

Oral Ministry Foundations

Overview & Objectives

Oral Ministry Foundations is a progressive three day workshop that will train you in skills that you can use immediately, and it is reproducible. This means that you will even be able to teach what you have learned to others. The workshop has 3 main sub-sections: Bible *storying*, oral inductive Bible study and chronological Bible *storying*, and worldview. We will be working together to help you apply these tools in your specific ministry in community. What you will be learning to do is very flexible and can be used in ministries of evangelism, discipleship, youth ministry, church planting, leadership training and in theological education, as well as in mercy and justice ministries, in ministry among the homeless and street children, and in prison ministries. Therefore this workshop is not only for missionaries but also for national Christian workers, for multi-national teams, and for church staff teams.

- Develop a vision and strategy for oral ministry
- Learn how to tell Bible stories and to train others to *story*
- Learn to lead an oral inductive Bible study
- Learn about chronological Bible *storying* and crafting story sets
- Learn how to understand and to use worldview in relation to oral ministry
- Craft a tribal worldview and an evangelism story set for that worldview
- Discuss your specific ministry worldview and prepare a plan for *storying* within your particular ministry.