

Class Breakdown by Hour

Session 1 (6:30-7:30)

Adult SS/Small Group Discipleship

5 Essentials...Great Sm Grp/SS Leadr (S Sullivan)
The Inspired Teacher (Allen Taylor/Video)

Student/Youth Ministry

What a Teen Needs...Yth Worker (Chris Trent)
Ministry...Smartphone Generation (Willis/Hargrove)

Children's/Preschool Ministry

Superpower of "Babysitters" (Miss Pattycake)
Managing Classroom Behavior (Jenny Kent)
Ages & Stages—Home Church (Landry Homes/Video)

Evangelism

SPICE...Blueprint Evang Church (Brad Marchman)

Discipleship

Building a Culture of Discipleship (P J Dunn)
Passing Faith...Next Generation (Rod Zwemke)

Hispanic Pastors/Leaders

Edificando Una Cultura de Discipulado #1 (Carlos Velez)

Worship Ministry

The Structure of Worship (Nicholas Costello)

Church Multiplication

Multip...Church's Impact (Payton, Harvey, Thomasson)
Planting Bi-vocationally (Stephen Partrick)

Women's/Men's Ministry

Reaching Women...Gather Box (Christa Skipper)
Men's Ministry...Changes the World (Ken Adams)

Electives

The Power of the Neighborhood Church (Jimmy Scroggins)
Leading Change—Good, Bad, Ugly (Jeff Crook)
An Oasis in Ministry (J Sutton/K Scroggins)
Ride the Waves (Levi Skipper)
Helping Your "Under 250" Church Thrive (Karl Vaters)
Build a Pipeline of Leaders (R Hermann/B Garrison)
Working From Rest (Nathan Raynor)
Build a Great Team/Volunteer Culture (Greg Worley)
Church Finance—Caring for God's Ministry (Tony Neal)
Engage Your Audience...Social Media (Madisen Mayfield)
Great 1st Impressions (Marlana Carpenter)
The Least of These/Foster Care (Alex Gailey)
Keeping Your Church Safe (Ben O'Neal)
Preventing Abuse (Greg Love/Video)

Session 2 (7:40-8:40)

5 Essentials...Great Sm Grp/SS Leadr (S Sullivan)

What a Teen Needs...Yth Worker (Chris Trent)
Teaching in a Changing Culture (A Blanks/Video)

Coaching Parents...Young Kids (Miss Pattycake)
Making Learning Fun/Exciting (Jenny Kent)

SPICE...Blueprint Evang Church (Brad Marchman)

Building a Culture of Discipleship (P J Dunn)

Edificando Una Cultura de Discipulado #2 (Carlos Velez)

Panel Discussion (Costello, McQueen, etc.)

Multip...Church's Impact (Payton, Harvey, Thomasson)

Every Woman. In Community. On Mission (Lauren Sullens)
Men's Ministry...Changes the World (Ken Adams)

Leading Change—Good, Bad, Ugly (Jeff Crook)

Ride the Waves (Levi Skipper)

Helping Your "Under 250" Church Thrive (Karl Vaters)

Build a Pipeline of Leaders (R Hermann/B Garrison)

Build a Great Team/Volunteer Culture (Greg Worley)

Great 1st Impressions (Marlana Carpenter)

Preventing Abuse (Greg Love/Video)

Repeat

SUMMIT LINE UP

4:30.....Registration Opens
5:00.....Meal (Optional)
5:45.....Welcome/Orientation
6:00.....Keynote Address
6:30.....Breakout 1
7:30.....Break
7:40.....Breakout 2
8:40.....Dismiss

How To Register

**Key Leadership costs \$20.00 per person
(includes meal)
or \$150.00 maximum per church**

**Please register online with
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August 26, 2022**

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BREAK OUT SESSIONS OFFERED

Title: ["The Power of the Neighborhood Church"](#) [Jimmy Scroggins](#) Hear how Family Church grew from one church in one location speaking one language to a family of neighborhood churches with multiple pastors, locations and languages.

Title: ["Leading Change: the Good, the Bad, & the Ugly"](#) [Jeff Crook](#) The wise leader understands there's a price involved in leading a church closer to God's ideal. Learn how to count the cost, avoid the pitfalls, weather the process of change, and invite others to journey with you into God's future.

Title: ["Finding an Oasis in Ministry \(Pastor/Staff Wives\)"](#) [Kristen Scroggins & Jennifer Sutton](#) Ministry can be a lonely place for wives. Connect with fellow travelers who understand both the joys and burdens of serving God's people. Learn approaches to keep your soul and marriage healthy as you keep saying "yes" to God's call.

Title: ["Working From Rest"](#) [Nathan Raynor](#) Jesus says, "Come unto Me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." (Mt 11:28) Yet every leader struggles with the challenge of "too much to do." Learn how to develop a leadership culture that doesn't burn people out. Even more, learn practical applications for what "Sabbath" can look like in your own life.

Title: ["Building a Pipeline of Future Leaders"](#) [Rick Hermann & Ben Garrison](#) One of the most challenging areas of ministry is finding, developing, and keeping great next generation leaders. In this breakout, you'll learn some mistakes to avoid...and also some lessons that will put you on a path to growing the leaders who will open doors for the future.

Title: ["Ride the Waves"](#) [Levi Skipper](#) 'Ups and Downs' can be a challenge to leaders, but if you view them rightly, they can open up an opportunity. Learn how to leverage the natural attendance bumps in your church year to maximize your impact.

Title: ["SPICE: Blueprint for Building an Evangelistic Church"](#) [Brad Marchman](#) Every pastor wants to reach more lost people. SPICE training (Strategic Plan for Intentional and Continuous Evangelism) is a tool to change the culture of your church and have your people looking to impact their community with the gospel.

Title: ["Multiplying Your Church's Impact"](#) [Joe Payton, George Thomasson, & Seth Harvey](#) Entrenched ways of thinking, poor reputation, cramped facilities, aging membership—all can leave a church at what feels like a "dead end." But God is never without a way forward. Learn from 3 men who are finding ways to launch a brand new growth curve.

Title: ["Passing Faith to the Next Generation"](#) [Rod Zwemke](#) Raising faith-filled kids has always been a challenge. Learn how God provided "handles" for the task from the very beginning...and how you can build on those foundations to encourage your kids in their faith.

Title: ["Every Woman In Community On Mission."](#) [Lauren Sullens](#) (Georgia WMU President) What would happen if all Georgia Baptist women were growing in God's word, in unity, in prayer, and living on mission with him each day? Join us as we explore sharing "Hope in Christ" in our every day life.

Title: ["Building a Great Team/Volunteer Culture"](#) [Greg Worley](#) Growing ministries thrive on an ever-increasing pool of leaders. But not every church has developed a culture to make that possible. Learn how you can build (and keep!) great ministry teams and create a flow of new leaders.

Title: ["Church Finances—Caring for God's Ministry and God's Servants"](#) [Tony Neal](#) While our "business" is spiritual, we can't avoid the need to be faithful stewards. Learn how your church can make sure funds are safe, the confidence of members remains high, and your pastors are cared for.

Title: ["Helping Your "Under 250" Church Thrive"](#) [Karl Vaters](#) 90% of the pastors in America serve a church under 250 in attendance. Yet nearly all of the books, conferences, and resources don't really "fit" their context. Learn how to understand and lead effectively in the unique context of a "normal size" church.

Title: ["Planting Churches Bi-vocationally"](#) [Stephen Partrick](#) Bi-vocational church planting can provide a sustainable model for missional engagement, financial stability, and leadership. Learn how this approach can deliver excellent ministry and fuel a vision for multiplication.

Title: ["Engage Your Church's Audience With Social Media"](#) [Madisen Mayfield](#) Few pastors are experts in "branding" websites, social media, or graphic design, yet all these have become increasingly important to reach today's culture. Learn how your church can take simple steps to engage the audience God has called you to reach.

Title: ["Serving the Least of These"](#) [Alex Gajley](#) Hundreds of kids in North Georgia can't live with their birth families. They constitute a huge need in our communities...and a huge opportunity for God's church. Learn how you can help your church become part of a network to bless a foster child, and open doors for the Gospel.

Title: ["Edificando Una Cultura de Discipulado"](#) [Carlos Velez](#) Dios esta llamando a la iglesia a una relacion de discipulado no de institucion. Enspese para convertirse en una iglesia que enseña, es vital y se multiplica.

Title: ["Great 1st Impressions"](#) [Marlana Carpenter](#) Great hospitality is Biblical...and it's also the key to whether guests return. Learn how to instill a vision for ministry that starts before they step on campus, exceeds every expectation and brings them back again!

Title: ["5 Essentials for a Great Small Group/SS Leader"](#) [Scott Sullivan](#) Learn five key characteristics of group leaders who excel every week. This session is packed with practical content to help you take the next step in making disciple makers.

Title: ["The Inspired Teacher"](#) [Allen Taylor](#) Teaching the Bible is basic to every New Testament church. But you can't grow with ineffective teachers. Learn why we teach, what we teach, how to prepare, how to teach, and how to connect.

Title: ["Ages & Stages/Discipleship for Home & Church"](#) [Landry Homes](#) Today's parents feel ill-equipped to spiritually train their preschoolers and elementary-aged kids. Learn how preschoolers and kids comprehend differently as they grow, and how to provide an age-suitable discipling approach.

Title: ["Sexual Abuse Risk/Changes in the Landscape"](#) [Greg Love](#) Changing insurance requirements, legislation, and predator approaches all create new challenges for protecting kids. Learn how to meet "old challenges while also navigating the "new."

Title: ["The Structure of Worship"](#) [Nicholas Costello](#) Worship is primary for God's people, and God loves every form of genuine worship. This breakout will explore biblical principles you can apply regardless of church culture, style, or size.

Title: ["Building a Culture of Discipleship"](#) [P J Dunn](#) What really changes the culture of discipleship in a church? A program? A pastor? Curriculum? Only when we change the culture of discipleship will we see our church make disciples.

Title: ["Reaching Women...Without Leaving Home"](#) [Christa Skipper](#) God has already given you what you need to reach out to the women around you. This breakout will show you how you can use a simple tool—the *Gather Box*—to be on mission without ever leaving your home!

Title: ["Making/Keeping Your Church Safe"](#) [Ben O'Neal](#) Want to start a security program in your church or improve your existing team? Learn the behaviors and indicators needed to protect your congregations. Also what Georgia law says about carrying weapons in church.

Title: ["Men's Ministry that Changes the World"](#) [Ken Adams](#) The last thing you (or your church) need is another event to attend. What if you could launch a ministry that actually changes men, who change their families, their communities, and finally the world. Come learn how to get started.

AGE LEVEL SESSIONS

Students

Title: ["Ministering to the Smartphone Generation"](#) [Jamie Willis & Chris Hargrove](#) In this seminar, we'll address how to leverage the benefits of technology while avoiding some of the pitfalls. Whether you lead teenagers at church or in your home, this will give you the tools to help teenagers make wise choices.

Title: ["What a Teenager Needs from a Youth Worker"](#) [Chris Trent](#) If you're a volunteer working with teenagers, this breakout is for you! We'll take a look at current trends among teenagers and think through what teenagers really need from the adults in their lives.

Title: ["Preaching the Bible in a Changing Culture"](#) [Andy Blanks](#) The pandemic has reshaped every aspect of our culture. While some practices are timeless, there are also new variables to consider. Learn the truth about preaching the Word effectively to students in a culture that is radically changing.

Children & Preschool

Title ["The Superpower of Babysitters"](#) ["Miss Pattycake" \(Jean Thomason\)](#) Think nursery is "child care?" Think again! Paul told Timothy, "From infancy you have known the Holy Scriptures (2 Tim 3:15) Learn how your church can partner with moms & dads from the very first days of a child's life.

Title: ["Coaching Parents of Young Children"](#) ["Miss Pattycake" \(Jean Thomason\)](#) In today's climate parents need special encouragement, wisdom, and resources. Explore biblical directives and creative ideas empowering parents to teach young children in the home.

Title: ["Managing Behavior in the Classroom"](#) [Jenny Kent](#) Behavior management is always on a teacher's mind. Discover why children display certain behaviors. We will learn some strategies for handling behavior issues so that everyone can have a positive experience.

Title: ["Making the Sunday Morning Experience Exciting for Children"](#) [Jenny Kent](#) Today's world is filled with things that capture our children's attention. How can we make learning on Sunday morning so exciting and interesting that children are drawn to Jesus?