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Pluralistic Community

Romans 12:18

78th Annual Clinical Conference

April 30-May 3, 2017

Calvary Chapel Conference Center-Twin Peaks

26409 Highway 189, Twin Peaks, CA 92391



PLENARY SESSIONS

Sunday 7:15 p.m.

Opening Session — Becoming All Things to All People

Presenter: **Jeffrey R Funk**

[CCEU = 1.25]

According to 1 Corinthians 9:19-23, we need to understand and adapt to different people in order to “fit in” so that the Gospel becomes relevant within their pluralistic perspective. No easy task when that culture (or institution) is resistant to our viewpoint. This message will look at what the strategy of love looks like in chaplaincy care in order to “win” some.

Learning Objectives:

1. To understand what it means and does not mean for chaplains “to become all things to all people.”
2. To discover what it looks like to practice the law of love at the bedside, especially in a pluralistic setting.

Monday 9 a.m.

Main Session — A Foot in Both Worlds: Finding Balance

Presenter: **Chaplain David Jeltema**

[CCEU = 1.25]

Most don't care what your religion is—you're the chaplain. And being a chaplain in a pluralistic setting is a challenge because you have a responsibility to balance serving your spiritual mandate while also being accountable to the institution, which may not share your values. Chaplaincy is about learning to negotiate and facilitate both. This presentation will be from the perspective of a military chaplain and how it applies to healthcare chaplaincy.

Learning Objectives:

1. To clarify the balance between serving one's spiritual calling while also serving the needs and expectations of the institution.
2. To better understand how to facilitate the free exercise of religion within a pluralistic setting.

Monday 10:30 a.m.

Main Session — Integrative Medicine: A Shifting Worldview

Presenter: **Dr. Margaret Short**

[CCEU = 1.25]

There has been a shift toward alternative and complementary medicine. Acceptance of previously non-conventional, semi-spiritual treatments has become pervasive in healthcare. This presentation will describe the pre-Christian worldviews that underlie the integrative practices now resident in our medical system and will highlight the inherent spiritual risks of these practices in the light of Scripture.

Learning Objectives:

1. To understand the meaning of Integrative, Complementary, and Alternative Medicine.
2. To understand the relationship between World View and Spirituality in medicine.
3. To assess the mind-body-spirit concepts of integrative medicine and their impact on chaplaincy care.

Speaker

Sunday and Wednesday



Jeffrey Funk

Jeffrey is the Executive Director of HCMA since 2000. He trained as a Chaplain with HCMA at USC Medical Center in 1991. He was certified with HCMA as a BCC in 1992 and as a Board Certified Teaching Chaplain (BCTC) in 1998. He earned an MDiv from Talbot School of Theology (1978) and now teaches a class on Pastoral Care & Chaplaincy there.

He has been involved in pastoral care since 1971 when he was first licensed to the ministry. He served with CAM Int'l during the summer of 1974 and 1975 in Guatemala. Besides being a Hospital Chaplain, he has served as a Police Chaplain and a Chaplain with a local troop of the Boy Scouts of America. He has taught pastors in West Africa on pastoral care and chaplaincy and is a conference speaker on various topics related to pastoral care and chaplaincy.

He has written three books: *As Someone Dies: What to Expect and Ways to Respond*, *After Someone Dies: What Now?*, and *Coming Alongside: Basic Pastoral Care at the Bedside*.

Jeffrey has been married 41 years and enjoys gardening. He especially likes to go camping and fishing with his grandkids.

PLENARY SESSIONS

Tuesday 9 a.m.

Main Session — How Did We Get Here

Presenter: **Joe Dallas**
 [CCEU = 1.25]

The speed with which our culture and, to some extent, even our churches, have shifted their positions and approaches to homosexuality is breathtaking. Many of us are left wondering how we so quickly reached the point of celebrating what is Biblically forbidden, and forbidding what is Biblically commanded. This session will look at the primary theological and social elements that have brought us to the challenges we face in 2017.

Learning Objectives:

1. The understanding of three key concepts explaining how American culture has reached a pro-homosexual position and marginalized a Biblical one.
2. The ability to articulate the elements that continue to propel America on a moral decline and to articulate Biblical parallels.

Tuesday 10:30 a.m.

Main Session — How Then Should We Respond

Presenter: **Joe Dallas**
 [CCEU = 1.25]

This session will equip participants with practical, Biblically-based responses to five of the most common ministry challenges we face when serving people affected by homosexuality or transgenderism.

Learning Objectives:

1. The ability to empathize more deeply with people we serve who are impacted by sexual issues.
2. The ability to articulate and defend the traditional Biblical view on sexuality when presented with common pro-homosexual or pro-transgender arguments.

Wednesday 9 a.m.

Closing Session — Wisdom from Proverbs: Intolerance + Communion

Presenter: **Jeffrey R Funk**
 [CCEU = 1.25]

This session will focus on an issue that can have a tremendous impact on chaplains: Intolerance. We will look at the difference between tolerance and intolerance and ways that our bias (intolerance) can influence us to respond to folks with less love and compassion. We will also share in remembrance of God's grace for us through the bread and the cup.

Learning Objectives:

1. To understand what an attitude of intolerance looks like.
2. To understand what tolerance bathed in grace looks like.
3. To receive grace through Communion together.

Tuesday Speaker



Joe Dallas

Joe is an author, speaker, and pastoral counselor. He is also the founder of Genesis Biblical Solutions in Tustin, CA, which is a counseling ministry for men dealing with sexual addiction and other relational problems. He received his M.A. in Christian Counseling from Vision University, San Diego, CA and is a member of the American Association of Christian Counselors.

For thirty years Joe has spoken extensively on sexual issues from a Biblical perspective, through media and in churches and conferences across the US and internationally. He was a key speaker for the Focus on the Family "Love Won Out" conference for thirteen years, and for four years he was the featured monthly speaker for New Life Ministry's "Every Man's Battle" men's conference.

Joe has authored 8 books, including *Desires in Conflict*, *The Game Plan*, *When Homosexuality Hits Home*, and *Five Steps to Breaking Free from Porn*. His daily blog "Joe Dallas Online" covers issues of relationships, sexuality, and politics on a weekly basis.

He and his wife live in Orange, CA, and are active members of the Newport Mesa Church of Costa Mesa.



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Monday 7:15 p.m.

Sharing and Praise —

Facilitators: Chaplains **Warren Rich, Mary Lowe, Nancy Anderson**
 [CCEU = 1.25]

This session is a time of celebration. It's an opportunity for chaplains to declare how we have seen God use us for His glory in bringing His healing to a hurting world and then praise Him together in song and prayer for His goodness in our lives and ministries.

Learning Objectives:

1. To be blessed and encouraged hearing of His goodness in our lives and ministries.
2. To articulate ways in which we have seen God work in our own lives as we have come alongside the sick and suffering.

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 7 a.m.

Prayer Care Forum — Spiritual warfare

Facilitator: **Chaplain Ted Matt**
 [CCEU per session = 1]

Monday: **Preparing for Battle**

This involves personal examination and confession, especially forgiving people in our lives. This preparation is essential for effective intercession. This will be a guided session.

Tuesday: **Interceding in Battle**

This will focus on family, friends, government leaders, those suffering, etc. We will look at how to approach intercession and follow the lead of the Holy Spirit. This will be practiced in small groups.

Wednesday: **Moving Forward in Battle**

We will focus on binding and loosing spiritual bonds we encounter in our own lives or in others. This will be practiced in small groups.

Learning Objectives:

1. To be transparent and intimate before God.
2. To minister to one another in prayer.
3. To practice binding and loosing.

Monday & Tuesday 1:30 p.m.

Small Group Discussions — Practical Issues Facing Chaplains

Presenter: **Individuals within Small Group**
 [CCEU per session = 1]

A time to meet together in a small group in order to discuss the practical issues that chaplains are dealing with and to learn from one another how to confront them.

Learning Objectives:

1. To learn from one another how to manage the key issues that chaplains are confronted with in today's healthcare setting.
2. To grow in our understanding of different ways to do chaplain ministry.

Monday 1:30 p.m.

HCMA Annual Business Meeting

[CCEU = 1]

Presenters: **Jonathan Harrell**—Board Chair; **Timothy Large**—Board Treasurer; and **Jeffrey Funk**—Executive Director

This session is set aside for members to hear a brief overview of HCMA from the perspective of the Board Chair, to receive a financial update from the Board Treasurer, and to hear a summary of key issues from the Executive Director. Members will also vote for new Board members and be able to ask questions of Board members about HCMA during this business meeting.

Organizational Objectives:

1. To inform members about the status of HCMA.
2. To facilitate dialogue among members and the Board.

Tuesday 7:15 p.m.

Certificate Ceremony

[CCEU = 1]

This is a time to honor those who have finished chaplaincy training and the certification process and to be reminded that being a chaplain is a high calling.

Learning Objectives:

1. To be reminded of what it means to be a professional chaplain.
2. To give honor where honor is due.

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Conference Registration

Email: anne.miller@hcmachaplains.org | **Fax:** (714) 572-0585
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Phone: (714) 572-3626

Name _____

Spouse (if coming) _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Do you need a **handicapped** room? Yes Is **walking/climbing stairs difficult** for you? Yes

Do you need a diabetic or gluten-free diet? **Diabetic** Yes **Gluten-free** Yes

[The Conference Center must know in advance in order to provide for the above special diets]

Do you need a ride from and/or to the Ontario Airport? Yes (and check box below)

Conference Fee (Includes Lodging: 3 nights + 8 Meals: Sun. dinner to Wed. breakfast + all Seminars + use of all Resort Facilities)	Postmarked by 3 April 2017	Postmarked after 3 April 2017
One Person		
<input type="checkbox"/> Double Occupancy (2 people per room)	\$375 each	\$400 each
<input type="checkbox"/> Quadruple Occupancy (4 people per room)	\$275 each	\$300 each

If you want to room with a particular chaplain, give name: _____

<input type="checkbox"/> Chaplain and Spouse	\$600 per couple	\$625 per couple
One Person		
<input type="checkbox"/> Private Room (1 person per room)	\$475 each	\$500 each
Single Day Fee (Includes 3 Meals + Seminars + use of Facilities)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Monday (1 May 2017)	\$115 each	\$140 each
<input type="checkbox"/> Tuesday (2 May 2017)	\$115 each	\$140 each

Ontario Airport Van Fee <input type="checkbox"/> FROM airport <input type="checkbox"/> TO airport (send HCMA copy of flight schedule + cell phone number)	\$15 per person one way \$25 per person round trip
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Check for \$ _____ is enclosed (payable to HCMA) Or you may pay through the HCMA website	TOTAL: \$
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There is a **\$75 DEPOSIT per person to reserve a room** at the conference.
 You can pay online through the HCMA website (www.hcmachaplains.org)

Scholarships are available for Trainees and those with financial hardship — Contact HCMA Office

Cancellations:

In the event you need to cancel your registration, a refund (less \$25) will be given to all written requests received at HCMA on or before 21 April 2017. After this date, we are unable to give a refund. However, you may transfer your fees to anyone who is able to attend in your place.



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CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Sunday, 30 April 2017

- 5:00 pm Registration
- 6:00 Dinner
- 7:00 Worship
- 7:15 Opening Session
- 8:30 Dessert Networking

Monday, 1 May 2017

- 7:00 am Prayer Care Forum
- 8:00 Breakfast
- 9:00 Main Session #1
- 10:15 Break
- 10:30 Main Session #2
- 12:00 pm Lunch
- 1:30 HCMA Business Meeting
- 3:00 Free Time
 - Movie: TBA
 - Lake Arrowhead Boat Tour
- 6:00 Dinner
- 7:15 Sharing and Praise
- 8:30 Dessert Networking

Tuesday, 2 May 2017

- 7:00 am Prayer Care Forum
- 8:00 Breakfast
- 9:00 Main Session #3
- 9:15 Break
- 10:30 Main Session #4
- 12:00 pm Lunch
- 1:30 Small Group Discussions
- 2:45 Free Time
 - Continue Small Group Discussions
 - Fishing with Funk (CA Fishing License required)
- 6:00 Dinner
- 7:15 Certificate Ceremony
- 8:30 Dessert Reception

Wednesday, 3 May 2017

- 7:00 am Prayer Care Forum
- 8:00 Breakfast
- 9:00 Closing Session
- 10:15 Conference Ends



Calvary Chapel Conference Center-Twin Peaks was built in the early 1960s. It was a Resort/Conference Center named “The Monte Corona,” which hosted conferences, workshops, seminars, and training programs. Calvary Chapel Costa Mesa bought the Center in 1975 and used it initially as a Bible College and Conference Center. The Bible College has since moved out and the Center was newly renovated in 2001. Their calling is to provide a place where we can come meet with our Lord and be wholly refreshed.

It is their desire to bless us while we are staying with them. To that end, the following activities are available:

Coffee House: Open during specific hours. It also lends out equipment for the pool tables, ping pong tables, and numerous other games.

Upper Room Book Store: This is a perfect place to browse and pick up a book to enjoy during the conference or later, and gifts to take home.

The Lobby: A great place to sit back, to relax by the fire, and to fellowship with other chaplains.

Hiking Trails: There are a number of short trails within or near the Conference Center that will take you on a walk through the beautiful alpine wilderness forest. Enjoy!

MUSIC: Nancy Anderson



How can we please God and bring Him glory through corporate worship? And what can happen inside our souls as we praise God through music? Nancy has sought answers to these questions in her own spiritual journey as she was involved in music ministry at Cedar Mill Bible Church in Portland, OR, for over 20 years. She will help facilitate us in worship during this conference and our souls will be renewed by sacred music.

Worship Objective:

As we worship at this conference, we want to seek to please Him and also be refreshed in our souls as we sing familiar hymns and choruses that stir our hearts toward passionate love for Him and refresh our souls for serving Him



Lake Arrowhead Boat Ride

Experience the beauty and excitement of a narrated tour of Lake Arrowhead aboard the elegant *Lake Arrowhead Queen*. The splendor and serenity of Lake Arrowhead’s lush forests, sparkling water and blue skies glide by, as you sit back and enjoy close-up views of exquisite lakefront homes and learn about the fascinating history of the lake.

The cost is \$14 per person—cash. You may sign up at the Conference.

