**WEDNESDAY, MAY 24**

11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.  **Lobbying Training**—Regency D (Hyatt Regency Ballroom Level)

1:00 – 4:00 p.m.  **Lobbying on Capitol Hill** (pastors arranged appointments)

2:00 – 6:00 p.m.  **REGISTRATION/EXHIBITS OPEN**—Hyatt Regency—Regency Foyer (Ballroom Level)

4:30 – 6:00 p.m.  **WELCOME RECEPTION**—Regency Ballroom (Ballroom Level—doors open at 4:15 p.m.)

5:15 p.m.  GROUPS A and B—BUSES LOAD FOR U.S. CAPITOL SPIRITUAL HERITAGE TOUR
Led by David Barton, President of WallBuilders, and Dr. Kenyn Cureton, Vice President for Church Ministries, Family Research Council (FRC)

Please present Capitol Tour A and B ticket to board. Buses load in front of the Hyatt Regency on New Jersey Avenue. Security clearance and Capitol Tours are scheduled from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Upon completion, you will be taken back to the Hyatt Regency Capitol Hill. You will return to the Hyatt at approximately 8:30 p.m. Note that Group E waiting list ticket holders are first come, first served.

Congressional Hosts:  **Rep. Bill Flores** (R-Texas) and **Rep. Jim Banks** (R-Ind.)

6:05 p.m.  GROUPS C and D—BUSES LOAD FOR FRC HEADQUARTERS TOUR, 801 G ST. NW

Please present Capitol Tour C or D ticket to board. Buses load in front of the Hyatt Regency on New Jersey Avenue. FRC is pleased to have this optional tour of its headquarters while you are waiting to go on the Capitol Tour. The Group C and D security clearance and Capitol Tours are scheduled from approximately 8:00 – 10:00 p.m. at which time you will be returned to the Hyatt Regency. Note that Group F waiting list ticket holders are first come, first served.


**THURSDAY, MAY 25**

6:00 a.m.  **MORNING PRAYER FOR LADIES**—Lexington Room (Ballroom Level)
**Traci Alexander,** *Founder, Trumpet and Torch Ministries*

6:00 a.m.  **MORNING PRAYER FOR MEN**—Regency D (Ballroom Level)
**Rev. Pierre Bynum,** *Chaplain and National Prayer Director, Family Research Council*

7:00 a.m. – 2:15 p.m.  **REGISTRATION/EXHIBITS/BOOK TABLE OPEN**—Regency/Columbia Foyers (Ballroom Level)

7:15 – 8:00 a.m.  **CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST**—Regency Ballroom (Ballroom Level—*doors open at 7:00 a.m.*)
8:10 – 8:35 a.m.  MORNING PRAISE AND WORSHIP—Regency Ballroom
Led by Charles Billingsley, Worship Leader, Thomas Road Baptist Church, Lynchburg, Va.

8:40 – 8:50 a.m.  INVOCATION AND WELCOME REMARKS—Regency Ballroom
Tony Perkins, President, FRC

8:55 – 9:15 a.m.  THE MISSION OF WATCHMEN ON THE WALL: CHAMPIONING PASTORS TO TRANSFORM AMERICA
Dr. Kenyn Cureton, Vice President for Church Ministries, FRC

9:15 – 9:30 a.m.  A MESSAGE FROM THE U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Representative Mark Walker (R- N.C.)

9:35 – 9:50 a.m.  A MESSAGE FROM THE U.S. SENATE
Senator Roy Blunt (R-Mo.)

9:50 – 10:20 a.m.  PASTORS ARE DIFFERENCE MAKERS
Mark Andrews, Culture Impact Team Leader, Life Community Church, Jamestown, N.C.;
Dr. Mark Harris, Pastor, First Baptist Church, Charlotte, N.C.; Bishop Larry Jackson,
Senior Pastor, Bethel Outreach International Church, Charlotte, N.C.; Randy Wilson,
National Field Director for Church Ministries, FRC (Moderator)

10:20 – 10:40 a.m.  THINK NATIONALLY, ACT LOCALLY: An Interactive Workshop

10:45 – 11:00 a.m.  BREAK—Hall of Battles (Ballroom Level)

11:00 – 11:25 a.m.  GRAPPLING WITH GENDER GENOCIDE
Dr. Michael Brown, Host, The Line of Fire Radio Show

11:30 – 11:55 a.m.  JOSIAH’S WINDOW: WHAT LIES AHEAD
Rabbi Jonathan Cahn, Founder, Hope of the World; Pastor, Jerusalem Center / Beth
Israel, Wayne, N.J.; New York Times Best-Selling Author, The Harbinger, The Mystery of
the Shemitah, and The Book of Mysteries

Noon – 12:30 p.m.  BREAK and BOOK SIGNINGS by Dr. Michael Brown and Rabbi Jonathan Cahn—
Columbia Foyer (Ballroom Level)

12:30 – 2:00 p.m.  LUNCHEON AND REMARKS—Regency Ballroom

12:55 – 1:20 p.m.  WHY WE CAN’T NOT LEGISLATE MORALITY
Dr. Frank Turek, President, Crossexamined.org

1:25 – 1:50 p.m.  STANDING FOR THE DEPLORABLES
Todd Starnes, Host, Fox News & Commentary; Author, The Deplorables Guide to
Making America Great Again

1:55 – 2:15 p.m.  BREAK and BOOK SIGNINGS by Todd Starnes and Dr. Frank Turek—Columbia Foyer
(Ballroom Level)
WHAT IS A CULTURE IMPACT TEAM AND THE HOW TO’S: Taking the Vision to the Next Level—Lexington Room (Ballroom Level)

**John Mendez**, Culture Impact Team Coordinator, FRC; **Randy Wilson**, National Field Director for Church Ministries, FRC

You are excited about what you and your church can do to impact your community...BUT... asking yourself, “How am I going to do this?” FRC has the answer—consider forming a Culture Impact Team in your church. We will assist you to identify people already in your church who have the likeminded passion for this call. Come learn how to Recruit, Educate and Empower your own church Culture Impact Team. We have the tools and the training in this breakout.

“TRANSFORMING YOUR CITY”: BECOMING A NEW TESTAMENT FIRST CENTURY COMMUNITY—Congressional A Room (Lobby Level—behind Main Lobby elevator)

**Jim Way**, President, Capernaum Ministries

Imagine all the leaders in your community moving in the same direction for the good of all. Using a true success story from Lake Wales, Fla., you will hear from the Mayor, Chief of Police, Superintendent of Schools, and the recent Past President of the Chamber of Commerce. This breakout will explore how to synchronize with and leverage the business, educational, government and faith leaders working together to find common solutions to community problems.

RIGHTEOUSNESS AND JUSTICE: BRIDGING THE CONSERVATIVE/PROGRESSIVE DIVIDE—Regency D Room (Ballroom Level)


Throughout American history, God’s word has been the catalyst and guide for churches, ministries and movements to create social change. Often, churches seem to align either on the right or the left. How can your church remain biblically grounded and socially conscious, making a difference in diverse and hurting neighborhoods? Explore the role of government and church in serving our communities and honoring God.

FROM THE PEWS TO THE PUBLIC SQUARE—Bunker Hill Room (Ballroom Level)

**Ned Ryun**, Founder and CEO, American Majority

American Majority’s Founder, Ned Ryun, will lead this workshop on how Christians can and should get involved in politics. America is in desperate need of a new generation of leaders to step forward to run for office and get involved in the process. He will provide practical tips on the role of the Church in identifying new leaders and encouraging them to run for office.

PASTORS, POLITICS, AND RELIGIOUS LIBERTY: NAVIGATING THE PASTORATE FROM CITY COUNCIL TO CONGRESS—Congressional A Room (Lobby Level—behind Main Lobby escalator)

**Jeremy Dys**, Senior Counsel, First Liberty Institute
Many pastors wonder what they can and cannot do when it comes to politics, candidates, and speaking to the issues of the day. Whether it is providing invocations before city council meetings, navigating land use disputes with the county commission, or speaking prophetically on the political issues of the day facing their congregation, pastors need to know what the law permits. We will bring clarity to this issue and provide resources that help you to navigate this issue while boldly standing for the Truth.

SUPPORTING YOUR SPOUSE WHEN THEY STAND FOR TRUTH—Bunker Hill Room (Ballroom Level)
Marion Johnson, Wife of Dr. Ron Johnson, Jr., Living Stones Church, Crown Point, Ind.;
Lawana Perkins, Wife of Tony Perkins, President, FRC
Ministry is a team sport and ministry spouses are the Most Valuable Players. Standing up for Jesus and standing firmly on the Word of God not only requires great faith and courage, but unwavering support. Now, more than ever, we face an assault on everything we hold dear. As pastors and ministry leaders rise up to proclaim the Gospel and its practical implications for how to live it out in society, the encouraging support of their spouses are critical to this mission. Often overlooked, undervalued, and rarely rewarded is this vital contribution. In this breakout for ministry spouses, you will be strengthened, inspired, and equipped to further God’s purpose of standing by your ministry mates while they stand for truth.

DEMOGRAPHIC SHIFT: HOW BUILDING BRIDGES WITH THE HISPANIC/LATINO COMMUNITY CAN LEAD TO A PERMANENT FAITH-BASED PRINCIPLED MAJORITY—Lexington Room (Ballroom Level)
Pastor Obed Escobar, Community Relations Director, Center for Arizona Policy
The Anglo (and African American) church in America must build bridges to the Hispanic/Latino pastors and churches. Assuming the statistical data to be correct, projections place the growth of the Hispanic/Latino population to be near or at 133 million people or over 30% of the nation’s total population by the year 2050. As a group, they resonate with FRC’s conservative message of protecting the principles and faith based ideologies of our Nation (human life, nurturing biblical family and standing for religious liberty.) However, they mostly vote for the party whose platform is arguably opposed to these principles and antithetical to the teachings of their cultural upbringing. In 2016, we saw significant erosion of margin in what were solidly conservative voting states like Texas, Arizona, and Georgia due in large measure to demographic shift. Other states that were once winnable like New Mexico, Colorado, and now Nevada, seem out of reach for the same reason. How can we go about having conversations and building relationships with the faith leaders of the Hispanic/Latino community that will translate into policy advocacy and voting that is multi-issue and values-based as opposed to single-issue? This breakout will not only analyze the challenge, but will propose strategic solutions and culturally relevant insight.

KEYS TO MAKING YOUR CHURCH A HOUSE OF PRAYER—Regency D (Ballroom Level)
Rev. Pierre Bynum, National Prayer Director, FRC
Pierre Bynum, for 12 years FRC’s Chaplain and National Prayer Director, will share what he has seen to be the keys to leading a body of believers to become a genuinely praying people, such that their church is called by friends and foes, alike, a “House of Prayer for all nations” as Jesus said it would be (Is 56:6-8; Mt 21:13; Mk 11:17; Lk 19:46). These keys will be helpful to you whether your church is at square one, or well along the way. Praying churches are the greatest need in America today.
4:45 – 5:30 p.m.  STATE MEETINGS – STATE ACTION PLANS—Meeting Locations to be Announced

7:00 – 9:00 p.m.  DINNER AND EVENING PROGRAM—Regency Ballroom (doors open at 6:45 p.m.)

7:00 – 7:40 p.m.  Dinner

7:40 – 8:00 p.m.  Special Entertainment:  **Chonda Pierce**, Emmy-Nominated, Best-Selling Comedian

8:00 – 8:10 p.m.  **Charles Billingsley**, Worship Leader, Thomas Road Baptist Church, Lynchburg, Va.

8:10 – 8:25 p.m.  THE WATCHMAN AWARD PRESENTATION
  **James Robison**, Founder and President, Life Outreach International

8:25 – 8:35 p.m.  Remarks and Introduction of Tony Perkins
  **Rep. Jody Hice** (R-Ga.)

8:35 – 9:00 p.m.  A MESSAGE FROM FAMILY RESEARCH COUNCIL’S PRESIDENT
  **Tony Perkins**, President, FRC

9:00 – 9:30 p.m.  COMMITMENT AND MINISTRY TIME

**FRIDAY, MAY 26**

5:00 a.m.  “BOOT CAMP” PRAYER FOR LADIES—Lexington (Ballroom Level)
  **Traci Alexander**, Founder, Trumpet and Torch Ministries

5:00 a.m.  “BOOT CAMP” PRAYER FOR MEN—Regency D (Ballroom Level)
  **Dick Simmons**, Founder, Men for Nations

6:00 a.m.  MORNING PRAYER FOR LADIES—Lexington Room
  **Traci Alexander**, Founder, Trumpet and Torch Ministries

6:00 a.m.  MORNING PRAYER FOR MEN—Regency D
  **Rev. Pierre Bynum**, Chaplain and National Prayer Director, FRC

7:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.  REGISTRATION/EXHIBITS/BOOK TABLE OPEN—Regency/Columbia Foyers (Ballroom Level)

7:30 – 8:30 a.m.  BREAKFAST SPONSORED BY UNITED IN PURPOSE—Regency Ballroom (Ballroom Level—doors open at 7:15 a.m.)
  **Dr. Steve Scheibner**, President, Characterhealth Corporation; First Officer, American Airlines; Commander, U.S. Naval Reserves; Former Senior Pastor, Cornerstone Baptist Church, Topsham, Maine

8:45 – 9:10 a.m.  MORNING PRAISE AND WORSHIP—Regency Ballroom
  **Charles Billingsley**, Worship Leader, Thomas Road Baptist Church, Lynchburg, Va.

9:10 – 9:35 a.m.  THE POWER OF PRAYER
  **Pastor Mark Batterson**, Senior Pastor, National Community Church, Washington, DC; New York Times Best-Selling Author
9:35 – 10:00 a.m.  THE POWER OF PREACHING
**Pastor Jentezen Franklin,** Senior Pastor, Free Chapel, Gainesville, Ga.; New York Times Best-Selling Author

10:05 – 10:20 a.m.  THE POWER OF PARTNERSHIP: IMPACTING YOUR COMMUNITY
**Pastor J.C. Church,** Senior Pastor, Victory in Truth Ministries; President and Founder, 3 Cord Alliance

10:20 – 10:35 a.m.  WHAT YOU CAN DO STARTING TOMORROW: AN INTERACTIVE WORKSHOP
**Pastor J.C. Church** (Moderator), Senior Pastor, Victory in Truth Ministries, Bucyrus, Ohio; President and Founder, 3 Cord Alliance; **Mark Cowart,** Senior Pastor, Church for All Nations, Colorado Springs, Colo.; **Scott Craig,** Senior Pastor, BigHorn Canyon Community Church, Rapid City, S.D.; **Dr. Gary French,** Founder and Senior Pastor, Life ReNewed Ministries, Inc., Buckner, Ky.,

10:40 – 10:55 a.m.  BREAK—Hall of Battles—and BOOK SIGNINGS by Mark Batterson and Bishop Wellington Boone—Columbia Foyer (Ballroom Level)

11:00 – 11:25 a.m.  THE POWER OF AN AWAKENED AND ENGAGED CHURCH
**Dr. Tony Evans,** Senior Pastor, Oak Cliff Bible Fellowship, Dallas, TX; President, The Urban Alternative; Host, The Alternative with Dr. Tony Evans

11:25 – 11:55 a.m.  THE COMMISSION
**Lt. General Jerry Boykin,** Executive Vice President, FRC; Former Commander, Delta Force

11:55 a.m. - Noon  CLOSING REMARKS AND PRAYER
**Tony Perkins,** President, FRC

Noon – 12:15 p.m.  BOOK SIGNINGS by Lt. Gen. (Ret.) Jerry Boykin and Dr. Tony Evans—Columbia Foyer (Ballroom Level)

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