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Be Not Afraid: Facing the Future



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REV. BRAD AYCOCK

Director of New Church Development & Revitalization
West Ohio Conference

- KEYNOTE SPEAKER -

In 2015, Brad along with his wife Ann and their two boys, moved from Missouri to become Director of New Church Development for West Ohio Conference. While in Missouri, he served at several different types of churches – old, new, declining, growing, large, small, rich, under-resourced, city, rural, multi-ethnic, and others. He also served as a coach for the Missouri Annual Conference.

In 2011, the 150 year old, previously declining church in which Brad served, was named one of Lifeway Research's Fastest Growing Churches in the US. This was through a major revitalization effort and an initiative to start something new. Prior to his ministry, Brad owned two businesses. He's a graduate of Asbury Seminary.



DOOR TO CORE: SESSION I

The skills, programs, and systems that take a church to one level will also keep it there and prevent forward movement. In this "Door to Core" presentation, Brad will share practical, realistic methods to help you calibrate and/or re-calibrate your focus on reaching the unchurched. Whether you're involved in a new start or a 150 year old church, implementing the three components of "Door to Core" will help you get unstuck and better positioned to become more outward focused "to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world."



Dear friends in Christ,

I encourage you to be part of our annual Leadership Training event. Saturday January, 21st at Perrysburg Grace UMC will be filled with practical, applicable, fruit bearing teaching for you and your local church. Rev. Brad Aycock, the Director of New Church Development from our West Ohio Conference will be talking with us about 'Door to Core' and how neighbors become friends and friends become Disciples of Jesus. There will also be small group teaching sessions ranging from Mission to Money to Opioid Addiction Awareness, to Evangelism to Discipleship. These are all needed tools for any and every church! I look forward to seeing you there. This day promises much hope for our lives, churches and the world around us. Happy New Year!

In Christ, Rev. Scot Ocke District Superintendent

HOW TO SHARE YOUR FAITH AND KEEP YOUR FRIENDS

Rev. Scot Ocke
District Superintendent, MWD

Today up to 80% of those around us are unchurched or de-churched. They include our friends, neighbors, co-workers, and our families. God created and loves each of them – and they need the love and security of Jesus in their lives. What can we do, how can we reach them? How do we dare talk to them about religion and not risk losing their friendship? Come and see! They will not only remain our friends but one day thank us for giving them the greatest gift of all – a relationship with Jesus.

DOOR TO CORE: SESSION II

Rev. Brad Aycok
Director of New Church
Development & Revitalization, WOC

This workshop will show practical, realistic methods to help you calibrate and/or re-calibrate your focus on reaching the unchurched. Whether you're involved in a new start or a 150-year-old church, implementing the three components of "Door to Core" will help you get unstuck and better positioned to become more outward focused "to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

ENHANCING YOUR OUTREACH THROUGH MISSIONINSITE

Rev. Rae Lynn Schleif | Assistant to the District Superintendent, MWD

Many clergy and laity are not acquainted with demographic tool called MissionInsite. Together we will discover how to find out key information about those who live within one or three or more miles around your church. Or we can draw a polygraph and look directly at a four or ten block neighborhood. You will learn about the style of clergy leadership, hospitality, small groups and worship styles that people in the area around your church want to experience! This is a great tool to use to reach out to the neighbors!

ENGAGING BEYOND THE WALLS: BUILDING MISSIONAL RELATIONSHIPS

Steve North
Pastor Unity UMC

Steve will be sharing what he has learned about relationships and ministry: that all true ministry occurs in the context of relationships. He will talk about the long, slow process of "dirty discipleship" through incarnational friendships with people who are disconnected from institutional church in any form, and about forming relationships with people and other organizations of various kinds, in order to work for the transformation of the world. This time together will challenge status quo ways of doing and being church, and will provide a breath of fresh air and encouragement for those who are afraid they might be the only ones who think that being the body is more than Sunday mornings and events.

MAKING DISCIPLES 101

Erin Hachtel
Certified Lay Minister, MWD

We know we have a charge to "make disciples" but how do we start? This 90-minute workshop will help your church understand the qualities of a committed follower of Jesus Christ and lay the groundwork for your church to offer the essential classes, activities, and relationships that make disciples.

OPIOID ADDICTION: A MIDDLE CLASS EPIDEMIC

Nathan Kehlmeier
Substance Abuse Professional

Nate Kehlmeier has personal and professional experience with substance abuse and addiction. He will bring us into a greater awareness of this epidemic all around us. Come hear his story and learn about the depth of this crisis. 90% of those he has worked with in the last 6 years are middle and upper middle class 18-26 year olds. Opiates are killing 8 people a day. Ohio is #1 in the country for overdoses, Lucas county is #1 in Ohio and 43605 is #1 in Lucas county. But the city is not the only place plagued. Our rural towns and villages are seeing a rise in opiate addiction. Nate will give us an awareness, share how vulnerable are our children, and share with us how to respond.

STEWARDSHIP 101

Bruce Boyd
Vice-Chair of the Conference
Council on Development

Every church has the opportunity to grow generous givers, but too frequently stewardship is associated with an annual commitment campaign to underwrite the annual operating budget. Stewardship means "to manage". The biblical message is that we are all called to "manage" all the resources placed into our lives by God, who owns everything (Psalm 24:1). This class will provide you insights and practical ideas on how to build an intentional plan to "Grow Generous Givers" and promote stewardship as a lifestyle within your congregation.

Workshop Registration:

Please sign me up for: (two only) AM or PM

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| <input type="checkbox"/> How to Share Your Faith | AM PM |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Door to Core: Session II | AM PM |
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Event Location: Grace UMC, Perrysburg

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