

# SCHEDULE

## CONNECT CONFERENCE 2023

### JULY 26 TO JULY 29

#### REGISTRATION AND MEETING LOGISTICS:

##### FREE ATTENDANCE:

Attendance is free of charge. You may attend any or all of the sessions in person. Please register online. Or you may register onsite upon arrival. If you can, please go ahead and register online at [www.connectcon.org](http://www.connectcon.org).

##### ONLINE ACCESS:

Keynote presentations will be live streamed.

Later, after the conference, all Keynote and Class presentations will be available on video recordings and archived on the Connect Conference website referenced above.

#### 40 EXHIBITORS:

##### 40 PLUS EXHIBITORS IN MULTIPURPOSE ROOM: A MUST VISIT!!!!

Come early, or during conference breaks and Lunch/Dinner time and please visit the 40 plus exhibitors in the Multipurpose room. Just walk through the aisles of table displays and see the encouragement and education and resources that you find there. At least one representative will be at each exhibit table in non-session times. See how profoundly active the church is both in the U.S. and around the world.

**FREE COFFEE AVAILABLE EACH DAY, THROUGHOUT THE DAY, IN THE MULTIPURPOSE ROOM**

#### MEALS:

**LUNCH: FOOD TRUCKS ON SITE.** *Just pick up your meal from the truck and go inside the building where seating is available.* Alternatively, you are welcome to visit one of the many restaurants in the immediate area.

#### EVENING MEAL HOUR:

**WEDNESDAY DINNER BREAK:** Freed Hardeman has invited all attendees to a reception during the evening meal hour.

**THURSDAY AND FRIDAY DINNER BREAK:** Please dine at local restaurants.

#### SCHEDULE COLOR CODES

KEYNOTES	:
LADIES CLASSES	:
SPANISH LANGUAGE	:
SINGING	:
BREAKS	:

## SCHEDULE WEDNESDAY (JULY 26)

### 8:30 AM

Joe Wells- *Morning Motivator* (AUD)

### 9:00 AM CLASSES

Dan Chambers- *QUESTIONS THAT LEAD TO A BIBLE STUDY* (317)

Sam Jones- *The Need to Register the Lost* (AUD)

Sheila Butt- *Making Disciples Daily* (W) (CH)

### 10:00 AM CLASSES

Phil Sanders- *Take Up Your Cross* (AUD)

Marricus Ellis- *A Call That I Can Not Ignore!* (318)

Brett Pharr- *Loving Leadership: Bridging the Gap* (L) (317)

Pam Walker- *As You Go: Obtaining the Prepared Mind* (W) (CH)

### 11:00 AM CLASSES

Chris McCurley- *FULL-SERVICE CHRISTIANS* (AUD)

Josh Pappas- *Evangelism Loves Discipleship* (317)

Corey Spivey- *Speaking the Truth In Love* (318)

Amber Hammond- *Are You Disciple Material?* (W) (CH)

## NOON – LUNCH

FOOD TRUCKS ON SITE OR DINE IN LOCAL RESTAURANTS

### 1:15 PM CLASSES

Lonnie Jones- *Help Me Carry My Cross* (AUD)

Harry Ogletree- *Let The Children Come* (318)

Steve Kirby- *Cultivating Redemptive Relationships* (317)

Christa Bryant- *Evangelizing Your Children* (W) (CH)

### 2:15 PM CLASSES

Brian Davis- *Personally Experiencing The Joy Of Sharing Jesus* (AUD)

Robert Hatfield- *People With A "Present"* (CH)

Roger Rush- *Realistic Expectations For Evangelism* (317)

James Hayes- *Discipleship Requires Discipline* (318)

### 3:15 PM CLASSES

Aubrey Johnson- *Building Momentum* (L) (AUD)

Wayne Miller- *The Road Less Traveled* (CH)

Bill Hardy- *Sharing the Gospel* (318)

Brian Kenyon- *The Message of the Cross* (317)

#### **4:15 PM CLASSES**

Andy Connelly- *What Is Authentic Discipleship?* (317)  
JT Harrison- *An Early Thirst For Discipleship* (318)  
Kyle Butt- *Life of Action* (AUD)  
Doug Burleson- *Disciples Overcoming Discouragement* (CH)

**5:00 PM- DINNER BREAK**

**ALL ARE INVITED TO A Freed Hardeman Reception**

**Food will be provided**

**Or... Dine at Local Restaurants**

#### **6:30pm – 8:00PM FAMILY EVENING SERVICE – CRIEVE HALL AUDITORIUM**

##### **6:30 PM-MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE (AUD)**

JESSE EATON-WORSHIP LEADER.

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#### **7:00 PM KEYNOTES**

**David Shannon- *Go Make Disciples* (K) (AUD)**

**Raul Avilla- *Go Make Disciples* (S) (CH)**

## THURSDAY (JULY 27)

### 8:30 AM

Joe Wells- *Morning Motivator* (AUD)

### 9:00 AM CLASSES

Gary Dodd- *Discipleship and the Power of God* (AUD)  
Christopher Jackson-No Leftovers Here! (317)

Sheila Butt- *Be the Light in a World of Darkness* (WOMEN) (CH)

### 10:00 AM CLASSES

Phil Sanders- *The State of the Church* (AUD)  
Matt Heupel/Chris Miller- *Expanding Your Comfort Zone* (318)  
Brett Pharr- *Visionary Leadership: A Practical Guide* (L) (317)

Pam Walker- *As You Go: Taking on the Planter's Heart* (W) (CH)

### 11:00 AM CLASSES

Chris McCurley- *Ballistic Evangelism* (AUD)  
Matt Wallin- *Door Knocking Does Not Work?* (318)  
Sam Jones- *Principles for Evangelism from the Prophets* (317)

Lisa Hilton- *My Attitude: Drawing or Distancing?* (W) (CH)

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Lonnie Jones- *Living a Christ Centered Life* (AUD)  
Scott Ballard- *Irrepressible* (317)  
Andrew Thompson/JD Buckner- *Mentoring Matters* (Y) (318)

Jane Thomas- *My Messy Life: Finding Yourself in God's Story* (W) (CH)

### 2:15 PM CLASSES

Brian Davis- *Sharing Jesus with Our Children* (AUD)  
Lance Mosher- *Creative Evangelism* (317)  
Jerry Elder/Cody Peery- *I Must Be About My Father's Business* (Y) (CH)  
Jim Mitchell- *Paul's Inspired Elements of Teaching* (318)

### 3:15 PM CLASSES

Aubrey Johnson- *Getting Commitment* (L) (AUD)  
Isaac May/Keith O'Neal- *Difficult Conversations with Youth* (Y) (317)  
Larry Krause/John Miller- *God's Method of Salvation* (CH)  
Bob Crawford- *Finding a Diamond in the Rough* (318)

#### **4:15 PM CLASSES**

Keith Parker- *Recipe for Revival* (318)  
Chad Landman- *Online Evangelism* (T) (317)  
Mitch Henry- *Making Disciples with Cross Connections* (AUD)  
Jeremy Butt- *I Am Going Fishing!* (CH)

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**Ben Colunga- *How to Make a Disciple* (S) (CH)**

## **FRIDAY (JULY 28)**

### **8:30 AM**

**John Orr- *Morning Motivator* (AUD)**

### **9:00 AM**

Dale/Jeff Jenkins- *Preacher Therapy* (AUD)

**Lori Boyd- *The Living and Powerful Word* (W) (CH)**

### **10:00 AM CLASSES**

Dan Winkler- *Evangelize in God's Eyes* (AUD)

Kevin Daugherty- *Open Doors* (317)

Roy Greenway/Tom Kinzel- *Nuts and Bolts of Prison Ministry* (318)

**Brittani Kemp- *Discipleship In a Busy World* (W) (CH)**

### **11:00 AM CLASSES**

Hiram Kemp- *The Kind of People Who Followed Jesus* (AUD)

Keaton Pearce- *Digital Discipleship: Modern Tools* (T) (318)

Clarence DeLoach- *Each One, Reach One* (317)

**Carren Marvin- *American Idols: Hindrances to Evangelism* (W) (CH)**

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### **1:15 PM: PODCAST (Jesus' Use of the Title, Disciple) (AUD)**

Robert Hatfield/Dan Winkler

**Mandy Lovett- *At the Master's Feet: Discipleship Defined* (W) (CH)**

### **2:15 PM CLASSES**

Bill Watkins- *People Can and Do Change* (AUD)

Craig Evans- *Big Questions that Must Be Answered* (CH)

Tim Alsup- *Building an Evangelistic Church Culture* (317)

DeWayne Bryant- *Defending the Faith Without Being a Jerk* (318)

### **3:15 PM CLASSES**

Dan Winkler- *Evangelism, the Missing Piece* (AUD)

Michael Crowder- *Let Your Heart Beat Again* (318)

Matt Miller- *The Changed Mind* (CH)

Mike Vaughn- *Developing and Implementing Church Plans* (L) (317)

### **4:15 PM CLASSES**

Wesley Walker- *Defining the Goal: What is a Disciple?* (317)

Chad Garrett- *Planting the Lord's Church During Covid* (318)

Kirk Brothers- *Leading Like the Lord* (L) (AUD)

Mike Greene- *Defined By Discipleship* (CH)

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**Lori Boyd- *The Piercing and Discerning Word* (W) (CH)**

### **10:00 AM CLASSES**

Ralph Gilmore- *What Time Is It?* (AUD)

Greg Swindle- *Entering the Digital Mission Field* (T) (318)

Neal Pollard- *How Do I Turn a Sinner from the Error of His Way* (317)

**Brittani Kemp-Priscilla: *A Study of a Female Disciple* (W) (CH)**

### **11:00 AM CLASSES**

Hiram Kemp- *Why People Followed Jesus* (AUD)

Josh Cook- *The Essentials of Discipleship* (318)

Roger Shepherd- *Connecting to Community* (317)

**Carren Marvin- *Jesus Didn't Carry Germ-X* (W) (CH)**

## **LUNCH – Local Restaurants**

### **1:15 PM EVANGELISM FORUM (AUD)**

Kirk Brothers

Phil Sanders

Neal Pollard

### **2:15 PM DISCIPLESHIP FORUM (AUD)**

Kirk Brothers

Ralph Gilmore

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