

2008

SOVEREIGN GRACE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION ANNUAL CONFERENCE

GROWING CHRIST'S CHURCH GOD'S WAY JULY 14-17

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH Otisville, Michigan

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MONDAY - JULY 14	TUESDAY - JULY 15	WEDNESDAY - JULY 16	THURSDAY - JULY 17
	8:30 PRAYER	8:30 PRAYER	8:30 PRAYER
OPENING SESSION 8:00 PM	9:00 SEMINAR 1 9:45 SEMINAR 2	9:00 SEMINAR 3 9:45 SEMINAR 4	9:00 SEMINAR 5 9:45 SEMINAR 6
OUR TIMES AND CULTURE: UNDERSTANDING POSTMODERNISM	11:00 THE STRUCTURE OF DOING THEOLOGY IN BIBLICAL NARRA- TIVE (HOW TO PREACH TO OUR CULTURE)	11:00 PREACHING FROM A NARRATIVE PASSAGE ILLUSTRATED.	11:00 MISSIONAL MINISTRY IN A POSTMODERN CONTEXT
DR. JAMES GRIER	2:00 LUNCH AT THE CHURCH ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING	LUNCH AT THE CHURCH	LUNCH AT THE CHURCH END OF CONFERENCE
	7:00 ALTERNATIVE RESPONSES FOR MISSIONAL MINISTRY	7:00 GLORY, PRESENCE & WORSHIP FOR GROWING THE CHURCH	

- ⇒ Know and understand postmodernism and its implications for ministry
 - ⇒ Apply principles of narrative preaching in handling text
- ⇒ Evaluate the tenets and goals of the Emergent Church Movement
 - ⇒ Significant increment in affection for Christ and His church
- ⇒ Know & understand how to present the gospel in a postmodern context
 - ⇒ Develop a canonical worldview
 - ⇒ Place a high value on gospel preaching in the present context

9:00 & 9:45 SEMINAR TOPICS

Regenerate Church Membership - Fred Leuck
Church Discipline - Rodney Grey
Baptism - Larry Mattis
Lord's Supper - John Tucker
Soul Liberty - Ron Shinkle
Autonomy of Local Church - Jerry Locher

Lunch will be served each day for all who desire it (no charge) and a different snack after each evening session. Coffee, Muffins, fruit, etc. will be served at the 10:30 intermission between the morning sessions. Nursery facilities are available to Moms during the day. Attended nursery for the evening sessions.

DIRECTIONS

From Flint, Michigan, take Rt. 69 East toward Clarkston/Davison. Take M-15 North to North Street. There is a barber shop located on the corner. The church is located across from the Hickory Meat Block.

PHONE: 810.631.6605/810.631.4363



HOTELS

DAVISON APPROX. 10 MILES

Comfort Inn
810.658.2700

LAPEER APPROX. 20 MILES

Fairfield Inn Best Western
810.245.7700 810.667.9444

BIRCH RUN APPROX. 17 MILES

Best Western Comfort Inn
989.624.9395 989.624.7777
Holiday Inn Express Hampton Inn
888.624.9300 989.624.2500
Country Inns & Suites Super 8
989.624.8000 800.800.80000

FRANKENMUTH APPROX. 22 MILES

Bavarian Inn Lodge Drury Inn & Suites
989.652.2800 989.652.2800
Fairfield Inn Frankenmuth Motel
989.652.5000 989.652.6171
Marv Herzog Hotel Springhill Suites
989.652.4700 989.652.7500

Zehnders Splash Village Hotel & Water park Very limited space is available in homes.
989.652.0400

RESERVATIONS

Please let us know you are coming to help us with our preparations. Contact:

Linda Heyworth
8466 N. Irish Road Otisville, MI 48463
810.631.4681
\$10 p/person by mail or at the door

BED & BREAKFASTS

Cinnamon Stick Farm - Clio, MI - 810.686.8391
www.cinnamonstickfarmbrb.com

NOTE: There are also Bed and Breakfasts in Frankenmuth and the surrounding area. Frankenmuth Chamber of Commerce: 800.FUN TOWN www.frankenmuth.org

AREA ATTRACTIONS: Frankenmuth Village; Crossroads Village & Huckleberry Railroad; Bronners Christmas Wonderland; Prime Outlets Birch Run; For-Mar Nature Preserve & Arboretum; Golf; Flint Cultural Center

CAMPGROUNDS

Covenant Hills Camp - RV & Tent Camping - Clio, MI
810.631.CAMP www.covenanthills.org
Frankenmuth Jellystone Park - cabins, campsites, rentals
989.652.6668 www.frankenmuthjellystone.com
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