



For Such a Time as This
ONLINE *Summit*

Attendee
**Summit
Guide &
Notebook**

Presented by:



WELCOME

Welcome! We are so glad you are here! We have been praying for you and your family and we want you to know how much having you here means to our conference team and our speakers.

Our goal is to inspire and equip you to focus on God's plan for family discipleship, recharge your motivation to keep marriage first, and homeschool and parent faithfully. We are ready to walk you through the why and how of what preparedness looks like for believers and how you can raise children who love God and share the gospel - in the midst of a culture in turmoil.



We're here to help you To shine His light bright in this generation and beyond!

We created this conference guide and notebook to make things easier for you! Everything you will need to know in order to watch all workshops at the For Such a Time as This Summit 2021 is right here at your fingertips.

I am praying and believing for God to do above and beyond all we can ask and pray for during this conference. Will you join me in prayer?

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OVERVIEW

All you need to know about this year's conference! Speakers, workshops, schedules, swags, and more!

WORKSHOPS SCHEDULE

We don't want you to miss anything, so we created a beautiful printable calendar for you to print.

SPEAKERS

Have you seen the amazing line-up of speakers we have for you this year? We want you to get to know these speakers and interact with them, too!

NOTES

You will learn so much during this conference and we want to make sure you will take plenty of notes to go back to later. So, enjoy the beautiful note pages we created for you and write down those nuggets you don't want to forget.

Follow these 3 steps:

1

If you haven't yet, join our Attendees group on Mighty Networks: [For Such a Time as This Summit Attendees Group](#)

This is where the fun happens!

Stay plugged in for announcements, live workshops, Q&As, giveaways, and more.

Our conference groups are always encouraging and uplifting!

2

Download and keep this Attendees Guide & Notebook at hand.

Sure you can print it out too!

This guide will remind you of who is speaking when and what topic will be covered each day.

If you can't print it, keep this PDF file opened on your desktop or on your smart device so you can go back to it anytime you need it.

3

Your [For Such a Time as This Summit](#) Lifetime Access is located on a course platform called Teachable. To access your account, simply go to theycallmeblessed.teachable.com and log in using the email and password you created when you signed up for the conference.

On Teachable is where you will be able to access and watch every workshop recording. Take some time to explore your conference dashboard on Teachable and get familiar with it.

We have organized all the workshop pages by day. In each tab, you will find the workshop time, workshop description, and speaker information. All recordings are posted on Teachable the same day the live workshops end on Zoom.

Get all the information
you need below...

QUICK FACTS:

Conference Dates: Sunday, March 21nd to Saturday, March 27th.

Workshop Times: 8:30 AM - 6 PM (PDT)

Workshops: 60 workshops divided into approx 9 workshops/day
live on Zoom





Yet who knows
whether you have
come to the
kingdom for such
a time as this?

- *Esther 4:14*

THINGS TO DO

- ✓ **Bookmark the Teachable page**
- ✓ **Join the Mighty Networks group**
- ✓ **Print the attendee's guide**
- ✓ **Print the workshops schedule**
- ✓ **Check out our Vendors Halls**
- ✓ **Check out our sponsors' websites**
- ✓ **Share your questions in the group**
- ✓ **Join the live workshops on Zoom**

Enjoy the conference!

WORKSHOPS

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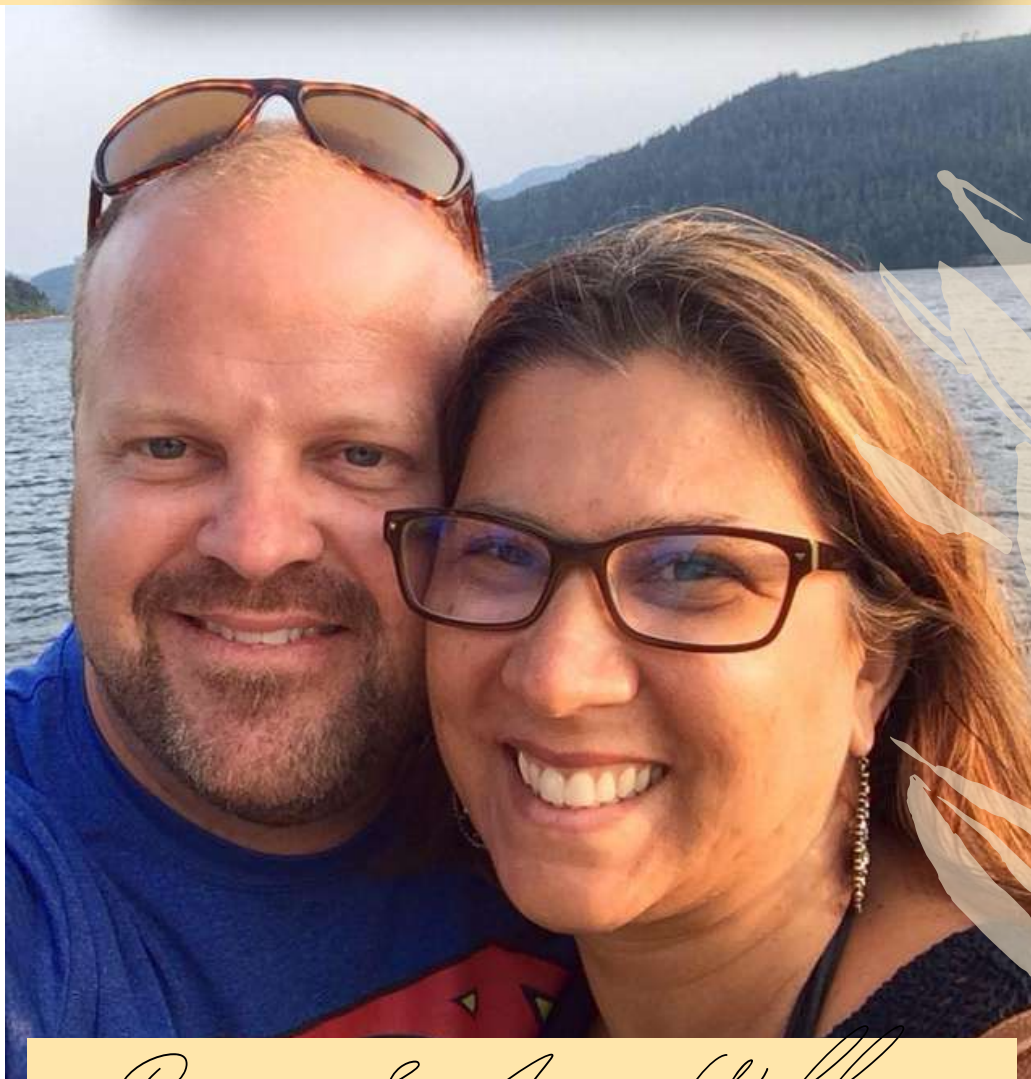
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3 pm PDT / 6 pm EDT BREAK: Preparation for The Passover Seder

4 pm PDT / 7 pm EDT Ryan & Ana Willis

Virtual Passover Seder

*Let's Worship
Together!*

6 PM PDT / 9 PM EDT RYAN WILLIS DAILY WORSHIP SESSION



Ryan & Ana Willis



*On Demand
Workshops*

KIMBERLY NICOLE STEENBERGEN

ON DEMAND

Building A Solid Family Discipleship Foundation

Building a house with a solid biblical foundation is important today, probably more than it has ever been in our lifetime. As parents, we must cultivate and disciple our children for the sake of our children's souls and their future. In this workshop, I will discuss the role parents play in discipling their children and how they can start biblically discipling their children.



Notes

LINDA LACOUR HOBAR

ON DEMAND

The Threat of Socialism

An alarming number of U.S. millennials favor “socialism” as a means of government. What is socialism? What does history teach us about socialism? What is the threat of socialism to faith, families, and freedom? Join Linda Lacour Hobar, author of *The Mystery of History*, for a historical overview of socialism and why it matters now! (Teens and ‘tweens—don’t miss this one!)



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LINDA LACOUR HOBAR

ON DEMAND

When Bible History and World History Meet Face to Face

Looking for inspiration in your study of ancient times? Join Linda Lacour Hobar (author of *The Mystery of History*) to discover what happens when Bible history and world history meet face to face - literally! With a look at Daniel and Belshazzar, Esther and Xerxes, Jesus and Pilate, and more, you will see Bible characters and world history figures “meet” on one seamless, thought-provoking timeline. Through stories and activities for all ages, let History be revealed



Notes

JEANNIE FULBRIGHT

ON DEMAND

7 Essential Tools for Developing Self Motivated Children

Charlotte Mason inspires us to take a step back and educate our children with purpose and poise. Our children will prosper when we exercise Masterly Inactivity and restrain ourselves from interfering in our child's learning, thoughts, and play. Jeannie will share the seven elements of Masterly Inactivity that will help you homeschool with excellence.



Notes

NICCI ANNA KILCOYNE

ON DEMAND

But Sarah Saw: Standing Your Ground Concerning God's Promises

Following the example of faith through the life of Sarah, we will see how 3 words from her story encourage us to stand our ground concerning the God's Promises for us, even in the face of opposition from an unsuspected enemy.



Notes

KAREN DEBEUS

ON DEMAND

A Transformed Woman in the Word

No planner, system, method, or curriculum can be successful if you aren't tending to your soul first. As women, mothers, or homeschooling moms, we need to be walking with the Lord in order to pass that on to our children. Only when we are transformed by the Spirit and through God's Word can we disciple our families properly. Come and be encouraged to be a woman in the Word and not of the world. Follow Him above all!



Notes

VICKI BENTLEY

ON DEMAND

Foster Care & The Homeschool Family

Vicki Bentley shares their foster care story and shares insights into foster care while homeschooling. LINK: <https://youtu.be/72oUXVnufxw>



Notes

VICKI BENTLEY

ON DEMAND

Homeschooling on a Shoestring

A Crash Course in Getting Started in Homeschooling. You've made the decision, but what do you do now? Maybe you are planning your first year with a young learner, or ... Maybe you're starting a few years in, or even mid-year. Can you really start mid-stream? What does homeschooling look like? Where do you begin? What should you expect? How can you ease the transition for all of you? Vicki Bentley (author, speaker, consultant, veteran homeschooler, coach to thousands of homeschool families) will cover these topics and more in this 1-hour presentation. You can do this!



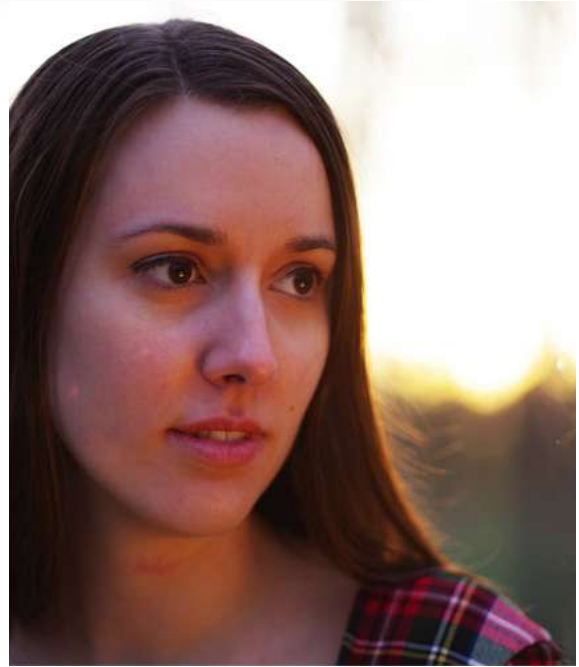
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JAMIE LARRISON

ON DEMAND

Education is More Than School Books

Preparing our child's hearts, minds, and attitudes is our primary directive as moms. Yes, math and literature are important, but teaching them how to think, how to engage, and most importantly to care will truly prepare them for both continued education and life. This workshop will discuss how to weave these life lessons into our school days as we grow alongside our children.



Notes

JAMIE LARRISON


ON DEMAND

Foraging for Your Medicine Cabinet

As a trained herbalist I've learned that oftentimes the home remedies and food we need are right in our own backyard, we just need to know what to look for. This will cover how to forage for and use common health promoting plants like dandelion, poke, elderberry, and more for both food and wellness.



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Speakers &
Workshops

ANA WILLIS

SUNDAY 12 pm PDT / 3 pm EDT

**Summit Kick-Off
with Worship and
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a Time as This**



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KERRY BECK

SUNDAY 1 pm PDT / 4 pm EDT

3 Steps to Find Joy & Peace in the Midst of Trials

Are you in the midst of trials that seem overwhelming? Have you experienced betrayal by a loved one or rejection by a fellow believer? Join Kerry as she shares God's work in brokenness and rejection from her family, her church, her job ... turning each one into joy, peace and victory. You'll discover specific tools God gives all of us to be healed and walk in joy.



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DEANNA COTTEN

SUNDAY 2 pm PDT / 5 pm EDT

Reaching Generation Z for a lifelong faith

A new generation is here and you may be feeling defeated! How do we retain these youth and young adults for a lifetime commitment to the faith? It is true that nearly 65% of teens will walk away from their faith in just a few short years. At iWrite Bible, it is our desire to connect parents and leaders to the youth of 2021 through: - Purpose - Vision - Relationship Building AND... - Application of God's Word SO THAT we can nurture and develop the next generation of leaders, teachers, pastors and kingdom builders. In this workshop you will walk away with a new perspective with effective strategy to reach Generation Z on purpose, with purpose and for a purpose!



Notes

DANIELLE PAPAGEORGIU

SUNDAY 3 pm PDT / 6 pm EDT

6 Foundational Keys to Raising Children Who Love God

It's easy to slip into the thinking that if we just homeschool, all will turn out fine. Our children will grow up to love God; they will be well-educated and spiritually mature, always following the Lord and living godly lives. Wrong. Many of us know of prominent homeschool graduates (Josh Harris comes to mind) who ultimately rejected the faith. Oh, dear homeschoolers, how often we have to be reminded that life is not about a checklist! But fret not. God doesn't want us to just throw up our hands and sing *Que Sera, Sera*. We can look to Scripture and look to godly examples around us to learn some ideas for helping our children grow into spiritually mature adults who love God. In this presentation, we will look at 6 key ideas that I believe are foundational to raising children who truly love God.



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CARLIE AND MIKE KERCHEVAL

SUNDAY 4 pm PDT / 7 pm EDT

How to Build Your Marriage Legacy One Scripture at a Time

In this session, Mike + Carlie share how they have used the Bible to create a Christ-centered legacy over the past two decades of marriage. Chock-full of practical tips and time-tested wisdom, you will walk away with a solid action plan to create a marriage legacy you can be proud of. If you want to experience God's best in your marriage covenant, this session is a must-watch!



Notes

JAN L. BURT

SUNDAY 5 pm PDT / 8 pm EDT

Believing That You Were Born for Right Now

In this session, Jan will be discussing the importance of understanding that Esther 4:14 is true for each one of Christ's followers. We have been born at this specific point in history in order to be part of the life-changing, disciple-making Matthew 6:33 way of life that our Lord has called us to live out. When we truly believe that everything God's Word says is absolutely, 100% true, we begin to grasp that what we do with our limited days on this earth matters for eternity. Expect this session to help you understand that you, indeed, were born for right now.



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RACHAEL CARMAN

MONDAY 9 am PDT / 12 pm EDT

Teaching Your Children to B.L.E.S.S.

How do you practically teach your kids to bless one another? This talk teaches an easy-to-remember lesson with five specific ways that you and your kids can bless each other with words and actions.



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DAVIS CARMAN

MONDAY 10 am PDT / 1 pm EDT

If There was Ever a Time to Homeschool, It is Now

Are parents really qualified to teach their children everything? What about socialization? These are just a couple of the concerns that make homeschooling seem impossible. But you know homeschooling is continuing to grow. More and more families are considering it and taking the plunge. What are the top reasons? In this session, Davis discusses the moral, academic, and practical reasons to homeschool, and helps dispel the myths we all tend to believe. When you finish this workshop, you will know that if there was ever a time to homeschool, it is now.



Notes

ISRAEL WAYNE

11 am PDT / 2 pm EDT

How to Keep Your Child in the Faith

Families in America are under attack. Teenage rebellion, divorce, juvenile delinquency, emotional disorders, and relational dysfunction are way too common, even among church-goers. Studies show that the majority of Christian youth abandon the Christian faith sometime around high school graduation. How can you have a godly family in the midst of such a worldly culture? This workshop will provide practical and Biblical answers.



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ALISON MORROW

MONDAY 12 pm PDT / 3 pm EDT

How to Start Homeschooling

Taking the leap into homeschooling can feel overwhelming, but this step-by-step approach will simplify the process!



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NANCY MANOS

MONDAY 1 pm PDT / 4 pm EDT

Finding Joy in Your Homeschool Journey

The homeschool reality sometimes involves struggles that can leave a mom feeling overwhelmed and inadequate with children who are equally frustrated. The truth is that while the nitty gritty of teaching our children at home can be messy and emotional with a variety of highs and lows, homeschooling is a great privilege and, yes, even a joy! Join Nancy as she shares encouragement to bolster you on those challenging days and refresh you as you endeavor to create an atmosphere of joy in this learning adventure with your children.



Notes

KIM KAUTZER

MONDAY 2 pm PDT / 5 pm EDT

How Can I Motivate My Reluctant Writer?

Do you have a struggling writer? Getting kids to put pencil to paper can be challenging enough, but expecting them to embrace the whole writing process is another thing altogether. Kim will give you tips and tools to encourage your kids' success and help them overcome their anxiety, fear, or lack of confidence.



Notes

ELLA SAVCHUK

MONDAY 3 pm PDT / 6 pm EDT

Bible Lessons - The Chief Lesson of the Day

Teaching our children about Our Heavenly Father is the most paramount lesson our children are to have at the beginning of each day. There is nothing more important in their education as knowledge about their Creator, His Story, and the promises He offers us, His children. Join me as we discuss the urgency of instilling His truths in today's world, as well as how to create meaningful lessons and how to add richness and beauty to every Bible story.



Notes

AMBER J SMITH

MONDAY 4 pm PDT / 7 pm EDT

Six Keys to Your Best Homeschool Year

What we need is practical life examples covering the top challenges homeschooling families experience in their first year. From simple shifts in school set up to challenging conversations, this workshop is specifically designed to help you unlock the very best homeschooling year ever. The Six Keys cover practical relationship builders like showing love uniquely to your children, correcting our focus and individualized planning. Join us as we unlock how to create a homeschool plan that fits your needs, and will transform the way you approach teaching your children.



Notes

GABI HABERER

MONDAY 5 pm PDT / 8 pm EDT

Resuscitating the Heartbeat of the Home

While it most certainly doesn't always feel like it (while you're folding your fifth pile of laundry for the day), you as a Momma are indeed the heartbeat of your home. You care, nurture, feed, teach, clothe, heal, encourage, clean, admonish, edify and instruct on daily basis. But what if Momma is tired and worn down? What if the countless needs of the family begin to take their toll? How can you serve your family in the daily rhythms if you're serving from an empty pitcher? In this session, Gabi will share productivity and organizational hacks that have allowed self-care to be a priority for her as she manages home, business and ailing health care needs in her family. These simple but easy-to-implement strategies will ensure that the Momma-heartbeat of the home continues to provide life to all of the members of the family.



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DAVIS CARMAN

TUESDAY 9 am PDT / 12 pm EDT

Family - Our Best Apologia Ever

Apologia is a Greek word meaning “defend the faith.” In a society saturated with an anti-God and relative-Truth perspective, students need to be taught from a biblical worldview. The statistics show that a very small percentage of born-again believers have a worldview consistent with basic Christian doctrines. The Internet, movies, music, books, and other media heavily influence the thoughts, beliefs, and corresponding actions of young people. How can parents help their children stand firm and not be as vulnerable to modern-day lies? Certainly, one solution can be the use of good books and curricula including creation-based science curricula. The best way is by committing to three ideals. Davis will explain how raising children in a family setting where Christ is worshipped and where the Word of God is the primary text can fulfill the great commission and result in generational faithfulness. Family is truly our best defense of the Christian faith.



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KAREN MORRIS

TUESDAY 10 am PDT / 1 pm EDT

Simple Emergency Food Storage - Feeding your Family Economically

There has never been a time during my lifetime that the need to be prepared for both short-term and long-term emergencies is greater than it is now. With the cost of food going out the roof, with gas prices on the rise, with jobs being lost or destroyed by economic policies, we need a way to frugally provide for our family's dietary requirements during an emergency. Karen, from A Year Without the Grocery Store, shares with us economical ways to store food to feed our family for potential emergencies that our families may face. She'll cover the subject of gardening in tight spaces or no spaces. She'll cover, what are the foods that you can store where you can get the biggest bang for your buck. She'll cover recipes that you can make with your stored food - using it in ways that you hadn't imagined. Join her so that your family will be better prepared for any emergency that the hand of God's providence sees fit to throw your way.



Notes

KAREN MORRIS

TUESDAY 11 am PDT / 2 pm EDT

Bugging Out - What, Why, and How

Even in the last month, across the country, we've seen widespread freezing, loss of electricity, and even burst water pipes. This past year, countless cities have been affected by riots. That may be a triggering event for leaving your home. Or even thinking of what happens if your home gets affected by a severe storm or a tornado? How would you handle these situations? We don't plan to ever have to leave our homes at a moment's notice, but there are sometimes reasons that present themselves where we may have to. This is called "Bugging Out." Karen has lived through three such times in her life when she had to leave her home quickly. In this workshop, she shares questions you need to ask before you ever need to leave your home. She helps you create a plan specific to your family on how to bug out quickly and effectively. She also shares tips and tricks on how to bug out with a homeschool family. Join her as she speaks on Bugging Out so that your family will be ready to leave in case of an emergency.



Notes

NANCY MANOS

TUESDAY 12 pm PDT / 3 pm EDT

Ideas for Hands-On Learning

It is a rich experience indeed where learning is a hands-on, multi-sensory, interactive adventure. Nancy will share easy-to-implement, inexpensive, engaging ideas for children of all ages. Do you lack creativity but want to make learning fun and engaging for your kids? You'll glean inspiration and practical ideas from this session. You CAN make learning a joy for your child as you incorporate hands-on learning in your homeschool—without a huge investment of time, energy, or resources.



Notes

MARIANNE HERING

TUESDAY 1 pm PDT / 4 pm EDT

Goldfish Apologetics for Little Ones

Four simple but profound things your young child needs to be taught about God using a goldfish bowl as an extended metaphor. Don't print this part, but I wanted to let you know what it was so you would know.

(1) You are like a goldfish in a bowl. You might think that this world is all there is. But there is something bigger, smarter, and wiser, and altogether a different for than you. But that something bigger is taking care of you and your bowl.

(2) God is big but became "small" so we could meet Him. He became like a goldfish to tell us there's something more out there, something who loves us and cares for us.

(3) Sometimes the Bible seems confusing. The best way to understand what God is like is to look at Jesus and what he did and said while he was in our bowl.

(4) There will be a new bowl one day. If God can do one amazing thing like make a great goldfish bowl, He can make a new one.



Notes

SHARON FISHER

TUESDAY 2 pm PDT / 5 pm EDT

Creating a Christ-Centered Homeschool Starts with Christ!

Is Jesus on your lesson plans? Do you know how to influence your child's worldview day-by-day and in each homeschool subject? Your child's behavior, worldview, and what He knows about God and the subject matter you are teaching is all connected. Let's talk about where to really start.



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SHARON FISHER

TUESDAY 3 pm PDT / 6 pm EDT

How to Help Your Wiggly Kids Learn

How can you teach anything to a child who won't sit still? Enjoy some fun, inexpensive techniques that will help your wiggly learners become more focused and help make teaching less frustrating!



Notes

MELANIE KRAHN

TUESDAY 4 pm PDT / 7 pm EDT

How To Incorporate Faith At Home With Your Kids

In this workshop, you'll learn practical ways to develop a lifestyle of faith at home with your kids including where you can start, routines you can implement and how it can become a natural part of everyday life.



Notes

JEN MOORE

TUESDAY 5 pm PDT / 8 pm EDT

You Only Mom Once: How to Make the Most of Motherhood

Motherhood... it's a blessing, a high and holy calling, a mission field... and it's not easy. We all want to make the days (and the years) count, but how to do that in the midst of busy days and long, urgent to-do lists is another thing altogether. Discover how to develop a big vision for your motherhood and purposefully live it out intentionally in your days. Join us for inspiration, motivation, lots of grace-filled encouragement, and maybe even some laughter, as well as practical tools and strategies that will leave you renewed, confident that you can make the most of the days the Lord gives you with your children!



Notes

GENA MAYO

WEDNESDAY 9 am PDT / 12 pm EDT

Using Hymns to Teach Christian Truth and Doctrines

The great hymns of old were written by godly men and women who understood the truth of God's Word and what it meant to live the Christian life. Let's explore some of the lyrics of these hymns and discover how we can use them to teach our children truth and doctrine.



Notes

CONNIE ALBERS

WEDNESDAY 10 am PDT / 1 pm EDT

Raising Kids Amid Culture Chaos

How do we raise children in a culture of chaos when confusion and strife surround us? And how do we remain steadfast while adjusting along the way? While the culture is in chaos, you can tune out the turmoil and provide stability in your home. As the culture shifts, God's Word provides the answers we need to navigate this season, knowing we are equipped to lead our family. Whether you are new to homeschooling or a veteran, you can raise your children, godly children, through it all.



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TRISHA AND LUKE GILKERSON

WEDNESDAY 11 am PDT / 2 pm EDT

Preparing Christian Kids for an LGBT World

It's hard to keep your kids away from encountering "hot button" ideas like same-sex attraction and transgenderism. Instead of running away from these touchy subjects, what if you used them as a tool for preparing your kids for life outside your doors? This simple 5-step process will help you break the ice and prepare your children to engage with this topic (and those touched by it) in a biblical and compassionate way.



Notes

JENNIFER ELIA

WEDNESDAY 12 pm PDT / 3 pm EDT

It All Starts with a Battle Call! Building a Grassroots Movement and Standing Fast in the Face of Opposition

Life is changing rapidly and we don't know what will happen next. The powers that be seem so much more powerful than any of us. However, there are ways you can fight back, make a difference, prepare for coming changes, and stand your ground. If you are feeling overwhelmed and helpless this is the workshop for you. The battle isn't over until it's over. Stand tall, and keep fighting no matter the odds.



Notes

MARIANNE HERING

WEDNESDAY 1 pm PDT / 4 pm EDT

How to How to encourage reluctant readers with faith stories

How to reach reluctant readers. We'll discuss adventure, easy sentences, and finding topics they are interested in. I share my son's journey from being a child with standardized test scores in the 10th percentile in first grade. He's now an engineering student and has a B average and a tough U.S. college.



Notes

KERRY BECK

WEDNESDAY 3 pm PDT / 6 pm EDT

Attitude Adjustment 101: 3 Tips to Encourage Good Behavior

How's it going around your house? Are your kids an example of good behavior? Or, do they need an attitude adjustment? Are they prepared to represent Christ in the real world? Discover how to become consistent in your child training, tips to tend your child's heart to make a real change in behavior, the difference between motivating and inspiring, how to use the Bible to encourage good behavior, how to reduce the attitude issues in your child or teen, how to build a relationship with your child so they listen, love and obey. Finally, how your kids can take Godly character to make a difference in the world today.



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ALEX MCFARLAND

THURSDAY 9 am PDT / 12 pm EDT

Raising Godly Kids In A "No Rules" Culture



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CONNIE ALBERS

THURSDAY 10 am PDT / 1 pm EDT

Parenting and Homeschooling Beyond the Rules

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JENNIFER ELIA

THURSDAY 11 am PDT / 2 pm EDT

Prepper Homeschool: What Do You Really Need? Planning and organizing materials to homeschool your family during emergencies

Are you homeschooling but wonder what you will do if you can't buy or afford the big box curriculum next year? Have you never homeschooled but know it is a necessary skill for self reliance? Find out how to plan for homeschooling during an emergency and what you really need to educate your children, even when money is tight or supplies are limited.



Notes

TERRIE MCKEE

THURSDAY 12 pm PDT / 3 pm EDT

Biblical and Practical Strategies to Handle Being Overwhelmed

Do you ever lie awake at night, worry-praying, and getting more overwhelmed with every news story, family situation, and the state of the nation? In this session, Terrie McKee, a healed overwheeler, will give you biblical and practical strategies on how to combat feelings of being overwhelmed and what to do instead.



Notes

ZAN TYLER

THURSDAY 2 pm PDT / 5 pm EDT

Running the Homeschool Marathon: Ten Training Tips

Homeschooling is more like running a 26-mile marathon than a 100-yard dash. If you want to complete the race successfully, you must develop a training strategy that builds your strength, stamina, and vision and enables you to persevere until the end. We will discuss lofty topics like creating a powerful and sustaining vision. And we will look at down-to-earth topics like pacing yourself, choosing curriculum, and developing homeschool mentors and friends. Zan Tyler, who homeschooled her children for 21 years, provides training tips that will help you complete the God-given task of homeschooling and help you and your children “run with endurance the race that lies before us.”



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KEVIN SWANSON

THURSDAY 3 pm PDT / 6 pm EDT

Discipleship or Education? The Paideia of Jesus

How do you know if your children have been with Jesus? It was clear that those men who had been disciplined by Jesus had been with Him. But how would you know? The discipleship program of Jesus is way different than that provided by the world. Jesus trains in faith, prayer, and the Word. This is a basic introductory talk about homeschooling, based on Kevin's 50 years of experience in the movement, and his book, "Upgrade, the Ten Secrets to the Best Education for Your Child."



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STEVEN POLICASTRO

THURSDAY 4 pm PDT / 7 pm EDT

Using Museums in Your Studies

Hands-on learning is the most fun and memorable education for any child — and adult! You can inspire knowledge and awe of God’s creation by making your local museum or zoo one of your “classrooms.” In this workshop, Steven Policastro will show you how to use available resources and teaching techniques, including strategic Q&As, to teach your children the truth of God’s creation, even at secular museums.



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AMANDA TEIXEIRA

THURSDAY 5 pm PDT / 8 pm EDT

Get On The Same Financial Page

Many of us were never taught how to handle money growing up. As a result, we end up allowing money fights and tensions to take up space in our marriages. Learn how to talk about money with your spouse, dream together, and discern what legacy God is calling you to leave in your family and our world.



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FAITH BERENS

FRIDAY 9 am PDT / 12 pm EDT

Homeschooling Children with Unique Learning Challenges: You Can Do This!

Home education is possible and beneficial for students who have unique needs such as Autism, dyslexia, learning disabilities, anxiety, medical syndromes, and other unique challenges. In this workshop, Faith shares tips for success and encouragement for homeschooling children with special needs.



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FELICIA JOHNSON

FRIDAY 10 am PDT / 1 pm EDT

How to Stock Your Pantry

How to build up a pantry that will feed your family for three months.



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DEANNA COTTEN

FRIDAY 9 am PDT / 12 pm EDT

Apologetics Made Simple!

The next generation is counting on you to equip them for a lifetime. Apologetics can get complicated and many parents fear their ability to prepare their teens for the world. Apologetics should not be scary. It should be a joy to walk with our youth and prepare them for the world. Arm your teens with the TOOL SET to learn God's Word, The SKILL SET to understand their faith through the scriptures alone, and the MINDSET to live out their faith with boldness amongst the darkness of our day.



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TERRIE MCKEE

FRIDAY 12 pm PDT / 3 pm EDT

Preparing for the Unexpected

Terrie McKee has had her share of the unexpected: from dealing with her husband's paralysis from an attempted armed robbery, to her mother's sudden cancer diagnosis and death, to dealing with special needs adult children. In this session, she will show you how to prepare for the unexpected, from mind-mapping what you would do in various situations, to preparing your home and family in case of national or global unrest.



Notes

ZAN TYLER

1 pm PDT / 4 pm EDT

The Inspiring Task of Raising Servant Leaders

Servants make the best leaders. Teaching your children to love and serve others is the second most important principle you will ever teach them. This principle, in turn, provides the necessary foundation for training them to become leaders. Come to this workshop and learn how you can effectively teach the lessons of service and leadership in the midst of your already-full homeschool days. We will also discuss how to build powerful, life-changing service and leadership projects into your children's everyday lives. Be prepared to see your children come alive as they experience the joy of serving others!



Notes

LISA NEHRING

FRIDAY 3 pm PDT / 6 pm EDT

How to Teach Your Kids Your Living Faith!

As Christian parents our greatest hope is that our children follow in the footsteps of Rabbi Jesus. How do we equip and resource our kids to not only know, but love the the Living Word and the Master of the Universe?



Notes

CALLIE DOMINGUES

FRIDAY 4 pm PDT / 7 pm EDT

Bartering: What Can or What Will You Offer?

If (or when) the world turns completely up on its ear, and life is no longer as we know it - what will you (or your children) be able to offer? What skill or trade have you taken the time to learn so that you can barter if need be or be self-sustaining. Learn some of the most valuable skills we can learn and ones we can teach our children so that we can offer our skills and trades to those that might need them or allowing us the ability to train others and possibly live a life of hardship, without it being too difficult.



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FAITH BERENS

FRIDAY 5 pm PDT / 8 pm EDT

Home Education To Take Back the Hearts and Minds of A Generation

Many voices and influences in the culture today are negatively impacting, shaping, and capturing the hearts and minds of our children....leading them astray. In this workshop, Faith sheds light on how public school education and other cultural influences have shifted over the years and captured the hearts and minds of a generation. But thankfully, the freedom of home education is not only a viable alternative educational choice, in fact, it is God's design, from the heart of a loving Father to us as parents as the way to take back the hearts and minds of our children so that love of learning can be unlocked in order for them to reach their full potential and then be unleashed to reach and positively impact a lost and hurting world.



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HANNAH K KARTAGENER

SATURDAY 10 am PDT / 1 pm EDT

The Freedom to Build a Family Culture

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AIMEE SMITH

SATURDAY 11 am PDT / 2 pm EDT

Stepping Away from the Noise

How can you and your children stand for truth and speak peace into a chaotic culture? It begins with learning how to step away from the noise so your own hearts are centered in Jesus. In this session, we will consider 3 types of noise that compete for our heart's attention and practical tips to step away from each. You can learn to step away from the noise and teach your children to do the same. Your heart will be prepared to follow your calling for such a time as this.



Notes

RICK BOYER

SATURDAY 12 pm PDT / 3 pm EDT

The Killer B Whose Sting Poisons Relationships

It's quiet but deadly. It can poison a whole family when no one even knows it's there. It dampens affection, kills communication, and leaves hearts wounded and hurting. It is the number one reason why marriages break up and why parents lose the hearts of their children. The Bible describes it as a "root" that springs up and defiles many. In this talk, Rick Boyer explains how the poison of bitterness damages relationships and how the grace of God can put them back together again. Peace and love in your home are not just a dream.



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MARILYN BOYER

SATURDAY 1 pm PDT / 4 pm EDT

My Kids Hate School: Setting Them Free with Passion-Driven Learning

Scripture tells us to train up a child in the way "he" should go--not the way "they" should go. Every child is a unique creation of God, with his own fascinating blend of talents, interests and yes, weaknesses. To help them fulfill their life calling, we must develop a specific plan for the training of each one. Come and learn how to work "with" the uniqueness of your child. Escape the bondage of expectations and set your child free to pursue his passions and be the whole person God created him to be.



Notes

CALLIE DOMINGUES

SATURDAY 2 pm PDT / 5 pm

Grounded and Firmly Rooted

Sharing how we homeschool more for teaching to live like Jesus than worrying about book knowledge; the days are numbered and we must be grounded and rooted in our faith as parents and pass this on to our children more so now than ever before. If we provide our children with a truth filled foundation in Christ (Pro 22:6) they stand a better chance of surviving the storms of life because they are grounded and firmly rooted in their faith. (Col 1:23)



Notes

RYAN & ANA WILLIS

SATURDAY 4 pm PDT / 7 pm EDT

Virtual Passover Seder

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