

# 2018 WNC Ministry Expo

## “Developing Leaders for Effective Ministry”

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January 30, 2018

We are praying for a well-attended and powerful disciple building Ministry Expo on March 19<sup>th</sup> sponsored by the Buncombe Baptist Association and hosted by Newbridge Baptist Church at 199 Elkwood Avenue in Asheville. The Expo information sheet is enclosed showing 16 break-out sessions that will address needs within the life of a local congregation. Registration sheets are also enclosed and allow for attendance in at least 2 break-out sessions. Duplicate registration sheets as needed and return on or before Wednesday, March 14<sup>th</sup> if possible. A light dinner will be served (**FREE**) for all attendees at 5:30 pm in the Family Life Center. A brief description of break-out sessions is listed below:

*“Transitioning to and Growing a Missional Community”, designed for Sunday School leaders, outreach leaders, pastors and staff. Facilitated by Chase Gardner, Lead Pastor of Emmaus Church.*

*“Preparing a Church for Multi-Housing Ministry”, designed for evangelism, outreach, VBS teams and church staff that desire building an effective ministry in apartment or mobile home communities. Facilitated by Perry Brindley, Director of Missions for the BBA*

*“Mobilizing your Church for Mission Involvement”, directed toward pastors, staff, all mission leaders. Facilitated by Paul Langston, Mission Mobilization of the BSCNC.*

*“SPLASH Introduction, Relational Evangelism”, for pastors, staff, lay leaders. An introduction to Ken Hemphill’s relational evangelism approach for the local church. Facilitated by Gene Roberts, Associate Pastor of Newfound Baptist.*

*“Growing Missionaries in Your Student Ministry”, introduction for all student ministers and potential student leaders. Facilitated by Grant Geisler, Associate Pastor of Charlotte FBC and State leader of Youth Commission.*

*“Proverbial Kids, Training Children in Proverbs”, for all children’s leaders, an introduction to a new series of books written to disciple children in Christian character education. Facilitated by Karen Holcombe, Former Children’s Director, Author, Lay leader from Crestview Baptist Church.*

*“Our Journey for Reaching the Sport’s Generation”, for student leaders, children’s leaders, outreach leaders. Facilitated by Tina Foster, Lay Leader at Pole Creek Baptist Church.*

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***“Advancing the Traditional Sunday School”***, directed to Sunday School leaders, outreach leaders, small group leaders. Facilitated by Norma Melton, Director of Church and Community Ministries for the BBA.

***“Raising up Leaders in the Local Church”***, directed to pastors, staff, disciple leaders, etc. Facilitated by Fred Baker, Lead Pastor of Fellowship Asheville

***“Financial Accountability in a Changing World”***, navigating the Church Financial plan. Designed for staff, finance team members, treasurers, etc. Facilitated by Dwayne Dills, CPA, member of Brookstone Church.

***“Everybody Wins, Regeneration of Existing Churches”***, directed toward pastors, staff and lay leaders. Facilitated by Gary Odom, Catalyst for the BBA in the areas of Hispanic Church Planting and Church Regeneration and pastor of Antioch Baptist Church.

***“Launching a Grief Share Ministry in the Local Church”***, directed to pastors, staff, and lay leaders. Facilitated by Susie Black, Lay leader at Pole Creek Baptist.

***“Developing an Effective Church Website”***, for church staff and lay leaders that are charged with building and growing effective church communications. Facilitated by Steve Shultz, Associate Pastor of Pole Creek Baptist Church.

***“Intentional Family Disciple-Making”***, directed toward all parents and grandparents. Facilitated by Mark Smith, BSCNC Family at Home Network.

***“Keys to Adult Disciple-Making”***, directed to adult leaders, pastors, staff. Facilitated by Josh Reid, BSCNC Adult Disciple-Making and Evangelism Leader.

***“Introducing the 2018 Media Disciple Making resources at the Buncombe Baptist Resource Center”***, for men’s ministry leaders, women’s ministry leaders. Facilitated by Linda Brown, Media Resource Specialist of the BBA, member of Mount Carmel Baptist Church.