

Calvary Curriculum's  
**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY  
CONFERENCE**  
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# 2026 WORKSHOPS

IN THE FOLLOWING PAGES YOU WILL FIND THE **TITLES, DESCRIPTIONS, TEACHERS, & LOCATIONS** FOR THE **85+ WORKSHOPS** TAUGHT BY **44 INSTRUCTORS** OFFERED AT THE CONFERENCE THIS YEAR.

*\*Workshops are subject to location change, additions, & subtractions  
Check the website for regular updates to the workshops*

## PLEASE NOTE:

When you sign-in at the conference you will receive a booklet with all the final workshops

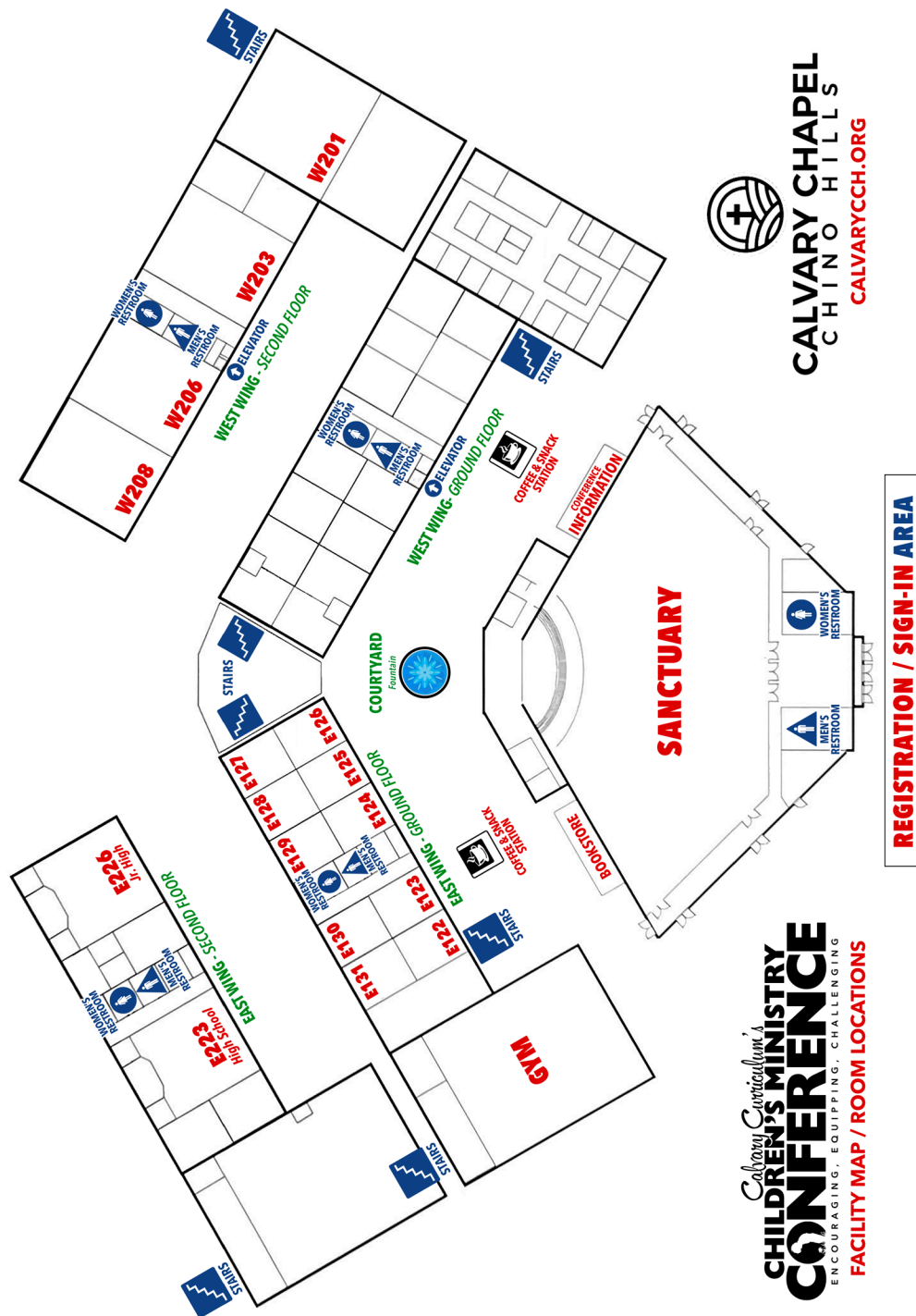


## FRIDAY SCHEDULE

- 12:30 - 1:30 **REGISTRATION SIGN-IN**  
 1:30 - 1:55 **PRAYER & VISION (PASTOR LARRY)**  
**ANNOUNCEMENTS & GIVEAWAYS (PASTOR MATT)**  
 1:55 - 2:20 **WORSHIP**  
**GIA MARCHAIN & CC CHINO HILL'S WORSHIP TEAM**  
 2:20 - 3:00 **GENERAL SESSION**  
**PASTOR WADE O'NEILL**  
 3:15 - 4:10 **WORKSHOP #1**  
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## SATURDAY SCHEDULE

- 7:15 - 8:00 **REGISTRATION SIGN-IN**  
 8:00 - 8:25 **PRAYER & VISION (PASTOR LARRY)**  
**ANNOUNCEMENTS & GIVEAWAYS (PASTOR MATT)**  
 8:25 - 8:50 **WORSHIP**  
**GIA MARCHAIN & CC CHINO HILL'S WORSHIP TEAM**  
 8:50 - 9:35 **GENERAL SESSION**  
**PASTOR ART REYES**  
 9:55 - 10:55 **WORKSHOP #4**  
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 12:15 - 1:15 **LUNCH**  
 Sandwich options when registering: #6, #7, #9, #13, #14, #14+ Gluten-Free ([www.jerseymikes.com](http://www.jerseymikes.com))  
 1:15 - 1:35 **ANNOUNCEMENTS & GIVEAWAYS (PASTOR MATT)**  
 1:35 - 2:00 **WORSHIP**  
**GIA MARCHAIN & CC CHINO HILL'S WORSHIP TEAM**  
 2:00 - 2:45 **GENERAL SESSION**  
**PASTOR GARID BEELER**  
 3:05 - 4:05 **WORKSHOP #6**  
 4:25 - 5:25 **WORKSHOP #7**  
 5:40 - 6:00 **CLOSING SESSION**  
**PASTOR MATT ENTERLINE**



# FRIDAY WORKSHOP



3:15 - 4:10

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# WORKSHOP

## 3:15 ~ 4:10

# 1

### KEEPING WOLVES OUT OF CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

What policies and procedures do you have in place to ensure the safety and security of the children? Is it possible to create a wolf-free children's ministry? Child abuse and leader misconduct is rampant in the world today. Are you doing everything you can to ensure that wolves do not end up as leaders and given access to vulnerable children? Discover new ways to weed out predators before they ever step foot into a classroom. This workshop will provide proven policies and procedures that will make your children's ministry safe and secure.

 **MARK CARSON**  **SANCTUARY** 

### BEGINNING & STRUCTURING A CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Whether you are in need of creating a Children's Ministry at your church or desire ideas for your present small children's ministry, this class is for you. We will look at key and important foundations for the ministry as well as classroom needs, structure, and layout to help support your teachers. Some of the things we will consider are the classrooms (*Infants - 6th Grade*), application and safety, curriculum and teaching schedules, number system, organization, and a lot more. There will be an extensive keynote presentation along with the teaching for example purposes.

 **MATT ENTERLINE**  **GYM** 

### SKILLS TO USE IN BIBLE STUDIES FOR CHILDREN



Train up a child in the way they should go. Would you like to learn skills to help kids read their Bibles in a way that they will experience fellowship with God, not just "head knowledge"? Children need simple and tangible ways in how to hear from God through the Bible and how to respond to Him as they read His Word. We will share many ideas in this workshop that you and the children will find very helpful. These are some of the methods we use to equip those who use the Calvary Curriculum Bible studies.

 **LARRY ENTERLINE**  **ROOM E223 (HIGH SCHOOL)** 

REPEATED  #4 | ROOM W208

### TEACHING 3<sup>RD</sup> - 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADES

This workshop will focus on how to promote participation, dialogue, and engagement, with His children.

 **DAVID & KELLY GIBBS**  **ROOM E226 (JR. HIGH ROOM)** 

REPEATED  #7 | ROOM E123

### THE EASY WAY TO HIDE GOD'S WORD IN YOUR HEART

Have you ever felt frustrated at your inability to memorize Scripture? Do you even know why it is of value to hide God's Word in your heart? In this workshop you will learn a very easy method of memorizing God's Word that can impact a child or an adult in a tremendous way. You will learn how to easily incorporate memorizing Scripture into your daily routines, how to effectively review so you don't forget what you've memorized, how memorizing Scripture leads naturally to meditating on His Word, and how memorizing Scripture can renew and transform your mind!

 **BARBIE ENTERLINE**  **ROOM W206** 

REPEATED  #5 | ROOM E127

### CREATING A CULTURE OF CRITICAL THINKING IN YOUR CLASSROOM

Teaching children to think logically and independently is essential to raising up the next generation of believers to love the Lord their God with their heart, soul, and mind. How do we equip and train children to ask good questions, find biblical answers to their questions, and engage the culture for Jesus? Join us as we discuss simple and practical ways to create a healthy atmosphere of critical thinking in your children's ministry.

 **AMANDA CALLACI**  **ROOM W203** 

### DIGITAL ADDICTION: WHAT THE NEUROSCIENCE SHOWS

Neuroscience has revealed that brain scans of hard-core video gamers are nearly identical to cocaine addicts. Brain scans of porn addicts show more damage than heroin addicts. Thirty-five percent of victims of cyberbullying scored above the threshold for symptoms of Post Traumatic Stress Disorder, and twenty-nine percent of the teenagers who did cyberbullying also showed signs of PTSD. Research shows that more 35-year-olds play video games than teenagers. Mothers are often more addicted to social media than their daughters. This session explores these issues and more. *More information about Pastor Brad can be found at [bradhuddleston.com](http://bradhuddleston.com)*

 **BRAD HUDDLESTON**  **ROOM W201** 

### PUPPETS

Learn basic puppetry for the classroom, VBS, parks, and any special evangelizing events. Learn how to start your own team. Learn where to get puppets. This is a hands-on workshop.

 **RAY PORTILLO & JOSEPH YABBARA**  **ROOM E122** 

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# 1

### LEADING A CHILD TO CHRIST

What basic truths do children need to understand to make the decision to ask Jesus to be Lord of their lives? Different ideas like the Wordless Book, ABC's of Salvation, and others will be discussed. Come and consider the most important message God has given to the world - how to have a personal relationship with God through Jesus Christ.

 **DALTON O'NEAL**  **ROOM E126** 

### EXTINGUISHED AT BOTH ENDS

The 16th Century metaphor, "Burning the candle at both ends" describes people who exhaust themselves by trying to do too much. Attacks from people in ministry, family difficulties, while maintaining secular employment can be overwhelming. This workshop will explore the difficulties in maintaining a Biblical balance and offer Biblical solutions to help your candle to not burn out. Galatians 6:9: "Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up."

 **RON & JULIE CAGLE**  **ROOM E123** 

### EARLY CHILDHOOD: TEACHING PRESCHOOLERS TO LOVE WORSHIP

Reaching preschoolers and kindergarteners through worship is a very important responsibility. Helping them understand why and Who we worship is a great place to start. We will discuss how to choose age-appropriate songs, implementing hand motions, and using phrases they can understand and relate to.

 **LINDSEY TRUJILLO**  **ROOM E127** 

### HARDSHIPS IN MINISTRY

Hardships come in many different forms and at the most inconvenient times. They happen both in your personal life and in ministry. Are you experiencing these hardships? Are you ready to throw in the towel? What is the purpose of hardships? Am I alone? In this workshop, we will answer these questions and more as we look to God's Word and what He has to say about hardships and how we are to endure them.

 **STEVE WEST**  **ROOM E124** 

### INTERACTING WITH CHILDREN

"I'm terrified of working with kids," "I don't know how to treat kids or how to act around them." Have you ever heard someone say this? (Maybe you've secretly thought this yourself.) Why do people sometimes feel this way? What if it had little to do with natural talent of working with children, and more to do with actual skills - social skills for working with children, you might say? There are many skills that are important to have as a Sunday School teacher, but the skill of HOW you interact with children will do much for how smoothly your class goes, how much your students want to come to class, as well as how loved they feel leaving your class. These are skills that are important to know and apply whether we're new at working with kids or someone experienced who just wants to fine tune their interactions with children. In this workshop we will look at practical ways of interacting with children, that will both make us more confident in those interactions, as well as helping communicate more clearly to our students that our class is a safe place where they are cared for and loved.

 **ANNIE ENTERLINE**  **ROOM E125** 

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## 2

### 4:25 ~ 5:20

#### HOW TO TEACH USING THE INDUCTIVE METHOD

This session is designed to help teachers learn how to teach children the Bible using the Inductive Bible Study Method in the classroom. This approach not only helps the children understand the content of the Bible, but also teaches them how to study the Bible for themselves. This method also simplifies the preparation and teaching process for the teacher.

**DARIN DEVORE** **SANCTUARY**

#### THE HEART OF WORSHIP: TEACHING CHILDREN THE TRUE HEART OF WORSHIP

Oftentimes, worship is placed on the backburner within our ministries, even though it is highly esteemed in the Word of God. True worship has been overtaken by emotional songs, songs that have no connection to children's lives, and "fun" songs that have no meaning. We have disregarded the opportunity to teach our children how to worship and why we worship. In this interactive workshop, we will discuss ways to return to true worship, implement worship within the classroom, and connect God's Word with our worship time. In doing so, we instill in them the heart of worship by teaching them Who we worship, why we worship, and how we worship.

**ANAKAYLA ADAIR** **ROOM E223 (HIGH SCHOOL)**

#### BUILDING THE WALLS AROUND YOUR FAMILY

Raising a Christ centered family in these last days, I believe is more challenging than any other time in history. We will be looking at ways to guard and protect our hearts, spouses, children, and households from the distractions of the world, schemes of the enemy, and dying to our own flesh.

**JASON JOHNSON** **ROOM E226 (JR. HIGH ROOM)**

#### BALLOON EVANGELISM

A simple balloon can open the door to share the Gospel. Learn how to make simple balloon creations that can open a conversation and sharing of the Gospel. This is learning by doing.

**RON ROSE** **ROOM W208**

REPEATED #4 | **ROOM E123**

#### GOOD NEWS CLUB

Attend this session to learn how to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ with public school students. If you are a parent, grandparent, public school teacher, or concerned about the spiritual well-being of children, join this session to discover an opportunity to evangelize in public schools. Is this legal? Yes! In 2001, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled in *Good News Clubs v. Milford Central School* that Good News Clubs can meet in public schools in the United States after school hours on the same terms as other community groups. Children attend Good News Club only with parental permission. The purpose of Good News Club is to evangelize boys and girls with the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ and establish them in the Word of God and in a local church for Christian living. Currently, 80% of the children attending are unchurched. There's over 50 Good News Clubs taking place in the local area.

**JOYCE LEYVA** **ROOM W206**

#### TRAIN CHILDREN TO PRAY

Children don't know how to pray, yet it's one of the most important tools in a child's life. In this workshop, we will be covering this how to model prayer and then training the children to communicate with God. Someone needs to teach them to pray - are you that person?

**RUDY CARDENAS** **ROOM W203**

#### MIDWEEK MINISTRY

Launching a midweek children's ministry can feel overwhelming—but it doesn't have to be. This practical, hands-on workshop is designed for leaders who would like to build a thriving midweek children's ministry that fits their church's size, culture, and schedule. Participants will learn how to move from vision to execution, recruit and care for volunteers, create engaging and age-appropriate programming, and manage logistics with confidence. Whether you're starting from scratch or strengthening an existing program, this session will equip you with proven strategies, real-life examples, and clear next steps to help your midweek children's ministry grow with purpose and sustainability.

**TAMI PEÑA** **ROOM W201**

#### TEACHING 2-4 YEAR OLDS

In this workshop we will look at the Biblical purpose for teaching young children and how to truly appreciate the value of the young learner. We will also discuss how we can help in building the foundation of a young child's faith and how to inspire them to discover their identity in Christ. We will also consider different ideas, crafts, and activities.

**ANDREA DAHDOUH** **ROOM E123**

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# 2

### UNIQUE & ENGAGING TOOLS FOR YOUR KIDS' MINISTRY

In this workshop, Frank will demonstrate Open Air Campaigners' (OAC) effective ministry tools used regularly in our Children's Bible Clubs around the world. He will demonstrate a Bible verse puzzle & a Bible story/Gospel message utilizing a portable sketch board, florescent paints, a black-light, & our interactive lettering techniques. Additionally, he will present three powerful Gospel object lessons: The Three Ropes, Heaven in a Jar, & The Rat Trap of Faith. Lastly, he will show more ministry tools from their website - OACUSA.ORG.

 **FRANK BALDUS**  **ROOM E124** 

REPEATED  #6 | ROOM E124

### USING SCIENCE AS AN EVANGELISM AND FAITH BUILDING TOOL

In this workshop we will look at ways to use basic science object lessons to teach children the Gospel message and build up their faith.

 **ANDY CAMPOS**  **ROOM E125** 

REPEATED  #6 | ROOM E125

### THE ATTRIBUTES OF GOD

Come and learn an effective, yet easy teaching tool on the attributes of God. As Pastor Chuck used to say so often: "When we don't understand the 'Why God' questions, we need to go back to all we do understand about Him." But do the children really know what He is like? This workshop will equip you to teach 33 key attributes, what they mean, and the Scriptures to support each one. At the end of the workshop, you will have them all from memory. Children of all ages learn them quickly as their A-B-C's... and with fun! Come and sing along with us as we learn through songs as well!

 **DARLENE THEIS**  **ROOM E126** 



# FRIDAY WORKSHOP



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# 3

### DRAGONS, DINOSAURS, AND THE BIBLE (2<sup>ND</sup> HALF PORTION)

Have you ever been asked by a student, "Are dinosaurs mentioned in the Bible?" After taking this workshop you will be able to answer, "Yes, and let me show you where they are mentioned." This workshop will focus on the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of this 2-hour presentation which deals with what the BIBLE says about Dinosaurs.

**The following is the full presentation's description...** "In this engaging and informative presentation, we will look at the creatures, known throughout the world in ancient times as DRAGONS. Were they merely mythical, or do they have a basis in reality? What is the connection between the dragons of ancient times and the DINOSAURS that we find evidence of in the fossil record? Did dinosaurs go extinct 65 million years ago, as evolution teaches, or have dinosaurs always lived with man? And if so, were there dinosaurs on Noah's Ark? We delve into the LEGENDS, SIGHTINGS, ARTIFACTS & DISCOVERIES that surround these mysterious creatures and what the BIBLE, in overwhelming clarity, says about them."

More information about this event can be found at [CalvaryCurriculum.com/DDB](http://CalvaryCurriculum.com/DDB)

 **MATT ENTERLINE**  **SANCTUARY** 

### CASTING A BIBLICAL VISION FOR CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Why does your children's ministry exist? Can you clearly articulate what a children's ministry is designed to accomplish? This workshop will help you identify a biblical vision for children's ministry. Without a biblical vision, ministries become trendy programs or social clubs without direction. With biblical vision, a ministry can be Spirit-led, Jesus centered, and rooted in the Word of God.

 **MARK CARSON**  **GYM** 

### APOLOGETICS FOR KIDS

As kids grow in their faith, they start to ask big questions that may be intimidating for teachers. Leaders/teachers will learn the importance of teaching children apologetics and creating a question-safe atmosphere, as well as how to equip kids with the tools they need to defend their faith and answer these big questions. Both teachers and students can be confident that their faith is founded on fact and can use this information to be a light to the lost world around them. Topics include: "How do we know God exists?", "How do we know the Bible is true?", "How do we know Jesus is God?", "Is evolution real?", and more. (Most Suitable for 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grades)

 **AMANDA CALLACI**  **ROOM E223 (HIGH SCHOOL)** 

### HOW TO TAKE DIRECTION AS A LEADER

From a young age, we learn to follow the leader and maybe even strive to become the leader one day. However, when it comes to ministry, the best way to lead is to defer to our true Leader and remain close to Him. Learning to lean on the Lord for wisdom, conviction, strength, and encouragement is the only way we can run this race well and meet the needs of those around us. In this workshop we will use God's Word to remind ourselves of the kind of people God uses, how He uses them, and sustains them.

 **JACQUI WITT**  **ROOM E226 (JR. HIGH ROOM)** 

### CAPTURING THE HEARTS OF 4<sup>TH</sup>, 5<sup>TH</sup>, & 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS

There's not a generation left that has not been negatively affected by technology. We even see phones and tablets in baby strollers. According to Barna Research and Impact 360 Institute, the Biblical worldview among both Millennials and Gen Zer's is 4%. Gen Alpha is in trouble as well. In my experience, the hearts of those in grades four through six are still tender, even though most of them are addicted to technology. For those who teach those grades, it's crucial to "seize the moment" before they move on to higher grades. This session explores some strategies to do just that. **More information about Pastor Brad can be found at [bradhuddleston.com](http://bradhuddleston.com)**

 **BRAD HUDDLESTON**  **ROOM W208** 

### LEADING A CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

In this workshop we will look at the main areas of responsibility when leading a Children's Ministry. We will offer some best practices and tips. We will also take time to answer your questions. Leading a Children's Ministry can be intimidating but we know that our God is so wise and powerful. "For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them." Ephesians 2:10. Our goal is to encourage you. "God is faithful, by whom you were called into the fellowship of His Son, Jesus Christ our Lord." 1 Corinthians 1:9

 **DARIN DEVORE**  **ROOM W206** 

### ACTIVELY ENGAGING KINDERGARTENERS

We will consider age-appropriate ideas for ministering to kindergarteners and will look at how important it is to teach children about God and His love for them. We will also consider appropriate teaching methods.

 **OLGA CARDENAS**  **ROOM W203** 

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# 3

### STORYTELLING WITH DRAMA

This workshop will show creative ways to tell a Bible story using visuals and voice animation. We'll see the difference between reading a story and telling it. Make the Bible story come alive, so the children will be impacted and remember it!

 **JOHN SCHNEIDER**  **ROOM E122** 

REPEATED  #7 | ROOM E122

### MINISTRY BETWEEN THE LINES

Each child has needs which extend beyond the Sunday school classroom. Jesus taught and healed the "brokenhearted" (Luke 4:18). In addition to teaching His Word, this workshop will explore the real lives of children and what they are going through. The sensitivity of knowing their needs cannot be overstated. Our influence will be used by God to impact them for a lifetime.

 **RON & JULIE CAGLE**  **ROOM E123** 

REPEATED  #5 | ROOM E126

### CAMP GIDEON ~ CHILDREN'S OUTREACH:

#### SPECIAL EVENT FOR SUNDAY SCHOOLS & PARK OUTREACHES, OR MISSIONS

Learn how to set up and run an effective, yet simple, children's outreach event to reach children for the Lord. You will be taught about the different stations for a "Camp Gideon" event, including a puppet show, Bible teaching, crafts, and games. This workshop will also provide instructions on how to make an inexpensive, beautiful puppet show stage, as well as provide access to our free puppet show scripts and audio recordings.

 **MIKE & ANNA COLLIER**  **ROOM E124** 

REPEATED  #6 | ROOM E126

### TEACHING CHRISTIAN ESSENTIALS FOR YOUNG BELIEVERS

In this workshop learn how to teach basic biblical truths to new & young believers in a group setting. Grades 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> will learn fundamental & spiritual truths through a 10-week design course, using Scriptures that target those specific areas in order to build up a rock-solid foundation with Christ. Teach new believers: who they are in Christ, water baptism & communion, being a witness unto Jesus, baptism of the Holy Spirit, serving Jesus, and more. *(Appropriate for 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grades)*

 **RANDY HILL**  **ROOM E125** 

### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY VOLUNTEER SCREENING PROCESS

In times like today, we want to ensure we've done our due diligence in protecting and guarding the hearts of the children we minister to. In this workshop we'll go over the importance and the how-to of processing potential Children's Ministry volunteers to serve with children.

 **FADELA MICHEL**  **ROOM E126** 

### OBJECT LESSONS

Don't just use words to convey a spiritual truth! Powerful tools will be shared to help the children truly remember the truths of the Bible.

 **DALTON O'NEAL**  **ROOM E127** 

# **SATURDAY** **WORKSHOP**



**9:55 - 10:55**

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# 4

### TEACHING CHILDREN HOW TO GROW UP IN CHRIST

Have you ever met someone that has been in Christ for many years but has grown so little spiritually? How do we avoid this for the children that God has called us to minister to? In this workshop you will learn about some key areas of spiritual growth that need to be imparted to children in order for them to effectively grow up in Christ.

 **TATE COX**  **SANCTUARY** 

### DRAWINGS AND CREATIVE LESSONS ANYONE CAN DO

No skills, no talent, no creativity, no problem! Discover creative ways to bring your lessons to life through drawings, props, costumes, and miscellaneous debris. This workshop will help anyone make their lessons interactive, playful, colorful, memorable, and engaging to all your students.

 **MARK CARSON**  **GYM** 

### THE HEART OF WORSHIP: TEACHING CHILDREN THE TRUE HEART OF WORSHIP

We're living in a time where worship is being misconstrued in so many ways. From teaching the kids songs that are fun but yet have no lasting effect in their daily walk, to worship being based on emotions and experience. As overseer of a large children's worship ministry, we started noticing this was affecting our children. Some were engaged out of tradition, some as if it was a duty. Not many worshiped based on posture of heart. It's at this point that our perspective shifted into teaching our children the heart of worship. Who we worship, why we worship and how we worship are all factors we will cover in a fun yet effective way to capture the hearts of all the children in our ministry. We will cover many capacities, including classroom worship all the way to formal choir. This is an interactive workshop that prayerfully taken can help your children's worship ministry to thrive, and better yet, help you teach these kids to have the right posture of heart. The Heart of worship.

 **MYNOR BARDALES**  **ROOM E223 (HIGH SCHOOL)** 

### STRATEGIES FOR SUPPORTING SPECIAL NEEDS IN THE CLASSROOM

"For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them." Ephesians 2:10 Teaching special needs kids can be challenging, but it comes with great reward. This workshop is designed for leaders to gain confidence and learn practical tools needed to help special needs kids, in a mainstream classroom. As leaders, it is important to learn how to adapt to any situation, manage diverse learning styles/ behaviors, and collaborate effectively with their families. Our goal is to provide an environment where our kids can be successful and grow in the Lord.

 **CELINE MACHADO**  **ROOM E226 (JR. HIGH ROOM)** 

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 **LARRY ENTERLINE**  **ROOM W208** 

### EMPOWERING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

Having begun in the Spirit, are you now being made perfect by the flesh? Serving in ministry is a supernatural work that requires supernatural power. Oftentimes we are trying to accomplish this work in our own flesh. In this workshop we will answer the questions: What is this supernatural power? How do we receive this supernatural power? What are we able to accomplish with this supernatural power? "Not by might nor by power, but by My Spirit," Says the LORD of hosts.

 **STEVE WEST**  **ROOM W206** 

### GAMES IN THE CLASSROOM: REINFORCING THE BIBLE STUDY

Do you want to learn some awesome games to play in the classroom? Not only are they a blast to play, but these games are also designed to support the Bible study. As the kids play, you will see them react and learn in ways you haven't seen before. These games can be used with any Bible study. (Possibly 1<sup>st</sup> Grade, but for sure 2<sup>nd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grades)

 **MATT ENTERLINE**  **ROOM W203** 

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### INCORPORATING APOLOGETICS INTO YOUTH MINISTRY

Research shows that 60-70% of youth leave the church between the ages of 18-22. Those surveyed say the questioning of religious teachings is a very important reason for their lack of affiliation with a church. Young people have questions, yet most youth groups today focus on "having fun" rather than providing answers. Or students are simply told 'what' to believe, but not 'why' they should believe it. If the church will not give them the answer, the agnostic college professor or cult member knocking on the door will. This workshop will equip today's youth leader with practical ways to incorporate answers into their current youth ministry program, and how to have fun in the process!

 **SARAH ENTERLINE**  **ROOM W201** 

### TEACHING AND TRAINING THE LITTLES (K-2ND) USING CALVARY CURRICULUM'S CHILDREN'S CURRICULUM

Come explore the ways we can not only teach, but train up, the littles (K-2nd grade), in our churches in the ways of the Lord. Join me in this interactive workshop as we share ideas on how to make the Bible come alive to our youngest believers. We have the unique privilege of being a part of their salvation journey. A big responsibility... definitely, but one that God is able to equip us to do. John 13:34-35

 **LISA KRUSE**  **ROOM E122** 

### BALLOON EVANGELISM

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 **RON ROSE**  **ROOM E123** 

### TEACHING 5<sup>TH</sup> & 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS

We will consider age-appropriate ideas for ministering to children and we will look at how to teach children to respond and meet with God through His Word.

 **DUSTIN REEVES**  **ROOM E124** 

### MINISTRY MANUAL

God saw fit to give us a written Bible to help us know who He is and what He desires. Having a written Ministry Manual can be so helpful in communicating with your ministry servants the heart, principles, requirements, and procedures of your ministry. We will discuss the value and importance of having a written manual, as well as how to get started. We will even give you a copy of our Children's Ministry Manual.

 **DARIN DEVORE**  **ROOM E125** 

### TEACHING BEST PRACTICES FOR MULTI-GRADE LEVEL CLASSROOMS

Teaching in a combined classroom can be both rewarding and challenging. This workshop equips you with practical differentiation and classroom management strategies designed to meet the needs of students across multiple grade levels. You'll learn how to structure lessons, engage diverse learners, and create an organized welcoming environment that supports productive learning and effective ministry--no matter the age range in your room.

 **CAMBRIA RODRIQUEZ**  **ROOM E126** 

### TEACHING CHILDREN TO PRAY

God's design from the beginning is that people, young and old, would have a relationship with their Creator. But, knowing that no relationship is stronger than its communication, it becomes vital that we communicate with God. For without communication, the relationship becomes distant. But, through the glorious privilege of prayer, we are drawn into the very presence of a wonderful Holy God. Children too, can experience the blessing of talking with God through prayer. It is important that we teach them this while they are still young, and this is what will be discussing in this workshop.

 **DALTON O'NEAL**  **ROOM E127** 

# **SATURDAY** **WORKSHOP**



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### ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE: BLESSING OR CURSE?

The stats are in for the top 100 ways people used artificial intelligence in 2025. The TOP 3 are: 1. *Therapy/companionship* 2. *Organize my life* 3. *Find Purpose* Think about that. Instead of turning to God or another human for counsel or friendship, the masses are bonding with something artificial, and sometimes lethal. Cases are now popping up in courts because companion chatbots are coercing some people to commit suicide. 72% of teenagers have used AI companion bots at least once. And Christians are not immune. Students worldwide are using AI to cheat, leaving educators panicked and bewildered. In 2024, 66% of college undergraduates used AI. As of last year, that number rocketed to 92%. These two issues are just the tip of the iceberg of what we will be exploring in this session. How should a biblical worldview affect the believer's use of artificial intelligence? Are Christians in danger of replacing a faith that demands patience and seeking with the immediate answers that AI can provide? *More information about Pastor Brad can be found at [bradhuddleston.com](http://bradhuddleston.com)*

 **BRAD HUDDLESTON**  **SANCTUARY** 

### TEACHING GOD'S WORD

One of the greatest joys in serving the Lord is to discover the truth of God's Word and declare that truth to others. In this amazing workshop, you will learn simple and practical ways to study and communicate the Bible with those of any age. You will be able to use these time-tested, proven methods, every time you teach, and they will be a blessing to you and others. After attending this workshop you will be inspired like never before in the high and holy calling of teaching God's Word.

 **LARRY POWERS**  **GYM** 

### HIGH SCHOOL MINISTRY A-Z

This is a practical workshop that anyone in any area of ministry can glean from. You will leave with a practical knowledge of roles and responsibilities of anyone from lay to full-time ministry. We will discuss the do's and don'ts of ministry, calling, weekly services, events and more!

 **SHADRACH MEANS**  **ROOM E223 (HIGH SCHOOL)** 

### JR HIGH MINISTRY: THE LEAST DESIRED BUT MOST IMPORTANT MINISTRY

If there is one age group that tends to get a bad rap, it's junior high students. In this workshop you will hear about why this is arguably the most important age to ensure that the Gospel gets through to students and how to effectively do so.

 **TATE COX**  **ROOM E226 (JR. HIGH ROOM)** 

### THE SMALLEST OF THESE: SERVING BABIES IN THE NURSERY

Everyone loves babies... but some of us love them just a little bit more. Being called to serve the smallest of our church family is more than changing diapers, and in this workshop, we will discuss the lasting effects it can have on the baby, the church, and you! We will also be going over what's needed for a safe and efficient nursery room, the art of communicating and connecting with parents, some tips and tricks of the trade, and how to work with your fellow servants in a room full of crying babies.

 **KATRINA CHAVEZ**  **ROOM W208** 

### SONGS THAT TEACH

Come and learn how to teach (through simple melodies that most of us know) the many truths of the Bible. You and your children will learn things like: The Days of Creation; The 10 Commandments; The Books of the Old and New Testaments; The 12 Disciples; The 12 Tribes of Israel; Joseph's Life; How to Witness for Christ; and even be an example for their country through the new verse of "God Bless America"! All accomplished through fun singing and participation. Even non-singers are blessed.

 **DARLENE THEIS**  **ROOM W206** 

### USING QUESTIONS WHEN TEACHING CHILDREN

Using questions while teaching can often be a simple, while at the same time, a powerful tool. When we use questions to teach in the classroom, we can help the children to pay attention and understand the lesson, while teachers can be helped to communicate and also gain insight into how well the children are understanding what is being taught.

 **ANNIE ENTERLINE**  **ROOM W203** 

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### TEACHING LITTLE ONES TO LOVE GOD AND KNOW HIS WORD

Teaching little ones the Bible is so important. But it should also be fun! In this workshop, we will look at different ways we can teach our preschoolers. Through worship, prayer, reading His Word, and fun activities, there's so many ways we can teach them all about our great God and His awesome Word. (*Preschool - K*)

 **LINDSEY TRUJILLO**  **ROOM W201** 

### PUPPETS

Learn basic puppetry for the classroom, VBS, parks, and any special evangelizing events. Learn how to start your own team. Learn where to get puppets. This is a hands-on workshop.

 **RAY PORTILLO & JOSEPH YABBRA**  **ROOM E122** 

### HAVING FUN TEACHING 2-5 YEAR-OLDS

I will share from my heart to yours, how to incorporate songs and simple tools in how to let the Lord use us to make lasting memories in the little ones' hearts. We can be His vessels that can let His love flow through us to these precious children.

 **REGGIE ADELARRS**  **ROOM E123** 

### CHARACTERISTICS FOR EFFECTIVE LEADERSHIP IN MINISTRY

This class is specifically intended for those who feel called to any leadership role in the ministry. We will take a look at 1st Timothy chapter 3, where Paul shares with a young Timothy the qualifications that are essential for those who desire to be an effective leader. We will go in-depth on various characteristics given in this chapter, so we can fully see what the Lord asks of those He has called to leadership.

 **JASON JOHNSON**  **ROOM E124** 

### THE CALLING IN CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

What is a calling and why is it needed? Are you willing to yield to the Spirit of God? Come and see if you comply to God's molding. We will share some important truths on this subject that will help your ministry.

 **RUDY CARDENAS**  **ROOM E125** 

### MINISTRY BETWEEN THE LINES

Each child has needs which extend beyond the Sunday school classroom. Jesus taught and healed the "brokenhearted" (Luke 4:18). In addition to teaching His Word, this workshop will explore the real lives of children and what they are going through. The sensitivity of knowing their needs cannot be overstated. Our influence will be used by God to impact them for a lifetime.

 **RON & JULIE CAGLE**  **ROOM E126** 

### THE EASY WAY TO HIDE GOD'S WORD IN YOUR HEART

Have you ever felt frustrated at your inability to memorize Scripture? Do you even know why it is of value to hide God's Word in your heart? In this workshop you will learn a very easy method of memorizing God's Word that can impact a child or an adult in a tremendous way. You will learn how to easily incorporate memorizing Scripture into your daily routines, how to effectively review so you don't forget what you've memorized, how memorizing Scripture leads naturally to meditating on His Word, and how memorizing Scripture can renew and transform your mind!

 **BARBIE ENTERLINE**  **ROOM E127** 

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### EXPLAINING COMPLEX CONCEPTS SIMPLY

Every adult dreads it when kids ask the difficult questions. Many shy away from teaching simply because they don't know how to answer questions like "If God created everything, who created God?", "How can God be three and one at the same time?", or "Where did Cain's wife come from?" Often, adults will be well-meaning in their answers, but can accidentally teach false doctrine by using analogies that fall short in their explanation of our amazing God and His creation. In this workshop, you will hear the most common "tough" questions that kids ask, and learn how to answer them age-appropriately, while avoiding bad analogies that could accidentally lead a child astray.

 **SARAH ENTERLINE**  **SANCTUARY** 

### DISCIPLINE IN THE HOME & CLASSROOM: HEART PRINCIPLES THAT WORK

Train up a child in the way they should go. These simple rules for life will revolutionize your home, and as well the classroom, creating order and an atmosphere of honoring one another. Learn how simple it is to create an environment that the children can learn in. These honor based, God-given principles for life apply in the home as well as in the classroom. Does your child know the meaning of repentance or just saying the word sorry? What if the child won't listen to our instructions? We will discuss clear and simple ways to teach and train children what is involved with repenting of their sins. This is a wonderful approach to the discipline process.

 **LARRY ENTERLINE**  **GYM** 

### CLEARLY COMMUNICATING BIBLICAL TRUTHS

If you're a Bible teacher who wants children to grow in their knowledge of God's Word, this workshop is for you. Learn how to clearly communicate to children so they understand the Bible lessons you take time to prepare and teach. Through the use of visual aids, word pictures, and simple questions you will make your Bible lessons more dynamic, meaningful, and memorable to children.

 **MARK CARSON**  **ROOM E223 (HIGH SCHOOL)** 

### USING THE WORD OF GOD AS YOUR TEXTBOOK

In today's world there are many different resources we can use in teaching the children in our classroom. While there is nothing wrong with using these resources, we sometimes, unknowingly, become dependent upon them rather than using the Word of God as our primary resource. In this workshop we will see how, by using the Word of God as our primary resource, we are giving the kids an opportunity to let God speak directly to their hearts and respond directly to Him. *(Appropriate for 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grades)*

 **STEVE WEST**  **ROOM E226 (JR. HIGH ROOM)** 

### TRAINING CHILDREN TO PRAY: THE ACTS METHOD

Talking with God through prayer is one of the most crucial aspects of the Christian life, but it can sometimes feel intimidating for children. Young believers may feel like they don't know what to say or how to start. Join us as we discuss a simple acronym (ACTS) and practical ways to train children to have a prayer life that is their very own. This workshop is best suitable for elementary students.

 **AMANDA CALLACI**  **ROOM W208** 

### TEACHING 1<sup>ST</sup> GRADE

In this workshop we will look at key ingredients in reaching the hearts of these little ones. Relationship at this age is so important. We will consider how to impact these young lives for eternity.

 **DALTON O'NEAL**  **ROOM W206** 

### EVANGELISTIC CRAFTS THAT KEEP ON SPEAKING

Children's Ministry events and outreaches often involve crafts. Kids love making crafts. But, as you might know, quality crafts can be a challenge to find or develop. In this class you will be taught several crafts appropriate for ages 5-14, that could be used in a VBS, camp, or evangelistic outreach. You will receive written instructions for each craft, plus you will get to make one yourself. Unique to the crafts presented in this workshop is the built-in gospel message, using the colors of the "Wordless Book." The children will enjoy making these crafts, all while learning of the great gift God has for them through Jesus!

 **ROSEMARY & JORGE FERNANDEZ**  **ROOM W203** 

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### TEACHING YOUTH

Today's youth are faced with many major cultural challenges, affecting their spiritual lives and walks with God. With today's culture attempting to change what the Bible says, instead of the Bible changing the culture, is it possible to effectively teach the Bible verse-by-verse to our youth? In this workshop, we will look at why teaching our youth the Bible is one of the most important things we can do in our classrooms today. We will discover that teaching verse-by-verse can be engaging and "relevant" to today's culture. We will talk about why we "should not shrink from declaring the counsel of God."

 **DUSTIN REEVES**  **ROOM W201** 

### SETTING A FIRM FOUNDATION: TRAINING UP OUR CHILDREN

"The wise man built his house upon the Rock." Although we will teach our children many things throughout life, the Bible calls us to train them up. We want our children to build their lives on a firm foundation, the solid rock of Jesus Christ. Gain a better understanding of what training means and what training up a child in the ways of the Lord looks like.

 **ANDREA DAHDOUN**  **ROOM E123** 

### UNIQUE & ENGAGING TOOLS FOR YOUR KIDS' MINISTRY

In this workshop, Frank will demonstrate Open Air Campaigners' (OAC) effective ministry tools used regularly in our Children's Bible Clubs around the world. He will demonstrate a Bible verse puzzle & a Bible story/Gospel message utilizing a portable sketch board, florescent paints, a black-light, & our interactive lettering techniques. Additionally, he will present three powerful Gospel object lessons: The Three Ropes, Heaven in a Jar, & The Rat Trap of Faith. Lastly, he will show more ministry tools from their website - OACUSA.ORG.

 **FRANK BALDUS**  **ROOM E124** 

### USING SCIENCE AS AN EVANGELISM AND FAITH BUILDING TOOL

In this workshop we will look at ways to use basic science object lessons to teach children the Gospel message and build up their faith.

 **ANDY CAMPOS**  **ROOM E125** 

### CAMP GIDEON ~ CHILDREN'S OUTREACH: SPECIAL EVENT FOR SUNDAY SCHOOLS & PARK OUTREACHES, OR MISSIONS

Learn how to set up and run an effective, yet simple, children's outreach event to reach children for the Lord. You will be taught about the different stations for a "Camp Gideon" event, including a puppet show, Bible teaching, crafts, and games. This workshop will also provide instructions on how to make an inexpensive, beautiful puppet show stage, as well as provide access to our free puppet show scripts and audio recordings.

 **MIKE & ANNA COLLIER**  **ROOM E126** 

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### DIGITAL REHABILITATION: HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE?

South Korea has won the war for digital supremacy globally, but they are paying a heavy price. The government of that small country has opened 400 technology rehabilitation centers. This section explores some of the research surrounding digital addiction and offers strategies and solutions from a scientific and, most importantly, Biblical worldview. God wants His children to be well and fully engaged with Him. *More information about Pastor Brad can be found at [bradhuddleston.com](http://bradhuddleston.com)*

 **BRAD HUDDLESTON**  **SANCTUARY** 

### CHAOS TO COLLABORATION: TRANSFORMING YOUR CLASSROOM FROM FRUSTRATION TO FANTASTIC!

Is it possible to command the attention of hundreds of children with a simple phrase? What word could make rambunctious kids stop moving and stand perfectly still? Are you tired of repeating the same commands repeatedly with no impact? In this workshop you will learn simple ways to switch your classroom from chaos to collaboration with research-based methods to transform the culture of your classroom from frustration to fantastic!

 **MARK CARSON**  **GYM** 

### PRIORITIZING BIBLE PROFICIENCY IN YOUR MINISTRY

God's Word is the greatest weapon and tool we have, and yet, many of our children do not see its value or do not know how to use it. In this workshop, we will discuss the importance of focusing our time on training children to use their Bibles. You will learn how to teach children to navigate God's Word, implement Bible reading plans, and start a Bible memory program. The Lord has given us His Word, so let's be faithful in teaching this vital skill.

 **JACQUILYN WITT**  **ROOM E223 (HIGH SCHOOL)** 

### TEACHING 4 YEAR OLDS

Learn how to effectively run a 4 year old classroom from start to finish using puppetry, humor, and a variety of other engaging activities.

 **JEFF MARINO**  **ROOM E226 (JR. HIGH ROOM)** 

### REACHING CHILDREN OUTSIDE CHURCH

We will consider the unique challenges of evangelizing children outside the church along with some specific ways of sharing about Jesus with the children.

 **RUDY CARDENAS**  **ROOM W208** 

### THE EASY WAY TO TEACH THE BIBLE AT HOME TO YOUR CHILDREN (HOMESCHOOL GUIDE)

Using our Homeschool Guide, learn how to easily and effectively teach your children the Bible at home using Calvary Curriculum's Children's Bible studies. If you already homeschool or want to teach the Bible to your children at home, this workshop will help you! This information is also appropriate and applies to teaching Sunday School and other ministries to children.

 **BARBIE ENTERLINE**  **ROOM W206** 

### THE HOLY SPIRIT

Jesus said, "He will give you another Helper, that He may abide with you forever." It's so important for children to have an understanding of the Holy Spirit. Jesus also said, "the Helper, the Holy Spirit...He will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all things that I said to you." God gives His Holy Spirit to children, as well as to adults, and in this workshop we will discuss the importance and the great need for children to also receive the Holy Spirit into their lives. We will talk about how you can lead the children to receive the baptism of the Holy Spirit in a classroom or camp setting. We want children to know the fullness of a life influenced by the Holy Spirit in this way and it's our privilege to teach them and to lead them.

 **DUSTIN REEVES**  **ROOM W201** 

### STORYTELLING WITH DRAMA

This workshop will show creative ways to tell a Bible story using visuals and voice animation. We'll see the difference between reading a story and telling it. Make the Bible story come alive, so the children will be impacted and remember it!

 **JOHN SCHNEIDER**  **ROOM E122** 





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### TEACHING 3<sup>RD</sup> - 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADES

This workshop will focus on how to promote participation, dialogue, and engagement, with His children.

 **DAVID & KELLY GIBBS**  **ROOM E123** 

### HOW TO RESPOND TO SUSPECTED ABUSE OR A CHILD IN NEED

Children's safety is the highest priority. It is important that we know how to respond to a child in need. We will look at our role as children's ministry leaders/teachers in response to suspected abuse, the signs a child needs help, and how to establish and keep a safe environment for a child in your ministry.

 **LINDSEY TRUJILLO**  **ROOM E126** 