

THE SPEAKER LINEUP



CRM ANNUAL CONFERENCE

THRIVING IN MINISTRY

SEPTEMBER 6-7, 2024
Fri 6:00PM-Sat 3:15PM

@ GROVE CITY COLLEGE

Conference Fees:

\$30 per person

\$50 per married couple

Lunch and a light breakfast included.

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PLENARY SPEAKER

**THE FIVE THINGS I HAVE
LEARNED TO GO LONG TERM**

Dean Weaver
EPC President



CONFERENCE SPEAKER

**WHY RURAL MINISTRY
MATTERS TO GOD**

TJ Freeman
Rural Pastor, Brainerd Institute Director



WORKSHOP SPEAKER

SPECIAL NEEDS MINISTRY

Jenn Hollenberger
GCC Assoc. Prof. of Social Work



WORKSHOP SPEAKER

**PREACHING THE
GOSPEL NARRATIVES**

Josiah Hall
GCC Ass't Prof. of Biblical Studies



WORKSHOP SPEAKER

**PREACHING THROUGH
PROVERBS**

Chris Ansberry
GCC Assoc. Prof. of Biblical Studies



WORKSHOP SPEAKER

COUNSELING

Melissa Affolter
Christian Counselor with Fieldstone



WORKSHOP SPEAKER

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY
CURRICULUM SPECIALIST**

Kim Greenleaf
Director of Children's Ministry



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PROGRAM

Friday, September 06, 2024 | Rathburn Hall

5:00PM - 6:00PM REGISTRATION

6:00PM - 8:30PM SESSION 1

Welcome | Worship | Speakers

Saturday, September 07, 2024 | Staley Hall (SHAL)

8:30AM - 9:00AM

Continental Breakfast + Coffee SHAL Atrium

9:00AM - 10:45AM SESSION 2

Worship | Speakers SHAL-108 (Sticht)

10:45AM - 11:00AM BREAK

11:00AM - 12:00PM WORKSHOPS 1

Preaching through the Book of Proverbs

SHAL-108 Chris Ansberry

Personhood, Peace and Wholeness (I)

SHAL-114 Melissa Affolter

Engaging in Special Needs Ministry

SHAL-110 J. Hollenberger & A. Terhune

12:00PM - 1:00PM LUNCH

OPTIONAL BREAKOUT SHAL-114

Small Town Church Pastor & Planter Panel

C. Cotheman & TJ Freeman

1:00PM - 2:00PM WORKSHOPS 2

Tips for Preaching Gospel Narratives

SHAL-108 Josiah Hall

Personhood, Peace and Wholeness (II)

SHAL-114 Melissa Affolter

Evaluate & Choose a Children's Curriculum

SHAL-110 Kim Greenleaf

2:00PM - 2:15PM BREAK

2:15PM - 3:15PM SESSION 3

Worship | Speakers | Closing