

SEMINARS AVAILABLE FROM SEMINEXONE MINISTRIES

■ **Key Principles in Developing a Healthy Church** The health of your church is the primary focus of this seminar. Dynamic ministries are seldom the product of chance. They are more often the result of prayerful planning, intensive resourcing of a leadership team and being intentional about setting realistic ministry goals. This seminar is based on my book **Close Your Back Door as You Widen the Front Door of Your Church** -Revised 2009 also available in Amazon Kindle] a primer in Church Development

■ **On Discipleship: The Making of a Kingdom Person** This is one of the **most important and least requested** seminars on our offerings. Without discipleship you will develop an anemic, weak, frail and unhealthy church. *“And anyone who does not carry his cross and follow me cannot be my disciple.”* Luke 14 : 27v. **NIV** *“When Christ calls a man He bids him come and die.”* Dietrich Bonhoeffer- **The Cost of Discipleship** *“Disciples are made, not born.”* Juan C Ortiz- **Call to Discipleship** The following seven (7) keys are necessary in developing a **Kingdom Person**. 1. Discipline 2. Calling 3. Covenant 4. Vision 5. Discernment 6. Obedience 7. Life Transference Principle

■ **Vision:** How to engage the Kingdom perspective as you shape and develop vision for ministry. How Mission and Vision differs. Vision is always future oriented while mission is purposefully oriented. A meaningful vision is not imposed. To be effective vision should develop from within with input from one’s constituency. When people are allowed to give input they tend to feel compelled to participate in the implementation of the vision.

■ **Options for Effective Ministry** Effective ministry does not just happen...it must be planned. Leadership will be challenged to creatively search for relevant options to engage in cutting-edge ministry through proven techniques. In a media driven culture we are encouraged to utilize the social media (Facebook, Twitter, etc.) as a medium to address contemporary persons in search of meaning

■ **Strategic Master Planning: For Churches Only** This seminar stresses the importance of master planning for all phases of the local church so as to enhance positive outcomes as your church develops. Utilizing the Bob Biehls acronym **DOCTOR**- [*Direction – Organization – Cash –Tracking – Overall Evaluation – Refinement*] when applied to ministry can result in positive outcomes. No one plans to fail. However, failure to develop a comprehensive plan can result in massive failure in ministry.

■ **Principle-Centered [Ethics] for Ministry in the 21st Century** this seminar attempts to challenge the false assumptive belief that being a good preacher makes one a good person. Richard Exley cites the four (4) most common causes of infidelity in or out of the ministry: **1. Lust 2. Inappropriate relationships 3. Mid-life frustrations 4. Abuse of power.** That most affairs involve one of these dynamics or some combination thereof. That to overcome immorality

one must identify the true cause and submit to the grace of God and appropriate spiritual disciplines. You will be challenged to focus on character, ethical behavior, and preventive modalities.

■ **Shepherding Difficult People** More often the presence of congregational conflict has many causes. Unresolved conflict has resulted in the downfall of many ministries. Leaders are made aware of problem solving approaches in shepherding difficult members. Neurotics in the church often use religion as a refuge for misbehaving.

Such persons are often in need of wholeness. Can anger be re-directed to more creative endeavors as conflict is managed through proven methods?

■ **Symbolic or Substantive Ministry** The primary task is to admonish leadership to do an assessment as to whether or not ministry is merely symbolic rather than substantive. A focused ministry checklist is utilized to develop a framework for approaching problem areas of a ministry in crisis. The clue to developing substantive ministry is refocusing and prioritizing on crisis areas. The challenge of becoming and remaining authentically Christian must be foundational to substantive ministry.

■ **Marriage Enrichment Series** [Will it Ever be...Like it Was?] this seminar seeks to sensitize couples to the importance of cultivating a relationship by going the extra mile in a marriage through loving deeds and specific suggestions that are reality based. The success of this seminar is based on transparency and dialogue.

■ **Maximized Manhood: When God Hooks a Brother Up** Men are encouraged and challenged to go beyond the boy within and maximize their manhood through personal goal setting, spiritual nurture and character development. Developing responsible manhood is the primary goal of this seminar.

■ **Let's Talk Preaching: Preaching for Results** Our goal is to assist and enable the participant to develop one's own preaching methodology by implementing seven (7) suggestive recommendations during the preaching moment. This approach is based on the theory that methodology determines negative or positive outcomes. The proclaimer is admonished during the preaching moment to start low, go slow, rise high, catch fire and sit down. [This seminar is based on my book *Crock Pot Preaching: In Search of a Preaching Methodology* - 2010- available in Amazon Kindle] The Samuel Proctor dialectical approach is stressed.

■ **Racial Liberation Seminar** -the purpose of this seminar is to sensitize participants to the presence of racial bigotry in the church and to creatively seek spiritual approaches to resolving racism by leading the way by examples, breaking down walls, mending fences and liberation by the Holy Spirit. [This seminar is based on my book *Kingdom Beyond Color: Re-Examining the Phenomenon of Racism* –Revised 2009, available in Amazon Kindle]

■ **For Jurisdictions Only** -When Jurisdictions Unite...the Sky is the Limit – the fundamentals of our faith are stress. e.g. holiness, witnessing, unity, cooperation, planning and setting strategic goals.

■ **Mentoring in Ministry**- Choosing the wrong mentor in ministry is often worse than selecting the wrong doctor. Your health and soul are at risk. Annually as a way of laying my gift at the altar I select a specific number of pastors, ministers, leaders, doctoral students, etc. for mentoring as a way of re-investing in ministry.. It is by request only and a consensual agreement.

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