

Speaker/Room Title/Description

SESSION 1 (10:00 AM)

- Richard Ross** **A Demonstration of Sunday Morning Bible Teaching with Teenagers**
Observe a live lesson from LifeWay with students. The observation will model ways to teach for transformation.
- Johnny Derouen** **Navigating the Pornography Epidemic**
Learn how to lead students and families to health and holiness. Discover best practices to teach, protect, inform and restore those affected by this epidemic.
- Shane Pruitt** **Reaching, Ministering & Mobilizing Millennials**
Practical ways to reach Millennials and disciple them towards spiritual maturity.
- Mitch Tidwell** **Does Your Church Have the Right Culture to Reach College Students?**
Shifting your church culture may be the missing link to reaching and developing college students.
- Nathaniel Kuhns** **Recruiting Volunteers and Cultivating a Heart for Gen Z**
Every ministry could always use more adult volunteers, but how do you find them? Once you find them, how do you lead them to engage with the students in your church?

SESSION 2 (10:45 AM)

- Richard Ross** **Leading Gender-Confused Teenagers to Adore Jesus and Live in Purity**
It's not IF your Student Ministry will encounter this issue, it is WHEN it will happen. Be prepared to minister well to this group of students.
- Johnny Derouen** **Burnout Basics: The Phantom Menace!**
Learn principles to avoid becoming a burnout victim as you work with today's students. The greatest thing you can do for today's students is a life well lived for Jesus.
- Shane Pruitt** **Reaching and Ministering to Teenagers (Generation Z)**
Practical ways to reach the next generation with the gospel of Jesus and disciple them towards spiritual maturity.
- Mitch Tidwell** **Helping Students Hear and Obey God**
The key to movement in your College Ministry is every student's ability to hear God and obey God.
- Nathaniel Kuhns** **Empowering Gen Z to Lead in Your Ministry**
Gen Z is not the future of the church, but is the church. But what does that practically mean in your ministry?

Reaching **GENERATION Z**

11:30 AM-12:30 PM

LUNCH PANELPanel: Shane Pruitt, Johnny Derouen & Richard Ross
Hosted by Dave Carroll

Richard Ross is husband to LaJuana, who has joined him in a lifetime of loving teenagers. They are parents of Clayton. Richard served as youth minister for 30 years and now is a volunteer with teenagers and parents at Wedgwood Baptist in Fort Worth. Richard is professor to the next generation of youth ministers at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth. Since its inception, Richard has served as the spokesperson for the international True Love Waits movement.



Shane Pruitt serves as the National Next Gen Evangelism Director for the North American Mission Board. He and his wife, Kasi, reside in Rockwall, Texas with their five children – Raygen, Harper, Titus, Elliot, & Glory. He has been in ministry for over 18 years as a denominational worker, church planter, lead pastor, and student pastor. He holds a bachelor's degree in biblical studies, a master's degree in history, and a Ph.D in Clinical Christian Counseling.



Johnny Derouen served as a youth minister for 32 years in Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas. Completing his Ph.D in youth ministry, he taught at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary for 12 years. He currently is lead pastor at FBC, Muskogee, Oklahoma, teaching adjunctly at SWBTS.



Mitch Tidwell is the collegiate associate at the Southern Baptists of Texas Convention. His passion is to assist churches in advancing God's kingdom on college campuses in Texas. Before being saved and called to the ministry he owned and operated a restaurant in Fort Worth with his family. Mitch lives in Fort Worth with his wife Olivia.



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SESSION 3 (12:30 PM)

- Richard Ross** **Hearing from Seniors How to Keep, Disciple and Launch High School Seniors**
Hear from a panel of high school seniors about positive and negative factors that influence their falling away or staying strong in the faith.
- Johnny Derouen** **The Myth of Adolescence**
What should I know and understand about students? With the largest number and percentage of teenagers in the history of the world, can they really be disciplined to change the world for Jesus?
- Shane Pruitt** **Mobilizing Gen Z to Reach Their Friends**
The best person to reach someone is someone close to their age. What things as leaders can we do to motivate our students to reach out?
- Matt Geddie** **Engage the College Campus**
Practical insights and principles for reaching college students.

SESSION 4 (1:15 PM)

- Richard Ross** **How to Include and Minister to Students in the Local Church**
Leading your church to answer the question, "How much time with the youth group and how much time with the full church?"
- Johnny Derouen** **Strategizing Generation Z Students for Spiritual Awakening**
The time is now! How bad do you want to see God move? What does a spiritual awakening look like in your youth group? How does one lead the youth group to meet God's conditions for a spiritual awakening?
- Shane Pruitt** **How to Advance the Gospel Through Social Media**
Nearly half of the world's population is on social media. It is a Great Commission opportunity. Having Gen Z use media for God's glory.
- Matt Geddie** **Equipping College Students to Lead**
Basic principles and tools for equipping your college students to lead.

Nathaniel Kuhns serves as the Student Associate. He joined the SBTC student team in February of 2020. Before joining the SBTC, he served in student ministry for 10 years across the state of Texas. Nathaniel received an undergraduate degree from the University of Texas at Tyler and is currently pursuing a graduate degree at Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.



Matt Geddie serves as the college minister at Travis Avenue Baptist Church in Fort Worth and also works with the SBTC as a collegiate liaison. His desire is to see the church equip college students and young adults to impact their spheres of influence with the gospel.

