

Leadership Conference and Symposium

March 2-4, 2017, at Northgate Community Church

Leaders and Followers

The Power of Synergism

This annual gathering of leadership couples and core leaders takes place on March 2-4, 2017, but with a simplified format. Rather than the format of a preaching conference, we will focus on a day of presentation, dialogue, and interactions. Here is our plan this year.

Thursday: Gift Ministry Couples Hors D'oeuvres and Dessert Fellowship, 6:30 PM, at Thurlow and Lynda's home: 9510 Duffer Way, Montgomery Village, MD 20886, for relationship building, fun, and catching up with one another. There will be no formal gathering at the church building on Thursday evening.

Friday: An all-day Dialogue and Symposium focusing on "Leadership and Followership." We will discuss matters affecting synergism within teamwork. We will meet from 8:30 AM until 5:00 PM at the Northgate church building, 20300 Pleasant Ridge Drive, Montgomery Village, MD 20886. The symposium is for local church leaders, pastors and wives, elders and wives, ministry overseers, and others that each congregational pastor desires to invite. The teachers and staff of Living Grace Christian School will also participate. Thurlow will lead the dialogues.

Schedule:

- 8:30 AM – Arrival and Breakfast
- 9:00 AM – Opening Praise and Worship
- 9:30 AM – First Session: "Teamwork: Working Together"
- 10:30 AM – Coffee Break
- 10:45 AM – Second Session: "Vision: Seeing the Future"
- 11:45 AM – Lunch Provided
- 1:15 PM – Third Session: "Outworking: Strategic Planning"
- 3:15 PM – Coffee Break
- 3:30 PM – Fourth Session: "Covenant: Relational Unity"
- 5:00 PM – Conclusion of Symposium

Friday: 5:30 PM – Going out to *Gentlemen Jim's Restaurant* together (Dutch treat), a local restaurant with the best chili and pizza, as well as other menu items. There will be no Friday evening gathering back at the Northgate building.

Saturday: 9:30 AM – Breakfast and dialogue at the Northgate building. Saturday morning will be for congregational pastors and their wives, for elders and wives, plus any other ministry leaders that congregational pastors desire to invite. There will be no other meetings on Saturday.

Our desire with this format is to stimulate interaction, mutual encouragement, and edification. For our planning purposes, ***please let us know ahead of time if you are coming*** and those coming with you. There is no charge for the symposium, but a freewill offering will be received to cover the conference expenses, the price of the meals, and support for Living Grace Ministries. We hope you and your leaders will attend. God bless!

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