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DECEMBER - JANUARY

OCTOBER

- 🔥 North Central Regional Relational Center: October 1 – Daytona
- 🔥 Monthly Connecting Conversation: ***Prayer for those impacted by Hurricane Ian***: October 4
 - 🔥 South Regional Relational Center: October 8 – Miami #1
 - 🔥 North West Regional Relational Center: October 15 – Panama City, (Grace Fellowship)
- 🔥 Presiding Bishop/General Presbyter & Assembly Committee Meetings: October 17-21 – Cleveland, TN
 - 🔥 North American Bishops Meeting: October 23-26 – Cleveland, TN
 - 🔥 School of Evangelism: October 21-23 – Ormond Beach

NOVEMBER

- 🔥 Monthly Connecting Conversation: November 8
- 🔥 South Central Regional Relational Center: November 12 – Arcadia
- 🔥 District 10 Women's Conference: November 11-12 – Ormond Beach
 - 🔥 Thanksgiving: November 24

DECEMBER

- 🔥 Monthly Connecting Conversation: December 6
- 🔥 Florida Ministries Team Christmas Gathering: December 3
 - 🔥 Christmas: December 25
- 🔥 Winter Retreat: December 30 – January 1, Camp Sonshine

JANUARY

- 🔥 Prayer Conference: January 28, Camp Sonshine





FIVE QUESTIONS TO DISCERN SPIRITUAL CHARACTER IN A LEADER

Dan Reiland

Can you think of a time that you selected someone for a leadership position, and it didn't work out well? Yup.

Most of us who have served in leadership positions, at least for any length of time, have made a few bad choices, and sometimes it's a painful learning experience. It's not always easy to know how it will all work out. Yet, the temptation today is to make quick decisions based on pressure or even a sense of desperation.

Many churches are finding it difficult to find and recruit high-capacity volunteer leaders and even more challenging to find and hire great leaders to join their staff team.

There is no simple or perfect solution, and in all cases, it's a multi-dimensional process, including significant factors from knowing your culture to a commitment to developing leaders and the leaders you select.

There is something you can do that will make a big difference. *First, pay attention to the spiritual character of the leaders you select.* One of the most important factors in selecting leaders is your ability to discern spiritual character. Skill is quantitative; it's more visible and easier to measure against known benchmarks.

Discerning character is more subjective, but knowing what to look for can remove much of the mystery and lower the risk as you select and develop leaders.

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Five questions help you discern spiritual character

These five questions are not questions to ask a potential leader you are considering for your team. These are questions you ask yourself about the leader.

1) Will they follow?

The willingness and ability to follow reveal the attitude of a leader. Jesus never did anything outside the will or authority of His Father in Heaven. Though Jesus was trusted and empowered with divine authority, he never abused it. Instead, Jesus submitted to and fully followed the will of His Father. What can we learn from this?

If a leader seems more interested in their ideas and their way than the good of the team and the mission's progress, that is a yellow flag regarding their spiritual character.

Philippians 2:5-6 teaches that we are to embrace the same mindset or attitude of Jesus in His submission to the will and purpose of the Father. Individuality, initiative, and unique expression are good qualities in a leader, but not when it trumps their ability to follow those in leadership over them.

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2) Will they serve?

The joyful initiative to serve reveals the heart of a leader. Jesus modeled serving others from washing feet to miraculously feeding thousands of people in a day; it was always others first. If a person seems more focused on being in charge than serving others, it's time to raise a yellow flag in your consideration of them for leadership.



I enjoyed getting acquainted with a sharp businessman, new to our church, who was interested in being on the usher team. Of course, I was excited about that and suggested a specific team he could start on and told him the name of the section leader who reported to the service leader. He quickly jumped in and said, "No, I don't want just to be an usher; I want to lead the whole team." I suggested he start by serving, and he politely declined.

This story is a bit extreme but reveals the heart of many who struggle to embrace serving as the heart of leading.

Following and serving are not only prerequisites to leading, but the heart behind these two qualities must remain in place throughout a person's leadership for their spiritual character to remain strong.

3) Will they learn?

The eagerness to learn reveals the ego of a leader. Leaders are lifelong learners. The moment you stop growing is the moment your leadership begins a slow descent. The heart-level disposition of a true student reveals humility over pride. They are hungry to learn from anyone, and no one wants to follow a leader who thinks they know it all.

I'm drawn to leaders like Kevin Myers and John Maxwell, who, when they sit and listen to younger leaders or leaders with less experience, take notes! They quietly send a loud message. I'm a student. I'm still learning. I don't know it all.

Leaders who are learners listen well, ask questions, take notes, read much, and apply what they learn!

There is a certain amount of ego that is healthy and good. As a leader, you need confidence and security rather than fear and insecurity. However, that must always be tempered with the heart of humility and the willingness to learn, change and grow.

My book, *Confident Leader*, may be helpful to you. The first two sections deal with your identity in Christ and your character as a Christian leader.

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4) Will they sacrifice?

The willingness to sacrifice reveals the perspective of a leader.

Jesus paid the ultimate sacrifice in His leadership (Kingship / Headship) of the church. His death and resurrection combined constitute the church's foundation (the body of Christ.) It's not likely that we'll be required to sacrifice our physical lives as part of our calling to spiritual leadership, but sacrifice is always part of Godly leadership. Jesus' life demonstrated there is no church without sacrifice.

The fact that a leader will sacrifice and the reason for the sacrifice communicates an eternal perspective. Spiritual character is formed by intentionally building your treasures in Heaven rather than on earth. A lack of willingness to sacrifice reveals a flaw in one's character. It's not about "how much" or what you sacrifice that leads to judgementalism. It's a matter of the heart between the leader and God.

Sacrifice, with eternity and God's glory in mind, is a distinctly different and unique worldview that shapes the spiritual character of a Christian leader.

5) Will they be honest?

The ability to be consistently honest reveals the maturity of a leader.

On a somewhat dramatic level, we've all read the headlines of fallen leaders who refused to get honest, be honest, and remain honest.

An honest (or dishonest) life doesn't start with headlines in the news; it begins within the quietness of your heart before God. One day at a time.

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The road to maturity begins with self-awareness and knowing what identity in Christ truly means. The quality of honesty in the leaders and potential leaders you select cannot be overestimated.

Dan Reiland is a coach, consultant, author, teacher, husband, Father, and grandfather. He brings decades of local church executive leadership experience to his current ministry endeavors focusing on helping leaders excel.

Dan currently serves on the leadership team and church board and is Executive Director of Leadership Expansion at [12Stone Church](#) in Lawrenceville, Georgia. He served for 20 years as the Executive Pastor. He previously partnered with [John Maxwell](#) for 20 years, first as Executive Pastor at [Skyline Wesleyan Church](#) in San Diego, then as Vice President of Leadership and Church Development at Dr. Maxwell.

Dan is best known as a leader with a pastor's heart and a coach's intuition. He truly loves the local church and is considered one of the nation's most insightful executive leadership coaches and church consultants, bringing wisdom and experience to the process. Dan has written four books on the church and church leadership and writes a weekly blog at [danreiland.com](#).

Dan and his wife Patti have two children, a son-in-law and one granddaughter. In his leisure time, he's a collector of really cool guitars! If you are curious, you can check them out here!





6 TYPES OF PEOPLE TODAY'S CHURCH LEADERS HAVE TO TRY TO SHEPHERD A SINGLE CONGREGATION

By James Scott Jr.

When you think of your local church, you probably conjure up a picture of a group of people that has little variation to it.



But the truth is, when describing any group of people, including a local church, you're dealing with a conglomerate of individuals, complete with their own temperaments, personalities, characters, and lots (and lots!) of individual opinions.

Shepherding a local church is like herding cats; just harder!

To help you better understand one of the many challenges church leaders face in shepherding the flock of God put into their care, it's important to understand that in each congregation, you'll likely find a ***mix*** of these six types of people attending that local church:

Godly – Mature. These are those Christians who have been well-disciplined and have spent a long time growing in the grace and knowledge of the Lord. These Christians can serve in leading ways in the church, such as in key teaching positions, as disciplers of new converts, and other Christians "young" in the faith. These Christians are usually tapped to serve as elders, deacons, and ministry leaders. They are not perfect, but they have matured well in the faith and continue to grow while also leading church servants. There aren't many of these people in most churches, but there could be.



Godly – Developing disciples. These Christians aren't as mature as the "Godly – Mature" leaders noted above. Still, they are devoted to being disciplined and are in earlier stages of developing well as faithful and obedient followers of Jesus. It's exciting to watch these people continue in their spiritual formation over the years, and it is just that — a process that takes time. But they are in this for life! This type of person should be commonplace in most churches, but they aren't because we often fail to disciple people properly so that they're actually "developing disciples."

Undisciplined – Most people in any American church will tell you they have never been in a discipling relationship. They may attend church and perhaps attend a Sunday School class or home group, but that's all the "discipling" they've experienced in their local church. These people are undisciplined. They are biblically illiterate and do not have a biblical worldview. Unfortunately, according to recent research, these types of people make up the majority of churchgoers in American churches.

Functional atheists – These people are not "classic" atheists because they profess faith in Jesus Christ. They may serve in leading positions in the church, even in teaching positions, and they can quote some scripture. These people are good at "talking the talk," but what makes them "functional atheists" is that they don't "walk the walk"; they profess faith in Christ, but how they live their lives each day is the opposite of a life of faithful obedience to, and followership of, Jesus Christ (living as a disciple). This group of people aren't "lumped in" with the "Undisciplined" noted above because some of these people have been disciplined, yet they do not live out what they have been taught or what they profess to believe. Along with the Undisciplined, this type makes up a majority of the people in the church today.

Lukewarm – Why have I listed the Lukewarm churchgoer under functional atheists? Because these are the type of people whose lukewarm devotion to Christ is so distasteful to Jesus, it makes Him want to spit, kind of like the Christians in the church at Laodicea:

To the angel of the church in Laodicea write: These are the words of the Amen, the faithful and true witness, the ruler of God's creation. I know your deeds, that you are neither cold nor



hot. I wish you were either one or the other! So, because you are lukewarm—neither hot nor cold—I am about to spit you out of my mouth. (Revelation 3:14-16)

These people may show up, but that's it. They are not hot for Christ — and His church — or cold. They sit there. They aren't interested in being discipled, but they aren't leaving. You can't recruit them to serve, and they don't give. They are utterly lukewarm.

Lost – In most churches, there are people who have not made any profession of faith in Christ. They may be reading and studying the Bible to learn more or just coming to see and hear. They may be curious; others search for truth or "answers to life." They are not followers of Christ, but they are willing to hear the Gospel, to learn more about Jesus and His church, because they're showing up to at least go that far.

So the next time you wonder why your church leaders lead the way they do, especially when your local church is gathered, remember they have the challenge of trying to shepherd different types of people, and there's nothing simple or easy about that.

Dr. James Scott, Jr. is a minister, Christian clinical therapist, author, and former church planter and now serves as Founder & President of the Scott Free Clinic.



Heart 2 Heart Ministries

October 2022

A Leaf Lesson

The landscape around the nation is about to unfold with majestic hues. Have you ever explored how and why this burst of color? If you think it's because of the cooler temperatures, you'd be partially correct as temperature is a factor. However, it's not the main cause for the color canopy.

The primary reason for the leaves turning colors is that the chlorophyll breaks down. As it turns out, those brilliant tones that come to the forefront were actually always present. In other words, the leaves don't change colors, it's just that the green goes away revealing the ever-present pigments of yellow, purple, burgundy, orange and red. The colors in autumn leaves depends on which of the pigments were most plentiful in the leaf. Interesting.

So, why do the leaves fall from the trees? As the chlorophyll breaks down, tiny pipelines which once carried water and food between the leaf and stem become plugged. The result, the leaves die and detach themselves from the tree branch. Consider one last thought regarding fall foliage. Isn't it interesting that leaves show their greatest beauty in death? They have spent the spring and summer months growing and producing, then comes autumn, a season of death, and all of creation applauds their beauty.

Spiritually, can dying to ourselves be any different? No! There is nothing more beautiful, more striking than a woman of faith releasing to embrace the purpose and plans of God for her life as she abides in Christ. Such a life is always noticed as a blaze of glory.

As we enjoy the breathtaking images of autumn over the next several months, intentionally observe the beauty of this season and consider the process of dying that produces such beauty. No doubt there are things in your heart and life that needs to be released, just as in my life. May we invite Holy Spirit to release any behavior, mindset, or attitude that needs to be graciously released. In letting go, true beauty emerges.

The trees are about to show us how lovely it is to let things go...*let's do the same.*
—Brenda

In observance of Pastor Appreciation Month, the *Heart 2 Heart Leadership Team* is delighted to speak words of affirmation over you. No one knows the thrills or ills of this role unless they have walked in our shoes. Our greatest hope is that you are spiritually healthy that you might thrive, not simply survive in your calling.

The signature verse for *Heart 2 Heart Ministries* is *“Two are better than one; because they have a good reward for their labour. For if they fall, the one will lift up his fellow: but woe to him that is alone when he falleth; for he hath not another to help him up”* (Ecc. 4:9-10). It goes without saying, your spouse needs you, you need your ministry peers, and we all need Jesus! We live our lives in the context of relationships and our dependence upon one another is God-designed.

Should you ever feel abused, refused, or used, by those in your sphere of influence, please know that you have an open invitation into my heart and our home. We sincerely desire to be available to you. Fully aware of our own limitations, we know a God who is limitless who will help us. His Word instructs us *‘to encourage one another and build each other up’* (I Thess. 5:11) and to that end we are committed.

The H2H leadership team affirms the importance and value of your contribution. We believe that a biblical, ministry-oriented marriage can best fulfill its roles and goals when both husband and wife share vision and passion for their pastoral assignment. So thank you for making a BIG difference.

Thank you for
...creating a church culture that is
...inviting and accepting
...your monetary support
...teaching Sunday School
...leading worship
...visiting those who are sick
...every prayer prayed
...being there when crisis hits
...the ministry of presence when
...families need comfort
...hosting bridal and baby showers
...directing weddings
...hours spent in hospital waiting
...rooms
...your culinary skills
...gifts you have purchased for life
...celebrations
...directing Easter, July 4th, and
...Christmas programs
...volunteering to work in the
...nursery
...the many miles you’ve traveled
...to support regional, state, and national
...ministry efforts.

These are only a few of the many ways you contribute. Yes, we notice. *Thank you!* - Brenda



Happy fall y' all!

From the heart of the team

Frankie Dotson —————
As I look back on my time as a pastor's wife, I remember the excitement I felt as well as being humbled to be a part of God's plan. My prayer for you is that you see yourself as an integral part of God's plan as well. You have the most important part in that you get to minister to the one chosen by God to deliver His message to a hurting world. Be encouraged today knowing that you are needed, loved, and necessary! Blessings to each of you with much love.

Romeika Adderley —————
You are NEVER alone. Your Father always has comfort in the flesh for his daughters...rest and allow HIS comfort to refresh, strengthen and encourage you. Don't feel guilty about finding time to be with your Father, in fact when things get busy and chaotic, calendar it into your day. He longs

to be with you, more than you need to be with Him.

Amiel Miller —————
Hi First Lady, We see you being FIRST, to greet that visitor, FIRST to offer prayer, FIRST to give help to another, FIRST to take that baby and give comfort to a mother. Yes you FIRST Lady, so busy being putting us FIRST. When we see you, we see love, dedication, self-sacrifice, and faithfulness. You are beautiful, you are precious, you are valued, you are so amazing! We appreciate you and thank you for being our First Lady.

Annette Mirelez —————
While our role comes with lots of blessings, it can also be laden with intrusions and disrespect. However, endure sister, knowing YOU ARE making a difference. We're not forgotten or cast aside.

We are in the front lines and everything we've endured to this VERY moment prepared us for wherever we are at. You are equipped, strong, and gifted enough to get through all of it, and in Jesus, you are just ENOUGH!

Ivencia Etienne —————
My fellow sisters, you are in the heat of a battle as you accompany your husband to minister. I want you to know that God sees you and me too. We're not forgotten or put aside. You have been prepared for what you're going through right now. Remember, you are equipped to get through all of it, you're strong enough to get through it because if God brought it to you, He will get you through. Lastly, you're gifted enough and in Jesus, you are just enough! I love you all.

October - Pastor Appreciation Month

*You are special, you are sweet.
You are loved and real unique.
You are needed, you are appointed.
You are chosen, you are anointed!
You are the you God loves and wants in His life,
So thankful that I am me, and we are we, pastors wives!
- Elaine Love*

You Were There

According to the National Congregational Study Survey, there are an estimated 380,000 churches in the United States. While the average United States congregation gathers in a building that seats around 200, only 5 attend the median church each week. This means that half of all churches have fewer than 65 people in their weekly worship service (research, life-way.com). So in spite of all the press the megachurches receive, we are still a nation of small to medium-sized congregations.

For some pastoral families, service in a small church creates something of a self-image problem. We look at the larger churches and compare ourselves to them and feel inadequate or insignificant. However, we need not. In *The Heart of a Great Pastor*, Neil Weisman and H. B. London, Jr. write: "Every assignment is holy ground because Jesus gave Himself for the people who live there. Every place is important because God wants you to accomplish something supernatural there. Every situation is special because ministry is needed there." In other words, there are no small assignments, and there are none of you who are insignificant in any way. So, thank you for the ministry of presence. You keep showing up!

*When I asked Jesus in my heart
When I was discouraged
When I excitedly told you I was engaged
When our child was born
When I was in the hospital
When I was struggling with sin
When I lost my mother, father, child
When we said our wedding vows
When I needed spiritual discipline
When my world was turned upside down
When our community needed love
You were there — when I needed you.*

Thank you for being a wonderful pastor's wife!

October



Pastoral Care Letter
October 2022

From my heart to yours

Dear Pastoral Care Leader,

"OCTOBER PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH"

I would like to give some suggestions for making this month a rewarding one for your pastor.

First Sunday: Give gift cards to their favorite restaurant.

Second Sunday: "Thank You Flash Mob"

Have the young people stand up with signs and shout "We Love You Pastor" or "Thank You Pastor, You Are Great!"

Third Sunday: Thank You Cards from everyone expressing their love and appreciation for their ministry.

Fourth Sunday: Pass out offering envelopes for a SPECIAL LOVE OFFERING.

Fifth Sunday: Plan a special Banquet in their honor.

MORE IDEAS:

Gift certificates, car wash, new suit, shirt, tie, shoes, new tires, oil change, landscaping, lawn mowing, home cooked meals, basket of their favorite treats, dry cleaning, haircut, but the most important gift of all is remembering them in prayer.

Hopefully you will find these suggestions helpful as you make this month a most unforgettable one for them!!

Thank you in advance for making this a great
"PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH!!"

Bless you for caring,
Frankie S. Dotson
State Pastoral Care Director



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LIFE'S UNPREDICTABILITY AND THE LORD'S CHARACTER

Life is, more often than not, highly unpredictable. One day, you have the beautiful Florida sun shining outside and the next day, you are in the middle of a hurricane (literally and metaphorically). Even as we are growing up, people change, relationships change, environments change, and so on. However, the one thing that is never unpredictable and never changing is God. "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever." Hebrews 13:8 (ESV).

If we place our confidence in the things of this world, we will find ourselves on a rollercoaster of emotion and anxiety. We must place our trust first in the Lord, because we know He will never change and He has a plan for each and every one of us. But how can we place our full trust in the Lord and not be anxious about what is in store?

We do this by praying continuously, presenting our requests to God, and being thankful to Him. "Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." Philippians 4:6-7 (ESV).

PRAYER:

Lord, thank You for never leaving or forsaking us.
Thank You for Your steadfast character. Reveal to me what areas of my life that I am struggling to trust You in.
Help me to place my trust in You, even in the most difficult situations in my life.
In Jesus' name I pray, Amen.



Keeping our Lord at the center of every decision we make will not only build our faith, but allow us to build a deeper relationship with Him. We should also read the Bible to learn about God's character, to see that He will never change and He will never leave. Like Philippians 4:6-7 stated, His perfect peace that we do not understand will cover us and protect us. That is His character.

That being said, this does not mean that we should have a "trust no one besides God" attitude, especially if we do have trustworthy people in our lives, but it means to also trust that the people in our lives were placed there by the Lord, too. We just need to place a much greater trust in our perfect Lord than the imperfect world we live in. "The Lord is my strength and my shield; in him my heart trusts, and I am helped; my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to him." Psalm 28:7 (ESV).



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NORTH CENTRAL REGION STUDENT MINISTRIES

Event: Youth Fun Day!!

Date: Saturday, Oct. 22, 2022

Time: 2pm - 5pm

Where: Jacksonville Mandarin
Harvest Fellowship 3844 Burnett
Park Rd Jacksonville, FL 32257

Prizes

Food

Games

Calling all youth from Districts 70, 11, & 12!!

Will the youth from 11th District (Orange Central District) that have not yet another youth table!!

Richard and Carrie Roberts
North Central Region
Student Ministries Directors

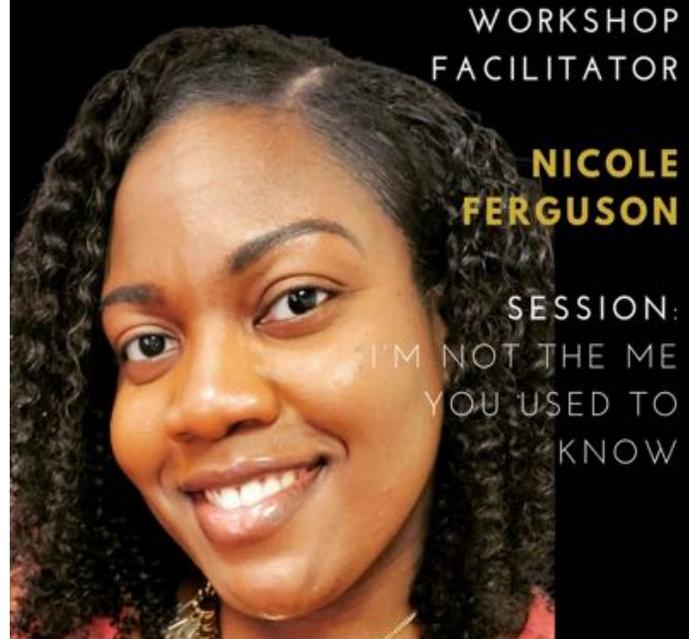




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**RICHARD
ROBERTS**

SESSION:
CALLED
BECAUSE I'M
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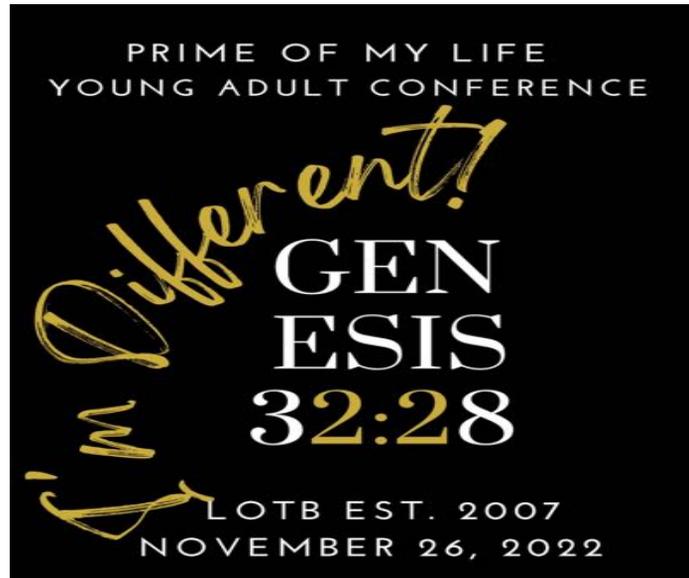
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SESSION:
I'M NOT THE ME
YOU USED TO
KNOW

For information:
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**ANDRENE
TOMLINSON**

SESSION:
FOREVER
CHANGED
BY MY SCARS



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**CARRIE L.
ROBERTS**

SESSION:
I'M DIFFERENT
AND THAT'S
OKAY!

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KAY OSBAN
STATE PRAYER COORDINATOR

Dear Pastor,

The Prayer conference is just a few months away. Begin making your plans and marking your calendar for January 28, 2023. It will be at the campground.

There will be preaching, praying and praising! Don't miss out on this "first of the year event" for the state of Florida. We always schedule this conference after our 21 days of fasting. A great way to begin our new year!

I look forward to seeing you and your congregation there,

Kay

Saturday | 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

JANUARY
28TH,
2023

FLORIDA
PRAYER
CONFERENCE

CAMP SONSHINE

Lunch will be served.

Overnighters are welcome to spend the night at the campground Friday the 27nd.

Bring your own bedsheets/blankets.

No meals served Friday.

Kay Osban,
Florida Prayer Coordinator



UPLIFT Conference 2023

February 24-26

Go Forth

Jeremiah 1:17-19

September 30th, 2022

Blessings to the wonderful women of the state of Florida.

I trust that you are all as excited as we are, anticipating our time together at the **UPLIFT CONFERENCE 2023**, February 24-26, 2023. We will convene at the Florida Mall Hotel, in Orlando Florida for 3 days filled with our Father's presence under the theme, **Go Forth**.

We have been in prayer, and we know that this time has been set aside for a spiritual challenge to the women of God. There will be sessions for teens (Pearls), young adults (Denim + Diamonds), and women of all ages.

Please find included the details for registration and securing your hotel rooms. We look forward to sharing the weekend with you and your sister friends.

Romeika Ferguson-Adderley

Romeika Ferguson-Adderley
(on behalf of)
The Board of Directors
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JEREMIAH 11:7-19

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All information will be sent to your local church pastors.

COMING SOON

Stay Tuned

April 27-29, 2023



Camping Ministries

This month we are focusing our attention on our Hot Shot Campers. Please pray for their safety and that as these little ones face challenges, they will have the assurance that God is with them.



*PLEASE NOTE:

- New Age Breakdown for Camps
- Simultaneous Camps

CAMP DATES 2023:

Hot Shot	4-7	June 9-11
Senior	14-17	June 12-17
SC+	18+	June 12-17
Intermediate	11-13	June 19-24
Junior	8-10	June 19-24



Hot Shot Camp, June 2022
Directors, Scott and Shellie Creasy

PRAYER POINTS:

- Families as they rebuild after Hurricane Ian
- Hot Shot Campers, Directors and Staff

Mark your Calendars

Florida State Convention 2023

July 27-30, 2023

JULY, 2023

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Will be held at the DoubleTree by Hilton
at entrance to Universal Orlando.
Details and reservation links will be available early 2023.