

turner Center
Conference on Church Leadership
April 6 – 10, 2008
Scarritt-Bennett Center

Sunday, April 6

4:00 PM: Registration/Check-In

6:00 PM: Welcome Reception/Dinner, Address by Bishop Dick Wills

Monday, April 7-Thursday, April 10

7:30 AM: Morning Prayer

8:00 AM: Breakfast

9:00 AM: Lecture

10:30 AM: Coffee break

11:00 AM: Community Worship

12:00 PM: Lunch

1:30 PM: Small group discussions

2:30 PM: Break

4:00 PM: Small group discussions

6:00 PM: Dinner

7:00 PM: Evening Activities

Monday – “God in Country Music Videos” Presentation - Jim Hudnut-Beumler and James Byrd

Tuesday – Concert: Leslie and John McClure

Wednesday – Book Celebration, Howard Olds and Cal Turner, Jr., *Led to Follow* followed by possible visits to Bluebird Café, Station Inn, etc.

Small Group Facilitators

Steve Bryant

John Collett

Pamela Hawkins

Herbert Lester

Judi Hoffman

Tom Laney

Cathie Leimenstoll

Monday, April 7:

- ❖ Lecture: “Diagnosing Leadership in the Church” **Cal Turner, Jr. – Chairman, Cal Turner Family Foundation**
- ❖ Sermon: **Rev. Barbara Garcia**
- ❖ Small Group theme: Personal and Communal Diagnostic Analysis

Tuesday, April 8:

- ❖ Lecture: “Creating and Casting a Shared Vision” **Joe Pennel – Professor of the Practice of Leadership, Vanderbilt Divinity School**
- ❖ Sermon: **Rev. John Collett**
- ❖ Small Group theme: Visioning

Wednesday, April 9:

- ❖ Lecture: “Without Vision the People Parish, Without a Plan They Wither on the Vine” **Jim Hudnut-Beumler, Dean, Vanderbilt Divinity School**
- ❖ Sermon: **Rev. Roger Hopson**
- ❖ Small Group theme: Converting visions to goals, goals to plans

Thursday, April 10:

- ❖ Lecture: “What an Itinerant Lay Leader Wants His Itinerant Pastor To Know” **Jim Bradford – Dean, Owen Graduate School of Management**
- ❖ Sermon: **Rev. Randy Cooper**
- ❖ Small Group theme: Creating Accountability

Conference Cost: \$125 (all inclusive – room accommodations and meals)