

# L3 Conference Breakout Sessions Monday 3:00 – 4:00 PM

# Pre-registration REQUIRED

# LIVE Common Mistakes Leaders Make – Merrily Madero, Colonel, USAF Retired, Ordained Minister

We all wish we could be the perfect leader, like Jesus. How can you ensure your people will follow you, as you follow Jesus? How can you learn and grow as a leader?

Colonel Merrily Madero, United States Air Force, (USAF) retired, will give you real-world practical guidance on how to identify and overcome many common leadership mistakes. Merrily was a four-time military active-duty "Commander," and led both military and civilians throughout her 30-year career in the USAF.

#### Leading Well from the Second Chair – Brooks McElhenny

Most people in a church serve in a role to support the Pastor. You need to recognize your level of influence as a leader. This breakout session will reinforce the impact and support that the Second Chair can offer.

# LEAD Built to Last - Bradley & Rhonda Trask

During this breakout session / workshop Bradley and Rhonda Trask will share their personal ministerial experience as the lead pastors at Brighton AG. The tone will be conversational as they share elements concerning the past thirty-one years of ministry related to circumstances, scenarios, and life lessons they have encountered both individually and as a couple. Through the utilization of stories and interaction, the goal will be to create a mosaic of leadership experiences that connect, encourage, and equip those who attend to "last," as they minister within the context(s) God has placed them.

## From Recruiting to Releasing – Jim Wiegand

According to a study conducted by Lifeway Research, since the end of the pandemic, the most common problems pastors face is developing leaders and volunteers (77%), People's apathy or lack of commitment (75%) and Training current leaders and volunteers: (68%). If you were to ask the people in your church what they are missing in their lives, their answer would be "Purpose". A staggering 57% of our people think about how to get more purpose in their lives daily-weekly-monthly. A shift in your church from recruiting (we need you) to releasing (you need a place that allows you to be what God made you to be) is what we will be teaching in this breakout session. Free e-books, group training videos and ongoing support are available for all who attend.

## Reaching Individuals Impacted by Disabilities & their Families - Duane & Tracie Corll

Almost 20% of every community is made up of people with disabilities with 85% of them not attending our churches. The main goal of every ministry is to ensure that every person has the opportunity to KNOW Christ, GROW in Him and SERVE Him with the gifts that God has given. Join us as we equip leaders to make the Gospel accessible to those individuals and their families impacted by disability.

#### God and Government - Carey Waldie

This session will take a look at the relationship between the church and government. We will look at how they work together to steward God's world and how we as Christian leaders can equip the church to serve our communities without compromising our witness or the gospel.

## Building Next Gen Leadership Teams – Raymond Marshall & Zach Preston

# LAUNCH Revisiting the Role of the Evangelist – Rick Bosnack

Jesus gave the gift of the Evangelist to the church to equip His people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ. So, what is an Evangelist?

## Reaching Your Community – Matt Vandersteen

Let's bridge the gap between our people and community; empowering our church to make a lasting impact. Together we will share stories and strategies to help launch us forward.



# Network Council Special Lunches Tuesday 12:15 PM – 1:45 PM

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AGWM & AGUSM Global Workers – Brooks McElhenny host

Associate/Executive Pastors – Larry Clair host

Chi-Alpha Leaders – Nino Guarisco / Carey Waldie host

CMN-MI Church Planters (5 years and under) – Jim Wiegand host

Ethnic Minority Ministers & Spouses – Cal Garcia host

Evangelists – Rick Bosnack host

MNWM (Network of Women Ministers) – Lori O'Dea host

MSM Leaders – Raymond Marshall/ Zach Preston hosts

Senior Retired Credential Holders – Jeff & Vickie Hlavin hosts

Under 40 Lead/Campus Pastors – Matt Vandersteen host