NPL | Evangelism |
| 2:00–2:45 PM | John Moore | The History of Israel: Biblical and Modern | BMD | History |
| | Todd Clippard | Plan in the Parables: Take Heed How You Hear—"The Sower" | EDB | PTP Camp (Ages 11–12) |
| | Matt Wallin | Letting Go of the Past, Accepting Forgiveness, and Finding Purpose in Jesus. I know I should be "forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before," but how? How do I get past my mistakes? God has forgiven me, but how do I forgive myself and build something new with my life? | FLC | New Christians |
| | Myron Bruce, Alan Putnam | Singing. For those who love to sing, this session will consist of public domain songs. | HDB | Singing |
| | Denise Martin | Tips to Calm Your Anxiety and Fear | INN | Women |
| | Jerry Martin | Seven Struggles of Ministry That Are Not Talked about Enough (Part 1). This series covers struggles that result from general misconceptions about ministry. | MLN | Ministry |

| Time | Presenter | Topic | Room | Track |
|--------------|------------------|---|------|---------------------|
| 2:00–2:45 PM | Luke Griffin | Using Artificial Intelligence in Ministry. Discover the transformative potential of AI in ministry, where we can streamline sermon preparation, optimize scheduling, enhance communication, and improve editing and design, making aspects of our ministries more efficient and effective. | MNC | Preachers |
| | Johnie Scaggs | How to Work More Reading into Your Schedule. This will be a study of time management, showing the need for and the benefits of reading. | SFC | Preachers |
| | Ferman Carpenter | When You Have More in the Rearview Mirror than Out of the Windshield. What lies ahead matters the most. The right choices can make for us a glorious future. | SLB | Family |
| | Joshua Cantrell | The Road Map to a Stronger Faith | SMZ | Spiritual Growth |
| | Scott Cain | Two for One: Wise Words from Proverbs: “All the Ways of a Man Are Pure in His Own Eyes, but the Lord Weighs the Spirits.” | VNA | Teens |
| | Eric Garner | “The Preparations of the Heart Belong to Man, but the Answer of the Tongue Is from the Lord.” | | |
| | Cameron Freeman | Three Keys to Genuine Christian Friendship | VNC | College |
| | Wade Webster | What Makes Your Heart Sing? | WNS | Members |
| 3:00–3:45 PM | Ferman Carpenter | The Death of Evangelism: Five Issues We Must Address. The session will outline five issues, five do’s, and five don’ts to keep evangelism alive. | BMD | Evangelism |
| | Billy Hayes | Seven Minutes of Wisdom for Youth Workers: How Should I Handle Bullying in My Youth Group? | FLC | Youth Workers |
| | Matt Jones | How Should I Handle Those in Our Youth Group Who Struggle with Homosexuality? | | |
| | Evan Manning | How Should I Handle Relationship Drama in My Youth Group? | | |
| | David Rader | How Should I Handle a Sin Addiction in My Youth Group? | | |
| | Daniel Webster | How Can I Help Youth Group Members Who Come from Broken Homes? | | |
| | Joe Wells | How Can I Overcome Apathy in My Youth Group? | | |
| | Cliff Goodwin | The Miracles in Mark: A Man Deaf and Dumb (7:31–37) | HDB | Textual |
| | Cindy Colley | Daily Sins We Sweep under the Rug: Entertainment Choices. Things to consider prior to giving the green light. A lot is at stake. | INN | Women |
| | Austin Johnson | How to Handle Fellowship When You Do not Get along with Some Church Members | MLN | Young Adults |
| | Gage Coldwater | Will We Know Our Loved Ones in Heaven? | SFC | Doctrine |
| | Hannah Colley | I Just Don’t Fit In: A Lament of Members of the Body. Finding your place in the Body of Christ when you feel like an outsider. | SLB | Women |
| | Eric Garner | Have Sports Become an Idol? | SMZ | Family |
| | Dan Winkler | Bible Marking Class: Habits of Those with a Successful Prayer Life. Bring a Bible and a notebook and be ready to write! Let’s walk through our Bibles to learn: (a) what we do when we pray and (b) what God does when we pray. It is easy to see why the “prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working” (James 5:16). | VNA | Teens |
| | Kevin Rhodes | Seeing the Unseen. With all that is going on in society today, it can be difficult to see life and this world through a biblical perspective. An exposition of Paul’s approach in 2 Corinthians 4:16–18 helps Christians do exactly that. | VNC | Evidence |
| | Mike Hixson | Hot Button Issues: Can Women Serve on the Lord’s Supper as Long as They Do Not Speak? | WNS | Contemporary Issues |

WEDNESDAY 7/10

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| Time | Presenter | Topic | Room | Track |
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| 3:00–4:30 PM | Gary Hampton, Bob Oliver | Future Leaders Workshop: Class 1—Basic Rules for Public Speaking. This is an elective class for boys ages 12–14. Learning to present biblical lessons to others in a public forum is sometimes overwhelming. This class is designed to help young men begin the process of speaking in public. | MNC | Boys (Ages 12–14) |
| 4:00–4:30 PM | Ron Williams | How to Talk about Cancer with Those You Love. It might seem easy to talk to anyone about being a cancer survivor but that is not the case with our families. We will examine why it may be more difficult to talk with your family, and offer suggestions on how better to converse with them. | BMD | Family |
| | David Smith | What Makes the Church of Christ Different? Most outsiders can see a difference between the Lord's church and everything else, although they may not be able to articulate it or understand it. This lesson is aimed at helping Christians explain what makes the true church different. | FLC | New Christians |
| | Odie Duncan | Visual Sermon Ideas | HDB | Ministry |
| | Scott Cain | Why Millennials Need Boomers and Boomers Need Millennials | INN | Contemporary Issues |
| | Dwayne Butler | How to Have an Effective Prayer Life | MLN | Spiritual Growth |
| | Tim Hayes | Big Decision Questions: What Does It Cost? What Is It Worth? The biggest decision we have is, "Will I obey the gospel of Christ?" The response to this decision mandates the decisions and questions of life. | SFC | Members |
| | Brandon Rader | Wise as Serpents or Just More Effective: Leadership Principles from the World (and the Word) to Help Your Congregation | SLB | Elders, Deacons |
| | Heather Hahn | Two for One: Preparing Children for the Real Issues of Life | SMZ | Women |
| | Carla Moore | Two for One: Hedges to Protect Us from Sin | | |
| | Matt Wallin | You Are a Missionary: How to Make the Most of the Mission Field Where God Has Placed You. Mission fields are overseas, and next door. How can we be mission-minded to reap in local fields that are white unto harvest? | VNA | Teens |
| | Austin Johnson | What's the Secret to Contentment? | VNC | College, Young Adults |
| | Steven Ford, Kevin Hahn, Kevin Rhodes, Keden Shrum | Evangelism Panel: Painting the Picture—Favorite Illustrations, Pictures, or Diagrams that Improve Bible Studies | WNS | Evangelism |
| 4:00–6:00 PM | Kathy and Kevin Carroll | Singles Hangout 50+ | LLS | Singles Hangout (Ages 50+) |
| 5:30–6:15 PM | Kee Ford, Cameron Freeman, Eric Garner | Podcast Spotlight Hour: Make It Plain Podcast | WGH | Teens |
| 6:00–6:45 PM | Glenn Colley | Toolbox: Case Studies in Shepherding—Small Group Problem-Solving (1a) | BMD | Elders |
| 6:00–6:45 PM | Dave Domingue | Why Does God Allow Us to Suffer? Let us examine why an all-powerful, benevolent God allows us to suffer. We will explore the nature of suffering in the human experience and how it can serve our spiritual growth and moral development. We will examine how to provide comfort, understanding, and a deeper appreciation for God amidst life's challenges. | EDB | Scholars' Think Tank |
| 6:00–6:45 PM | Gary Bennett | Biblical Backgrounds to the Book of Acts (Part 1) | FLC | Textual |

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| 6:00–6:45 PM | Rob Whitacre | God Saves When Man Obeys. Old time, hard-hitting preaching is lacking in many pulpits. Come and see/hear a gospel sermon preached by using a simple Old Testament character from 2 Kings 5. | MLN | Doctrine |
| | Kelli Barker | Seven Minutes of Wisdom on Parenting: One Thing I Would Do Again and Again and Again | MNC | Women |
| | Tyrene Benjamin | One Thing to Always Keep in Focus | | |
| | Melissa Cain | One Thing We Did That Worked | | |
| | Kathy Carroll | One Mistake We Purposely Did Not Make | | |
| | Jeanny Gilpin | One Thing about Parenting Boys | | |
| | Heather Hahn | One Thing I Would Recommend to All Young Parents | | |
| | Barry O'Dell | When I Survey the Wondrous Cross, I Marvel at the Power of Jesus' Blood. Untold amounts of blood have flowed in the name of atonement. Only Jesus' blood can wash away my sins. | SFC | Members |
| | Scott Cain | Why Gen Zers Need Millennials and Millennials Need Gen Zers | SLB | Ministry |
| | Billy Hayes | The Responsibilities of Parents. What is my duty to my children in regards to society, family, and God? How can I ensure that my children are holy and righteous before God and man? | VNA | Family |
| 6:30–6:50 PM | Rob Sinclair | Greek Bible Marking: Key Words You Absolutely Must Mark—and Mark Right—in the book of John | VNC | Textual |
| | Alan Putnam | Congregational Singing | WGH | Singing |
| | Eric Garner | Welcome (MC) | WGH | General |
| | Eric Owens | The Ten Words of Christianity: Come | WGH | Keynote |
| | Eric Garner | Invitation/Responses | WGH | General |
| | Wade Webster | Be Still and Know | EDB | Keynote, Teens |
| | Evan Manning | Bedtime Devotional for Children (Ages 2–9) | EDB | Children (Ages 2–9) |
| | Alan Putnam | Atrium Singing (Balcony Overflow) | ATR | Singing |
| | Glenn Colley | Toolbox: Case Studies in Shepherding—Presentation of Solutions (1b) | BMD | Elders |
| | Matt Jones | PTP-U Hangout | LBL | PTP-U Hangout |
| 8:30–10:30 PM | Randy and Amy Collum | Singles Hangout 35–50 | LLG | Singles Hangout (Ages 35–50) |
| | Josh and Karli Walker | Singles Hangout 25–35 | LLS | Singles Hangout (Ages 25–35) |
| | Joshua and Daniela Cantrell | Teen Late Night: Beyond the Lens. Over 150 interactive exhibits: Instagram-worthy photo ops, virtual reality rides, a hunt for Big Foot, interactive games—including 2-minute escape rooms—a pop culture walkthrough from the 1960s through today, and so much more. This event is for teens only. Pre-teens have this event on Sunday evening. Cost: \$10 cash paid at the door (\$36.99 value). Beyond the Lens, 3115 76 County Blvd, Branson, MO 65616, 417.337.9333. | Off-Site | Teen Late Night |
| | Ben and Britney Williams | Pre-Teen Late Night: Branson RecPlex. It's an open gym night full of dodgeball, basketball, and hanging out. This is a pre-teen-only event, each must be accompanied by a parent. No shorts—joggers, sweatpants, jeans are acceptable. Cost is free! Branson RecPlex, 1501 Branson Hills Parkway, Branson, MO 65616. | Off-Site | Pre-Teen Late Night |
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THURSDAY 7/11

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| Time | Presenter | Topic | Room | Track |
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| 7:30–8:00 AM | Richard Melson | Morning Devotional: God in All Our Thoughts (cf. Psalm 10:4). Keeping your mind focused on the Lord provides the blessing of great peace that God desires to give. | VNA | Worship |
| 8:00–8:15 AM | Myron Bruce | Early Bird Singing | VNA | Singing |
| 8:30–9:00 AM | Odie Duncan | Today I Will . . . | INN | Members |
| 8:30–9:15 AM | Mike Hixson | The Voices That Call the Preacher | BMD | Preachers |
| | Keno Shrum | Advantages of a Tent-Making Preacher in Evangelism | FLC | Evangelism Preachers |
| | Steve Higginbotham | Keeping Faith on the Night Watches. I think we would all agree that it is easier to be faithful when we are with other Christians than when we are alone. So let us explore this question, “What kind of Christian am I when darkness falls, and no one can see me?” | HDB | Spiritual Growth |
| | Wade Webster | The Subtle Danger of Compromise | MLN | College, Young Adults |
| | Joe Wells | Protecting Our Homes: Tools for Phones, TV, and Computers | MNC | Family |
| | Mike Johnson | By God’s Grace; through God’s Power; for God’s Glory. Paul reminded the Ephesians that they had been saved by God’s grace through the power of the faith in order that they might do the work that glorifies Him (Ephesians 2:8–10). | SFC | Members |
| | Alana May | The Beauty of God’s Design | SLB | Women |
| | Becky Blackmon | Suggestions for Increasing Personal Resistance to Temptation and Sin. God is good and will never “leave us nor forsake us.” What a challenge we face when “test day” enters our life! | SMZ | Women |
| | Eric Garner | Bible Marking Class: Your Purpose. Bring a Bible and a notebook and be ready to write! | VNA | Teens |
| | Mark Lindley | Studies in Acts: Ready to Die for Christ (Acts 21:8–14). The apostle Paul knew that he was “ready to die.” That should cause us to consider: Are we ready? | VNC | Textual |
| | Todd Clippard | The Rapture Is Not in the Bible. So Why Do So Many People Believe in It? —A history of the idea of the Rapture and why it is false. | WNS | Doctrine |
| 9:00–10:00 AM | Jerry & Denise Martin | Personal Counseling by Appointment (see page 9) | NPL | Counseling |
| 9:30–10:00 AM | Todd Clippard | Plan in the Parables: The Value of Faith—Hidden Treasures and Pearls | EDB | PTP Camp (Ages 11–12) |
| 9:30–10:15 AM | Kevin Rhodes | The Preacher’s Role in the Pursuit of Unity: Developing Unity in the Local Congregation (Part 1). Discussions about church unity tend to focus on brotherhood challenges and doctrinal differences, but real spiritual unity should begin in the local congregation. This lesson will offer ten biblical and practical tips to help that to become a reality. | BMD | Preachers |
| | David Rader | Mind Your Messaging: Sin is Real and Has Real Consequences | FLC | Youth Workers |
| | Mike Johnson | What Makes a Strong Congregation? The church is the bride of Christ. Each congregation is a part of that universal church which He purchased. Each congregation should be as strong as the One who purchased her. | HDB | Elders |
| | Kevin Carroll | Seven Scholarly Minutes: People in the New Testament Called Jesus “the Christ.” What Evidence Justifies That Conclusion Today? | INN | Scholars’ Think Tank |
| | Dave Domingue | Why Did “Immanuel” Address the Father as “My God”? | | |
| | Aubrey Johnson | Will Jesus Remain the “Son of Man” in Eternity? | | |
| | Jeff Miller | What Held the Universe Together While “the Creator and Sustainer” Was on Earth? | | |
| | Daniel Stearsman | Was “the Word” Always “the Son of God”? (i.e. before Coming to Earth). | | |
| | Joe Wells | How Can You Tell If Jesus Means to Imply Eternal Existence or Not When He Says, “I Am”? | | |
| | Melissa Cain | A Woman’s Prayers Avail Much: What to Pray as You Parent | MLN | Women |
| | John McGiffin | Hot Button Issues: Standing Strong in a Woke Culture. John was an athletic director for several large high schools but was fired for his principles. No one will escape the wrath of the current WOKE culture but there are tips and examples to help you stand in the gap for God. | MNC | Contemporary Issues |
| | Keith Olbricht | What Moses’ Stick Saw. This lessons will trace the usage of Moses’ staff. | SFC | Members |
| | Jonathan Jenkins, Roger Leonhardt, Josh Robinson | Nuts and Bolts: Tech Solutions Panel. Bring your questions, and our panel of techies will offer solutions in layman’s terms. | SLB | Ministry |

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| 9:30–10:15 AM | Cindy Colley | Daily Sins We Sweep under the Rug: Gossip. This is a hard one. How do I know when it is gossip? How do I stop participating without offending? Is that even possible? | SMZ | Women |
| | Charles Cochran | Dealing with Doubt: How to Turn This Trial into a Faith-Builder | VNA | College |
| | Mike Vestal | Restoring the Glory of God (Part 1). While it is possible to glorify God too little, one doubts if it is possible to glorify Him too much. This study will trace the theme of God's glory throughout Scripture. | VNC | Doctrine |
| | Aaron Gallagher, Mike Hixson, Scott Ingram | Authentic Christian Panel: Bible Marking Class—Alcohol in the Bible | WNS | Teens |
| 10:00–10:30 AM | Ande Zimmerman | The Plan of Salvation: Hear | EDB | PTP Camp (Ages 11–12) |
| 10:00–11:15 AM | Renee Brown, Karen Perkins | Children's Bible Class Teacher Resources: Make & Take at Your Own Pace. Chalking Bible class illustrations, visuals for enhancing Bible lessons, die cut letters, and more. No experience necessary. You will receive step-by-step instruction. All tools and resources provided. | TRL | Women |
| 10:30–11:15 AM | Cliff Goodwin | The Miracles in Mark: The Blind Man at Bethsaida (8:22–26) | BMD | Textual |
| | Brandon Rader | Surprising Realities of Youth Ministry: Some Things We Desperately Want to Work Just Do Not Always Get the Job Done | FLC | Elders, Deacons |
| | Glenn Colley | Will God Take Me Back When I Mess Up? | HDB | New Christians |
| | Laura Kidwell Boyd | Life's Crossroads: Making Choices that Shape Your Future | INN | Teen Girls |
| | Scott Cain | Six Practical Ways to Grow Spiritually | MLN | Young Adults |
| | Wayne Rodgers | Hindrances to Victory | MNC | Ministry |
| | Austin Fowler | Setting Up Evangelism as a Member in a Congregation. It is not the preacher's responsibility to be the only one to be evangelistic. It is the responsibility of every Christian, even the "ordinary" member. Come and learn how to be Christian and evangelize. | SFC | Evangelism |
| | Odie Duncan | Burn the Ships and Never Go Back. Christianity is an all-or-nothing proposition. | SLB | Spiritual Growth |
| | Jeanny Gilpin | What Can We Learn from a Harlot? Rahab is one of the most colorful characters in the Bible. From man's eye, she might be the most "unlikely to succeed," but we can find a lot to learn from her example. | SMZ | Women |
| | Mike Johnson | Failure: Life's Best Teacher. Thomas Edison said of his many failures inventing the light bulb, "I have not failed in making a light bulb. I learned 10,000 ways not to make a light bulb." Failure is only failure if you fail to learn something. | VNA | Teen Boys |
| | Jerry Martin | Why My Mental Health Matters to God | VNC | Members |
| | Various | Two Minutes, Tops: My Favorite Illustration Speakers: Gary Bennett, Tommy Brooks, Ferman Carpenter, Randy Collum, Kee Ford, Steven Ford, Cameron Freeman, Caleb Griffith, Tim Hayes, Steve Higginbotham, Jonathan Jenkins, Mark Lindley, Evan Manning, Michael McDaniel, John McGiffin, John Moore, Noah Olson, Keden Shrum, Josh Walker, Ron Williams | WNS | Preachers |
| 11:00 AM–12:00 PM | Mike Vestal | Preacher Renewal (by Appointment, see page 9). Preachers often feel isolated and discouraged because they do not have anyone with whom to discuss matters. If you need advice or someone to listen and help sort things out, schedule a session with Mike. Preachers and wives are welcome to come together. Schedule before the event if possible, as sessions may fill up. | NPL | Counseling |
| 12:00–1:00 PM | Cindy Colley | Digging Deep Recap: The Crown. Cindy will be reviewing this year's study—The Crown | SMZ | Women |
| 1:15–1:45 PM | Tim Hayes | Hurry Back Session: Where Are the Dead? Is the grave the end or is it a portal into eternity? Is there a difference between Hades and Hell? | BMD | Doctrine |
| | Kelvin Pugh | Hurry Back Session: If Your God Lets You Do What You Want to Do, Your God Is <i>You!</i> | HDB | Contemporary Issues |
| | Rob Sinclair | Hurry Back Session: Greek Bible Marking: Key Words You Absolutely Must Mark—and Mark Right—in the Book of Revelation. | INN | Textual |
| | Odie Duncan | Hurry Back Session: How to Foster a "Church as Family" Atmosphere. We should always strive to be closer. Come and learn how to love your toenails. | MNC | Elders |
| | Ed DeBerry | Hurry Back Session: Christ—My Redeemer and My Friend. We now have the wonderful opportunity to be friends with the Creator of the universe, who is our ultimate human example, and one who was willing to die for us. How do we accept this special invitation to be a friend of Jesus? | SLB | Doctrine |

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| 1:15–1:45 PM | Bree Neighbors | Hurry Back Session: Am I Quiet Enough to Hear God? Although God is not speaking to us directly today, His word is readily available to us through Scripture. If we have His word, do we really have to be quiet? If we cannot physically hear God, what is there to hear? | SMZ | Women |
| | John Rice | Hurry Back Session: Three Things to Do If You Have a Thorn in the Flesh. 1. Pray that the difficulty will pass. 2. Pray that you learn from your difficulty. 3. Pray that God will help you to bear it. It is only temporary. | VNA | Ministry |
| | Barry O'Dell | Hurry Back Session: Happiness—Is It Just a Word? If we think the point of life is happiness, we do not understand the point of life. | WNS | Members |
| 2:00–2:45 PM | Joshua Cantrell | Seven Minutes of Wisdom for New Christians: What If I Am Afraid to Tell Others about My New Life? | BMD | New Christians |
| | Todd Clippard | Is There a Specific Bible Version That I Need to Have? | | |
| | Charles Cochran | Will God Speak to Me? | | |
| | Anthony Dismuke | How Can I Get the Most Out of the Sermons I Hear? | | |
| | Mark Lindley | How Will the World End? | | |
| | Branyon May | Is Science Anti-God? | | |
| | Ferman Carpenter | How Do You Approach Unbelieving Spouses of Members? What I can do, you can do, and we can do for an unbelieving spouse. | FLC | Evangelism |
| | Mark Lindley | Studies in Acts: Getting to Know the Unknown God (Acts 17:22–32). In Athens, the One, True, God was “unknown.” The things Paul preached then still need to be proclaimed today. | HDB | Textual |
| | Glenn Colley | Cultivating a Culture of Grace | INN | Elders, Deacons |
| | Matt Wallin | How to Use Hospitality for the Kingdom. In Acts, the church grew as it went house to house. Open doors led to open hearts. Our leaders should be men of hospitality (1 Timothy 3:2). Could we grow more if we used our blessings and our homes like the early church used theirs? | MLN | Ministry |
| | Mike Hixson | Buy the Truth and Sell It Not | MNC | College, Young Adults |
| | Randy English | The Origins of Liberalism | SFC | Contemporary Issues |
| | Robert Hatfield | Seize the Day! There Is a Time to Every Purpose under Heaven | SLB | Members |
| | Tyrene Benjamin | Seven Minutes of Wisdom on Evangelism: How to Reach a Worldly Woman with the Gospel | SMZ | Women |
| | Jeanny Gilpin | How to Teach Your Own Children the Gospel | | |
| | Heather Hahn | How Do You Approach Your Friends? | | |
| | Denise Martin | How Do You Approach People Who Are Hurting? | | |
| | Bree Neighbors | How to Approach Young Women with the Gospel | | |
| | Katrina Stearsman | How to Reach Your Neighbor with the Gospel | | |
| | Aaron Gallagher | Two for One: Wise Words from the Proverbs—“Everyone proud in heart is an abomination to the Lord; though they join forces, none will go unpunished.” | VNA | Teens |
| | Kevin Hahn | Two for One: Wise Words from the Proverbs—“Commit Your Works to the Lord, and Your Thoughts Will Be Established.” | | |
| | Luke Griffin | Roman Emperors from A to Z (Augustus to Zeno): Tiberius. Explore the hesitant reign of Tiberius as we take a deep dive into the reign of the emperor during the adult lifetime of Jesus. Uncover the fascinating legacy of Tiberius and his successors as we journey through the alphabet of Rome’s rulers. | VNC | History |
| | Dan Winkler | My Obstacles Are God’s Opportunities. When I cry, “Why?” I need to know that God has allowed me to suffer for three reasons. And every one of them is a wonderful. | WNS | Spiritual Growth |
| 2:00–3:00 PM | Rob Whitacre | Getting the Congregation Involved in Evangelism that Works (sign up required). Sign up for private coaching on how to implement House to House School of Evangelism principles in your congregation. Required attendance is at least one elder and one preacher (deacons and members are welcome with them). Call Rob Whitacre 931.224.8794 to reserve your session; slots are limited. | NPL | Evangelism |
| 3:00–3:45 PM | Richard Melson | What Is Your Life? Life is more than mere existence. Everyone must come to understand what is truly valuable and worth living for. We must therefore distinguish between existing and living. | BMD | Members |

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| 3:00–3:45 PM | Ashley Smith | Seize the Day: Be Aware of Time Wasters. The world keeps us busy and distracted and it is easy to forget what matters most. How can we make more of our time? | FLC | Women |
| | Kevin Rhodes | The Preacher's Role in the Pursuit of Unity: Developing Unity among Area Congregations (Part 2). While we often talk about brotherhood unity in grand terms, the place preachers can have the most positive effect toward greater unity is among the congregations in their own area. However, this requires more effort than some realize. | HDB | Preachers |
| | Dave Domingue Paul Holland | Seven Minutes of Wisdom for Elders: Being a Man of God to a Congregation but also to Your Own Family Modeling "Larger Churches" May Not Always Be a Good Idea for Your Congregation. Different resources, different people, different community. | INN | Elders |
| | Austin Johnson | How Do You Approach People You Help (Benevolence) for Evangelism? | | |
| | Jeff Johnson | What One Thing Might Help You to Be a Happier Elder? | | |
| | Jerry Martin | How Can Elders Best Shepherd Those Who Are Divorced? | | |
| | Tim Togami | How Can Elders Better Shepherd Those Who Never Married? | | |
| | Renee Brown | Navigating Barrenness in the Lord's Church. Barrenness, an often-overlooked struggle within the Lord's church, encompasses physical, emotional, psychological, and spiritual challenges. This session will explore the harsh realities of infertility and its impact on hearts, marriages, and spiritual journeys while striving to discover ways to strengthen our reliance on the providence of God, even when prayers are answered differently than our heart's desires. | MLN | Women |
| | Joey Treat | Five Questions for Churches as Worship Gatherings Become Smaller | SFC | Ministry |
| | Various | Seven Minutes of Wisdom: Ideas That Do Not Require a Lot of Money to Do a Lot of Good Speakers: Anthony Dismuke, Stacey Grant, Jonathan Jenkins, Michael McDaniel, Paul Sain, Ande Zimmerman | SLB | Small Church |
| | Sharla Orren | Screens and Scrolling. Time is precious; add more of it to your day! Improve mental health, and focus, by limiting screen time and social media. | SMZ | Women |
| | Ferman Carpenter Austin Fowler Cameron Freeman Eric Garner David Smith Josh Walker | Seven Minutes of Wisdom on Biblical Christianity: Be a Philippians 2:14–15 Christian Be a 1 Timothy 4:12 Christian Be a 1 Thessalonians 5:17 Christian Be a Romans 12:1–2 Christian Be a John 3:30 Christian Be a Colossians 2:6–7 Christian | VNA | Teens |
| | Bob Stancell | Interesting Items in My Collection: Post Flood Artifacts | | |
| 3:00–4:00 PM | Glenn Colley | Ten Great Ways Husbands Can Serve Their Wives (Yes, Serve!) | VNC | History |
| | | | WNS | Family College |
| 3:00–4:00 PM | Rob Whitacre | Getting the Congregation Involved in Evangelism that Works (sign up required). Sign up for private coaching on how to implement House to House School of Evangelism principles in your congregation. Required attendance is at least one elder and one preacher (deacons and members are welcome with them). Call Rob Whitacre 931.224.8794 to reserve your session; slots are limited. | NPL | Evangelism |
| 3:00–4:30 PM | Gary Hampton, Bob Oliver | Future Leaders Workshop: Class 2—Outline Practice. This is an ELECTIVE class for boys ages 12–14. Learning to present biblical lessons to others in a public forum is sometimes a daunting thing to do. This class is designed to help young men begin the process of speaking in public. | MNC | Boys (Ages 12–14) |
| 4:00–4:30 PM | Cliff Goodwin | The Miracles in Mark: A Most Severe Case of Demon Possession (9:14–29) | BMD | Textual |
| | Cameron Freeman | Embrace Your New Identity as a Child of God | FLC | New Christians |
| | Steven Ford | How to Strengthen Your Wavering Faith | HDB | Doctrine |
| | Hannah Colley | Success Is Personal (Proverbs 9:12). This lesson is about personal responsibility, choices, and accepting the consequences of those choices. | INN | Women |
| | Glenn Colley | What Should Withdrawal of Fellowship Look Like in Our Lives? | MLN | Young Adults |

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| 4:00–4:30 PM | Tim Hayes | The Rise of the Small Church. What does God expect and require of a small church? Can the small church do everything God demands? | SFC | Small Church |
| | David Rader | Mind Your Messaging: Youth Are Not “the Future” | SLB | Youth Workers |
| | Austin Johnson | Slow Down; Simplify | SMZ | Preachers |
| | Anthony Dismuke | Are We There Yet? Finding Patience with God in Life’s Journey | VNA | Teens |
| | John Moore | Should Christians Support the Modern State of Israel? | VNC | Doctrine |
| | Eric Owens | What If God Took His Things and Went Home? | WNS | Members |
| 4:00–6:00 PM | Kathy and Kevin Carroll | Singles Hangout 50+ | LLS | Singles Hangout (Ages 50+) |
| 6:00–6:45 PM | Glenn Colley | Should I Go on Vacation with My Child Who Brings a Live-in Partner and Sleeps in the Same Room? | BMD | Members |
| | David Smith | When Lies Become Truth. Can lies really become the truth? How do people come to believe and tell lies? We will answer these questions and more as we examine an inspired treatise from Paul. | EDB | Members |
| | Gary Bennett | Biblical Backgrounds to the Book of Acts (Part 2) | FLC | Textual |
| | Dave Domingue | Two for One: Hot Button Issues—Does God Speak in Dreams? | MLN | Contemporary Issues |
| | Gary Massey | Two for One: Hot Button Issues—Will Only the Church of Christ Be Saved? | | |
| | Cindy Colley | Daily Sins We Sweep under the Rug: Lying. I think we all have done it. How do I stop the actual words and how do I stop the subtle deceit? I want to rejoice in the truth! | MNC | Women |
| | Scott Cain | Why Gen Zers Need Boomers and Boomers Need Gen Zers | SFC | Contemporary Issues |
| | Katrina Stearsman | Rahab’s Red Cord of Redemption. This lesson is a review of the account of Rahab that will explore how her faith was developed and demonstrated. Examples from the narrative will reveal how the gospel is for all, with specific applications for seekers and sowers. | SLB | Women |
| | Robert Hatfield, Dan Winkler | Podcast Spotlight Hour: The Today with Jesus Podcast. Come join Dan Winkler and Robert Hatfield as they help us fall deeper in love with Jesus through a study of His descriptors in the book of Hebrews. | VNA | Teens |
| | Jerry Martin | Seven Struggles of Ministry that Are Not Talked about Enough (Part 2). This lesson deals with struggles unique to the role of preachers. | VNC | Preachers |
| 6:30–6:55 PM | David Rader | Congregational Singing | WGH | Singing |
| 6:55–7:00 PM | Eric Garner | Welcome (MC) | WGH | General |
| 7:00–7:45 PM | Wade Webster | The Ten Words of Christianity: Serve | WGH | Keynote/General |
| 7:45–7:55 PM | Eric Garner | Invitation/Responses | WGH | General |
| 7:00–7:45 PM | Robert Hatfield | Five Reasons to Forgive Even When You Cannot Forget | EDB | Keynote, Teens |
| 8:00–8:15 PM | Odie Duncan | Bedtime Devotional for Children (Ages 2–9) | EDB | Children (Ages 2–9) |
| 8:00–8:20 PM | David Rader | Atrium Singing (Balcony Overflow) | ATR | Singing |
| 8:00–9:00 PM | Renee Brown, Karen Perkins | Children’s Bible Class Teacher Resources: Make & Take at Your Own Pace. Chalking Bible class illustrations, visuals for enhancing Bible lessons, die cut letters, and more. No experience necessary. You will receive step-by-step instruction. All tools and resources provided. | TRL | Women |
| 8:30–10:30 PM | Ben and Britney Williams | Pre-Teen Late Night: Mike Bliss—Comedy and Magic Show | WNS | Pre-Teen Late Night |
| | Joshua and Daniela Cantrell | Teen Late Night: Mike Bliss—Comedy and Magic Show | WNS | Teen Late Night |
| | Matt Jones | PTP-U Hangout | LBL | PTP-U Hangout |
| | Josh and Karli Walker | Singles Hangout 25–35 | LLS | Singles Hangout (Ages 25–35) |
| | Randy and Amy Collum | Singles Hangout 35–50 | LLG | Singles Hangout (Ages 35–50) |

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| 7:30–8:00 AM | Randy Collum | Morning Devotional: Unto Thee, O God | VNA | Worship |
| 8:00–8:15 AM | Myron Bruce | Early Bird Singing | VNA | Singing |
| 8:30–9:15 AM | Alana May | The Age of the Universe. Modern science claims that the Universe is approximately 13.8 billion years old and came from a tiny point of mass. However, a literal interpretation of Genesis only offers a few thousand years since its creation. What is the Christian to do with these contradictory views? In this lesson, we will discuss some arguments against the Big Bang theory. | BMD | Women |
| | | | | Evidence |
| | Daniel Stearsman | Orthodoxy or Heresy: A Biblical Look at Tradition. Are they liberal or conservative? Suspicions about traditions can splinter the body. How do we distinguish divine obligation from human implementation to maintain unity? We will explore three biblical questions/tests of tradition and some practical matters. | FLC | Contemporary Issues |
| | Ron Williams | The Call: When a Cancer Diagnosis Is Received. Many emotions and thoughts go through our minds when one receives a cancer diagnosis. We will offer suggestions about things to do and things not to do when such may occur. | HDB | Family |
| | Jason Rollo | Five Ways to Bounce Back from Failure | INN | Spiritual Growth |
| | Jeff Miller | Childrearing: Correct (Part 2). What's the Purpose of Biblical Correction? When the many teachings of Scripture regarding childrearing are examined, three steps emerge for those parents who wish to rear children to become faithful followers of the Lord. Step 1 (Teach) was presented in 2020 as seven sessions that can be viewed on PTP365. Step 2 (Train) was presented at PTP Sevierville in 2023. Step 3 (Correct). | MLN | Family |
| | Eric Garner | Satan's Traps: Past Hurts | MNC | Members |
| | Robert Hatfield | Would You Like to Change the World? | SFC | Members |
| | Ed DeBerry | Jesus Christ: The Son of Seven. Jesus Christ is the son of Adam, the son of Abraham, the son of David, the son of Joseph, the son of Mary, the Son of man, and the Son of God. God's deliberate foreknowledge is apparent in making sure the lineage of Christ shows that Jesus is the undisputed Messiah of prophecy. | SLB | Doctrine |
| | Sharla Orren | Having a Positive Temperament in Your Home. How we went from yelling and using harsh, sarcastic tones in our family to using calm and respectful tones. | SMZ | Women |
| | Rob Whitacre | Bible Marking Class: Knowing Your Enemy. Satan is the father of all lies and loves to misuse Scripture. Rob will address the most common misuses during Bible studies and expose Satan's deceptive strategies. | VNA | Teens |
| | Noah Olson | Seven Ways to Become a Better Friend | VNC | College, Young Adults |
| | Matt Wallin | Developing Patience: Understanding God's Slow Work in the Bible. Since life is like a vapor, Christians want to redeem the time. In a culture of hurry, we try to do more, faster. When God worked in the Bible, how did He work? And what can we learn from it that will give us peace and purpose? | WNS | Members |
| 9:00–10:00 AM | Jerry & Denise Martin | Personal Counseling by Appointment (see page 9) | NPL | Counseling |
| 9:00–10:15 AM | Renee Brown, Karen Perkins | Children's Bible Class Teacher Resources: Make & Take at Your Own Pace. Chalking Bible class illustrations, visuals for enhancing Bible lessons, die cut letters, and more. No experience necessary. You will receive step-by-step instruction. All tools and resources provided. | TRL | Women |
| 9:30–10:00 AM | Todd Clippard | Plan in the Parables: Repentance—The Penitent Prodigal | EDB | PTP Camp (Ages 11–12) |
| 9:30–10:15 AM | Joe Wells | Fathers Arise: Follow Me as I Follow Christ. We all learned from watching and doing what we saw. Spiritually, this learning method is extremely important as well. In this lesson, we look at Paul's charge to the church in Corinth to "Follow me as I follow Christ." | BMD | Family |
| | Ron Williams | Differences Between Men and Women with Cancer. Gender differences are real and will impact how one responds to cancer treatment. See what the research says about gender roles in cancer as we offer suggestions for both men and women as cancer survivors. | FLC | Family |
| | Eric Garner | Satan's Traps: Pride | HDB | Members |
| | David Smith | Every Conversion in Acts: The Day of Pentecost. This is a textual study of Acts 2 in the context of the conversions on Pentecost. The story of conversions on Pentecost is the foundation of all conversions that follow. | INN | Textual |

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| 9:30–10:15 AM | Luke Griffin | Coin Cleaning Workshop. Explore the art and science of restoring ancient coins in an interactive workshop. Join us to learn expert techniques, delve into history, and witness the transformation of these historical treasures. Suitable for all ages, each participant will take home a free ancient coin, making it an enlightening and enriching experience for collectors and history enthusiasts alike. Space is limited. | LBL | History |
| | Emily Hatfield | Who Does God Say That I Am? Who we were and who we are: finding our identity in Christ. | MLN | Women |
| | Greg Dismuke | Turning Setbacks into Comebacks: Strategies for Dealing with Life's Challenges | MNC | Members |
| | Kevin Hahn | Approaches Churches Are Using to Increase Attendance. The church was designed to grow. What are some ways we can increase attendance without sacrificing spiritual health? | SFC | Elders |
| | Keith Olbricht | Thou Shalt Not Sin in the Face of Adversity | SLB | Spiritual Growth |
| | Becky Blackmon | A Righteous Woman's Prayers Avail Much, Too: "Lord, Show Me the Way I Should Go" (Psalm 143:8). This session explores the meaning of prayer and why it is our lifeline to the Father—no matter what gender we are. | SMZ | Women |
| | Eric Owens | So You Want to be Happy? | VNA | Teens |
| | Jason Rollo | Is the Bible Misogynistic? | VNC | College |
| | Dan Winkler | When "No More" Is All You Want (Revelation 3:12; 7:16; 20:3; 21:4; 22:3). There may be many reasons why you want to go to heaven but, for me, there's only one . . . emphasized in five different ways. | WNS | Textual |
| 10:00–10:30 AM | Ande Zimmerman | The Plan of Salvation: Believe | EDB | PTP Camp (Ages 11–12) |
| 10:00–11:00 AM | Jerry & Denise Martin | Personal Counseling by Appointment (see page 9) | NPL | Counseling |
| 10:30–11:15 AM | Ronnie Hayes | How to Scare the Devil | BMD | Members |
| | Wade Webster | Is Our Hope Just Wishful Thinking? | FLC | New Christians |
| | Cliff Goodwin | The Miracles in Mark: The Withering of the Fig Tree (11:12–14, 20–26) | HDB | Textual |
| | Ashley Smith | Overcoming Insecurity and Comparison. Comparison can steal our joy and result in insecurity, especially in teen girls. How can we be satisfied, secure, and content? | INN | Teen Girls |
| | Barry O'Dell | Christians Are Not Better—Just Better Off. God's Children Must NOT make the mistake of "looking down the nose" at those in the world. | MLN | Members |
| | Daniel Stearsman | The Rise of Sports Gambling. The case of <i>Murphy v. NCAA</i> struck down the federal ban on sports gambling that ushered in an era where online casinos and sports betting rake in over \$1 Billion a month. Let us examine the rise of sports gambling with Scripture. | MNC | Contemporary Issues |
| | Kevin Carroll | Getting Serious about What God is Serious About | SFC | Elders |
| | Austin Johnson | The Danger of Drifting | SLB | Preachers |
| | Sheri Harris | Three Things Your Husband Is Not Saying Out Loud | SMZ | Women |
| | Jonathan Jenkins | Six Ways to Ruin a Friendship | VNA | Teen Boys |
| | Daniel Webster | How Will You Be Remembered? This session invites you to embark on a journey of self-reflection and legacy building in light of Christ. We will explore the profound impact of our actions, decisions, and values on how we will be remembered. | VNC | Young Adults |
| | Eric Owens | The Lord "Has Your Six" | WNS | Members |
| 11:30 AM–1:00 PM | Rob Whitacre | HTH School of Evangelism Meet and Greet. HTHSOE is hosting a meet and greet with free lunch provided to the first 25 people (limit 4 per congregation). Are you interested in the House to House School of Evangelism? Come and see! Eat and listen to Rob and HTHSOE regional trainers talk about how to create an evangelistic culture in your congregation. Over 4,000 baptisms have been reported in the past six years. HTHSOE has a robust training curriculum. 25 seat limit: text Rob Whitacre at (931) 224-8794 with the names, congregation, and number of people attending. | LLS | Evangelism |
| 1:15–1:45 PM | Randy English | Nuts and Bolts: Interested in Joining an Ongoing Mission Effort? | BMD | Evangelism |
| | Todd Clippard | Hurry Back Session: Answering Baptism Objections—Advanced | HDB | Doctrine |

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| 1:15–1:45 PM | Jeanny Gilpin | Hurry Back Session: No Other Gods before Me. This is a 30 minute session that will encourage us to give God only one thing—our heart. Putting God first in our culture means we have to think for ourselves instead of going along with the crowd. | INN | Women |
| | Keno Shrum | Hurry Back Session: Small Churches Can Still Have Big Vision | MNC | Small Church |
| | Gary Hampton | Hurry Back Session: Preacher Whiplash. Whiplash, a sudden and dramatic jolt from very good to very bad or vice versa. In one hour, the preacher gets a nice email from someone who visited the services to a not-so-nice email from a man who is upset with his sermon. | SLB | Ministry |
| | Hannah Colley | Hurry Back Session: Restored in His Image. Can we be perfectly restored in the fullness of Christ? How do we strive for this? | SMZ | Women |
| | Gage Coldwater | Hurry Back Session: Is It Wrong to Lie to Save a Life? | VNA | Doctrine |
| 2:00–2:45 PM | Kevin Rhodes | Intentional Marriage. The differences between men and women often create a lot of tension in marriage because the husband and wife do not have the same point of view. But these differences were designed by God for a reason, and being intentional in how we address them is essential for a successful marriage. | BMD | Family |
| | Ed DeBerry | You Can Trust the Word of God. Only the Bible can be trusted as the single authoritative life guide for mankind. The real message to us is not that we can, but that we must trust the word of God. | FLC | New Christians |
| | Kevin Hahn | Our Acts 4 Moment Is Coming. What will we do if our own government tells us we can no longer speak the truth on certain matters? Are we prepared to follow the example of early Christians and obey God rather than men? | HDB | Contemporary Issues |
| | Aaron Gallagher | Jesus' Résumé | INN | Doctrine |
| | Charles Cochran | Looking for the Best in Others | MLN | Members |
| | Mike Vestal | What Happened to These Lessons? "The Lamb of God." Based upon a sermon by beloved preacher Franklin Camp, this study will trace the theme of the "Lamb" from Genesis through Revelation. | MNC | Preachers |
| | Jerry Martin | Seven Struggles of Ministry That We Do Not Talk about Enough (Part 3). This session deals with struggles unique to working with youth. | SFC | Preachers Youth Workers |
| | Justin Rogers | The Names of God (Part 1). We will explore the Hebrew word אֱלֹהִים (<i>elohim</i>) in its various forms to describe God and the gods in the Old Testament. We will discuss common misconceptions and the correct view based on Hebrew usage. | SLB | Doctrine |
| | Cindy Colley | God Meets Us on Winding Roads. How did I get to this place? Let us talk about His providence in unfamiliar and dark places. He is the ever-present help. | SMZ | Women |
| | Anthony Dismuke | Two for One: Wise Words from the Proverbs—"In Mercy and Truth Atonement Is Provided for Iniquity" | VNA | Teens |
| | Daniel Webster | Two for One: Wise Words from the Proverbs—"By the Fear of the Lord One Departs from Evil" | | |
| | Jason Rollo | What Does a God-Fearing Marriage Look Like? | VNC | College, Young Adults |
| | Glenn Colley | The Ten Words of Christianity: Believe | WNS | Keynote |
| 2:00–3:00 PM | John & Carla Moore | Personal Counseling by Appointment (see page 9) | NPL | Counseling |
| 3:00–3:45 PM | Rob Whitacre | From Visitor to Baptistry. HTHSOE has a potent plan for helping visitors become members, a congregational strategy for visitors from the parking lot to the baptistry. | BMD | Evangelism |
| | Richard Melson | How Do You Approach People Who Have Fallen Away? The work of restoring the erring child of God is just as essential as the work of evangelizing the lost. If the erring Christian is not restored, they are just as lost as the alien sinner! | FLC | Elders |
| | Eric Garner | Succumbing to Blasphemy: LGBTQ Affirmation within the Church | HDB | Contemporary Issues |
| | Luke Griffin | Seven Minutes of Wisdom on Brotherhood Resources: | INN | Members |
| | Luke Griffin | Visualized Bible Study Series (Jule Miller Videos) | | |
| | Branyon May | Spiritual Sword | | |
| | Branyon May | World Video Bible School (WVBS) | | |
| | Jeff Miller | Apologetics Press | | |
| | Rod Selman | House to House Heart to Heart | | |
| | Joey Treat | Gospel Broadcasting Network (GBN) | | |

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| 3:00–3:45 PM | Tom Moore | Paul's Thorn in the Flesh. This lecture will discuss what Paul's thorn in the flesh was and how we deal with the difficulties of life. | MLN | Members |
| | Keith Olbricht | Bible Characters Who Could Not Do Math (1 Kings 19:18; Matthew 18:21–22) | SFC | Textual |
| | Joshua Cantrell | Seven Minutes of Wisdom on Prayer: Are We Treating Prayer Like an ATM? | SLB | Young Adults |
| | Glenn Colley | Seven Minutes Spent in Prayer for This Group | | |
| | Robert Hatfield | Prayer List Writing; What Should You Be Praying for at this Stage of Life? | | |
| | Steve Higginbotham | Why Is Prayer So Hard? | | |
| | Brandon Rader | Practice Makes Perfect Prayer | SMZ | Women |
| | Wade Webster | Does Prayer Change God's Mind? | | |
| | Alana May | Make the Most of Every Opportunity. Each day presents us with an opportunity to influence others and lead them to Christ. In Matthew 5:13–16, Jesus tells us to shine with God's light in a dark world. By doing so, others will see God's love through us. In this lesson, we will discuss the influence that Daniel had on the lives of those around him and how we can implement those same opportunities in our lives. | | |
| | Kee Ford | Seven Minutes of Wisdom on Mental Health: Ways to Help Someone with an Eating Disorder | VNA | Teens |
| 3:00–4:00 PM | Matt Jones | Things That Might Make Your Mental Health Worse | | |
| | Jerry Martin | Free/Cheap Resources to Improve Your Mental Health | | |
| | Matt Wallin | Ways to Grow Your Self-Esteem | | |
| | Joe Wells | Is Putting Yourself Before Others Okay Sometimes? | | |
| | Ande Zimmerman | Ways to Help Struggling Friends Who May Not Seem to Want Help | VNC | History |
| | Bob Stancell | Interesting Items in My Collection: Roman Legionnaire—Crucifixion | | |
| | Greg Dismuke | Modern Day Parables: The Church Is Like a Tailor Shop (Part 2) | WNS | Members |
| | John & Carla Moore | Personal Counseling by Appointment (see page 9) | NPL | Counseling |
| | Gary Hampton, Bob Oliver, Justin Rogers | Future Leaders Workshop: Class 3—Class Speech Practice. This is an ELECTIVE class for boys ages 12–14. Learning to present biblical lessons to others in a public forum is sometimes a daunting thing to do. This class is designed to help young men begin the process of speaking in public. | MNC | Boys (Ages 12–14) |
| | Melissa Cain | Seven Truths to Tell Yourself | BMD | Women |
| 4:00–4:30 PM | Doug Burleson | Effectively Interacting with Those of Different Viewpoints: Head Coverings for Women and the Non-institutional Position | FLC | Contemporary Issues |
| | Marlon Retana | In Christ There Are No Language Barriers. Being bilingual has opened many doors for me and my family, but you do not need to be bilingual to evangelize. Let us open our Bibles and see ways we can go to all nations and preach and teach the gospel of salvation to them. | HDB | Members |
| | Glenn Colley | How to Start Studying the Bible | INN | New Christians |
| | Jerry & Denise Martin | Personal Counseling by Appointment (see page 9) | MLN | Preachers |
| | Charles Cochran | How Do I Deal with Unappeasable People? Paul used various principles to help him in dealing with unappeasable people. What did he do to help them? | MNC | Preachers Deacons |
| | Stacey Grant | Making Evangelism the Main Thing: Encouraging Personal Evangelism from the Pulpit | SFC | Small Church |
| | Gary Massey | When I Survey the Wondrous Cross, I Marvel at How Small I Really Am (and Should Be) | SLB | Doctrine |
| | Cindy Colley | When Children's Faith Does Not Run Deep, It Runs Out. Why are we losing our children as they reach adulthood? How can we make their faith their own? Practical things that can help them stay the course. | SMZ | Women |
| | Ernest Benjamin | You Snooze, You Lose: Stay Alert Spiritually | VNA | Teens |
| | Billy Hayes | The Liberty of Self-Forgetfulness. I know God has forgiven me, but I just cannot forgive myself. <i>Help!</i> | VNC | College |
| | Joe Wells | Marriage Day by Day. While marriage is beautiful and such a blessing, it is also a lot of work. In this lesson, we dive in to the reality of marriage and are reminded that we choose one another. Never forget that you choose your spouse, and as time is quickly running out, we must make time to cultivate a marriage that will daily be a blessing. | WNS | Family |

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| 4:00–6:00 PM | Kathy and Kevin Carroll | Singles Hangout 50+ | LLS | Singles Hangout (Ages 50+) |
| 6:00–6:45 PM | Greg Dismuke | Evangelism: It Is Not Who Will Let Us; It Is Who Will Stop Us! | BMD | Evangelism |
| | Steven Ford | What to Do When You Have Sinned | EDB | Members |
| | Gary Bennett | Biblical Backgrounds to the Book of Acts (Part 3) | FLC | Textual |
| | Laura Kidwell Boyd | Wrong Is Wrong All the Time or Never | MLN | Women |
| | Richard Melson | Why Smaller Churches Must Be Better at Hospitality than Larger Churches. Hospitality is the responsibility of every congregation of the Lord's people, and it is not just putting someone up in the Holiday-Inn Express or Fairfield Inn; it is understanding that there is a one-another relationship which we share in the Lord. | MNC | Small Church |
| | Odie Duncan | The Mountain of Transfiguration: Where the Transformation of Jesus' Appearance and the Transformation of Human Souls Meet (Matthew 17:5). From glory to human to glory. | SFC | Textual |
| | Glenn Colley | Some Questions I Have Been Asked 301. Common questions asked about elders and deacons. (This will not be a live Q and A session.) 1. Comment on "Shepherds as sheep." 2. How can churches stop the spiral of congregation decline: "Move away, pass away, fall away"? | SLB | Elders, Deacons |
| | Dan Winkler | (You) Never Forget That God Never Forgets (You). In my darkest moment of life, one thought gave me comfort. One thought helped me survive. One thought proved to be my hope and my stay. "I may feel lonely (and believe me, I did), but with Jesus, I'm never alone!" | VNA | Teens |
| | Branyon May | Observing Characteristics of the Creator (Part 1) | VNC | Scholars' Think Tank |
| 6:30–6:55 PM | David Crutchfield | Congregational Singing | WGH | Singing |
| 6:55–7:00 PM | Eric Garner | Welcome (MC) | WGH | General |
| 7:00–7:45 PM | Justin Rogers | The Ten Words of Christianity: Think. Is Christianity an outdated system that any sensible, educated person is compelled to reject? Or does Christianity consist of respectable intellectual principles that answer life's great questions? We will attempt to revive the ancient conception of Christianity as a philosophy that competes with the most sophisticated systems of human thought. We will present Christianity as a means not only to personal salvation, but also to an intellectually credible way of life. | WGH | Keynote |
| 7:45–7:59 PM | Eric Garner | Invitation/Responses | WGH | General |
| 7:50–8:24 PM | Mike Hixson | Lifetime Service Award | WGH | General |
| 7:00–7:45 PM | Cliff Goodwin | Lord I Believe; Help My Unbelief | EDB | Teens |
| 8:00–8:15 PM | Todd Clippard | Bedtime Devotional for Children (Ages 2–9) | EDB | Children (Ages 2–9) |
| 8:20–8:45 PM | David Crutchfield | Atrium Singing (Balcony Overflow) | ATR | Singing |
| 8:30–10:30 PM | Ben and Britney Williams | Pre-Teen Late Night: Track 5—Go-Carts, Bumper Boats, Laser Tag, and Arcade. Three Go-cart tracks, Laser tag, a Laser maze, Arcade with 53 games, Bumper boats, and mini-golf. This is a pre-teen-only event, must be accompanied by a parent. No shorts—joggers, sweatpants, and jeans are acceptable. Cost is \$17 paid at the event counter (\$49.99 value). Track 5, 3525 W. 76 Country Blvd., Branson, MO, (417) 334-1612. | Off-Site | Pre-Teen Late Night |
| | Joshua and Daniela Cantrell | Teen Late Night: Fritz's Adventure. Climbing, zip lines, rope courses, warp walls, and more. This is a teen-only event (Ages 13–18). No shorts—joggers, sweatpants, and jeans are acceptable. Cost is \$10 cash at the door (\$54.95 value). Fritz's Adventure, 1425 W. 76 Country Blvd, Branson, MO. | Off-Site | Teen Late Night |
| | Matt Jones | PTP-U Hangout | LBL | PTP-U Hangout |
| | Josh and Karli Walker | Singles Hangout 25–35 | LLS | Singles Hangout (Ages 25–35) |
| | Randy and Amy Collum | Singles Hangout 35–50 | LLG | Singles Hangout (Ages 35–50) |

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| 7:30–8:00 AM | Rick Brumback | Morning Devotional: Kept, Watched, Protected, Loved | VNA | Worship |
| 8:00–8:15 AM | David Crutchfield | Early Bird Singing | VNA | Singing |
| 8:30–9:15 AM | David Rader | Mind Your Messaging: They Need the Right “Ship”—Fellowship with God | BMD | Youth Workers |
| | Rob Sinclair | Greek Bible Marking: Key Words You Absolutely Must Mark—and Mark Right—in 1 Peter | FLC | Textual |
| | Greg Dismuke | Modern Day Parables: The Church Is Like a Tailor Shop (Part 3) | HDB | Members |
| | Justin Rogers | Let Us Reason Together: Is Alcohol Ever Okay? (Part 1). We will discuss alcohol in its ancient cultural context to provide background to the biblical instructions. Then, we will survey the commonly cited justifications for drinking alcohol. | INN | College, Young Adults |
| | Jeff Miller | Childrearing: Correct (Part 3). How to Provoke a Child. When the many teachings of Scripture regarding childrearing are examined, three steps emerge for those parents who wish to rear children to become faithful followers of the Lord. Step 1 (Teach) was presented in 2020 as seven sessions that can be viewed on PTP365. Step 2 (Train) was presented at PTP Sevierville in 2023. Step 3 (Correct). | MLN | Family |
| | Stacey Grant | Making Evangelism the Main Thing of Everything: Using Congregational (Internal) and Community (External) Activities to Cultivate Bible Studies | MNC | Small Church |
| | Kevin Carroll | The Physics of Faith. A computer scientist unravels the interplay of belief and works intrinsic in biblical faith by examining the first principles of physics and the nature of God. | SFC | Scholars’ Think Tank |
| | Becky Blackmon | Is God <i>Really</i> My All? Satan tries to overcome every aspect of life, but God has a plan for all of us. Will we learn to give it up and trust in the Master plan for us? | SLB | Women |
| | Cindy Colley | Ten Great Ways Wives Can Serve Their Husbands (Yes, Serve!). If there is one thing Jesus taught with clarity, it is that our salvation is dependent on our willingness to serve. But do we sometimes have a servant heart in our congregations, our communities, and our friendships, but accidentally leave that heart in the car when we get home? Let us not neglect to put that heart in its most important place! | SMZ | Women |
| | Todd Clippard | Bible Marking Class: Once Saved, Always Saved? Bring a Bible and a notebook! | VNA | Teens |
| | Luke Griffin | Roman Emperors from A to Z (Augustus to Zeno): Caligula. Embark on a captivating journey through Caligula’s tumultuous reign and uncover the fascinating saga of Rome in this enthralling class. From his infamous excesses to his shocking demise, delve deep into the intrigue and drama of ancient Rome’s most notorious ruler. | VNC | History |
| | Dan Winkler | Satan’s Traps: Lust. How do I say, “No,” to myself? Let us learn from a few in the Bible who would not be seduced away from God by their own wants. | WNS | Members |
| 9:00–10:00 AM | Jerry & Denise Martin | Personal Counseling by Appointment (see page 9) | NPL | Counseling |
| 9:30–10:00 AM | Todd Clippard | Plan in the Parables: Confession—Does My Practice Match My Profession? (Good Samaritan) | EDB | PTP Camp (Ages 11–12) |
| 9:30–10:15 AM | Glenn Colley | Know Well the Condition of Your Flocks | BMD | Elders |
| | Kee Ford | Seven Ways to Handle Stress. This session will look at practical and biblical ways to deal with stress on a daily basis. | FLC | College |
| | Matt Wallin | Five Counterfeit Truths of Progressive Christianity. “Progressive Christianity” is hard to define. The quest for a religion without absolutes leads to confusion and endless questions with no answers. This lesson will discuss some of the main ways that the “Progressive Christianity” movement has confused and counterfeited the plain teachings of the Bible. | HDB | Contemporary Issues |
| | David Smith | The Tension Between Spiritual Formation and Cultural Formation in a Tech-influenced World. Culture has declared war on families and is using technology as its weapon. In this lesson, we will explore some present dangers families are facing and how to protect against them. | INN | Family |
| | Gary Massey | When I Survey the Wondrous Cross, I Marvel at My Suffering Savior | MLN | Doctrine |
| | Mark Lindley | Studies in Acts: What Happened When Peter Preached Christ (Acts 3:12–26). Peter preached a powerful sermon on the day of Pentecost, but his “second” sermon is equally powerful in exalting Christ. | MNC | Textual |

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| 9:30–10:15 AM | Ferman Carpenter | Four Ways to Shift Church Culture from Apathy to Expectation of Growth. How to counter culture in an apathetic world. | SFC | Ministry |
| | Aaron Gallagher | Evangelism Panel: Winning Just One Can Make All The Difference (e.g. We Know Only One Convert of Ananias) | SLB | Evangelism |
| | Stacey Grant | How Do You Approach People Who Visit Services? | | |
| | Keno Shrum | How Do You Approach Family Members? | | |
| | Melissa Cain | How Does Sin Disfigure? | SMZ | Women |
| | Mike Vestal | Where Is Jesus in the Old Testament? Jesus spoke of “everything written of Me in the Law and the Prophets and the Psalms” (Luke 24:44). This study will examine a number of ways and passages Jesus is seen in the Old Testament. | VNA | Teens |
| | Don Williams | Ministering to Grieving People: Anticipated Loss. It is a falsehood to suggest that people are not as impacted in grief when they are dealing with a loss they were anticipating. We will discuss the many feelings and emotions that are caught up in a loss we expect to happen. | VNC | Ministry |
| | Eric Owens | Every Conversion in Acts: Simon | WNS | Textual |
| 10:00–10:30 AM | Ande Zimmerman | The Plan of Salvation: Repent | EDB | PTP Camp (Ages 11–12) |
| 10:00–11:00 AM | Jerry & Denise Martin | Personal Counseling by Appointment (see page 9) | NPL | Counseling |
| 10:30–11:15 AM | Steve Higginbotham | Looking Over the Preacher’s Shoulder. Have you ever wondered what the life of a preacher is like? This lesson will give you a “behind the scenes” look. | BMD | Members |
| | David Barker | Two for One: Serving God as an Introvert | FLC | New Christians |
| | Aaron Gallagher | Two for One: Serving God as an Extrovert | | |
| | Greg Dismuke | Bitterness: Easy to Feel, Hard to Admit, Important to Destroy | HDB | Young Adults |
| | Jeff Miller | Childrearing: Correct (Part 4). The Six R’s of the Rod. When the many teachings of Scripture regarding childrearing are examined, three steps emerge for those parents who wish to rear children to become faithful followers of the Lord. Step 1 (Teach) was presented in 2020 as seven sessions that can be viewed on PTP365. Step 2 (Train) was presented at PTP Sevierville in 2023. Step 3 (Correct). | INN | Family |
| | Bree Neighbors | Looking Good or Doing Good: What Are My Priorities? We must open our eyes to what our life is truly in service to! This self-evaluation begins with understanding where our priorities lie. Do I truly desire heaven or are my treasures on earth? | MLN | Teen Girls |
| | Gary Hampton, Bob Oliver, Justin Rogers | Beardless to Graybeards: Final Selection of Speeches | MNC | Boys (Ages 12–14) |
| | Kerry Duke | Introduction to a Study of Prophecy. Do you believe God knows the future? Knowing more about prophecy will build your faith and equip you to teach and defend the Bible. | SFC | Textual |
| | Daniel Stearsman | Ethics and Hallucinogens. LSD (acid), MDMA (ecstasy), Psilocybin, Ketamine, Peyote, and Magic Mushrooms (Psilocybin) are popular in the press. This session will examine the legal, medical, and biblical landscape of hallucinogens. | SLB | Contemporary Issues |
| | Emily Hatfield | Sowing and Reaping: A Biblical View of Consequences. What the Pharisees teach us about the consequences of self-righteousness. | SMZ | Women |
| | Todd Clippard | Be the Change | VNA | Teen Boys |
| | Gage Coldwater | How the Church May Use Its Money | VNC | Elders |
| | Dan Winkler | Satan’s Traps: Shame. I refuse to let others identify me by my mistakes. The worst of all sinners teaches me how to handle my shame, and you know his name. | WNS | Members |

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| 11:30 AM–1:00 PM | Rob Whitacre | HTH School of Evangelism Meet and Greet. HTHSOE is hosting a free lunch provided to the first 25 people (limit 4 per congregation). Are you interested in the House to House School of Evangelism? Come and see! Eat and listen to Rob and HTHSOE regional trainers talk about how to create an evangelistic culture in your congregation. Over 4,000 baptisms have been reported in the past six years. Text Rob Whitacre at (931) 224-8794 with the names, congregation, and number of people attending. | LLS | Evangelism |
| 1:00–2:00 PM | Rob Whitacre | Getting the Congregation Involved in Evangelism that Works (Sign up required). Sign up for sessions of private coaching on how to implement House to House School of Evangelism principles in your congregation. Required attendance is at least one elder and one preacher (deacons and members are welcome with them). Call Rob Whitacre 931.224.8794 to reserve your session; slots are limited. | NPL | Evangelism |
| 1:15–1:45 PM | Tommy Brooks | What's Wrong with Justification by Works? Come see, hear, and learn how the wrongs of such false doctrines diminish, minimize, and undermine God's saving power in the cross. | BMD | Doctrine |
| | Paul Holland | Hurry Back Session: What Will be Left on Your To-Do List? | HDB | Members |
| | Daniel Stearsman | Hurry Back Session: Seven Ways Churches Drive Away Guests. From the bird's-eye view to the detailed inner workings, what might our congregations be neglecting or overemphasizing that drives people away? | INN | Ministry |
| | Alana May | Hurry Back Session: Exploring the Cosmic Canvas with the James Webb Space Telescope. We recognize the talent and give credit to painters for their beautiful artwork. The Universe attests to God's celestial brushstrokes. Through the lens of the new James Webb Space Telescope, we have had the privilege to see more of how His masterpiece is woven into the fabric of space. In this lesson, we will discuss how this new telescope has further revealed God's cosmic canvas. | MNC | Women |
| | Ronnie Hayes | Hurry Back Session: Why Are You Trembling, Felix? | SLB | Doctrine |
| | Doug Burleson | Hurry Back Session: Does God Supernaturally Heal People Today? | SMZ | Doctrine |
| | Dwayne Butler | Hurry Back Session: Dedicated Deacons | VNA | Deacons |
| | | | | Evidence |
| 2:00–2:45 PM | Aaron Gallagher | Let's Talk about LGBTQIA+: What Should You Say? Jesus taught us that all people have worth and value, even those who believe and think differently from Christians. How should we engage with those who identify as LGBTQIA+? How can we start a spiritual conversation while showing them we love them? How do we develop empathy toward them and also have the courage to show them what God wants for them? | BMD | Contemporary Issues |
| | Scott Cain | How to Deal with Family Members Who Are Not a Fan of the Church of Christ | FLC | New Christians |
| | Eddy Gilpin | On the Day of Judgment, What If . . . ? This lesson is designed to help us think a little more seriously about the truths that we, as servants of Christ, already know, but perhaps have allowed to become routine or mundane. After all, if we make it to heaven, nothing else will have mattered; and if we do not make it to heaven, nothing else will have mattered. "On the Day of Judgment," let us be sure we make it to heaven. | HDB | Evangelism |
| | Justin Rogers | Let Us Reason Together: Is Alcohol Ever Okay? (Part 2). Building off the cultural context, we will offer ten reasons why it is sinful for Christians today to drink alcohol socially. | INN | College, Young Adults |
| | Becky Blackmon | What Does God Define as Gossip? Gossip is scary and dangerous. Men and women enjoy sharing tidbits of what is going on in others' lives. When is this enjoyment going too far? | MLN | Women |
| | Michael Clarke Mark Howell Jonathan Jenkins John Moore Paul Sain Joe Wells | Seven Minutes of Wisdom on Brotherhood Resources: The Scattered Abroad Network PTP365 Digital Bible Study Bible Land Passages Sain Publications Kaio Publications | MNC | Elders |
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| 2:00–2:45 PM | Ferman Carpenter | The Ripple Effect—The Power of God's Good in our Lives | SFC | Members |
| | Doug Burleson | It's God's Fault | SLB | Scholars' Think Tank |
| | Sheri Harris | Conquer Fear, Cultivate Faith, and Embrace Love | SMZ | Women |
| | Wayne Rodgers | Two for One: Wise Words from the Proverbs—"Pride Goes Before Destruction, and a Haughty Spirit Before a Fall" | VNA | Teens |
| | Daniel Stearsman | Two for One: Wise Words from the Proverbs—"A Man's Heart Plans His Way, but the Lord Directs His Steps" | | |
| | Austin Johnson | The Root of the Problem: Arrogance | VNC | Preachers |
| | Rick Brumback | Every Conversion in Acts: Cornelius | WNS | Textual |
| 2:00–3:00 PM | Rob Whitacre | Getting the Congregation Involved in Evangelism that Works (Sign up required). Sign up for private coaching on how to implement House to House School of Evangelism principles in your congregation. Required attendance is at least one elder and one preacher (deacons and members are welcome with them). Call Rob Whitacre 931.224.8794 to reserve your session; slots are limited. | NPL | Evangelism |
| 3:00–3:45 PM | Rick Brumback | Seven Minutes of Wisdom for Preachers: Do Not Throw Your Lessons Together. But, If You Have to, Start Here | BMD | Preachers |
| | Ferman Carpenter | Should You Stay at Your Congregation after You Retire? | | |
| | Dave Domingue | Being Scholarly but Also Practical | | |
| | Steve Higginbotham | Be Convicting (Clear about Sin) but Also Encouraging | | |
| | John Moore | Balanced Preachers—Bold but Also Humble | | |
| | Barry O'Dell | Being Confident but Not Arrogant | | |
| | Kee Ford | Seven Minutes of Wisdom on Mental Health for College Students: Resources to Help with Mental Health Struggles | FLC | College |
| | Matt Jones | Ways to Help a Friend who Is Going through Mental Health Struggles | | |
| | Jerry Martin | Understanding Self-Harm: What Causes Someone to Hurt Himself/Herself? | | |
| | Matt Wallin | The Benefits of a Mentor for Mental Health | | |
| | Joe Wells | How to Avoid Burnout in College | | |
| | Ande Zimmerman | Ways to Help with the Stress of College | | |
| | Kevin Rhodes | The Challenge of Anxiety. We live in stressful times. It is therefore inevitable that anxiety is also on the rise. But what can Christians do to overcome this challenge? And how can the church help people instead of just suggesting people need stronger faith? The Bible has an answer for that too. | HDB | Members |
| | Daniela Cantrell | Two for One: All Is Vanity—Ecclesiastes | INN | Women |
| | Ashley Smith | Two for One: The Virtuous Woman | | |
| | Melissa Cain | Forgiving What You Cannot Forget | MLN | Women |
| | Wade Webster | Five Strategies for Preaching on Mother's Day and Father's Day | MNC | Preachers |
| | Tommy Brooks | Hurry Back Session: What's Wrong with Justification by Faith Only? Come, see, hear, and learn how the wrongs of such false doctrines diminish, minimize, and undermine God's saving power in the cross. | SFC | Doctrine |
| | Gary Massey | When I Survey the Wondrous Cross, I Marvel at the Grace of God for My Guilt | SLB | Doctrine |
| | Ron Williams | Marital Challenges One Faces in Dealing with Cancer. Having cancer will influence all relationships in life and can especially affect a married couple. We will notice some unique challenges and offer suggestions to equip both mates in dealing with cancer. | SMZ | Family |

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| 3:00–3:45 PM | Ernest Benjamin | Seven Minutes of Wisdom on Gossip: Self-assessment: Do I Have a Gossiping Problem? | VNA | Teens |
| | Joshua Cantrell | How to Help Someone Who Has a Gossiping Problem | | |
| | Greg Dismuke | Is It Gossip if I Am Talking about Someone who Is Obviously in Sin? | | |
| | Kevin Hahn | How Do I Stop Gossiping? | | |
| | Billy Hayes | How Should I Handle Being Gossiped About? | | |
| | David Smith | Is it gossip If I would say it to a person's face? | | |
| | Bob Stancell | Interesting Items in My Collection: Egyptian | VNC | History |
| | Mike Hixson | Every Conversion in Acts: Lydia | WNS | Textual |
| 3:00–4:00 PM | Mike Vestal | Preacher Renewal (by Appointment, see page 9). Preachers often feel isolated and discouraged because they do not have anyone with whom to discuss matters. If you need advice or someone to listen and help sort things out, schedule a session with Mike. Preachers and wives are welcome to come together. Schedule before the event if possible, as sessions may fill up. | NPL | Counseling |
| 3:30–4:15 PM | Renee Brown, Karen Perkins | Children's Bible Class Teacher Resources: Make & Take at Your Own Pace. Chalking Bible class illustrations, visuals for enhancing Bible lessons, die cut letters, and more. No experience necessary. You will receive step-by-step instruction. All tools and resources provided. | TRL | Women |
| 4:00–4:30 PM | Keith Olbricht | Repentance Says, "I'm Sorry," but It also Shows, "I'm Through!" | BMD | Doctrine |
| | Kathy Carroll | Homeschooling the Gifted. Practical things moms can do to help nurture and maximize their child/children's God-given abilities. | FLC | Women |
| | Laura Kidwell Boyd | All My Eggs in Heaven's Basket | INN | Women |
| | Bree Neighbors | God's Way, Not Mine. We constantly tell ourselves that we want God's will above our own, but do we truly desire God's will even if it does not align with what we have pictured? Is there a fear that comes with the thought of God having His way with our life? In this session, we will discuss the peace that comes with being a child of God, and the assurance we have in Him and His way. | MLN | Women |
| | Rob Whitacre, Austin Fowler | American Mission Campaigns: What Have We Learned? AMC started in the summer of 2020 in Rome, Georgia. The lessons we have learned have transformed our approach in America. You can do it too! | MNC | Evangelism |
| | Zack Williams | Simple Rules for a Good Life (Series): Complain Less | SFC | Members |
| | Stacey Grant | Understanding the Climate Change Agenda | SLB | Contemporary Issues |
| | Branyon May | The Cosmos: Created to Be Observed | SMZ | Scholars' Think Tank |
| | Justin Rogers | How to Build Enjoyment in Studying the Bible. We will share tactics that make reading and studying the Bible fun. We will discuss the purpose of the Bible and its design to help us become stronger people of faith. | VNA | Teens |
| | Gage Coldwater | Is Idolatry a Problem Today? | VNC | New Christians |
| | Aubrey Johnson | Do You Have a Healthy View of Your Heavenly Father? | WNS | Young Adults |
| | Ronnie Hayes | Living Intentionally in a Land of "Who Cares?" | HDB | Youth Workers |
| 4:00–6:00 PM | Kathy and Kevin Carroll | Singles Hangout 50+ | LLS | Singles Hangout (Ages 50+) |
| 6:00–6:45 PM | Aaron Gallagher | The Five Most Misused Bible Verses. We are called to engage with those around us. In a culture that is increasingly more and more biblically illiterate, Bible verses are commonly used by many as snippets and audio bytes, pulled out from their intended context and meaning. What are those most commonly misused Bible verses that you will encounter in evangelism? Join us to learn the context of these verses to bring those around us back to the Bible. | BMD | Textual |

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| 6:00–6:45 PM | Barry O'Dell | Eight Popular Myths That Could Ruin Your Marriage. Marriage is a blessing from God. Do not make it more difficult than it has to be because of naivete. | EDB | Family |
| | Steve Higginbotham | Simple Rules for a Good Life (Series): Plan More (But Trust in God). This lesson emphasizes the balance between diligent planning and maintaining faith in God. We will discuss why we need to preface our plans with God's will. | FLC | Members |
| | Branyon May | Observing Characteristics of the Creator (Part 2) | MLN | Scholars' Think Tank |
| | Bree Neighbors | Christ Is My Hope. Where Christ abides, there is hope. A living hope. An assured hope. A secure hope. A never ending hope. In Christ, all hope is never lost. | MNC | Women |
| | Johnie Scaggs | When Prayer Is Not Enough (James 2; Matthew 28:19; Saul). This study will highlight the need to pray but then focus on the need for doing something about the things we pray for. God will do His part, but He also expects us to do our part. | SFC | Spiritual Growth |
| | Myron Bruce | Singing Class: Polishing the Pews—Renewing, Refreshing, and Recharging the Song Service. This is a singing class designed to energize the heart and mind of the singer within the Lord's church. With a better understanding of our psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs we will be better prepared to sing with the spirit and sing with the mind also (1 Corinthians 14:15). | SLB | Singing |
| | Michael Clarke, Wayne Rodgers | Podcast Spotlight Hour: The "What Would You Do If?" Podcast | VNA | Teens |
| | Austin Johnson | What Does Biblical Anger Look Like? | VNC | College, Young Adults |
| 6:30–6:55 PM | David Crutchfield | Congregational Singing | WGH | Singing |
| 6:55–7:00 PM | Jeff Johnson | Welcome (MC) | WGH | General |
| 7:00–7:45 PM | David Smith | Bring a Friend Night! The Ten Words of Christianity: Seek. God built into every person a desire to know Him. Yet, not all do. How can we satisfy the deep craving God has placed in us? Jesus told us if we seek, then we will find. | WGH | Keynote |
| 7:45–7:59 PM | Jeff Johnson | Invitation/Responses | WGH | General |
| 7:00–7:45 PM | Austin Johnson | Spiritual Survival Skills | EDB | Keynote, Teens |
| 8:00–8:15 PM | Patrick Adkins | Bedtime Devotional for Children (Ages 2–9) | EDB | Children (Ages 2–9) |
| 8:00–8:20 PM | Alan Putnam | Atrium Singing (Balcony Overflow) | ATR | Singing |
| 8:00–8:45 PM | Randy English | Getting Bible Studies: Principles that Work at Home and Abroad | BMD | Evangelism |
| 8:30–10:30 PM | Ben and Britney Williams | Pre-Teen Late Night: Fritz's Adventure. Climbing, ziplines, rope courses, warp walls, and more. This is a pre-teen-only event (Ages 10–12), pre-teens must be accompanied by a parent. No shorts—joggers, sweatpants and jeans are acceptable. Cost is \$10 cash at the door (\$54.95 value). Fritz's Adventure, 1425 W. 76 Country Blvd, Branson, MO. | Off-Site | Pre-Teen Late Night |
| | Joshua and Daniela Cantrell | Teen Late Night: Track 5—Go-Carts, Bumper Boats, Laser Tag, and Arcade. Three Go-cart tracks, Laser tag, a Laser maze, Arcade with 53 games, Bumper boats, and Mini-golf. This is a teen-only event. No shorts—joggers, sweatpants, and jeans are acceptable. Cost is \$17 paid at the event counter (\$49.99 value). Track 5, 3525 W. 76 Country Blvd., Branson, MO, (417) 334-1612. | Off-Site | Teen Late Night |
| | Matt Jones | PTP-U Hangout | LBL | PTP-U Hangout |
| | Josh and Karli Walker | Singles Hangout 25–35 | LLS | Singles Hangout (Ages 25–35) |
| | Randy and Amy Collum | Singles Hangout 35–50 | LLG | Singles Hangout (Ages 35–50) |

WORSHIP SERVICES AT-A-GLANCE

On-site Worship Services: Due to anticipated attendance exceeding the space, PTP has three on-site worship services. The order will be Bible Class-Worship-Worship-Bible Class to assist with a smooth transition. After the early worship, everyone must exit through the doors at the rear of the auditorium only. The second worship attendees will be entering through the main doors. Bible classes for children are from 8:00-8:45 AM/11:30 AM-12:15 PM. Ages 2-9 are in Versailles, and ages 10-12 are in Edinburgh. The overseeing elders and PTP directors do not believe in splitting the worship assembly (aka "children's church"), so we ask parents to take your children to worship with you.

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| 7:30-8:30 AM | Gary Hampton | Early, Early Worship Service: When I Survey the Wondrous Cross, I Marvel at the Love of God. Song leader: David Crutchfield. | BMD | Worship |
| 9:00-10:00 AM | Greg Dismuke | Early Worship Service: The Ten Words of Christianity—Adore Congregational Singing: Myron Bruce; Opening Prayer: Rick Brumback; Closing Prayer: Ed DeBerry; Communion/Giving: Kelvin Pugh | WGH | Worship/Keynote |
| 10:15-11:15 AM | Greg Dismuke | Worship Service: The Ten Words of Christianity—Adore (Repeat of 8:45 AM Session) Congregational Singing: Alan Putnam; Opening Prayer: John Rice; Closing Prayer: Mike Vestal; Communion/Giving: Ed DeBerry. | WGH | Worship/Keynote |
| 5:00-6:00 PM | Various | Congregational Singing: Myron Bruce, David Crutchfield, Alan Putnam | WGH | Singing |
| 6:00-6:45 PM | Mike Hixson | Evening Worship Service: The Ten Words of Christianity—Obey | WGH | Worship/Keynote |
| 6:55-7:00 PM | Jeff Johnson | Welcome (MC) | WGH | General |
| 7:00-7:45 PM | B. J. Clarke Aaron Gallagher | Two for One: The Ten Words of Christianity—Endure Two for One: The Ten Words of Christianity—Defend | WGH | Keynote |
| 7:45-7:59 PM | Jeff Johnson | Invitation/Responses | WGH | General |

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| 7:30-8:30 AM | Gary Hampton | Early, Early Worship Service: When I Survey the Wondrous Cross, I Marvel at the Love of God. Song leader: David Crutchfield. | BMD | Worship |
| 8:00-8:45 AM | John McGiffin | Do All Roads Lead to Heaven? We will examine various approaches to discover the <i>one</i> path leading to righteousness. A church shopping list will be provided. | EDB | Bible Class |
| | Mike Johnson | From Garden to Garden to Garden (Eden to Gethsemane to Heaven). The Garden of Eden is a picture of man walking with God. The Garden of Gethsemane is a picture of man having walked away from God. The picture of Heaven is man and God walking together again for eternity. | FLC | Bible Class |
| | Doug Burleson | An Old Testament Guide to Course Correction for God's People (2 Chronicles 7:14) | MLN | Bible Class |
| | Dave Domingue | The Identity of the Church. What defines the identity of Christ's church? Is it the sign on the building? In the early Christian community, there were no "church of Christ" signs. This topic will explore the characteristics that have always shaped the church's identity. | MNC | Bible Class |
| | Stacey Grant Brandon Rader | Two for One: A Biblical Study of "The Terror of the Lord" Two for One: Lies Disguised as Truths in Today's Culture | SLB | Bible Class |
| | David Rader | Simple Rules for a Good Life (Series): Serve Others More | VNC | Bible Class |
| | Steve Higginbotham | Once Saved, Always Struggling. If you struggle with assurance, this lesson is for you. | WGH | Bible Class |
| 9:00-10:00 AM | Greg Dismuke | Early Worship Service: The Ten Words of Christianity—Adore Congregational Singing: Myron Bruce; Opening Prayer: Rick Brumback; Closing Prayer: Ed DeBerry; Communion/Giving: Kelvin Pugh | WGH | Worship/Keynote |
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| 11:30 AM– 12:15 PM | Wade Webster | Forgiveness: No One Has Done Anything Worse to You Than What You Have Done to the Lord | BMD | Bible Class |
| | Ande Zimmerman | The Plan of Salvation: Confess | EDB | PTP Camp (Ages 11–12) |
| | Sheri Harris | Three Reasons Why a Mother's Prayer Matters | FLC | Women, Bible Class |
| | Randy English | Will God Hear the Call of the Lost? | MLN | Bible Class |
| | John Moore | The Man Jesus Could Not Save (The Rich Young Ruler) | MNC | Bible Class |
| | Joshua Cantrell | The Lord's "Lost & Found" Department (Luke 15) | SLB | Bible Class |
| | Aubrey Johnson | God's Game Plan for Life | VNC | Bible Class |
| | B. J. Clarke | The Prayers of the Cross | WGH | Bible Class |
| 2:00–2:45 PM | Daniel Stearsman | Should I Rethink My Baptism? How Do I Help Someone Who Was Baptized in a Denomination Decide? Cases will be examined that explore prerequisites to baptism and doubts or insecurities that may arise following conversion. | BMD | Evangelism |
| | Aaron Gallagher | Will All Good People Be Saved? Does the Bible define a good person as a righteous person or is there a difference? Join us in this session where we discuss how the Bible defines a good person and how all men are saved. | EDB | Contemporary Issues |
| | Zack Williams | Five Questions for Churches as Worship Gatherings Become Smaller | FLC | Small Church |
| | Justin Rogers | The Names of God (Part 2). We will explore the Hebrew " <i>tetragrammaton</i> " יהוה (YHWH) in its various forms to describe the covenant God of Israel in the Old Testament. We will discuss the major theories of the divine name, its representation through history, and the respect "the name" was shown. | MLN | Doctrine |
| | Various | Two Minutes, Tops: A Book That Changed My Ministry and Why Speakers: Ernest Benjamin, Rick Brumback, Joshua Cantrell, Ferman Carpenter, Gage Coldwater, Kerry Duke, Eddy Gilpin, Ronnie Hayes, Tim Hayes, Jeff Johnson, Matt Jones, Jerry Martin, Gary Massey, Branyon May, John Moore, Marlon Retana, Johnie Scaggs, Rob Sinclair, Joey Treat | MNC | Preachers |
| | Matt Wallin | Starting an Evangelistic Men's Group. How can we use a men's Bible study group to patiently walk someone from where they are to where they need to be? | SFC | Ministry Deacons |
| | Tish Clarke | Hard Fightin' Soldier: Perseverance | SLB | Women |
| | John McGiffin | Some Things We Are Trying That Are Working. This session will examine ways to determine if all activities in the church are worth pursuing. | VNA | Elders |
| | Don Williams | Ministering to Grieving People: Sudden and Unexpected Loss. We will talk about working through unexpected loss and the additional struggles one has with such loss. | VNC | Ministry |
| | Kevin Hahn | Breaking the Chains of Guilt and Shame. Guilt and shame can be productive when they lead us to repentance, but they can also weigh us down even after we have been forgiven. How can we break the chains and rediscover the joy God wants us to have? | WGH | Members |
| 2:00–4:30 PM | Renee Brown, Karen Perkins | Children's Bible Class Teacher Resources: Make & Take at Your Own Pace. Chalking Bible class illustrations, visuals for enhancing Bible lessons, die cut letters, and more. No experience necessary. You will receive step-by-step instruction. All tools and resources provided. | TRL | Women |
| 3:00–3:45 PM | Melissa Cain | A Woman's Prayers Avail Much: Tips for Revitalizing Your Prayer Life | BMD | Women |
| | Dan Winkler | Satan's Traps: Complacency. Indifference really makes a difference to Jesus. Look at what he said to those who do not care. The <i>consequences</i> of, the <i>cure</i> for, and the <i>charge</i> He gave to those who were lukewarm says it all. | EDB | Members |
| | Joey Treat | Five Ways to Pray for Christians in the Mission Field | FLC | Evangelism |
| | Mike Hixson | Simple Rules for a Good Life (Series): Rise Early and Work Hard | MLN | Members |
| | David Smith | Habits Are First Cobwebs, Then Cables. Habits are not necessarily bad, but they can be. We will discuss how habits are formed and offer some practical advice for filtering the ones we allow into our lives. | MNC | Spiritual Growth |
| | Kerry Duke | The Greatest Prophecies in the Patriarchal Dispensation (Genesis). How does God care for His people and deal with different nations at the same time? | SFC | Textual |
| | Gary Massey | When I Survey the Wondrous Cross, I Marvel at How Easily This World Distracts Me | SLB | Doctrine |

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| 3:00–3:45 PM | Austin Fowler | Don't Grow Up too Much: Ways God Wants Us to Remain Childlike. Jesus told us not to grow up too much in Matthew 18:2–5. We will analyze this and see how God wants us to remain childlike! | VNA | College |
| | Laura Kidwell Boyd | A Suitable Goal of Discipleship: "She Has Done What She Could" (Mark 14:8) | VNC | Women |
| | B. J. Clarke | When Jesus Washed Feet: A Lesson in Humility | WGH | Textual |
| 4:00–4:30 PM | Jeanny Gilpin | Gideon: Your Weakness Is God's Strength. This session will focus on Gideon and the lesson he learned about doing a lot with just a little when God is in control. Our God wants our availability and He can turn a little into a lot for His glory. | BMD | Women |
| | Doug Burleson | We Disagree, but We Both Love the Lord. Now What Do We Do? | EDB | Contemporary Issues |
| | Mike Vestal | What Happened to These Lessons? Gus Nichol's Lesson on a Postage Stamp. It is amazing how preachers of yesteryear could illustrate biblical principles using everyday things. | FLC | Preachers |
| | Becky Blackmon | How to Be Less Self-Sufficient and More God-Dependent. How easy is it for any of us to "let go and let God"? Are we growing in the faith or dying on the vine? | MLN | Women |
| | Rob Whitacre | The Most Important Step in Evangelism: People, People, People. Creating contacts is the most crucial step in evangelism. Sadly, it is also the most neglected. Come and learn how to make thousands of contacts quickly and annually in your local congregation. | MNC | Evangelism |
| | Tim Togami | Here's What We Do; It Might Work for You. This session presents ideas congregations are using to advance the work of Christ | SFC | Ministry |
| | Mike Johnson | The Root of the Problem: Lack of Love. Love is not a feeling that you feel when you feel a feeling that you never felt before. Love is a commitment even when you do not feel it. Commitment can lead to feeling but feeling can never lead to commitment. | SLB | Elders, Deacons |
| | Kevin Hahn | What Does the Bible Say about Ghosts? There are lots of movies, television shows, and stories about ghosts. What does the Bible say, and not say, about the subject? Can God's word help us separate fact from fiction? | VNA | Members |
| | Bob Stancell | Interesting Items in My Collection: Canaanite Idolatry | VNC | History |
| | Aubrey Johnson | Simple Rules for a Good Life (Series): Learn More | WNS | Members |
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| 8:00–8:20 PM | Alan Putnam | Atrium Singing (Balcony Overflow) | ATR | Singing |
| 8:30–10:30 PM | Ben and Britney Williams | Pre-Teen Late Night: Beyond the Lens. Over 150 interactive exhibits: Instagram-worthy photo ops, virtual reality rides, a hunt for Big Foot, interactive games including 2-minute escape rooms, a pop culture walkthrough from the 1960s through today, and so much more. This event is for pre-teens only. Must be accompanied by a parent. Cost: \$10 cash paid at the door. Beyond the Lens, 3115 76 County Blvd, Branson, MO 65616, (417) 337-9333. | Off-Site | Pre-Teen Late Night |
| | Joshua and Daniela Cantrell | Teen Late Night: Branson RecPlex. It is an open gym night full of dodgeball, basketball, and hanging out. This is a teen-only event. No shorts—joggers, sweatpants, jeans are acceptable. Cost is free! Branson RecPlex, 1501 Branson Hills Parkway, Branson, MO 65616. | Off-Site | Teen Late Night |
| | Matt Jones | PTP-U Hangout | LBL | PTP-U Hangout |
| | Josh and Karli Walker | Singles Hangout 25–35 | LLS | Singles Hangout (Ages 25–35) |
| | Randy and Amy Collum | Singles Hangout 35–50 | LLG | Singles Hangout (Ages 35–50) |

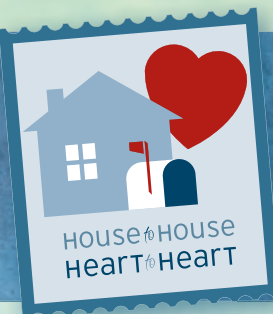
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| 7:30–8:00 AM | Cameron Freeman | Early Bird Devotional: O Lord, My God | VNA | Worship |
| 8:00–8:15 AM | Myron Bruce | Early Bird Singing | VNA | Singing |
| 8:30–9:00 AM | Billy Hayes | Let Me Walk Close to Thee. The lesson is designed to help us follow our God while living with humanity who seem unconcerned about following God completely. | INN | Preachers |
| 8:30–9:15 AM | Dustin Dougherty | Evangelism in a Small Town | BMD | Evangelism |
| | Dwayne Butler | Seven Bible Verses for Children to Memorize | FLC | Family |
| | Greg Dismuke | Biblical Facts Do Not Care about Worldly Feelings | HDB | College, Young Adults |
| | Joey Treat | Seven Minutes: That is All a Guest Needs to Decide to Return | MLN | Ministry |
| | Jeanny Gilpin | The Mother's Role. This session will be based on lessons from the Bible concerning the mother who is striving to rear her children in the nurture and admonition of the Lord. In today's world, it is difficult, but still possible. You will be encouraged to appreciate the mother's role as she manages the home as God would have it. | MNC | Women |
| | Kerry Duke | The Greatest Prophecies in the Pentateuch (Exodus–Deuteronomy). Should we “stand with Israel” because God promised to be with them? Deuteronomy tells us what that promise really means. | SFC | Textual |
| | Tish Clarke | Five Sneaky Lies Your Anxiety Tells You Are True | SLB | Women |
| | Tom Moore | Simple Rules for a Good Life (Series): Smile More. Many Christians live their lives as though they have been drinking pickle juice. This lecture will discuss rules for living a good and happy Christian life. | SMZ | Members |
| | Justin Rogers | Bible Marking Class: Messianic Prophecies. The New Testament features some 300 Messianic prophecies from the Old Testament. In this session, we will focus on the details of the most powerful predictions of the life and ministry of Jesus of Nazareth. Bring a highlighter and be prepared to mark your Bible! | VNA | Teens |
| | Daniel Stearsman | The Golden Rule plus 24 Ethical Tests for Moral Decision-Making. Need biblical help with discernment? Learn what the Golden Rule is and is not, along with 24 other ethical tests for making moral decisions. | VNC | Contemporary Issues |
| 9:00–9:45 AM | Renee Brown, Karen Perkins | Children's Bible Class Teacher Resources: Make & Take at Your Own Pace. Chalking Bible class illustrations, visuals for enhancing Bible lessons, die cut letters, and more. No experience necessary. You will receive step-by-step instruction. All tools and resources provided. | TRL | Women |
| | Jerry & Denise Martin | Personal Counseling by Appointment (see page 9) | NPL | Counseling |
| 9:30–10:00 AM | John Rice | Plan in the Parables: Baptism—Are You Properly Dressed? Wedding Feast | EDB | PTP Camp (Ages 11–12) |
| 9:30–10:15 AM | Doug Burleson | The Greatest Lesson I Learned from Disaster Relief Assistance (especially Hurricane Katrina) That Might Help Other Congregations | BMD | Ministry Elders |
| | Kerry Duke | The Greatest Prophecies during the United Kingdom. A psalm of David links the Patriarchal age, the Mosaic age, and the church age. That link was one Man called the King of Righteousness. | FLC | Textual |
| | Ernest Benjamin | Who Is the Lazarus at Your Gate? | HDB | Members |
| | Charles Cochran, Gary Hampton, Bob Oliver, Paul Sain | Beardless to Greybeards: Presentation of Lessons (Part 1) | INN | Boys (Ages 12–14) General |
| | Luke Griffin | How We Got the Bible (Part 1). Explore the fascinating journey of the Bible's origins and transmission, uncovering early manuscripts and ancient Bibles. Discover the stories behind Scripture's preservation, offering insights into the profound significance of the world's most important book. | MNC | History |

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| 9:30–10:15 AM | Wade Webster | Book Reviews: What I Have Read This Year That Might Help You | SFC | Preachers |
| | Tyrene Benjamin | Seven Minutes of Wisdom on Personal Development: Developing a Kind Heart | SLB | Women |
| | Kastin Carroll | Developing a Joyful Attitude | | |
| | Kathy Carroll | Developing a Peaceful Mindset | | |
| | Rachel Holland | Developing a Pure Mind | | |
| | Ashley Smith | Developing an Energetic Work Ethic | | |
| | Julia Togami | Developing a Patient Spirit | | |
| | Joe Wells | First Things First. It has been wisely said before, “Keep the first thing, first.” Sometimes, with all the hustle and bustle of the day-to-day activities of family life, we need to be reminded of the basics or the “first things.” In this lesson, we look into the book of Matthew and remind ourselves of the fundamental elements of walking in this world while leading our families to heaven. | SMZ | Family |
| | Kelvin Pugh | Self-assessment: How Do You Answer Jesus’ Question—Who Do You Say That I Am? | VNA | Teens |
| | Rob Whitacre | Practical Evangelism. HTHSOE teaches seven principles of evangelism from the life of Christ. Learn these principles and hear about their practical application in the compelling life story of an Iraqi war veteran and a former Jersey girl. | VNC | Evangelism |
| 10:00–10:30 AM | B. J. Clarke | Grace Is the Safest Place to Be | WNS | Members |
| | Mike Vestal | Burned by Church, Saved by Jesus: Healing from Friendly Fire. We know that “faithful are the wounds of a friend” (Proverbs 27:6), but they still hurt, sting, and wound. How should God’s people respond? | MLN | Contemporary Issues |
| | Ande Zimmerman | The Plan of Salvation: Be Baptized | EDB | PTP Camp (Ages 11–12) |
| | Jerry & Denise Martin | Personal Counseling by Appointment (see page 9) | NPL | Counseling |
| | David Smith | Why Doesn’t God Take Away Our Suffering? Suffering has always been a challenge, even for the best of people. Because perspective matters, we will offer three biblical perspectives in response to the question: a theological perspective, an apologetic perspective, and a personal perspective. | BMD | New Christians |
| | Randy English | How Deacons Can Contribute to Unity and Brotherly Love | FLC | Deacons |
| | Marlon Retana | Loving What We Do. The phrase “Find a job you love, and you will never have to work a day in your life” is attributed to the Chinese philosopher Confucius. As Christians, we always have work to do, but loving it is more than just a feeling, as we must be mindful about it. | HDB | Doctrine |
| | Charles Cochran, Gary Hampton, Bob Oliver, Paul Sain | Beardless to Greybeards: Presentation of Lessons (Part 2) | INN | Boys (Ages 12–14), General |
| | Mike Johnson | The Root of the Problem: No Fear of God. When there are no consequences to bad behavior, people do not fear bad behavior. Without a healthy fear of God, the motivation to avoid bad behavior dissipates. | MLN | Evangelism |
| | Sheri Harris | Why Is Purity So Important? | MNC | Teen Girls |
| 10:30–11:15 AM | Kerry Duke | The Greatest Prophecies in the Exile and Return. How could the sickness of one man lead to a prophecy of a great turning point in Bible history? Learn about the remarkable foreknowledge and providence of God in this story. | SFC | Textual |
| | Zack Williams | Simple Rules for a Good Life (Series): Eat Less and Give More | SLB | Members |

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| 10:30–11:15 AM | Laura Kidwell Boyd | Seven Minutes of Wisdom for Women: Keeping Wholesome Speech with Ears Full of Smut | SMZ | Women |
| | Melissa Cain | Remaining Faithful in a World Where Men Tempt You | | |
| | Kathy Carroll | Relying on God in a Girl-Power World | | |
| | Jeanny Gilpin | Thinking Spiritually in a Carnal Centric World | | |
| | Heather Hahn | If You Got It, Don't Flaunt It | | |
| | Bree Neighbors | Why I Started A Clothing Line Encouraging Modesty | | |
| | Ernest Benjamin | How to Pray Jesus' Way | VNA | Teen Boys |
| | Aaron Gallagher, Scott Ingram, Kelvin Pugh | Authentic Christian Panel: Applying Real-Life Moral Principles to Social Media | VNC | College, Young Adults |
| | B. J. Clarke | Hot Button Issues: How to Be Filled with the Holy Spirit | WNS | Contemporary Issues |
| 11:00 AM–12:00 PM | Rob Whitacre | Getting the Congregation Involved in Evangelism that Works (sign up required). Sign up for private coaching on how to implement House to House School of Evangelism principles in your congregation. Required attendance is at least one elder and one preacher (deacons and members are welcome with them). Call Rob Whitacre 931.224.8794 to reserve your session; slots are limited. | NPL | Evangelism |
| 1:00–2:00 PM | Rob Whitacre | Getting the Congregation Involved in Evangelism that Works (sign up required). Sign up for private coaching on how to implement House to House School of Evangelism principles in your congregation. Required attendance is at least one elder and one preacher (deacons and members are welcome with them). Call Rob Whitacre 931.224.8794 to reserve your session; slots are limited. | NPL | Evangelism |
| 1:15–1:45 PM | Denise Martin | Hurry Back Session: How Do I Deal with Postpartum Depression? | BMD | Women |
| | John McGiffin | Hurry Back Session: Starting Evangelism in a Small Congregation with No Elders. No one can do it all, so all hands on deck. We examine how to match members' skills with ministries that support the mission of the church. | HDB | Evangelism |
| | Rod Selman | Hurry Back Session: Five Things I Learned from a Year in Israel. In just a year's time, I immersed myself in the richness of Israel's many cultures, experienced the nuances of five languages, observed the perspectives of three religions, visited countless biblical sites, and underwent spiritual growth that elevated my faith to new heights. This class encapsulates the invaluable lessons gleaned from my immersive experience living in my fourth foreign country, illustrating how it has shaped me and can profoundly impact your journey with Christ. | INN | Members |
| | Carla Moore | Hurry Back Session: Made for More | MNC | Women |
| | Matt Wallin | Hurry Back Session: Taking Care of Your Widows. God, and God's people, care about taking care of those who cannot take care of themselves. Among those God has asked us to take care of are our widows. How can we best serve our widows? | SLB | Ministry |
| | Charles Cochran | Hurry Back Session: Peace That Passes Understanding. How can peace be found in a world that is seeking it? We will consider Paul's encouragement in Philippians 4:7. | VNA | Members |
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| 2:00–2:45 PM | Mike Vestal | Building a Spiritual Bucket List. What are some specific goals and life experiences to focus on in deepening our relationship with God, His word, and His church? Come see and hear! | BMD | New Christians |
| | Eddy Gilpin | Getting through the Rough Spots. We will look briefly at such subjects as discouragement, trials, loneliness, tragedy; and we will look at such remedies as hope, help, and handling the difficulties life brings. Difficult times, trials, and the pressures of life are best handled with a knowledge of God's word on the subjects, examples from the Scriptures, and assurances from "the God of all comfort." | FLC | Elders |

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| 2:00–2:45 PM | Joshua Cantrell | The Benefits of Building Relationships with All Generations in the Church | HDB | College, Young Adults |
| | Dan Winkler | God's Anger Must Be Released by a Safety Lock, but His Mercy Has a Hair Trigger. How does God want to be known? A study of Exodus 34:1–9 answers that question by teaching me about His favor, His feelings, His faithfulness, and His forgiveness. | INN | Textual |
| | Scott Cain | Seven Considerations If You Are Considering Switching Congregations | MLN | Members |
| | Mike Johnson | The Root of the Problem: Lack of Love for Man. Love for others is the foundation for sacrifice. Sacrifice is the foundation for the service of God. We cannot serve God without serving others; this is what Jesus taught us from the cross. | MNC | Evangelism |
| | Jerry Martin | Seven Struggles of Ministry that Are Not Talked about Enough (Part 4). This class focuses on struggles unique to the minister's family. | SFC | Preachers |
| | Rob Sinclair | Greek Bible Marking: Key Words You Absolutely Must Mark—and Mark Right—in 2 Peter | SLB | Textual |
| | Tish Clarke | In His Time | SMZ | Women |
| | Michael Clarke | Two for One: Wise Words from the Proverbs: "Pleasant Words Are like a Honeycomb, Sweetness to the Soul and Health to the Bones." | VNA | Teens |
| | David Smith | Two for One: Wise Words from the Proverbs: "Understanding Is a Wellspring of Life to Him Who Has it. But the Correction of Fools Is Folly." | | |
| | Katrina Stearsman | Belonging and Becoming. Seventy years ago, people sought to become Christians in order to belong to the church. Now, people want to find acceptance and belonging before committing and becoming Christians. What does this shift mean for the church? This lesson will explore practical ways we can build the sense of belonging within our congregations (in-reach) so that we can impactfully reach out to the world so that they will become Christians (outreach). | VNC | Women |
| | Eric Owens | Are You Thinking Right about Doing Wrong? | WNS | Doctrine |
| 3:00–3:45 PM | Kevin Hahn | When Anything Goes, Nothing Matters. The world loves to say, "Live and let live," especially to Christians. Is accepting everything a more Christ-like way to love, or does it play right into the devil's hands? | BMD | Contemporary Issues |
| | Laura Kidwell Boyd | Get Dressed! (Colossians 3:12). In addition to our outward clothing being important to God, Christians are told to be clothed in tender-heartedness, kindness, lowliness of mind, meekness, and long-suffering. | FLC | Women |
| | B. J. Clarke | How to Live until You Die | HDB | College, Young Adults |
| | Various | Two Minutes, Tops: Wednesday Night Devotional Ideas Speakers: Dwayne Butler, Ferman Carpenter, Anthony Dismuke, Dustin Dougherty, Kerry Duke, Caleb Griffith, Billy Hayes, Tim Hayes, Mike Hixson, Jeff Johnson, Richard Melson, Tom Moore, Noah Olson, Paul Sain, Johnie Scaggs, Keden Shrum, Josh Walker, Ben Williams, Don Williams, Zack Williams | INN | Preachers |
| | Austin Fowler, Rob Whitacre | A Model Bible Study | MLN | College, Young Adults |
| | Rick Brumback | Seven Things You Have to Read Before You Die | MNC | Spiritual Growth |
| | Steve Higginbotham | How God Says a Man Should Treat a Woman. Countless bookshelves are filled with books containing marital advice. Yet, in a few verses, God has revealed how to have a successful marriage. Let's talk about it. | SFC | Family |
| | Luke Griffin | How We Got the Bible (Part 2). Explore the fascinating journey of the Bible's origins and transmission, uncovering early manuscripts and ancient Bibles. Discover the stories behind the earliest manuscripts of the Bible. | SLB | History |

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| 3:00–3:45 PM | Jeanny Gilpin | What Does the Bible Say about Disciplining Our Children? This session will focus on biblical discipline in the appropriate amount and in the appropriate way. A practical look at rearing children in God's image from a mother and grandmother. | SMZ | Women |
| | Scott Cain | Seven Minutes of Wisdom on Pornography: How to Prevent Addiction | VNA | Teens |
| | Ronnie Hayes | Pornography Can Ruin Your Future Marriage Before You Ever Meet Your Spouse | | |
| | Jerry Martin | How to Heal the Scars that Pornography Has Left on Your Mind | | |
| | Daniel Stearsman | How a Pornography Addiction Affects the Mind | | |
| | Matt Wallin | How to Help Someone with a Pornography Addiction | | |
| | Joe Wells | Resources to Help Overcome Pornography Addiction | | |
| 3:00–4:00 PM | Aubrey Johnson | Simple Rules for a Good Life (Series): Pray More | VNC | History |
| | Wade Webster | Every Conversion in Acts: Saul | WNS | Textual |
| 3:00–4:00 PM | John & Carla Moore | Personal Counseling by Appointment (see page 9) | NPL | Counseling |
| 4:00–4:45 PM | Cameron Freeman | Are You Certain that Heaven Is your Final Destination? | BMD | Members |
| | Bob Stancell | Interesting Items in My Collection: Assyrian | FLC | History |
| | Mike Vestal | Restoring the Glory of God (Part 2). Everything Christians say, do, and think should be to the glory of God (1 Corinthians 10:31). This study will overview what three New Testament books teach about the theme. | HDB | Doctrine |
| | Katrina Stearsman | Fanning the Flame: Nurturing Our Spiritual Fire. This lesson addresses apathy and complacency that can put out our fire and leave us in a rut or faithless. | INN | Women |
| | Tyrene Benjamin | Unshakable Hope for the Weary. Are you feeling drained and overwhelmed by life's demands? This session will explore how to find unshakable hope even amid our struggles. Discover how to anchor yourself in God's promises and navigate life's challenges with renewed faith and energy. | MLN | Women |
| | Jonathan Jenkins | Good Things Going on in the Church | MNC | Ministry |
| | Gary Massey | When I Survey the Wondrous Cross, I Marvel at the Security of My Salvation | SFC | Members |
| | Ernest Benjamin | When Sin Is in the Camp | SLB | Elders |
| | Paul Holland | Simple Rules for a Good Life (Series): Praise God More | SMZ | Teens |
| | Kevin Rhodes | The Preacher's Role in the Pursuit of Unity: Developing Unity throughout the Brotherhood (Part 3). Jesus prayed for the unity of the church on the night of His betrayal, and every gospel preacher should pray for the same thing. But we must also work toward that unity using the gospel as our standard and love as our motivation. However, brotherhood unity is not simple, and we must be willing to work together with wisdom and Christian character if we are ever to enjoy it. | VNA | Ministry |
| 4:55–5:00 PM | Don Williams | Ministering to Grieving People: COVID Grief—What It Was and What It Did for People Grieving. COVID-19 caused great trauma to one's grief experience because of the laws and isolation. We will discuss the complications involved with this and talk about what folks can do in their grief journey because of COVID. | VNC | Family |
| | Doug Burleson | Every Conversion in Acts: Philippian Jailer | WNS | Textual |
| 4:55–5:00 PM | Jeff Johnson | Welcome (MC) | WGH | General |
| 5:00–5:45 PM | Dan Winkler | The Ten Words of Christianity: Go. "Show and tell" evangelism. As we go into the world for Jesus, others must see a specific behavior and hear about a special Savior if we are to be as effective as possible. | WNS | Keynote |
| 5:45–5:55 PM | Jeff Johnson | Invitation/Responses | WNS | General |
| 6:00–6:20 PM | Alan Putnam | Singing | ATR | Singing |



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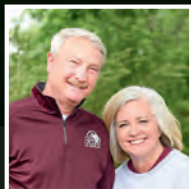


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