SUMMER 2005

KINGDOM WARRIORS

FAITH FORCE MULTIPLIER UPDATE

CHALLENGE: ONE MILLION BAPTISMS

The Goal: Witness, Win, and Baptize... ONE MILLION!
The Time: October 1, 2005 — September 30, 2006
The Plan: Unified Effort for Evangelism

The immensity of the task, the urgency of the hour, and the condition of the harvest demand that we must mobilize our unified efforts. You are well aware that "Witness, Win and Baptize" is not "business as usual." In order to achieve the goal, we must work together in a unified effort that stretches across this land. As a FAITH Force Multiplier, you are one of the best hopes in the quest of increased evangelism and healthier, growing churches. The reason is simple and clear: By networking together, we can accomplish immeasurably more.

The task is larger than we, on our own, can accomplish. But, under the leadership of the Holy Spirit and through the strength of a unified effort, we can help build a growing climate of evangelism within churches across this nation. By working together at the same time toward the same goal, it is possible to realize what has never been done within our ranks: 1,000,000 baptisms. A unified effort for evangelism requires several simultaneous actions, which include items such as:

- Unified prayer for and personal commitment to evangelism
- Renewed emphasis on introducing FAITH to your circle of influence
- Persistent networking with other pastors, churches, associations, state conventions and agencies to grow evangelism emphasis/results
- Focused, prayerful actions that result in evangelism growth
- Constant attention to ongoing ministries within our churches that produce the most evangelistic fruit (VBS, FAITH, Revivals, etc.)
- Enhanced focus on unified associational evangelistic efforts that result in "let's take our association for Christ!"

WARRIOR TOOLS

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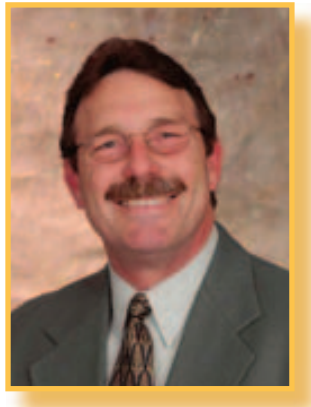

New FAITH Training Option Being Developed

In the fall of 2004, a pilot project was initiated in Georgia to provide the FAITH Training Clinic experience on an associational/local level. The plan provides FAITH training to pastors/churches closer to home and allows a more flexible teaching schedule (same content at adjustable times). Nine Georgia FFMs were selected and trained to be Lead Teachers for the Associational FAITH Training Clinics project. As of June 30, 2005, we have conducted seven Associational FAITH Training Clinics in Georgia. Twelve Georgia Associations have been represented. Twenty-seven pastors/churches have been trained. We continue to schedule National FAITH Clinics and Institutes each year across the nation. The Associational FAITH Training Clinic was developed to train pastors in areas we are not able to conduct a clinic. Each Associational FAITH Training Clinic is approved by the FAITH Ministry at LifeWay. We are working on the details to expand the Associational FAITH Training Clinic concept to other areas in the near future. FFMs who want more information or are interested in being trained as a Lead Teacher for Associational FAITH Training Clinics, please send communication to James Walker at james.walker@lifeway.com.

National FAITH Institutes

September 19-22, 2005
Great Hills Baptist Church
Austin, Texas

January 23-26, 2006
First Baptist Church
Daytona Beach, Florida

How Attending the National FAITH Institute Benefits You:

- You will experience spiritual renewal through Bible study, prayer, and sharing the gospel.
- You will learn from practitioners how to strengthen and improve your church's Sunday School to fulfill the church's Great Commission mandate.
- You will learn how to more effectively develop leaders and mobilize believers for a greater spiritual impact on your community.
- You will be equipped to handle the administrative work of the Sunday School FAITH process.
- You will engage in intentional evangelistic and ministry opportunities during the Institute.
- You will be able to dialogue with key Sunday School FAITH leaders from around the country.
- You will build networking relationships with other church leaders for continued learning and support.

Institute Costs

(Costs include all meals, breaks, and training materials)

All FAITH Veterans–
- Senior Pastors, Church Staff, Laypersons $150.00

FAITH Basic–
have not attended a FAITH Training Clinic previously
- Senior Pastors $350.00
- All others $150.00

POR FE–
(Spanish FAITH)
- Senior Pastors $245.00
- All others $150.00

Special Features for FAITH Veterans:

- An off-site Pastors' Day special event—team building, interaction, and training with other FAITH pastors
- An on-campus special event for other FAITH veterans at the same time as the Pastors' Day
- Afternoon intentional evangelistic and ministry opportunities in the community

Other Institute Training Opportunities:

- *FAITH Basic Track*
  Want more FAITH Team Leaders and more FAITH teams? Bring persons who have not attended FAITH training previously with you!
- *POR FE Spanish Training*
  FAITH Basic training for Spanish-speaking congregations offered.

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CLINIC DATES AND LOCATIONS 2005 — 2006

For the most up-to-date information, call 1.877.324.8498 or visit our Web site www.lifeway.com/FAITH.

	DATE	LOCATION	CITY/STATE
P	Aug. 8-11, 2005	Iglesia Bautista Hispana De Westland	Hialeah, FL
C	Aug. 8-11, 2005	Lone Oak Baptist Church	Paducah, KY
C	Aug. 8-11, 2005	Park Place Baptist Church	Brandon, MS
C	Aug. 15-18, 2005	Northbridge Baptist Church	Charleston, SC
C	Aug. 22-25, 2005	First Baptist Church	Brandon, FL
C	Aug. 29—Sept. 1, 2005	First Baptist Church Stanleyville	Winston-Salem, NC
C	Sept. 12-15, 2005	Crestwood Baptist Church	Frankfort, KY
I P	Sept. 19-22, 2005	Great Hills Baptist Church	Austin, TX
C	Sept. 26-29, 2005	Kingsland Baptist Church	Richmond, VA
C	Oct. 10-13, 2005	Southeast Baptist Church	Salt Lake City, UT
C	Oct. 17-20, 2005	Burnt Hickory Baptist Church	Powder Springs, GA
C	Nov. 7-10, 2005	Emmanuel Baptist Church	Manassas, VA
C	Nov. 7-10, 2005	First Baptist Church	Denton, TX
C	Nov. 14-17, 2005	First Baptist Church	Centralia, MO
C	Jan. 16-19, 2006	Lakeview Baptist Church	Auburn, AL
I P	Jan. 23-26, 2006	First Baptist Church	Daytona Beach, FL
C	Feb. 20-23, 2006	West Ajo Baptist Church	Tucson, AZ
C	Feb. 20-23, 2006	Bayside Baptist Church	Harrsion, TN
C	Feb. 27—Mar. 2, 2006	Village Baptist Church	Oklahoma City, OK
C	Mar. 13-16, 2006	Richland Baptist Church	Richland, WA
C	Mar. 20-23, 2006	First Baptist Church	Marion, AR
C	Mar. 27-30, 2006	Colonial Heights Baptist Church	Jackson, MS
C	Mar. 27-30, 2006	First Baptist Church	Kingsland, GA
C	Apr. 24-27, 2006	Connersville Baptist Temple	Connersville, IN
C	May 8-11, 2006	Myrtle Grove Baptist Church	Pensacola, FL

As a FAITH Force Multiplier, we need to hear from you regarding any information on new churches you enlist and the clinic they will be attending. To report, contact James Walker, FAITH Director at 615.251.2686 or by e-mail at faithforce@lifeway.com.

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- A *FAITH Awareness Meeting*
- C *National FAITH Clinic (3½ days)*
- I *National FAITH Institute (3½ days)*
- N *FAITH Network Meeting*
- P *POR FE (Spanish Tract)*

FAITH Training Clinics offer step-by-step instruction on how to introduce the FAITH Sunday School Evangelism Strategy® into your church and make it an effective means of reaching lost people for Christ. Remember, attending a FAITH Training Clinic is the required first step for becoming involved with FAITH.

Registration Information

- For general information about FAITH, call toll free 1.877.324.8498.
- To register for FAITH Training Clinics, call toll free 1.800.254.2022.
- Spanish-speaking representatives are available at 1.800.257.7744.
- For other information, contact James Walker at 1.615.251.2686.

RESOURCE UPDATE

FAITH Discipleship: Reaching Out to World Religions

Through 16 weeks of training and visits, FAITH participants will become stronger disciples and more effective witnesses in the following ways.

1. Participants will be guided to examine the claims of several world religions and formulate a biblical response to these claims.
2. Participants will learn witnessing strategies for each world religion, based on the truth of God's Word.
3. Participants will gain confidence in confronting followers of world religions with the truth of the gospel and devleop a deeper compassion for those who are lost.

Sales of FAITH Discipleship courses are restricted to FAITH churches. *A Journey in FAITH* (FAITH Basic) and *Building Bridges Through FAITH* (FAITH Advanced) are prerequisites for participation in this course. Available now!

- Journal 0-6330-0893-1 $10.95
- Facilitator Guide 0-6330-0892-3 $15.95
- Training Pack 0-6330-0891-5 $149.95