

Breakout 1 Workshops

ADULT DISCIPLESHIP

Adult Bible Study: Large Group/Small Group Model

Men's Bible Study and Women's Bible Study are springboards to life-changing small groups. Hear how Van Dyke draws adults to Bible Study and gives them a small group experience at the same time. Presenters: Lynne Fukutani, Jenny Gemmill, and David Gonzalez *Breakout 1*

Volunteers: The Backbone of Ministry

No matter the size or denomination of your church...we all have one thing in common VOLUNTEERS! Ministry can't happen without them and yet this is often the most challenging aspect of what we do. Where are they? How do we find them? Care for them? Help them? Wake them up? This workshop will explore some example of recruiting, retaining, and recognizing volunteers. Open forum for questions. Presenter: Amanda DeAndrea *Breakout 1*

Growing Mature Disciples: Putting Together an Intentional Discipling Process

The purpose of the church is to help persons grow in their love of God and in their service to their neighbor. That's Biblical spiritual Growth. But how do church leaders help people do that? This practical workshop will explore five things that congregations must do to support the spiritual growth of people. 1) Get them into the Word. 2) Train for accountable relationships. 3) Support persons establishing daily personal disciplines. 4) Provide on-ramps to service. 5) Offer worship that gives opportunities to encounter God afresh and challenges persons to respond obediently to relevant next steps. The workshop will draw in part from the study reported in Move: What 1,000 Congregations Revealed about Spiritual Growth published by The Willow Creek Association. Presenter: Jeff Stiggins *Breakouts 1 and 4*

CHILDREN

Get Your Kids Excited About Worship

You will learn fun, high energy songs with great music videos your kids will love to sing!

- Helpful tips on making children's worship irresistible, intentional, and impactful!
- Reason and rhyme – learn the checklist that will guide your song choices each week.
- Style and substance – how to blend them together.

Giveaways and prizes for all! Presenter: Ryan McMakin. Elevate *Breakout 1*

Children's Area Tour

Get a back-stage-pass and take a tour of our Children's Area. Look in our closets, see how our attendance system works, poke around with our tech equipment, ask questions, and discover ministry secrets free for the taking. We're all on the same team. If we have done something that can help you with ministry, we want to share it with you. We will end in Uncle Charlie's Kids Worship Workshop. Presenters: Marcia Navas and Julie Giles *Breakout 1*

CHURCH OPERATIONS

Administrative Assistant: Supporting the Pastor and Church

Everyday you face challenges, from scheduling, dealing with needy people, phone calls, reports, demanding staff, to knowing everything about your pastor and church. How do you manage it all? Come hear how the pastor's assistants at Grace and Van Dyke keep everyone moving forward with patience and grace. Presenters: Diana Akin and Elaine Kasarda *Breakout 1*

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

The Power of Prayer

Explore the power and the latest ideas on how to release God's power through prayer in your church. Learn ways that God can ignite the power of prayer in your church ministries, your

outreach, and major events in the life of your church. Discover the most important components in seeing the level of prayer grow in your church. Presenter: Bill Atkinson *Breakouts 1 and 4*

LEADERSHIP

Pastor's Q & A

Pastors Matthew and Jorge will share more of their churches' stories in this session for pastors. Join in an open dialogue and bring your ministry questions on any topic. Dive into this interactive time of learning and motivation. Presenters: Matthew Hartsfield and Jorge Acevedo *Breakout 1*

Creating a "Flow" of Discipleship

One of the marks of the Wesleyan movement was that it was "organized to beat the devil". This workshop will help bring clarity out of the cluttered schedules of church ministries; giving leaders the tools to create a strategic flow of discipleship to make fully devoted disciples of Jesus for the transformation of the world. We will discuss how to move from a "silo" mentality of ministry to a symphonic leadership. Presenter: Wes Olds *Breakout 1*

OUTREACH

G.E.D, Community Gardens, and Pet Food for Jesus

It's time to get out of the seats and into the streets as we explore some "out of the box ideas" in which we can REACH people in our community for Jesus. We will learn how to discern if these crazy ministry ideas are the leading of the Holy Spirit, and how to get started, when to move forward, and when to stop. Presenter: Patti Nemazie *Breakout 1*

Suncoast Kids Place

Suncoast Kids Place provides Peer Support Groups to children aged 3-18 and to their families that have experienced the death of a significant loved one. Fully funded and supported by Van Dyke Church, Suncoast Kids Place brings the love of Jesus Christ to children at various locations around the Tampa Bay area. Groups are led within the public schools, community organizations like The Boys and Girls Club, and in residential facilities with incarcerated juvenile offenders. This workshop will be an informal, informative, interactive workshop discussing ways to reach out within your own communities to bring the love of Jesus Christ to those that are grieving. Join us as we discuss ways that you can duplicate this program and reach out to your community. Presenters: Deborah Brooks and Kim Pacheco *Breakout 1*

RECOVERY

Part 1 How to Build a Recovery Ministry in Your Church Setting

It's easy to get discouraged when trying to minister to people who are suffering from "recovery" issues such as alcoholism, drug addiction, sexual addiction, or severe codependency. You may suspect that you and your church do not have the right tools to reach and disciple people with special recovery needs. Unfortunately, you're probably right. But this workshop will give you some insight into people who suffer from recovery issues as well as nuts and bolts steps of how to build a recovery component into your church setting that will allow you to participate in broken people being transformed by the grace of God through Jesus. Presenter: Greg Mulkey *Breakout 1*

STUDENTS

Establish a Youth Band

Finding, developing, and retaining students for a worship band is one of the most difficult yet important things to do in youth ministry. We will discuss a 5 step cycle that will gain you momentum to build your student worship ministry. Presenter: Zac Collins *Breakout 1*

Engaging Unchurched Youth

What if our youth ministries had more unchurched kids than Christ-followers? Is your youth ministry poised to boldly follow the Great Commission? This workshop focuses on principles and

practices of youth ministry that strategically aims to reach and engage unchurched youth.
Presenters: Taylor Foley *Breakout 1*

TECHNOLOGY

Video Editing Basics

This workshop will teach basic video editing techniques for production. We will cover how to properly integrate graphics, audio, and other useful topics in order to produce quality video elements. We will have computer stations set up with Adobe Premiere to give everyone hands on experience in creating quality content. Topics discussed can be carried over to any editing platform being used. Presenter: Andrew Davis *Breakout 1*

WORSHIP

Part 1 - Behind The Music: Building a Better Worship Band

Learn practical ways to help your worship band pursue excellence. Presenters: Brad Iturriaga and Adam Klingman *Breakout 1*

Worship: Little Budget, Big Results!

Where do you spend most of your budget for worship? What are your priorities? We will discuss resources and creative planning. Presenters: Joe Wingard, Jen Strode and Michelle Weger *Breakout 1*