

FOR YOU AND YOUR CHURCH

Welcome to the September 2009 Convention Connection. This edition highlights events happening this fall sponsored by our Convention. Our desire through these events is to help you grow in your faith and to help your church become more effective in its ministry. We hope to see you there.



If you would like more information about these events or any of the ministries of our Convention, visit our website www.baptist-atlantic.ca. Here you can sign up to receive free monthly e-updates about news, events and resources from our Convention.





YouTH MINISTRY FALL TRAINING TOUR

TOP QUALITY TRAINING FOR YOUTH MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS



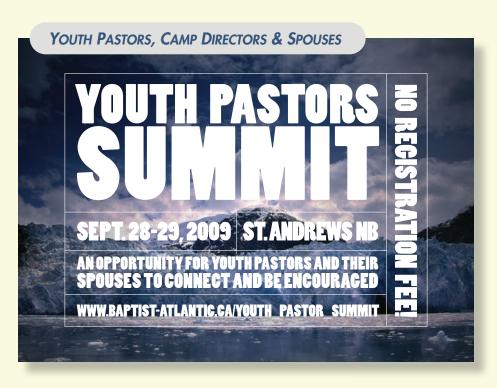
Dave & Rennie Garda

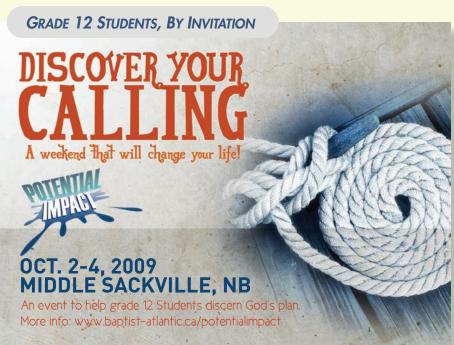
SEPTEMBER 15TH - 20TH VARIOUS LOCATIONS IN ATLANTIC CANADA

MORE DETAILS FROM CYNDI.HASTINGS@BAPTIST-ATLANTIC.CA

www.Baptist-Atlantic.ca/GardaTrainingTour





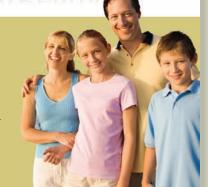


PARENTS OF TEENS & PRE-TEENS

ONE DAY CONFERENCES MARRIAGE & PAREN

NOW FEATURING REAL MARRIAGE 1-DAY COURSE

Real answers to the real issues couples face in their marriages through this cutting-edge, interactive one day event. Through the fun-filled media driven presentation, couples will gain a deeper understanding of what marriage can be.



LOCATIONS:

Oct 17:

Parenting

Highfield Baptist, Moncton, NB Contact: Troy Dennis troy.dennis@highfieldbaptist.com

Oct 25:

Real Marriage

Jacksonville United Baptist Jacksonville, NB Contact: Linda Wellwood wellwoodlinda@amail.com

Oct 18:

Real Marriage

Kennebecasis Baptist Quispamsis, NB Contact: Kim Greer kubc@nbnet.nb.ca

6 PM: Youth Worker Supper 7-9 PM: Main Seminar

The Youth and Family Department of our Convention and Family Life Canada have entered into a partnership for the purpose of bringing quality family strengthening events to our region.



MINISTRY WIVES





November 6-8, 2009

SPEAKER: RACHEL SPARKES

WORSHIP LEADER: SHARON VICKRUCK

LOCATION:

STANLEY BRIDGE COUNTRY RESORT &

CONFERENCE CENTER, PEI

WWW.BAPTIST-ATLANTIC.CA/REFRESH



MISSION TRIP FOR PARENTS AND TEENS TO

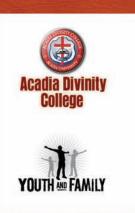
March 6th - 13th

\$855 Per Person (Flights, Meals, Accommodations) Only 25 Spots Available

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PARTNERING IN YOUTH MINISTRY TRAINING



Winter Courses:

INTERPRETING YOUTH CULTURE Dr. Jeff Carter & James Penner (ADC, Jan 4-8) LOCAL CHURCH YOUTH MINISTRY Rev. Dale Stairs (Winter, Online)



EVANGELISM & DISCIPLESHIP OF YOUTH Rev. Dale Stairs (ADC Fall Weekends)

YOUTH AND SHORT TERM MISSION Dr. Bruce Fawcett (ABU Fall Weekends)

Spring Intensive Course:

GROWING INTO LEADERSHIP IN YOU'TH MINISTRY Rev. Dr. Steve and Jo Griffiths (Czech Republic, May 31-June 4)





FOR MORE DETAILS

www.adc.acadiau.ca or dale.stairs@baptist-atlantic.ca

Acadia Divinity College and Our Convention: Partners in quality training for youth leaders.



Introducing the

Youth Leadership Training Program!

Crucial Training for Volunteer Youth Leaders

Quick Facts:

- Instructors are youth ministry veterans
- One quality text for each course
- Nine courses in a year and a half
- Certificate awarded at Springforth Leaders Conference
- Learn with a cohort of other volunteers
- Only 2 Saturdays of classes per semester
- First class beginning January 2010

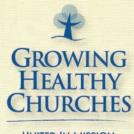
APPLICATION DEADLINE Nov. 15. 2009

www.baptist-atlantic.ca/yltp

In these last months of the 'Growing Healthy Churches Appeal for UIM 2007 - 2009', we want to

THANKYOU

and your church family for your faithful support to our shared mission.



UNITED IN MISSION 2007-2009

Like many charitable organizations, your Convention has unfortunately experienced a decline in support since June of 2008, but the needs and opportunities are as great as they ever have been.

Please consider making a special gift to United in Mission today.

You can forward your gift directly or through designating your gift through your church offering envelope.



FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT

WWW.BAPTIST-ATLANTIC.CA/DEPARTMENTS/DEVELOPMENT/GROWINGHEALTHYCHURCHES