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GREETINGS FROM THE COAST!

There's an anticipation of better days ahead. Do you feel it? The troubling events that closed out 2020 and started our new year were weighty; however, the Lord has been seeing us through all of it.

Of course, you want to know how we've been holding up. Looking back on the year, the amount of support we received was unprecedented. The Lord combined the amazing generosity of our donors with our efforts of trimming expenses and living wisely to help us end the year on stable footing. This is all the more stunning in light of the many conference centers and camps that had to close for most of the year.

As I write this in March, each day feels like a step closer to a new normal for all of us. Hope is strong. Our anticipation for a great spring and even better summer is growing. Undoubtedly, there will likely be bumps along the way; however, our expectation of the Lord's work here on the campus is only increasing.

As you consider your trip to Cannon Beach, you can rest assured that we will continue to follow all the necessary procedures to keep the facilities clean and safe for your visit.

Know that we have been and continue to pray for you. And we appreciate you keeping us in your prayers too. As you do, pray with us for the numerous guests headed our way as well as the leaders, pastors, worship teams and summer staff that will be joining us in the weeks and months ahead.

Lastly, we're excited to announce the launching of our new website. You can read more about it on page 5. Be sure to take a look when you have a moment and let us know any feedback you have.

Looking forward to seeing you or hearing from you soon!

In His grace and service,

Marc Hagman
Executive Director



AND THE WALL CAME DOWN!

On February 9, the temporary wall between Phase One and Phase Two of the new dining room came down, opening up the full dining space and accelerating the push to have Phase Two complete and occupied by the summer conference season. While mainly a symbolic accomplishment, it nonetheless meant inside construction work would now be the main focus of construction as we enter the spring.

The month of March should see sheetrock and interior painting completed, the elevator installed, and exterior siding completed. April and May will include, Lord willing, ceiling, flooring and doors installed. Utility and trim work should complete the interior by summer. Lots of minor work will continue throughout the summer and fall. West side landscaping is scheduled for spring, while the east side landscaping will



have to wait for fall due to an expected busy summer conference season.

Financially, through February, we have spent \$1,142,905 and have \$393,715 on hand. We were very pleased to

hear on February 25th that the M.J. Murdock Charitable Trust approved our grant request of \$300,000 for the final stage of the project! The Murdock Trust has partnered with CBCC many times over the years to help with capital projects and with leadership training programs.

With that grant, we estimate being within about \$120,000 of having adequate funds to complete the project, based on current cost projections (now about \$1,950,000). Thank God for the over 1,500 friends who have brought us to this point by their generous support!

And special thanks to the many volunteers, both periodic and regular, who have provided a consistent and diligent workforce to

move the project along throughout this unusual year. Volunteers will be needed in the final stages of the project, so call the conference center if you are available and skilled.

The end is nearly in sight! We hope you can join us in 2021 and enjoy this wonderful new addition to our campus.





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Cannon Beach Conference Center

A Vacation with a Purpose

Are you ready to get refreshed and equipped for life? We hope so! Through Christ-centered biblical teaching and the beauty of our coastal setting, there's no place like Cannon Beach Conference Center. This is where you belong!

NEW WEBSITE DESIGN

Through the years, Cannon Beach Conference Center has worked hard to stay fresh and meaningful (for our many guests). Whether it's introducing a new speaker or worship team, adding free Wi-Fi campus wide, upgrading rooms and facilities or equipping the Recreation Center with state of the art Laser Tag equipment; our goal is to allow intentional and purposeful ministry to take place.

Last year we started from the ground up to completely redesign the site. Of course, there are elements from the old site that carried over, but we'd like to highlight some of the many new changes.

The above screenshot of the home page quickly captures the new theme and design of the site. Visually the website is clean, bright and simple to navigate, as well as capturing the surrounding beauty of Cannon Beach with many updated photos.

Another feature is the ease of use on phones and tablets. The new responsive design will help with viewing the site on these portable devices. This assures that the site's pages fits proportionally to your device's screen which makes navigation all the faster and more enjoyable.

Finally, we wanted to keep things simple. The refreshed site will help maintain this philosophy. Navigation is easy to follow as a well as finding information about CBCC.

We encourage you to take some time to experience this yourself by visiting us at www.cbcc.net. There is an email link (info@cbcc.net) under CONTACT US at the bottom of the HOME PAGE to email us your comments. We would love to hear from you. Enjoy!

WE'RE HIRING



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JOIN OUR SUMMER STAFF

Here are some questions to help you know if serving on Summer Staff is for you:

- Do you love to serve? Does your heart beat a little faster at the opportunity to bless others?
- Do you enjoy having fun, meeting new people, being challenged, and having adventures?
- Are you seeking to grow spiritually? Do you desire a deeper relationship with God?
- Do you love the Oregon coast? Are you happiest when surrounded by God's amazing creation?

If the answer is YES, then summer staff at Cannon Beach Conference Center may be the perfect ministry opportunity for YOU! CBCC hires 70 summer positions in Kids/Youth program, food service, housekeeping and more! All positions are paid and include housing/meals and college scholarship eligibility.

Summer staff at CBCC is far more than just a job – it's an experience that could change your life forever! Summer staff gain valuable job skills, make great new friendships, and grow spiritually through weekly Bible studies and worship/teaching times. Fun weekly activities are planned along with time off to enjoy the beautiful Oregon coast.

Ready to apply? Visit cbcc.net/job-openings or contact CBCC Human Resources by e-mail: hr@cbcc.net or phone (503) 436-1501.

2021 SPRING CONFERENCES



Couples' Conference: Solomon Sex & Marriage
Shane and Phyllis Womack
April 16-18

Shane & Phyllis Womack will address difficult issues like: how to eliminate sexual refusal; how to develop sexual intimacy; how to avoid emotional affairs, and much more. Shane is the pastor at Life Christian Church in Stanton, CA. Phyllis is co-founder of Living Alternatives, a pro-life pregnancy center in Fullerton. Their presentation is skillful, engaging and full of practical teaching.

***NEWLYWED SPECIAL: Couples married in 2020 and 2021 receive a 25% discount on registration.**

(Note: This conference has an added program fee of \$25 per couple for printed materials)



Women's Conference
Allison Allen
April 30-May 2

Allison Allen loves weaving biblical teaching and real life together in unexpected ways. Allison hopes to lead women on a rare journey toward the fullness of Christ's redemption. Allison has always relished the power of story, the thrill of walking in the shoes of others, and, most importantly, spot-lighting the Ultimate Story-teller.



Retirees' Conference
Ray Pritchard
May 3-6

Dr. Ray Pritchard serves as the president of Keep Believing

Ministries. Ministering extensively overseas, speaking at conferences, and appearing on Christian radio and television talk shows, Ray focuses on evangelism and encouragement to spread the hope of Jesus Christ.



Women's Conference
Donna Jones
May 21-23

Donna Jones is a colorful storyteller who combines biblical

truth with real-life anecdotes. Her messages help listeners understand God's Word, and help them grasp how to live it out. Described as "a pro on stage but with the warmth you'd expect from a close girlfriend", Donna possesses an uncanny ability to connect with audiences of all ages and spiritual stages. Donna is funny, engaging, practical, and honest.



Memorial Day Conference
Peter Chin
May 28-31

Peter Chin is a writer, speaker, and pastor.

A graduate of Yale University and Fuller Seminary, he has pastored and planted churches in Los Angeles, Virginia, Washington D.C. and Seattle. He now serves as lead pastor of Rainier Avenue Church located in one of the most culturally diverse zip codes of the United States.



Military and First Responder Families Conference

Corie Weathers
June 4-6

Corie Weathers was named the 2015 Armed Forces Insurance Military Spouse of the Year® where she advocated for mental health issues and served as a media correspondent consulting for command teams, and speaking to groups on issues regarding PTSD, grief, and marriage. She traveled to Turkey, Iraq, Afghanistan, and the Persian Gulf with Secretary of Defense Ash Carter to visit troops and see deployment conditions. She has also traveled across the globe teaching individuals and couples how to live, lead, find purpose, and build relationships using their natural talents. Today, Corie is a clinical consultant, working with service organizations to enhance programs, develop better team dynamics, and write meaningful curriculum. **Co-Sponsored with Heroes Challenge**, a ministry that focuses on emotional and spiritual wellbeing for our nation's combat veterans, first responders, and their families. Heroes Challenge successfully deals with struggling individuals by providing mentors, strong support networks, and healthy goals. *This conference is designed to honor our troops, first responders and their families and to provide a safe, relaxing environment with practical resources, supportive connections, and Biblical solutions.*



Women's Conference

Kim Meeder
June 11-13

Kim Meeder is an accomplished & enthusiastic speaker

and author and teaches with a clear biblical perspective and insight into Scripture. Kim and her husband, Troy, are the co-founders of Crystal Peaks Youth Ranch, a non-profit organization that rescues abused horses and pairs them with hurting kids for mutual healing. Kim has also received two prestigious honors given for public and community service and has set two world records in power lifting.



FOR MORE INFORMATION
& REGISTRATION:

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2021 SUMMER CONFERENCES



Summer Family Conference

Jerry Benjamin
June 21-26
(Five Days)

25%
discount
lodging,
meals &
program

Dr. Jerry Benjamin travels extensively as an “Itinerant Bible Teacher,” proclaiming the simple singular message of the living and indwelling Lord Jesus. Jerry’s Jewish upbringing adds rich insights while interweaving themes and practical applications, all concentrating on the Person and work of the Lord Jesus Christ.



Summer Family Conference

Ed Underwood
June 27-July 3

Ed Underwood is
Executive Officer

and Lead Counselor of Recentered Group, and every year helps dozens of churches become healthy and thrive by loving one another in ways that build a high trust leadership culture and by equipping leaders to cultivate a disciple making community. Ed brings over forty years of experience as a lead pastor in a traditional denominational church in the Midwest, a church plant that grew into the largest church in the county in the Northwest, and his last 21 years as lead pastor of the historic Church of the Open Door in Southern California. Ed has authored three books: When God Breaks your Heart, Reborn to Be Wild, and The Trail.

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Summer Family Conference

Josh White
July 4-10

Josh White is the
founding pastor of

Door of Hope Church in Portland and currently serves there as the Vision and Teaching Pastor. Audiences engage quickly with his profound perspective of Scripture. Josh is also the founder of Deeper Well Records. When not making music or leading the church, Josh loves to spend his time reading and hanging out with his wife, Darcy and 2 children.



Summer Family Conference

A.J. Swoboda
July 11-17

A.J. Swoboda is
associate professor of

Bible, theology, and World Christianity at Northwest Christian University. As well, he leads a Doctor of Ministry program around the Holy Spirit and Leadership at Fuller Seminary. He also served for ten years as the lead pastor at Theophilus, an urban church in Portland. He has written books on ecological theology, pentecostal studies, and Christian living. He is the author of a number of books, including Subversive Sabbath. He is married to Quinn and is the proud father of Elliot.



Summer Family Conference

Dennis Keating
July 18-24

Dennis Keating is known for his enthusiasm in teaching God's Word and caring for people in all life stages. After serving 40 years as a Pastor at Emmanuel Faith Community Church in Escondido, Dennis founded and leads Grateful Shepherd Ministries that is focused upon providing help and leadership for pastors and churches.



Summer Family Conference

Jim Burns and
Gary Gaddini
July 25-31

Jim Burns is the President of HomeWord and the Executive Director of the HomeWord Center for Youth and Family at Azusa Pacific University. He has close to 2 million

resources in print in 30 languages. He primarily writes and speaks on the values of HomeWord which are: strong marriages, confident parents, empowered kids, and healthy leaders. Some of his most popular books include: *Confident Parenting*, *The Purity Code*, *Creating an Intimate Marriage*, and *Closer*. Jim and his wife Cathy live in Southern California and have three grown daughters.

Gary Gaddini serves as Lead Pastor of Peninsula Covenant Church in Redwood City, CA, a position he has held since 2003. He earned his master of divinity from Trinity Evangelical Divinity School in Deerfield, IL, in 1997. Gary's ability to captivate the listener with incredible stories and illustrations helps bring the truth of Scripture to life.



Summer Family Conference

René Schlaepfer and
Bill Butterworth
August 1-7

René Schlaepfer is Senior Pastor of Twin Lakes Church near Santa Cruz, CA. His superbly clear and humorous teaching results in Jesus transforming many lives through His Word.

René is an author with his most recent book, *Chasing David*. He lives in Santa Cruz with his wife Laurie.

Bill Butterworth's public speaking experience coupled with seminary training has produced a Bible teacher with wonderful wit, warmth and realism. He was on the faculty of Florida Bible College for eight years and was Director of Counseling Ministries at Insight for Living, the radio ministry of Chuck Swindoll, for six years.



Summer Family Conference

Rick McKinley
August 8-14

Dr. Rick McKinley serves as lead pastor at Imago Dei. Besides his pastoral and preaching duties with Imago Dei, a church of 2000 people, he serves as faculty at Multnomah Seminary. He is also co-creator of Love Portland, a growing city-wide initiative designed to engage the church with the community by loving and blessing the city. His books include: *The Answer to Out Cry*, *Jesus in the Margins*, *Advent Conspiracy*, *This Beautiful Mess*, and *A Kingdom Called Desire*.



Summer Family Conference

Darryl DelHousaye
August 15-21

Dr. Darryl DelHousaye
was Senior Pastor

at Scottsdale Bible Church for 25 years and was President of Phoenix Seminary for 23 years. He is the author of *Today for Eternity* and the study notes for Acts in Nelson's New King James Study Bible. As Chancellor of Phoenix Seminary, he is active in the spiritual care of students, faculty and staff and serves as a resource to the President assisting in the development of the resources of the Seminary. Darryl and his wife Holly have three sons.



Summer Family Conference

Charles Price
August 22-28

Charles Price recently
served as Senior Pastor

of The Peoples Church in Toronto, Ontario, Canada with a weekly congregation of 4000+ people. Charles also teaches via a weekly hour-long program, Living Truth, broadcast by television and radio coast to coast across Canada and internationally. He is a compelling and popular Bible teacher, well-known and respected internationally.



Summer Family Conference

Ryan Paulson
August 29-September 3

Ryan Paulson
serves as the

Lead Pastor of Emmanuel Faith Community Church in Escondido, CA. Under his leadership, a 35-year-old church has experienced growth and revitalization. Ryan has been a featured speaker at many Christian camps, MOPS International, and World Venture. Ryan lives in Escondido, CA. with his wife Kelly and their three young kids.

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Labor Day Conference

Bill Farrel
September 3-6

Bill Farrel is well-
studied, interesting,

engaging and fun. Bill holds a master's of divinity with an emphasis in practical theology and counseling. He has experience as a Lead Pastor for 15 years, a youth pastor, and more recently, the Small Groups Pastor for Dr. David Jeremiah. A pastor, radio teacher, and international speaker, he has authored dozens of books on singleness, marriage, kids and living the Christian life. Bill and his wife Pam live in Southern California.

MEMORIAL GIFTS

Memorial gifts are a meaningful way for you to remember or honor an individual, family, or couple. These donations produce significant ministry impact as the gifts are allocated to scholarships, capital projects, and general operating needs.

In memory of Ed Parker by Greg & Karen Parker

In memory of George Georgioff by Mark & Diane Trotter

In memory of Dave & Anita Mundell by Jeff & Nicole Mundell

In memory of Evelyn Hegge by Bill & Terra Hegge

In memory of David Lillebo by Jim & Julie Gearheard

In memory of Dave & Anita Mundell by Jeff & Nicole Mundell

In memory of Ben Gallegos by Patty Gallegos

In memory of Sarah Trott by Patti Burhenn, Mia Domingot, Ernie Fraser, Jean Goldner, Chuck & Patti Greenfield, Barbara Johnson, Catherine Lehman, Tom & Jan Lumsden, Ken Matheis, Heidi Ogg, Stacey Shoemaker, Yarisa Smith, Steve & Debra Trott, Mark & Nancy Walter, Cathy Waterbury

In memory of Betty Hanks by Jim & Trish Zoccola

In memory of Bruce Carmen by Richard & Mary Jane Jones

In memory of Heather Goodenough by Barb Boswell, Janet Furfiord, Norene McEvoy, John & Margie Slivkoff

In memory of Willi Taylor by Don & Helen Lofton

In memory of Frank Harrison by Dee Grothe

In memory of Gabrielle Dudley by Steve Dudley

In memory of Ruby Menke by Robert & Cindy Yost

In memory of Genevieve Amarantides by Niki & Elizabeth Amarantides, Jim & Liz Valentine

In memory of Mona & Merritt Ketcham by Henry & Susanna Greiner, Kit Ketcham

In memory of Randy Brown by Terry King, Greg & Debbie Wilson

In memory of Delores Shortridge by John & Duveen Elam

In memory of Terry Whitlock by Loretta Whitlock

In memory of Sharon Griffith by Loretta Whitlock

In memory of Lois Lund by Cheryl Eggebraaten

In memory of Jim Totzke by Byron & Gloria Womer

In memory of Sherri Sanderson by Mary Sanderson