



JuST FAITH SUMMIT 2016

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WELCOME

We're honored to host the JuST Faith Summit with our friends at Shared Hope International. And we're so glad you were able to join us!

The Christian community has always wanted to help people who are vulnerable. But we need instruction and training to do it effectively. This event will supply what we're lacking and help all of us make a lasting difference in our communities.

The church has a unique role to play in putting an end to human trafficking here in America. There's a healing power that churches can supply that won't be provided by any other section of society. If we don't do it, nobody can do it. It's not that nobody *will* do it; nobody *can* do it like God's people can.

Not only do we have an opportunity to address this issue; we have a moral mandate from God. Proverbs 31:8 tells us, "Speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves; ensure justice for those being crushed" (NLT).

The world around us will hear from God through what we do, how we care and how we live. May we all walk away from this place with a renewed vision to do more, care more and faithfully live out His mandate to stand up for the vulnerable in Jesus' name.

Dr. Joel C. Hunter
Senior Pastor
Northland, A Church Distributed



A MESSAGE FROM OUR FOUNDER

Welcome, friend!

Most of us could go our entire lives ignorant of the horrors of sex trafficking and the exploitation of our children. However, not all of us are that fortunate. For some, the knowledge comes all too early in the form of being tricked and sold. For others it comes later in life through hearing stories about girls like Brianna or Lacy.

The ugly truth is every night children are being bought and sold for sex. It's happening in our neighborhoods, in our churches, and in our families. We have to do something to protect the innocence of our children. We need to come alongside those who have already been enslaved by traffickers, pimps and buyers. We need to make the men in our lives aware that pornography and strip clubs aren't harmless entertainment. It's time for our eyes to be opened. It's time for us to declare to the world, "No more!"

Northland, A Church Distributed and I fervently believe God is calling the faith community to come together to discuss the issues surrounding sex trafficking. It's time for us to re-discover God's heart for the men, women and children who have been ensnared by Satan's lies and broken by the world's distorted views of sex.

Sex trafficking and the commercialized sex market won't be wiped out in a day, but step by step—together—we can build a world passionately opposed to sex trafficking and create a global community committed to restoring survivors to lives of purpose, value and choice—one life at a time.

Linda Smith
President & Founder
Shared Hope International



ABOUT

SHARED HOPE INTERNATIONAL

Shared Hope International is a national leader in the movement to eradicate sex trafficking. Our mission: to prevent, restore and bring justice to vulnerable women and children. It is our goal to expand the community of informed and equipped professionals and community members.

By partnering with local organizations, Shared Hope provides restorative care, shelter, education, and job skills training at Homes and Villages of Hope around the world. In addition, we host national forums and conduct research to accelerate promising practices in shelter and service development for survivors of trafficking. Through targeted policy initiatives, coalition building, legislative support and an annual review of all states' sex trafficking laws, we provide accountability and guidance to policymakers and advocates to strengthen laws at the state and federal level.

Our vision is to coordinate a national U.S. network of protection to improve the response to victims of trafficking. We believe we can create a world where every survivor is surrounded by trained professionals, an alert community, just law and policy, knowledgeable service providers, and appropriate shelter options.

TO LEARN MORE ABOUT SHARED HOPE INTERNATIONAL PLEASE VISIT **SHAREDHOPE.ORG**

NORTHLAND, A CHURCH DISTRIBUTED

Northland, A Church Distributed is a network of spiritual families taking the church to people where they are everywhere, every day.

Started in 1972 in the "north land" of Orlando, Northland has grown from a handful of faithful believers to a congregation of 20,000 that worships worldwide via the Web. People in Northland's congregation take leadership of nearly every ministry effort inside the church, out in the community and around the globe. Elders, pastors and paid staff don't try to control the initiatives of congregants or the connections they make, and, they don't watch over their shoulders unnecessarily. Northland's senior pastor, Dr. Joel C. Hunter encourages Northlanders: "Do what you can, where you are, with what you've got." And they do!

Many in Northland's congregation have never set foot inside its facilities. About 4,000 worshipers attend church online each week, and many are beginning to gather into house churches to worship and serve together in their communities.

TO LEARN MORE ABOUT NORTHLAND PLEASE VISIT **NORTHLANDCHURCH.NET**

WHAT IS JUVENILE SEX TRAFFICKING?

Juvenile Sex Trafficking or Domestic Minor Sex Trafficking (DMST) is the commercial sexual exploitation of American children within U.S. Borders.

AMERICA'S CHILDREN ARE BEING USED IN THE COMMERCIAL SEX INDUSTRY.

Children who are exploited through prostitution, pornography and sexual entertainment are victims of domestic minor sex trafficking. Growing demand for sex with young children is fueled by a glorification of pimping and normalization of the commercial sex industry. Due to misidentification and efforts to keep victims safe from traffickers, these minors are often placed in detention facilities or enrolled in programs that address the symptoms that manifest from the underlying commercial sexual victimization.

What makes victims so vulnerable?

- The primary factor of vulnerability: *the child's age*.
- Previous history of sexual or physical abuse.
- Runaway youth are extremely vulnerable to traffickers and buyers who will sexually exploit them.

FACTS

- Movement or travel across state or country borders is not required. The defining element of juvenile sex trafficking is the exchange of an item of value for a sex act. Travel is irrelevant.
- All minors are trafficking victims if they are used in a commercial sex act, regardless of the perception of consent or will. The Federal Trafficking Victims Protection Act protects juveniles from having to prove that force, fraud or coercion was used to compel the act.
- A trafficker (pimp) is not necessary in a trafficking crime. The buyer's conduct (offering an item of value for a sex act) qualifies under the crime of trafficking in federal and many state laws.
- Young girls are commonly trafficked in strip clubs, hotel rooms and on online sites like Backpage.com.
- Traffickers recruit at locations that commonly attract youth—like schools, malls, parks, social media, even protective shelters and group homes.
- Victims can be boys or girls.

AGENDA

Wednesday, April 20

2:00 PM | Registration Opens

4:30 PM | Dinner

5:30 PM | Doors open

6:00-8:30 PM | Opening

- ❑ **Introduction** — Linda Smith, Shared Hope International; Dr. Joel C. Hunter, Northland, A Church Distributed
- ❑ **Keynote** — Dr. Ted Roberts, Pure Desire Ministries
- ❑ **What Does She Look Like?** — Linda Smith
- ❑ **Chosen Film Screening**
- ❑ **The Story Behind Chosen** — John Chapman, law enforcement officer; Brianna Myers, survivor leader
- ❑ **Does the Church See Trafficking?** — Dr. Joel C. Hunter
- ❑ **Survivor Voice** — Lexie Smith, survivor leader

Thursday, April 21

7:00 AM | Breakfast

7:45 AM | Doors open

PREVENTION

8:00-10:00 AM | Plenary Session 1

- ❑ **Introduction** — Linda Smith and Dr. Joel C. Hunter
- ❑ **Pragmatic Love: Loving the Way Jesus Loved** — Bishop Harry Jackson, International Communion of Evangelical Churches
- ❑ **Survivor Voice** — Jen Spry, survivor leader
- ❑ **Exploiting the Sexual Brain: Neurological and Hormonal Consequences of Viewing Pornography** — Dr. William Struthers, Wheaton College
- ❑ **Never Give Up: Scaling the Mountain Called DEMAND** — Nick Cienski, Mission14

10:00-10:30 AM | Worship with Michael W. Smith

10:30-10:45 AM | Break

10:45-12:15 PM | Workshop Session 1

- ❑ **Casting Stones: Survivors and a Service Provider Talk about the Role of Faith in Healing** — Robert Lung; Anna Smith, Restore One Life
- ❑ **Family Restoration After Abuse and Sex Trafficking** — Lexie Smith, survivor leader; Samantha Collins, Lexie Smith's mother
- ❑ **Innocence Stolen: Protecting Our Children Online** — Vince DeVivo, U. S. Attorney's Office, District of Maryland
- ❑ **Reaching Out to Victims: Roles for Both Men & Women** — Dotti Groover-Skipper, HeartDance Foundation; Pastor Mike Neely, New Millennium Community Church
- ❑ **Sex Trafficking and the Gang Enterprise** — Elizabeth Scaife, Shared Hope International
- ❑ **Equipping Our Kids for the Battle: Presenting Chosen to Any Audience** — Nick Lembo, Shared Hope International; Gretchen Kerr, Northland, A Church Distributed

12:15-1:15 PM | Lunch

Thursday, April 21 (continued)

RESTORATION

1:15-2:45 PM | Plenary Session 2

- ❑ **Introduction** — Linda Smith and Dr. Joel C. Hunter
- ❑ **Psychological Impact of Trauma and the Role of Spirituality in Restoration** — Dr. Dan Sartor, Trinity Christian College
- ❑ **Men Are Part of the Solution** — Christian Lenty, MST Project
- ❑ **Survivor Voice** — Jerome Elam, survivor leader

2:45-3:00 PM | Break

3:00-4:30 PM | Workshop Session 2

- ❑ **How to Lead the Conquer Series in your Church or Community** — Nick Stumbo, Pure Desire Ministries
- ❑ **So You Want to Open a Shelter for Minors?** — Emily Fitchpatrick, On Eagles Wings; Natasha Nascimento, Redefining Refuge; Mary Frances Bowley, Wellspring Living
- ❑ **Protecting Children from Abuse at Church** — Boz Tchividjian, GRACE
- ❑ **Mobilizing the Community on Behalf of Survivors and Potential Victims** — Toni McKinley, Crowns of Hope Texas; Abi Mills, Northland, A Church Distributed; Connie Rose, Selah Freedom; Dr. Gretchen Kerr [Moderator], Northland, A Church Distributed
- ❑ **Tackling the Tough Ones: Pornography, Legalization of Prostitution & Other Big Questions** — Lisa Thompson, National Center on Sexual Exploitation
- ❑ **Transformed by God: Victim, Survivor, Overcomer, Leader ... Ambassador for Christ** — Brook Bello, More Too Life; Marian Hatcher, Cook County Sheriff's Office

4:30-6:00 PM | Dinner

6:30 PM | Doors open

7:00 PM | Michael W. Smith Concert

PLEASE NOTE:

Tomorrow, workshops will begin the day, followed by the plenary.

Friday, April 22

7:00 AM | Breakfast

7:45 AM | Doors open

JUSTICE

8:00-9:30 AM | Workshop Session 3

- ❑ **Finding and Safeguarding the Nation's Missing Children** — Melissa Snow, National Center for Missing and Exploited Children; Jerome Elam, survivor leader
- ❑ **Bringing Justice to Victims Sold on Backpage.com** — Erik Bauer, The Law Office of Erik L. Bauer; Eliza Reock, Shared Hope International
- ❑ **Seduced: The Grooming of America's Teenagers** — Opal Singleton, Million Kids & Rapha International
- ❑ **Made to Mentor/Finding Your Lane** — Alicia McDowell, Araminta Freedom Initiative; Rebecca Bender, Rebecca Bender Ministries
- ❑ **Generation Freedom: Engaging Presidential Candidates to Combat Human Trafficking** — Mara Vanderslice Kelly, United Way Center on Human Trafficking & Slavery, United Way Worldwide

9:30-9:45 AM | Break

9:45-11:40 AM | Plenary Session 3

- ❑ **Introduction** — Linda Smith and Dr. Joel C. Hunter
- ❑ **Survivor voice** — Shamere McKenzie, Sun Gate Foundation
- ❑ **The Culture of Justice** — John Cotton Richmond
- ❑ **Shame, Justice, and the Cross** — Bonnie Martin

11:40 AM-12:00 PM | Break

12:00-1:15 PM | Motivated and Equipped

- ❑ **Panel — Are Love and Justice in Conflict?** — John Cotton Richmond, Bonnie Martin, Shamere McKenzie; Moderator: Dr. Joel C. Hunter
- ❑ **Challenge to All People of Faith** — Joshua and Michelle DuBois, Values Partnerships
- ❑ **Closing** — Linda Smith and Dr. Joel C. Hunter

1:15 PM | Conference Dismissed/ **FAITH-IN-ACTION** kit distribution

REMINDERS

Name badges must be worn at all times in order to gain access to conference activities, workshops and meals. Please inform a volunteer if you lose your badge and need a replacement.

Evaluation surveys have been included at the end of this program. Please complete the evaluation after each workshop and leave the form with your workshop volunteer at the end of the conference.

Conference materials and presentations are available on a private webpage for attendees: www.sharedhope.org/downloads. These materials will be available for 30 days following the conference with the passcode: justfaith

We understand that some of the material shared during workshops and plenary sessions may be upsetting for some attendees. If, at any point, you would like prayer or privacy, please visit one of the prayer rooms. Volunteers and staff can provide directions as needed.

Each attendee will receive a FAITH-IN-ACTION kit (\$129 value), available at the close of the program on Friday.

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Wednesday, April 20 — OPENING

Keynote

Dr. Ted Roberts

Pastor and Founder, Pure Desire Ministries

Ted served as a U.S. Marine Corps fighter pilot and platoon leader, flying close air support missions and met Jesus Christ in a bunker while under a rocket attack in Vietnam in 1970. After returning to the U.S., he earned degrees in math and astrophysics; but following an unexpected call from the Lord in 1976 Ted studied for the ministry. He pursued his master's degree at Asbury Theological Seminary and his Ph.D. at Western Conservative Theological Seminary. For 23 years he served as senior pastor of East Hill Church in Gresham, Oregon, a body that grew to over 7,000 members, despite being in one of the most unchurched areas of the country.

In 2007 Ted stepped away from the pulpit to engage in a new battle and to commit his time and energy to the development of Pure Desire Ministries International. This time, the battle is for sexual purity and healing in the church. Ted has authored 12 books that include the bestseller, *Pure Desire* and the addiction recovery workbook titled *Seven Pillars of Freedom*. Ted is a certified sex addiction and multiple addiction professional. He worked closely with the International Institute for Trauma and Addiction Professionals (IITAP) and Dr. Patrick Carnes to create an officially recognized designation for pastors who work in the field of sex addiction treatment—PSAP (Pastoral Sex Addiction Professional). Ted's current roles include clinical director of Pure Desire Ministries International, conference speaker and writer. In 2013 Ted hosted and co-wrote the educational video series titled the *Conquer Series*, which received a Telly award for excellence in video production. The series was also named Christian Film Database's favorite Christian documentary of 2014.

Presently, Ted continues to write. His current work is the development of a relapse prevention manual. He and his wife, Diane, counsel pastors and leaders from around the nation who are trapped in sexual bondage. The couple also travels the world declaring the freedom and grace of Jesus Christ. When not working, Ted can be found in the gym, scuba diving, or spending time with his family.



Wednesday, April 20 — OPENING

What Does a Sex Trafficking Victim Look Like?

Linda Smith

President & Founder Shared Hope International

Linda is a leader in the global movement to end sex trafficking. In 1998, while still a member of the U.S. Congress, Linda traveled to Mumbai, India, where she witnessed women and children enslaved in prostitution. This compelled Linda to found Shared Hope International. Linda serves as chief visionary and the driving force behind Shared Hope International's many initiatives including: DEMAND, the National Report on Domestic Minor Sex Trafficking, the Protected Innocence Challenge, *Chosen*, the Demanding Justice Project, and "Do You Know Lacy" training. Linda is the author of *From Congress to the Brothel* and *Renting Lacy*. Linda served as a Washington State legislator (1983-93) where she chaired the State Senate Children and Family Services Committee. In 1994, she was elected to the U.S. Congress where she served on the House Foreign Affairs Committee, a position that provided her initial exposure to sex slavery.

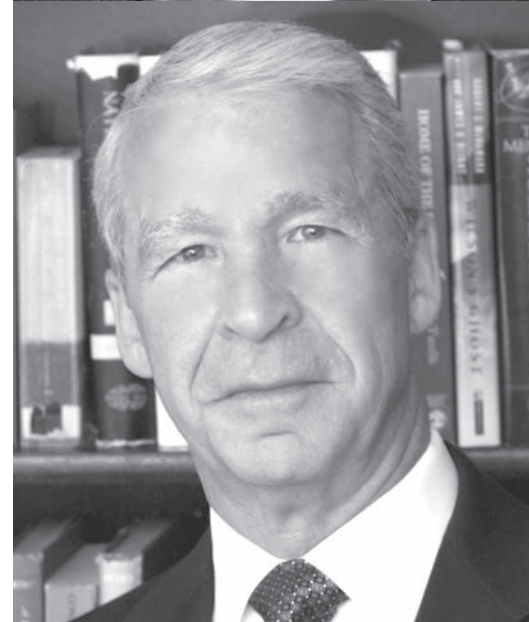


Does the Church See Trafficking?

Dr. Joel C. Hunter

Senior Pastor, Northland, A Church Distributed

Joel has a passion for the distributed church, a vision that calls followers of Christ to form the church in the relationships we already have instead of confining our spiritual life to a building or a particular religious institution. During his tenure, which began in 1985, Northland has grown from 200 faithful souls to a Florida-based congregation of 20,000 that worships worldwide via the Web. He has become an internationally known advocate for peace, for the poor, for victims of human trafficking, for protecting God's creation for the sake of victims of pollution-caused climate change, for the inclusion in church and society of families/people dealing with disabilities, and for racial equality and reconciliation. A respected leader in the Evangelical community, he serves on leadership boards of the World Evangelical Alliance (600 million constituents) and the National Association of Evangelicals (30 million members). He has served as a spiritual adviser to President Obama, writing devotions for him weekly and praying with him periodically.



Wednesday, April 20 — OPENING

The Story Behind *Chosen*

Brianna Myers

Registered Nurse, Survivor Leader

Brianna is a survivor advocate for prevention and community identification of victims of sex trafficking. Brianna was rescued by members of her community which included Linda Smith and Chief Criminal Deputy John Chapman. For the past six years Brianna has volunteered and worked for Shared Hope International. As one of her accomplishments with Shared Hope she was blessed to be able to share her story of being groomed and rescued in the educational film for youth, *Chosen*. As a graduate of a nationally accredited registered nursing program, Brianna has begun to utilize her knowledge on sex trafficking to influence and educate members of the healthcare community. In the future Brianna plans to continue working on preventive and identification awareness causes, and to gain a Masters of Science in Nursing Education.

John Chapman

Chief Criminal Deputy, Clark County Sheriff's Office

John is the Chief Criminal Deputy for the Clark County Sheriff's Office in Vancouver, Washington. This position oversees the Enforcement Branch that includes all of the general police duties such as patrol, detectives, traffic, gangs, SWAT, K-9, etc. He began his law enforcement career with the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department in 1983. John became exposed to domestic minor sex trafficking in 2009. Since that time, he has participated in a number of investigations to recover juvenile females and put traffickers in prison. John received his Master of Public Affairs degree in 2008. John volunteers a lot of his time with Young Life in Clark County and also teaches criminal justice related courses at a local college and Washington State University in Vancouver.



Wednesday, April 20 — OPENING

Survivor Voice

Lexie Smith

Survivor Leader

Lexie is a first-generation college graduate with a degree in psychology from Lee University. She is a dynamic speaker with a purpose-filled life that developed from overcoming child sex trafficking, exploitation and incest that took place right in her grandmother's neighborhood. What was meant to destroy her is now being used to inform communities on how to better protect the vulnerable, and properly respond to human trafficking. She has been an inspiring voice to over 42,000 teens since 2012 and imparts a sense of worth, identity and awareness into a digitally relational generation. Her expertise has been utilized by a number of agencies including local churches, NGO's, Tennessee Corrections Institute, ICE, Nashville Metro Vice and local officers as a trainer, on-call advocate and consultant. Lexie serves as a member of the Rebecca Bender Ministries Speaker Team as well as a mentor for the Virtual Mentor Program. She and her mom are currently working on their first book about restoring the family unit after abuse.



Thursday, April 21 — PREVENTION | Plenary Session 1

Pragmatic Love: Loving the Way Jesus Loved

Bishop Harry Jackson

*Senior Pastor of Hope Christian Church,
Presiding Bishop of the International Communion of Evangelical Churches*

Bishop Harry Jackson is one of the chief conveners of The Reconciled Church: Healing the Racial Divide Movement—an effort to heal the racial division first in the church and then the nation, (www.TheReconciledChurch.org). He is also founder and chairman of the High Impact Leadership Coalition (HILC). The HILC has become an agent of healing for our nation by educating and empowering churches and community leaders to make grassroots improvements in their communities, states and our nation.

Jackson is a leading researcher on the black church. His book entitled *High Impact African American Churches*, co-authored with George Barna, was nominated in 2005 by the Evangelical Christian Publishers Association's Gold Medallion award.

Bishop Jackson has appeared as a guest on The O'Reilly Factor, Cross Fire, The Kelly File, The News Hour, Face the Nation, CBS Evening News, The Tavis Smiley Show, BET Evening News, 700 Club, Tony Brown's Journal and CBN News. He has been featured in articles in *The New York Times*, *Los Angeles Times*, *The Baltimore Sun*, *The Washington Post*, *The Washington Times*, *The Philadelphia Inquirer* and *The Chicago Defender*.

Bishop Jackson is senior pastor of Hope Christian Church in the Washington, D.C. area with 2,000 attendees and serves as the presiding bishop of International Communion of Evangelical Churches. He has also personally authored several other books including his newest – *You Were Born for More*. He earned a bachelor of arts degree in English from the prestigious Williams College and a master's of business administration from Harvard Business School. His secular work experience includes positions in several Fortune 500 companies.



Thursday, April 21 — PREVENTION | Plenary Session 1

Survivor Voice

Jen Spry

Registered Nurse, Survivor Leader

Jen specializes in forensic nursing and is also a successful business woman who owns three U.S. patents. She appeared to be happy, but secrets from her childhood haunted her. Through a life-changing event, she stopped running from her past and bravely decided to confront it and use the experience in her own life to prevent her story from happening to other children. She has dedicated her life to protecting children through her work in teaching others how to identify and respond to victims and by breaking the silence, she has found healing and restoration in her own life. Her voice for those who cry in silence—a voice validated by personal experience, insight and education—gives insight into the mind of a child sex-trafficking victim. Her focus is on equipping nurses, medical professionals, social workers and law enforcement with the tools needed to foster the trust of vulnerable victims in order to provide medical care, interventions, safety and ultimately, the truth.



Thursday, April 21 — PREVENTION | Plenary Session 1

Exploiting the Sexual Brain: Neurological and Hormonal Consequences of Viewing Pornography

Dr. William Struthers

Professor, Wheaton College

Bill is professor of psychology at Wheaton College and is a researcher, author, lecturer and teacher who earned both his M.A. and Ph.D. in biopsychology at the University of Illinois, Chicago. He was a visiting research fellow, Center for Christian Thought, Biola University in 2014 and has taught numerous undergraduate, graduate and doctoral level courses—"Biological Bases of Behavior" and "Men and Addictions" to name just two. He is a member of the Society for Neuroscience, American Psychological Society, Society for Teaching of Psychology and International Neuroethics Society, and Faculty for Undergraduate Neuroscience.

The author of *Wired for Intimacy: How Pornography Hijacks the Male Brain*, Bill's clinical research on compulsive sexuality and pornography use and his theoretical work on neuroethics have made him an authoritative voice for the movement to curb pornography access and sex-trafficking. According to Bill, "right thinking about sexuality is a battle that has to be fought with each generation, but this generation is being forced to wage it on a battleground that previous generations never had to, and that is the digital battleground."

Bill surveyed recovering pornography addicts to examine the subjects' first exposure to pornography, their reaction to that exposure, and measures of distress after the exposure. His research found that pornography accelerates sexual behaviors in children and leads to confusion and distress. According to this study, more than 80 percent of children, when exposed to pornography, never talk to anyone about it, creating a difficult, distressing event that they never process with anyone.



Never Give Up: Scaling the Mountain Called DEMAND

Nick Cienski

Senior Director of Innovation, Under Armor; CEO, Mission 14

Nick and his wife, Sandi, founded Mission 14 in 2011 after encountering the issue of human trafficking for the first time. The organization is faith-based, founded on the belief that love, justice and compassion are actions that can't be accomplished from the sidelines. Their vision was to create a new kind of non-profit organization based on using large-scale adventures to gain global media attention and then maximize that spotlight to bring awareness and needed funds to the issue of human trafficking. Mission 14 builds partnerships with direct service non-profit groups who are the recipients of their fundraising efforts. The first adventure was the 6 SUMMITS CHALLENGE, an attempt to set a new world record by summiting six of the world's highest mountains in a single year. After experiencing the devastating avalanche in April 2015 at Everest base camp, Nick appeared on Good Morning America, CNN, BBC World, CBC, CTV, Bloomberg TV and others telling his story to over two billion viewers around the world.



Thursday, April 21 — PREVENTION | Workshop Session 1

Casting Stones: Survivors and a Service Provider Talk About the Role of Faith in Healing

Robert and Anna share their stories as survivors, how they each intersected with God and then with one another. Robert and Anna dare and inspire Christian leaders to drop the stones of judgement and walk alongside trafficking survivors in recovery by acting out the Gospel.

Robert Lung

Magistrate, Dependency & Neglect

Robert has served on the bench for over 12 years after serving as assistant city and county attorney as well as a deputy district attorney. He is co-chair of the 18th Judicial District Human Trafficking Committee and a voting member of the Legislative Subcommittee of the Colorado Anti-Trafficking Task Force established by the Governor in 2015. In a recent presentation, titled "Child Abuse, Resiliency and Evidence-based Hope," Robert addresses the impacts of abuse, cites a case study involving a child that was sexually abused, trafficked and tortured over a 10-year period, and shares "evidence-based hope" derived from the fact that he is that child. Robert incorporates grounding techniques in his presentations to model that self-care should be professionals' first care when handling trauma-related cases.



Anna Smith

Founder, Restore One Life

Anna, a Greenville, North Carolina, native, is a graduate of East Carolina University School of Social Work and Religious Studies and is a master of social work candidate for May 2016. Throughout college, Anna served in youth ministry with her husband, Chris, learning valuable leadership skills. Her call to serve the sexually trafficked began with an internship at a restoration house for girls. In 2012, the cry of Anna and Chris's hearts became a reality with the founding of Restore One, with Anna focusing on their chief project, The Anchor House. Anna is a member of the Pitt County Rapid Response Team and a strong advocate for all survivors. Working through her own story of trauma and sexual trafficking, she understands that recovery is a painful yet beautiful journey. Aside from her work at Restore One, Anna enjoys pottery making, writing and teaching yoga. She also loves outdoor adventure with her husband and playing with their three dogs.



Family Restoration After Abuse and Sex Trafficking

A mother and daughter share their unique perspectives and experiences in facing childhood sex trafficking, and the tragic failure of the faith community's involvement in the recognition, reconciliation and redemption of a wounded family. Through their ultimate experience of healing, they are able to offer advice for a better response.

Lexie Smith
Survivor Leader

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Samantha Collins
Lexie Smith's Mother

Samantha is a first-generation Christian, a wife of 22 years, and homeschooling mother of four strong, beautiful and independent daughters. Experiencing the battles that arise when abuse hits home, she has received healing from the damage and pain of sexual abuse she faced as a child, which paled in comparison to watching her own daughter struggle with the effects of abuse and exploitation. She is dedicated to teaching and helping others to overcome, finding their healing in the truth. Having faced the challenges of being a teen mom, she loves to invest in the lives of struggling young mothers and has helped to establish a local pregnancy center ministry. With her daughter Lexie, she is coauthoring a book to help families and churches deal with the realities of sexual abuse and to find hope and healing.



Thursday, April 21 — PREVENTION | Workshop Session 1

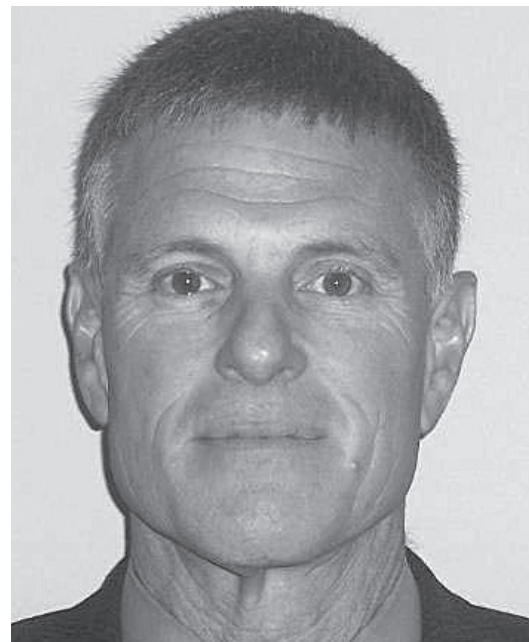
Innocence Stolen: Protecting Our Children Online

The presentation informs adults about how best to protect young people from negative and criminal influences online. Topics include social networking, cyber bullying, sexting and internet predators. Participants will examine negative aspects of popular online activities that promote and support juvenile victimization. The program provides prevention and intervention strategies focused on equipping and empowering children to navigate the internet safely.

Vince DeVivo

Community Outreach Specialist, U.S. Attorney's Office, District of Maryland

Vince serves as the community outreach specialist for the United States Attorney's Office, District of Maryland, where he provides public safety programming and crime prevention efforts to our communities. Vince is a certified Maryland Police and Training Commissions instructor and gang awareness trainer. Vince is a senior member of the Washington-Baltimore High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA) Prevention Board, which seeks to prevent drug abuse and related criminal behaviors through coordinated community, local government and law enforcement partnerships. Currently, he is an executive board member for the Maryland Crime Prevention Association, which delivers information and training to communities, businesses and law enforcement. He obtained advanced professional teaching certification through the Maryland State Department of Education, and served on the workgroup that developed a statewide model policy on gangs and similar destructive group behaviors. During his 15 years as an educator, Vince helped expand strategies for school resource officers and served as a facilitator for School Crisis Management and Crisis Response Teams. Prior to his return to the United States Attorney's Office, he served as the school outreach coordinator for the Maryland Community Crime Prevention Institute.



Reaching Out to Victims—Roles for Both Men & Women

Join in this dynamic presentation and discover how God is commissioning “Men of Valor” to effectively engage with other men involved in the adult entertainment industry. While Dotti leads the women of her ministry team inside the clubs to minister to the dancers and their children, Pastor Neely and his team remain outside in the parking lot to protect and pray for the women inside and to engage the men going in and out of the clubs. Men are connecting to these “Men of Valor,” eagerly seeking on-going relationship and embracing and seeking the Kingdom of God.

Dotti Groover-Skipper

HeartDance Foundation, Inc.; Florida Anti-Trafficking Coordinator for the Salvation Army

In addition to her current work with the Salvation Army and her long history of impacting policy change in Florida, Dotti is also a certified candidate for ordination in the United Methodist Church and the founder of HeartDance Foundation, a ministry dedicated to restoration of men, women and children recovering from addiction and sex trade. She was recognized in 2013 as Florida’s “Human Trafficking Advocate of the Year” and in 2014 received the Florida Achievement Award from the Florida Commission on the Status of Women. Some of Dot’s many areas of service include the Florida Department of Juvenile Justice Strategic and Planning Committees for the Statewide Human Trafficking Initiative and recent appointments to the Statewide Council On Human Trafficking and the Florida Drug Policy Advisory Board. Dot also serves as Chair for FREE, The Slavery Survival Network.

Mike Neely

Senior Pastor, New Millennium Community Church

Reverend Neely is the senior pastor of New Millennium Community Church in Tampa. Since receiving his call in 1986, he has worked in the capacity of youth pastor, Sunday school superintendent, director of evangelism, assistant pastor, and church planter. He has a tremendous passion for God’s Word, a compassion for all community members, a love for God’s people, and a deep commitment to the community. His concern for victims of domestic violence led him to become an executive board member of the Family Justice Center where he serves as a volunteer chaplain and spiritual counselor. He is certified to train clergy in the nuts-and-bolts of domestic violence and is currently writing his first book on a correct biblical view of marriage and domestic violence.



Thursday, April 21 — PREVENTION | Workshop Session 1

Sex Trafficking and the Gang Enterprise

Even the most affluent communities are plagued by gangs, both national and local. Gangs have learned that there is much money to be made in selling young girls for sex and it is less risky than selling drugs or guns. Understand gang recruiting techniques and the characteristics of youth who fall prey. Learn to recognize the warning signs if you observe them in your school, church, community, or your home.

Elizabeth Scaife

Director of Training, Shared Hope International

Elizabeth joined Shared Hope International in 2009 and is presently the organization's lead trainer on domestic minor sex trafficking. She develops and implements customized training for various audiences across the United States on how to identify and respond to victims. Elizabeth has trained federal, state and local representatives of various disciplines, including state policy leaders, and provides technical assistance to Human Trafficking Task Forces in several states. She also coordinates Shared Hope's national training conference which emphasizes a unique collaborative community approach. On the side, Elizabeth has worked undercover with other professionals to document child sex trafficking in the U.S., appearing on national television.



Equipping Our Kids for the Battle—Presenting *Chosen* to Any Audience

Every attendee will leave the JuST Faith Summit equipped with the powerful prevention film, *Chosen*, shown in the opening session and a set of accompanying tools! Come learn the simple process of presenting *Chosen* to any group. Leaders will familiarize you with the resources and share tips on effective strategies for speaking to youth, men, women or mixed audiences.

Nick Lembo

Pastor, Board of Directors, Shared Hope International

Nick is a pastor whose background in business for over 12 years enabled him to interact with large groups of people in corporate environments and also informed his views regarding various community issues. He now serves as a pastor of a church in Olympia, Washington as well as assisting community needs-based groups that serve the homeless. Nick currently sits on the Board of Shared Hope International and is Co-Chair of Defenders USA, the men of Shared Hope International. Nick is a presenter for Shared Hope International at their national conferences, and has spoken at community forums throughout Washington State. He is an active supporter of Domestic Abuse Women's Network of King County Washington and is networked in his community through education, business and politics.

Dr. Gretchen Kerr

Executive Director, Compassion and Reconciliation Center, Northland, A Church Distributed

As part of the executive team, Gretchen builds collaborative relationships within the community and among government, nonprofits, businesses and other faith based organizations. Social justice issues are at the heart of her ministry and include foster care and adoption, racial reconciliation conversations, and the establishment of Northland's anti-trafficking ministry 121Hope. The CARE Center provides staff and volunteer teams who serve those who face trials in their lives ranging from prison and jail transition to natural disaster and homelessness. Gretchen was instrumental in the development of Resource Point, an online tool for case management, data collection and community collaboration. She has served as chair of the Florida Faith Based and Community Based Advisory Council, co-chair of the Seminole County Reentry Task Force, chair of the Faith Alliance, a church network collaborative addressing the issue of anti-human trafficking, and president of ConnectCity, Inc., a nonprofit serving those coming from incarceration, a life of prostitution, and sexual trauma.



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Psychological Impact of Trauma and the Role of Spirituality in Restoration

Dr. Dan Sartor

*Director of Counseling Services & Associate Professor of Psychology, Clinical Psychologist,
Trinity Christian College*

Dan is the director of counseling services at Trinity Christian College in Palos Heights, Illinois. He holds an academic appointment as an associate professor of psychology at the college and is also an adjunct faculty member at Richmond Graduate University in Atlanta, Georgia. Dan trained as a generalist in clinical psychology; his clinical specializations include trauma recovery, addiction recovery, sexuality issues, and crisis of faith/spiritual issues. He has taught numerous graduate-level psychology and counseling courses and is an active member of the Christian Association for Psychological Studies and the American Psychological Association. He remains passionate about the work of soul care and its long-standing history in the Church. His personal mission is to facilitate spiritual vitality and relational restoration through teaching, counseling, writing and personal encounters in the lives of individuals, families, and communities.

Dan completed his undergraduate work at Moody Bible Institute, where he studied music and theology. He then earned his M.A. and Ph.D. in clinical psychology at Rosemead School of Psychology, Biola University in Los Angeles and a M.A. in Counseling from Reformed Theological Seminary in Orlando, Florida. Prior to joining Trinity Christian College, Dan was a core faculty member for three years at Richmond Graduate University (RGU) in Atlanta, Georgia, following years of private practice and teaching graduate level courses. Before entering the field of mental health, he served in general pastoral and worship-leading roles as a Presbyterian minister. From this context he pursued training in counseling and psychology to better encourage and care for those who struggle through life's greatest challenges and deepest sorrows. Dan and his wife, Robin, have four children who span the ages—and many activities—of middle school and high school. He enjoys camping with his family, reading, music and home improvement projects.



Men Are Part of the Solution

Christian Lentz

Founder and Director, "Men and the Sex Trade" Project (MST)

Christian is the founder and director of The MST Project (Men and the Sex Trade), a ministry that seeks to mentor men into a pursuit of sexual purity and greater spiritual wholeness. The MST Project engages in ministry to men who visit red-light districts and in pursuing follow-up meetings and long-term discipleship with these men. The ministry has also written a book titled "A Pathway to Purity" for men in the church dealing with addiction and struggles that can be done individually, in a group or through mentorship with a staff member. He works in the red light districts in Bangkok forming relationships with men, hearing their stories and helping them turn their lives around, if they desire. Christian has lived and worked in Thailand for more than 15 years and resides in Bangkok with his wife, Nui.



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Survivor Voice

Jerome Elam

Survivor Leader

Jerome joined the United States Marine Corps at 17 and spent the next 12 years seeing the world. After his enlistment was finished Jerome graduated college to work in the Biotechnology sector. He is a survivor of child abuse, child sex trafficking and child pornography. He is also the child of an alcoholic and child survivor of domestic violence. Writing is his passion and it keeps him in touch with the wealth everyone holds deep inside their hearts and minds. Jerome shares his experiences in the hope that those suffering in silence will find the courage to speak out and share their voices. Jerome is a staff writer and columnist for Communities Digital News. Follow Jerome on Contently, jeromeelam.contently.com; or Facebook: <http://on.fb.me/199Eb93>.



How to Lead the *Conquer Series* in your Church or Community

The battle for sexual purity and healing is taking place in the faith community, just as it is in the secular world. Learn how to present the *Conquer Series*, a powerful cinematic teaching on sexual purity designed to help men get to the root of bondage while offering proven principles and practical tools to conquer pornography and find freedom. The *Conquer Series* is not about behavior modification, but heart transformation.

Nick Stumbo

Pastor, East Hills Alliance Church & Pure Desire Ministries

Nick is a third generation pastor, serving as lead pastor at East Hills Alliance Church in Kelso, Washington. While in college, Nick read the book *Pure Desire*, but discovered trying to put the principles into practice in isolation only led to discouragement. When Dr. Ted Roberts rolled out a process to help pastors it radically changed his life. Nick was set fully free from his addiction and, in April 2011, made a public disclosure to his church. This led to further forgiveness and healing, and launched *Pure Desire* groups at the church for men, and *Betrayed Hearts* groups for women. Continuing to lead groups to this day, Nick and his wife, Michelle, and the church have helped dozens and dozens of men and women find healing from brokenness. Nick wrote the book *Setting Us Free* in 2013 as an avenue to help other men and women find help, hope and healing.



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So You Want to Open a Shelter for Minors?

Opening a safe refuge for survivors is more than finding the home and having a compassionate heart. If you feel the call to a restorative ministry for minors, you will do well to count the cost before you embark. This breakout, hosted by three experienced providers who have walked through the process, will outline steps that must be included to ensure that each child is served well.

Emily Fitchpatrick

Founder, On Eagles Wings

Emily is founder and executive director of On Eagles Wings Ministries, based out of Charlotte, North Carolina. OEWM began in 2007 to restore females ages 12 - 25 that have been sexually exploited as domestic victims of sex trafficking. They accomplish this through prevention, outreach, aftercare and empowerment. As spokesperson for OEWM, Emily actively educates the public about domestic sex trafficking. She offers presentations and workshops to churches, community groups, youth groups and colleges. Emily has also helped educate the public through radio, television and print, including national recognition in *Christianity Today* magazine and a segment on CBN's 700 Club. In 2012, Emily was invited to speak before members of Congress in Washington, D.C. at a caucus briefing on domestic minor sex trafficking. In 2013, Emily was invited to serve on the NC Governor's Human Trafficking Commission and in 2014, invited to serve as a U.S. Speaker from the U.S. Department of State International Information Programs. She has also been the recipient of several awards including the Good Samaritan Award by the Trafficking in America Task Force and the 2012 FBI Director's Community Leadership Award.



Natasha Nascimento

Founder, Redefining Refuge

Born and raised in Johannesburg, South Africa, Natasha received her education, including a master's in public administration, in the U.S. After spending over a decade in Florida, her diverse life experience cultivated a passion to provide resources to victims of human trafficking. Natasha dreamed of opening a local safe house for trafficked youth—a dream that became a reality in 2012, with the opening of Redefining Refuge; it remains the first and only home of its kind in the Tampa Bay area that provides a therapeutic safe haven for girls rescued from this depravity. Natasha has received recognition with numerous awards including finalist for the WEDU BeMore Entrepreneurial Award, The Lightning Community Hero, and Spirit of Humanity Award. Redefining Refuge has been featured on ABC Action News as well as local news and has been invited to present both the challenges and successes of providing safe housing to minor victims of sex trafficking to the Florida House of Representatives Healthy Families Subcommittee as well as the Florida Stands Against Human Trafficking Legislative Caucus.



Mary Frances Bowley

Founder, Chief Strategic Officer, Wellspring Living

Mary Frances is the president/founder of Wellspring Living, an organization fighting childhood sexual abuse and exploitation since 2001. She has been a leader in bringing the fight against child sex-trafficking to Atlanta and is a founding member of the Georgia Statewide Human Trafficking Task Force. Mary Frances was appointed to the Governor's Commission on Domestic Violence in 2010. She was awarded the Martin Luther King Community Service Award and the AKA Humanitarian Award. She is also the author of *A League of Dangerous Women* and *The White Umbrella*, and recently released her latest book, *Make It Zero*. Mary Frances resides in Peachtree City with her husband, Dick. She has two sons and three grandsons.



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Protecting Children From Abuse at Church

Did you know that sexual offenders are often drawn to churches and synagogues? Do you have policies to protect children from offenders who work hard to access, abuse and silence them? What do you do if you suspect abuse? How do you respond to known offenders who want to become part of your congregation? This interactive presentation will focus on the importance of understanding the prevalence of child sexual abuse, the mindset and common behaviors of sexual offenders, and specific steps every faith community can take to protect children by minimizing the opportunities for offenders to abuse.

Boz Tchividjian

Law Professor; Executive Director, GRACE (Godly Response to Abuse in the Christian Environment)

Boz is a former child abuse prosecutor who currently teaches Child Abuse and the Law and several other courses at Liberty University School of Law. As a prosecutor for over eight years, Boz created the first Crimes Against Children division at the Office of the State Attorney of the 7th Judicial Circuit in Florida. As division chief, he was responsible for prosecuting hundreds of cases of child sexual abuse and has spent over 17 years using what he learned as a prosecutor to train and equip prosecutors, investigators, social workers and medical personnel in handling various aspects of child sexual abuse prosecutions. Boz is also the founder and executive director of GRACE (Godly Response to Abuse in the Christian Environment - www.netgrace.org). The purpose of GRACE is to educate and equip the faith community to correctly respond to sexual abuse disclosures, while also providing practical guidance to the Christian community on how to protect children. GRACE provides confidential consultations to churches, schools and other organizations that are struggling with abuse related issues and assists institutions and abuse survivors by providing independent investigation services. Boz is the third eldest grandchild of Rev. Billy Graham and recently published a book entitled *Invitation – Billy Graham and the Lives God Touched* (2008 Multnomah Press). He is the author of numerous journal articles related to the issue of child sexual abuse and a new mini book entitled, *Protecting Children from Abuse at Church: Steps to Prevent and Respond*.



Mobilizing the Community on Behalf of Survivors and Potential Victims

Three service providers illustrate how each casts a wide net into the community, pulling together other organizations and resources to help support those victimized by sex trafficking. Gain useful ideas for innovative partnerships that provide trauma informed arts programs, a call center reaching out to victims advertised online, pro bono counseling services, mentor programs, prevention programs for vulnerable youth and much more.

Toni McKinley

Executive Director, Crowns of Hope; Survivor Leader

Toni, a survivor leader and executive director of Crowns of Hope, noticed a gap in affordable care for survivors of sex trafficking. She took action by developing relationships with experienced, qualified therapists in the community and connecting survivors to them for mental health services. Through her relationship with counselors, along with her commitment to see others healed, she pursued and completed a M.A. in professional counseling at Liberty University and is practicing in Austin, Texas. Since 2011, Crowns of Hope has mobilized many resources for sex trafficking survivors to aid in the recovery process. Currently, Crowns of Hope is in the beginning stages of renovating a building which will become a resource center for trafficking victims and survivors to fellowship and find healing. Toni also teaches and speaks locally and around the nation on prevention and about how her personal life has been affected by trafficking so others can be educated on what to look for and how to stop and prevent it in their communities.

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Dr. Gretchen Kerr

Executive Director, Compassion and Reconciliation Center, Northland, A Church Distributed

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Abi Mills

Social Justice Manager, Northland, A Church Distributed

As the social justice manager at Northland, a Church Distributed, Abi leads the Prison and Jail Transition Ministry which fosters discipleship and the establishment of distributed churches behind bars. She also leads 121Hope, the anti-human trafficking ministry at Northland, which brings hope to victims and survivors of human trafficking and empowers local abolitionists, all through one-to-one discipleship. Abi has been involved in justice ministry in Ukraine since 2009 and worked with International Justice Mission UK as the business operations and donor relations intern from 2014-2015. Abi has completed the Victim Services Practitioner Designation under the Florida office of the Attorney General and is currently a 121Hope Victim Advocate.



Connie Rose

Director Training and Survivor Leadership, Selah Freedom

At Selah Freedom, Connie oversees the residential programming and the survivor-led My Life, My Choice Prevention Program for 12- to 17-year-old at-risk girls. She travels nationally providing training to organizations, survivors, social services, schools, law enforcement and the community on awareness of the issue, prevention, education and intervention of domestic sex trafficking. Connie is also the founder of Victims2Survivors, providing supportive coaching for victims and survivors of sexual violence, sex trafficking and domestic violence that prepares them to be trainers, speakers and media contributors. Connie is certified with the Florida Crime Prevention Training Institute for Human Trafficking. Connie has more than 1,500 hours in training in the field of human trafficking. She has given over 200 keynote speeches and presentations and has participated in four human trafficking documentaries, 40 news media contributions, 10 radio shows and several print media contributions. Connie is a survivor of childhood sexual abuse, sexual exploitation and domestic violence. Over 16 years of her abuse was at the hands of her serial, sex offender father. Her life's mission is to help other survivors embark and stay on their paths to recovery.



Tackling the Tough Ones: Pornography, Legalization of Prostitution & Other Big Questions

The normalization of adult pornography and its dehumanizing depictions has paved the road to increasingly violent and sadistic images. This presentation will explore pornography's role in sexual exploitation, including sex trafficking of minors. Special emphasis will be given to the topic of Amnesty International's call for full decriminalization of prostitution, and the devastating implications of this policy to the efforts of sex trafficking abolition. **WARNING: graphic material may be disturbing.**

Lisa Thompson

Vice President of Education and Outreach, National Center on Sexual Exploitation (NCOSE)

Lisa oversees NCOSE's strategy for increased public understanding of sexual-exploitation related issues. She conducts analysis, develops research initiatives and liaises with a wide-range of public officials, nonprofit organizations, institutions of higher learning and academics to generate collaborative action to combat the full spectrum of sexual exploitation, especially pornography, stripping, prostitution and sex trafficking. Previously Lisa was director of anti-trafficking with World Hope International where she administered anti-trafficking and sexual-violence recovery programs in Azerbaijan, Cambodia, Liberia and Sierra Leone. Lisa served for more than 12 years as the liaison for the Abolition of Sexual Trafficking for The Salvation Army USA National Headquarters where she pioneered strategies to create recovery services for survivors of sex trafficking and public policy to combat sex trafficking and other forms of commercial sexual exploitation. Lisa chaired The Salvation Army's North American Anti-Trafficking Council and directed its Initiative Against Sexual Trafficking, and led advocacy efforts to pass the Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000 for the National Association of Evangelicals' Office for Governmental Affairs. Lisa helped found and has served on the steering committee of the Faith Alliance Against Slavery and Trafficking. She is a reviewer for the *Journal of Human Trafficking*, and has written on the subjects of sex trafficking and commercial sexual exploitation for numerous publications. Lisa is a contributing author to *Hands that Heal: International Curriculum for Caregivers of Trafficking Survivors*, and co-editor of a special anti-trafficking edition of the North American Association of Christians in *Social Work & Christianity*. She has provided expert testimony to the U.S. Congress.



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Transformed by God: Victim, Survivor, Overcomer, Leader ... Ambassador for Christ

Brook will focus on the leadership qualities of Jesus expressed through the provision of mentoring and innovative case management for victims, as well as practical tools for first responders of faith. Marian will focus on making the best of the worst — how she was transformed through the trafficking experience. She will explain the importance of an organizational culture of care that can contain and manage the terrible life experiences that have molded — and often deformed — the clients in care.

Rev. Dr. Brook Bello

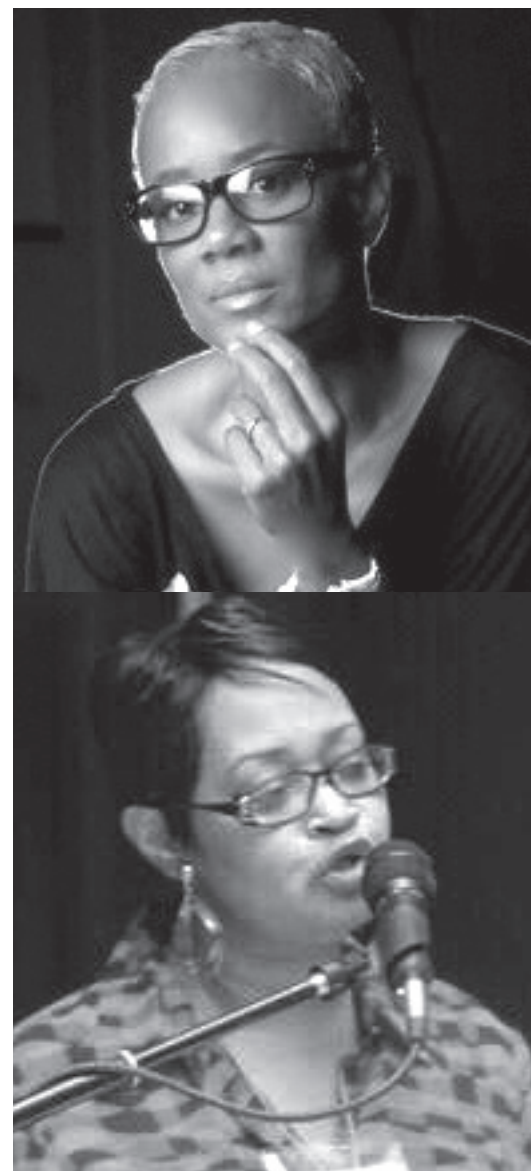
CEO & Executive Director, More Too Life; Survivor Leader

Brook is an ordained minister and licensed chaplain, civil rights leader, champion survivor of domestic minor sex trafficking and inspirational speaker. She is the founder and CEO of Brook Bello Ministries and More Too Life™ — a social justice and anti-human trafficking organization. As a residential program, More Too Life is devoted to advocating for all and preventing sexual exploitation. She advocates for the victims of sexual violence and human trafficking by working with those dealing with the effects of rape, incest, molestation, prostitution, child pornography, bullying and more. More Too Life is on the front lines of ending demand by working with teen males and also has the first state recognized Restorative Justice End Demand Education (aka John School), court-appointed education for those committing crimes of commercial sexual exploitation in order to prevent it in the future. Brook is author of *Living Inside the Rainbow*.

Rev. Dr. Marian Hatcher

Licensed Chaplain, U.N. Ambassador-Large; Human Trafficking Coordinator, Cook County Sheriff's Office; Survivor Leader

Marian has been with the Cook County Sheriff's Office (CCSO) for 11 years as coordinator of its anti-trafficking efforts, including "National Day of Johns Arrests," which targeted buyers of sex. A national expert on combating demand, Marian has testified before state legislatures and has been featured in the OWN documentary, *Prostitution: Leaving the Life* as well as Nicholas Kristof's *A Path Appears*. She speaks at national conferences and has consulted on training projects for Demand Abolition and Shared Hope International. Marian is a member of a number of survivor-led organizations and received awards from FBI, DePaul University and the John Marshall Law School for her diverse contributions. She is a 2014 Pathbreaker Award recipient. Most recently Marian presented at the 59th convening of the Commission on the Status of Women (CSW) at the United Nations and President Carter's World Summit to End Sexual Exploitation by 2025.



Finding and Safeguarding the Nation's Missing Children

The National Center for Missing & Exploited Children (NCMEC) operates as the national clearinghouse for missing children in the United States. Child sex trafficking victims are often currently missing and actively being exploited. Both prevention and identification will be discussed during this session. Jerome, a survivor, will candidly share signs that were missed in his case, who he tried to tell, and what type of response would have been helpful.

Melissa Snow

Program Specialist, Child Sex Trafficking, National Center for Missing and Exploited Children (NCMEC)

Melissa is the child sex trafficking program specialist for the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, providing assistance with victim advocacy and services planning to law enforcement and social services. Previously, as director of the anti-trafficking program for TurnAround, Inc., Melissa launched a community-based drop-in center and long-term residential program for survivors of sex trafficking and established a partnership with the Maryland Department of Juvenile Services, to implement a screening tool for youth at high-risk for sex trafficking. Melissa is former director of programs for Shared Hope International where she was responsible for the management and evaluation of domestic and international partners. She also directed a research project in 10 U.S. locations to identify child sex trafficking and co-authored the resulting "National Report on Domestic Minor Sex Trafficking."

Jerome Elam

Survivor Leader

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Bringing Justice to Victims Sold on Backpage.com

Erik, a Washington state attorney, recounts his effort to allow victims sold on Backpage.com to be able to file civil suits for damages. While currently his cases are still pending, their historic advancement has made them some of the most successful civil cases to date. Eliza will discuss the history of efforts to combat online facilitation by sites like Backpage.com and why cases like Erik's are important to the victims and survivors seeking justice against those who profit from their abuse.

Erik Bauer

Attorney, The Law Office of Erik L. Bauer

Erik is based out of Tacoma, Washington, and has over 30 years of experience as a trial lawyer. Mr. Bauer has litigated a multitude of cases ranging from death penalty murder, to multi-million dollar lawsuits. Mr. Bauer has recovered millions for victims who were abused when they were minors, holding individuals, corporations and institutions accountable. Erik Bauer and Michael Pfau have teamed up to hold Backpage.com liable for the harm they are causing juvenile survivors by aiding pimps in human sex trafficking. The lawsuits they have filed on behalf of juvenile survivors advertised on Backpage.com, and the legal theories they have advanced, have enjoyed more success than any other such efforts to date.

Eliza Reock

Director of Programs, Shared Hope International

As director of programs for Shared Hope International, Eliza manages funding and development of restoration programs, monitors and evaluates current restoration partners and works to identify leading field techniques to develop direct service provision systems for sex trafficking survivors. She provides critical policy support to Shared Hope in the areas of establishing protections against Internet facilitation of child sex trafficking and developing protective system response mechanisms for identifying and serving sex trafficking survivors, and was instrumental in launching Shared Hope's JuST Response program.



Seduced: The Grooming of America's Teenagers

This generation of young people has never known a world without the Internet, while parents struggle to keep up. There are over a million predators online at any given time seeking to access, groom, recruit and exploit teenagers. Today's pimps, gangs and predators use social media, chat rooms and online games to influence and groom a child's thinking about morality, sexuality and spirituality. A role that used to belong to the parent. It is time for parents and grandparents to cross the electronic divide and put the power back into parenting.

Opal Singleton

President & CEO, Million Kids; Director of Development, Rapha House International

Opal is President and CEO of Million Kids, a global anti-trafficking organization. She is the training and outreach coordinator for the Riverside (CA) County Sheriff Anti-Human Trafficking Task Force. She has trained more than 35,000 government officials, civic leaders, education administrators, youth and parents throughout California. She has trained extensively in California high schools. She serves as director of development/board member for Rapha House International and was the acting country director for one of the largest safe houses in Cambodia, serving over 1,000 exploited girls. Opal has written and trademarked two anti-trafficking programs, "The Love Trap" is a prevention program for adults and students and "Grace Hope and Fatherhood" is a prevention program for the faith-based community sponsored by Tyndale Publishing.



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Made to Mentor/Finding Your Lane

Ever wonder “what do I do, now that I know?” People of faith possess the right motivation, and with the right training and leadership, are the hands and feet of Christ to victims of sex trafficking. This workshop will explore areas of service and give some tangible steps for volunteers. From the vantage point of a survivor, Rebecca will help you as an advocate *find your lane* by identifying your place within the anti-trafficking movement. She identifies over 20 different ways people can get involved in fighting sex trafficking from non-direct service, to direct service, to disrupting demand. Alicia will discuss the successes and challenges of Araminta’s volunteer mentor program and Open Table pilot program as examples of evolving practice in the faith community’s support of survivors on their restoration journey.

Alicia McDowell

Founder, Araminta Freedom Initiative

Alicia is the executive director and a founder of the Araminta Freedom Initiative, a nonprofit organization focused on awakening, equipping and mobilizing the community to dismantle child sex trafficking in Maryland. Alicia serves on the Victim’s Services Committee of the Maryland Human Trafficking Task Force. She presented at the Maryland Governor’s Conferences on Combating Human Trafficking and served on the planning committee for two conferences. Alicia served as a volunteer court appointed special advocate and HIV / AIDS tester and counselor. Alicia has six years of experience as a medical sales executive. Alicia received her master’s of social work from the University of Maryland and worked for the Pennsylvania foster care system, as well as in residential and therapeutic intervention for victims of child sexual abuse. Alicia was featured on WBAL and WMAR TV news, What Weekly, and in special programming on the Baltimore County Police Department’s cable TV program.

Rebecca Bender

Founder and Director, Rebecca Bender Ministries; Survivor Leader

Rebecca is more than just a survivor of domestic sex trafficking. She is an award-winning, internationally-recognized speaker, author and survivor leader in the movement to eradicate modern-day slavery. Her testimony of redemption, escaping a life of sex trafficking, can be read in her first book *Roadmap to Redemption*, which has helped countless victims find hope. Rebecca hosts a unique Virtual Mentoring Program for survivor leadership development and consults on the development of safe shelters for women. Finishing her master’s degree in Christian thought, Rebecca is also the mother of four children and lives in the Pacific Northwest with her husband and their family.



Generation Freedom: Engaging Presidential Candidates to Combat Human Trafficking

The Generation Freedom campaign, a broad coalition coordinated by United Way, is asking presidential candidates to allocate just two cents to fight trafficking for every dollar traffickers make as part of their campaign platforms. This fractional amount would yield a budget of \$3 billion (USD) dedicated to provide significant and much needed resources to prevent and liberate millions of people held in slavery around the world. This workshop will provide an overview of the campaign and why it focuses on keeping at least half of the funding dedicated to address domestic trafficking, along with the potential impact it would have on efforts to combat child sex trafficking in America. We will discuss ways that the faith community and church leaders can join this exciting campaign to build public and political will to end human trafficking.

Mara Vanderslice Kelly

*Executive Director, United Way Center on Human Trafficking & Slavery
United Way Worldwide*

Mara joined United Way Worldwide in 2014 and serves as the executive director of the new Center on Human Trafficking & Slavery. The Center aims to catalyze cross-sector collaboration and build the public and political will to end human trafficking and slavery.

Previously, Mara served in President Obama's administration for five years as deputy director of the White House Office and senior policy advisor to the White House Domestic Policy Council. She helped develop innovative public-private partnerships on key areas, including public health, education, energy efficiency, global interfaith relations and combatting human trafficking. She also coordinated the President's Advisory Council for Faith-based and Neighborhood Partnerships, working with more than 100 prominent religious and non-profit leaders to advise President Obama and his administration. She facilitated the production of the most recent Advisory Council's report "*Building Partnerships to Eradicate Modern-Day Slavery*."

Prior to her work in government, Mara ran a consulting firm that worked with public officials, political candidates and non-profit organizations to engage America's faith communities. Her success transforming the debate around faith and politics was profiled in the *New York Times*, *TIME* magazine, NPR, CNN and she appeared on the Stephen Colbert Report. Mara served as the National Outreach and Communications Director for Jubilee 2000 USA. In 2003, she led a project for the Global AIDS Alliance that succeeded in getting all U.S. Presidential candidates to make commitments of more than \$30 billion in U.S. investments to fight global HIV/AIDS. Mara graduated from Earlham College in Richmond, Indiana where she received college honors and Phi Beta Kappa, as well as honors for her work in campus ministry.



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Survivor Voice

Shamere McKenzie

CEO, Sungate Foundation; Survivor Leader

Liberated from sex trafficking, Shamere is now using her experience to educate and empower others. She resumed the education interrupted by trafficking and returned to college at Loyola University in Chicago, graduating in 2015 with a degree in criminal justice; she will be going to law school to study public interest law. Shamere is also CEO of the Sun Gate Foundation, a 501(c)3, with a mission to provide support to survivors of human trafficking by creating opportunities to access education that will lead to independent lives.

Shamere is a subject-matter expert who speaks both nationally and internationally on the topic of sex trafficking and is a member of the National Survivor Network and the Survivor Leadership Institute. She has appeared on multiple TV, radio and news interviews. Her story was recounted in Kevin Bales' book, *The Slave Next Door*, and has been published in college textbooks to educate students on human trafficking. She has worked with Halogen TV, Real Faith TV, Black Entertainment Television, Al Jazeera and other programs to bring about awareness.



The Culture of Justice

John Cotton Richmond

Human Trafficking Prosecutor

John is a founding director of the Human Trafficking Institute, which empowers criminal justice systems to free victims from modern-day slavery by building and equipping specialized human trafficking units; developing the next generation of leaders in law, business and government focused on human trafficking; and shaping global funding priorities through robust evidence based scholarship.

For over a decade John was a federal prosecutor serving as the Special Litigation Counsel with the Civil Rights Division of the U.S. Department of Justice. He investigated and prosecuted numerous victim centered labor and sex trafficking cases throughout the United States. John also prosecuted cross burnings, police misconduct and neo-Nazi hate crimes cases.

John's work to combat human trafficking has earned numerous honors, including: being named one of the "Prosecutors of the Year" by the Federal Law Enforcement Foundation; receiving the David Allred Award for Exceptional Contributions to Civil Rights; twice earning the Department of Homeland Security's Outstanding Investigative Accomplishments in a Human Trafficking Award; winning the Distinguished Law Enforcement Teamwork Award from the Federal Executive Board; receiving Shared Hope International's Pathbreaker Award for Innovations in Combating Human Trafficking; as well as twice receiving the Department of Justice's Special Commendation Award.

John frequently serves as an expert on human trafficking, for the United Nation's Working Group on Trafficking in Persons and at the European Union's multilateral meetings on human trafficking. He has trained judges, prosecutors, federal agents, law enforcement officers, non-governmental organizations and international delegations on human trafficking investigative and prosecutorial strategies.

John has taught human trafficking law, policy and litigation at Vanderbilt School of Law and he is a regular contributor to the Storyline blog. Prior to forming the Human Trafficking Institute and joining the Department of Justice, John worked on human trafficking crimes as the director of the International Justice Mission's slavery work in India.



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Shame, Justice, and the Cross

Bonnie Martin

Psychotherapist, Educator, Consultant

Bonnie is a technical expert in the development of trauma informed mental health and psychosocial programs and has worked domestically and internationally for 15 years to reduce the effects of trauma on rule of law, interpersonal relationships and education in stress-affected societies and marginalized populations. Bonnie specializes in complex trauma and has worked with thousands of victims of violence, exploitation and human trafficking. She teaches culturally-specific strength-based approaches for motivating behavioral change and building trauma resiliency. She has developed an evidenced based cross-cultural model for the prevention, intervention and treatment of complex traumatic stress that incorporates the most current neuroscientific research on brain development and attachment theory. Her work focuses on psychosocial capacity building by providing systemic training for corporations, government agencies, professionals, paraprofessionals and grass roots organizations. Her fieldwork includes the countries of Mexico, India, South Africa, Swaziland, Serbia, Russia, Bolivia, Colombia, Thailand, Haiti, Nepal and the United States. Bonnie is a licensed professional counselor and therapist supervisor in the states of Maryland and Virginia. She earned her M.Ed. degree in school counseling from Wilmington University, and a post-graduate Certificate of Advanced Counseling Studies (CACS) from Regent University.



Friday, April 22 — MOTIVATED AND EQUIPPED

Challenge to All People of Faith

Joshua and Michelle DuBois

Founders, Values Partnerships

Joshua and Michelle live in the Washington, D.C. area with their new baby boy, August. Joshua is author of the bestselling book, *The President's Devotional: The Daily Readings that Inspired President Obama*, and former director of the White House faith-based initiative. Michelle was a senior official with the United States Department of Commerce, serving as deputy director of the National Export Initiative and policy advisor in the Office of the General Counsel. Joshua and Michelle now run a consulting firm, Values Partnerships, that helps clients from Oprah Winfrey and the Gates Foundation to Paramount Pictures and Amnesty International partner with the faith community to solve big challenges. Joshua also writes for *Newsweek*, *The Daily Beast* and other publications, and is a frequent commentator on CNN and MSNBC. Joshua and Michelle love the Lord, and have been passionate about the issue of human trafficking for years, with Michelle leading several domestic and international anti-trafficking missions trips, and both of them helping to convene a major conference, "The Freedom Summit," that brought majority and minority Christians together on the topic of racial reconciliation and anti-trafficking.



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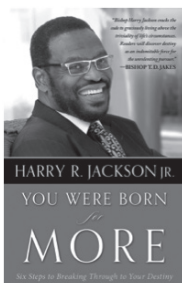
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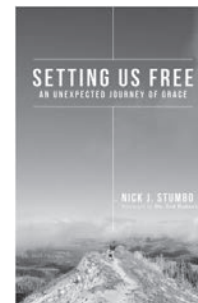


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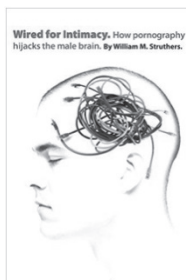
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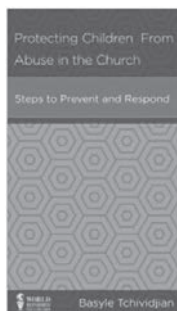


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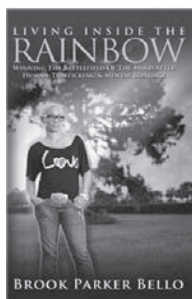


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Rev. Dr. Brook Bello

More Too Life

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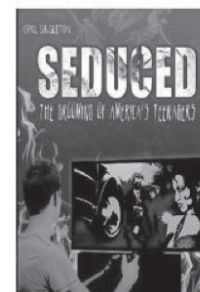


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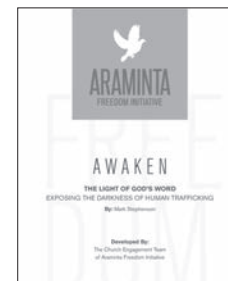
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Araminta Freedom Initiative

Awaken Bible study.

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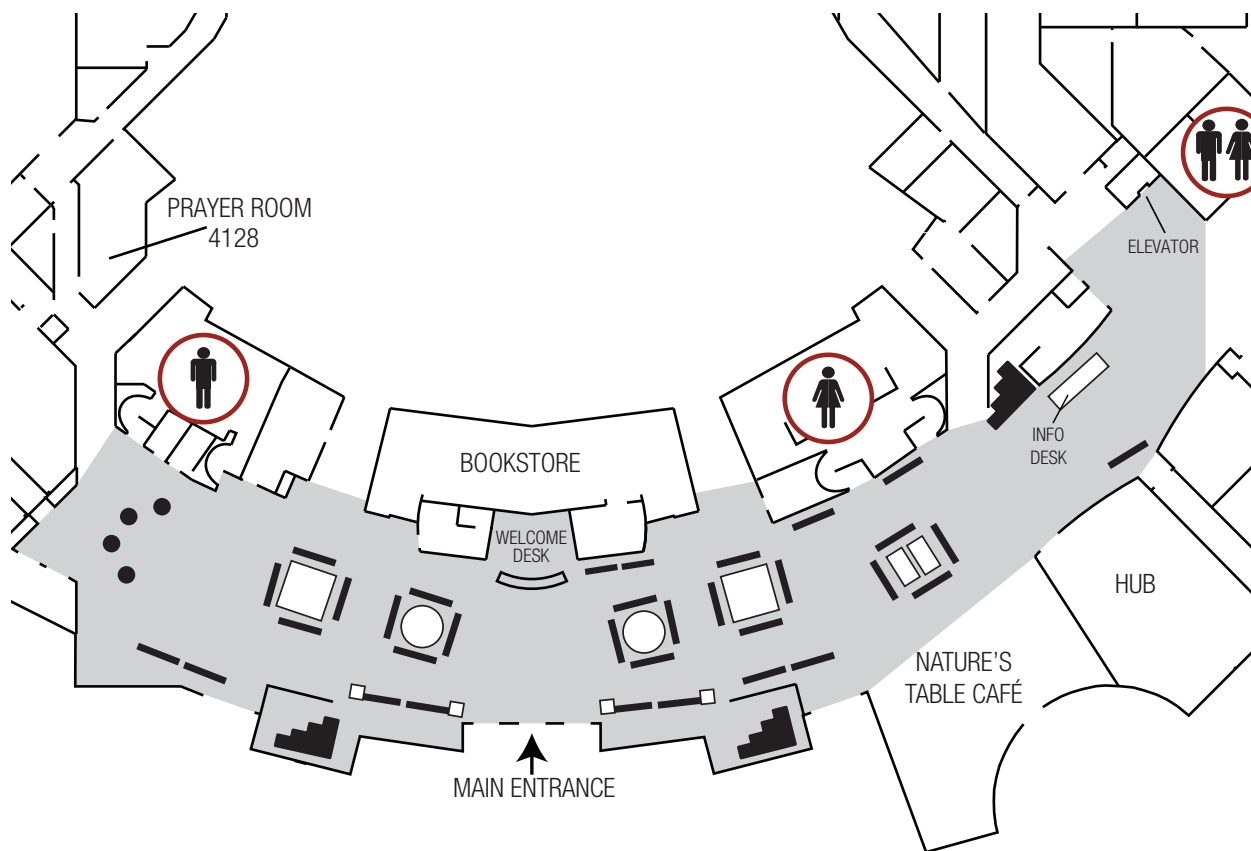
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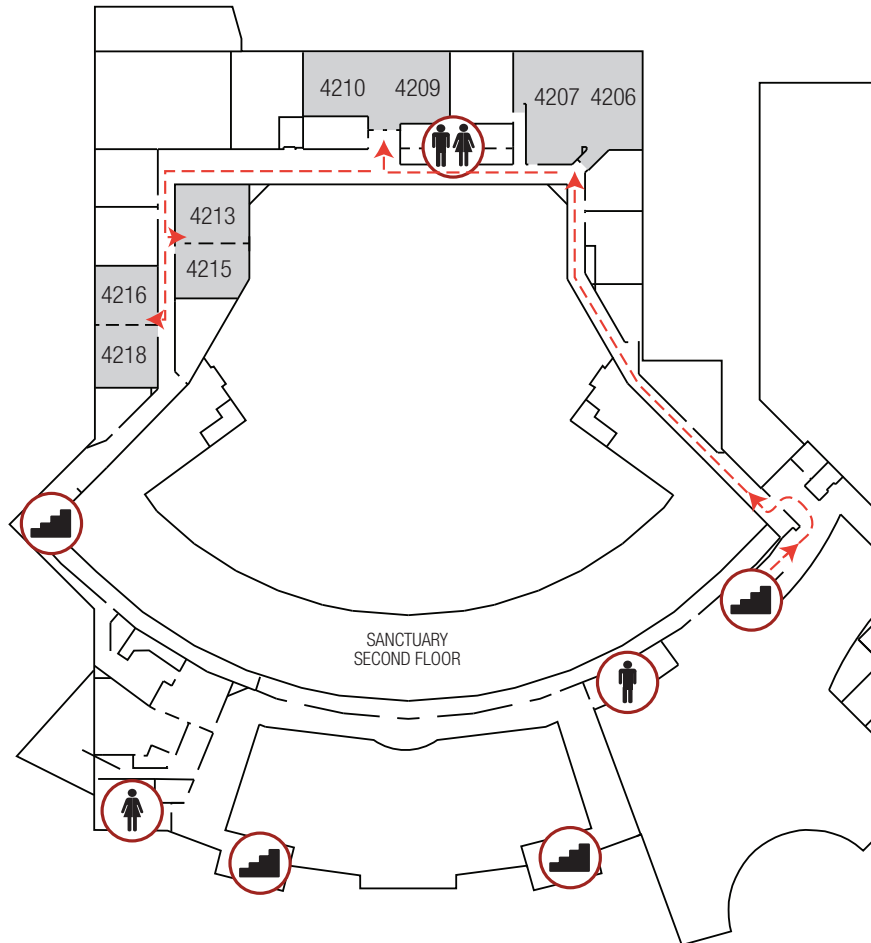
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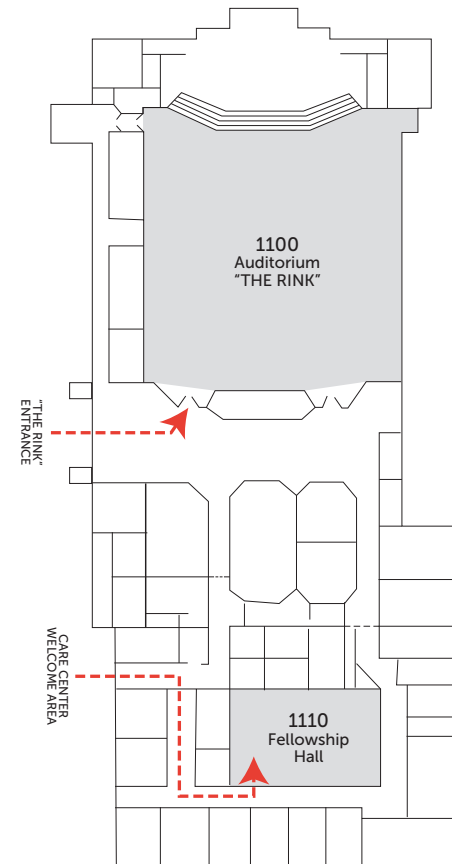
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