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Grade you usually teach, circle all that apply: Nursery Preschool-K 1&2 3&4 5&6 Youth

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Save the Date January 30, 2016

We welcome your great ideas for sessions that will benefit you and your teaching team! Be sure to complete an evaluation form and/or join our planning team for next year's Enrichment!

Planning Committee:

Chris Stucky - Journey Church Michelle Shea - Fellowship Baptist Church Ann Ward-Turner - Manhattan Bible Church Bev McVeen - Springhill Community Church Kenje Fehlberg - E-Free Church



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2015 TEACHER ENRICHMENT

SATURDAY, JANUARY 24

9 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

at E-Free Church 1701 S 19th Ave Return This Form By January 19 to:

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DARE 2 SHARE

Our world is filled with many good and worthy causes, but the cause that consumed Jesus is the ultimate cause! His cause is THE Cause... making disciples who make disciples.

"Go and make disciples..." –Jesus Matthew 28:19

Hear the compelling story that changed one person's life and how he has led a generation to follow Christ!

Video of Greg Stier, President and Founder of Dare 2 Share Ministries

Church in the Millennial Generation

The term "Millennial" has been thrown around for a few decades now, but do we as the church have an accurate understanding of what this term means and what demographic is it describing? What does the Church have to say to a generation that is by and large Biblically illiterate, uninterested in Scripture and generally unwilling to serve? Everything! The Church has a responsibility to raise up leaders from this generation, but first we have to reach them where they are at. This seminar will clear up some common misconceptions about the Millennial generation, give practical insight on how to reach them and hopefully inspire us to raise up future church leaders for the glory of our Lord.

Emma Stafford – Born in Boise, Emma was raised in Bozeman. She attended Grace Bible Church. hearing the Gospel all of her life, but it didn't really sink into her heart and impact her life until she moved in with a great, godly roommate freshman year of college who challenged her to actually live for Christ. Emma volunteered at the same camp she was saved at and decided not to return to MSU that fall, enrolling in MBC a year later to study Biblical Counseling.

Draw IT, Pray IT Personal Growth Session

When normal spiritual disciplines fail to capture your attention and you think the Christian lifestyle can be a bit boring, allow Jesus to gently whisper to you with His creative calling. You can improve your personal communication with God. You can take the first steps to becoming the prayer warrior you dream of being. Have you found yourself rushing through prayer to get on with your day? Sleeping at the end of prayer? Worse yet, not praying at all because you are not sure anyone is listening? Do you remember what you prayed about, or why? Is prayer like a vitamin? What is meant by continual prayer? Who has time for that? What is the point of prayer any way?

No drawing experience or creative talent is needed for this process. Come and see what happens when you pick up a pencil or pen and start a conversation with God.

Elizabeth Tritthart – Grandmother, mother of three, special child of the most high God. Computer Engineer for 35 years, life time artist, and eternal lover of spiritual things.

Who Are These Children... and Why Are They Acting This Way?!?

Have you ever wondered about children you encounter today? We may sense that they have changed right along with new information, technology, and societal norms, but are we really dealing with a new breed of children? Or is something else going on? This workshop will present information about the issues affecting the development, behavior, and spiritual welfare of children in this generation. It will also address some of the resulting challenges that may be seen in your Sunday School class. You will learn in this seminar what your students need from you, and you will be given practical ideas to help create the environment you desire in your class room.

Bridget Woolbaugh – LCPC, has worked with students from kindergarten through college, witnessing first-hand the growth and development of hundreds of students. For the past nineteen years she has worked primarily as a school counselor in Manhattan, but has also worked both at MSU as an adjunct instructor in the College of Business and as a private therapist. Her ministry passion is leading women in prayer.

Technology in Ministry & Technology Methods Two Hour – Hands On Session First hour is discussion, second hour allows for exploration so bring your laptop!

How do I incorporate technology into my lesson plan? How much technology is appropriate? Does technology prevent young people from learning? Is technology just another synonym for entertainment? These and other similar questions plague teachers across the evangelical community. From parents to teachers to Sunday school leaders, people want to know how to incorporate the proper amount of technology to be relevant, while at the same time, not distracting from the message of the material being presented. In this session we will explore the use of technology in teaching and ministry. This class will cover appropriateness and relevance of technology, methods of employing technology, and new ideas for your classroom setting.

Kyle Lockhart is a second year student at Montana Bible College, majoring in Missions. He currently teaches the adult Sunday school class at Dry Creek Bible Church. Kyle was an instructor in the Marine Corps, where he learned the ins and outs of lesson development, the use of technology, and presenting material appropriate to the audience. Kyle and his wife Jennifer have a 3-year-old daughter, and a son on the way.

Who Is God? – for Children

How did God get started? Who were His parents? Young children ask amazing and important questions about God. God wants us to know Him, but how can we explain what God is like to children when we, as adults, don't really understand? This session covers four characteristics of God that are marveled at by children of all ages (2 to 102). God is eternal. God is creator. God is holy. God is one. Each characteristic is challenging to understand because it is the opposite of human characteristics, and each characteristic is important in presenting the gospel.

Mark Amunrud delights in sharing the things God has allowed him to research and explore. He also appreciates seeing and hearing what others are discovering. Mark's areas of expertise are teaching Genesis and examining issues where science and the Bible appear to be in conflict. He has taught at family camps, creation seminars, churches, college classes, and pastor conferences throughout the world. Mark is an adjunct professor at Montana Bible College. And currently working on an experiment dealing with the speed of light to verify the amazing physics described in the creation account. ..so we cared for you. Because we loved you so much, we were delighted to share with you not only the gospel of God but our lives as well.

1 Thessalonians 2.8

We know that teaching children isn't just something you do, it's something God has called you to and gifted you for. Join us as we explore new ways, from new perspectives, to build God's Kingdom right here in the Gallatin Valley and beyond!

Schedule

8.45 -9 a.m. - Pick up your schedule, a cup of coffee, a breakfast goodie and get ready for the day!
9.00 - 9.30 a.m. - Opening - Dare 2 Share video
9.30 - 10.30 a.m. - Session 1

•10:30- 10:45 a.m. - Break

•10:45 - 11:45 a.m. - Session 2

12:00 - 1 p.m.- Lunch provided, Networking & Door Prizes
1:15 - 2:15 p.m. - Session 3

•2:15 - 2:30 p.m. - Break

•2:30- 3:30 p.m. - Session 4

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Your Day Will Include.

- Your Choice of Informative Sessions
- A Wonderful Lunch
- Networking with other Christian Educators

Registration is Easy

Choose one of these convenient ways... Online – www.efcb.org

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BRING YOUR TEAM!

Every session has so much to offer but you can't attend all of them...

So, bring your teaching team to divide and conquer then share what you have learned taking your church ministry to the next level!

You can register your whole team in one easy step! Use the extra registration forms, scan them, then email to: children@efcb.org