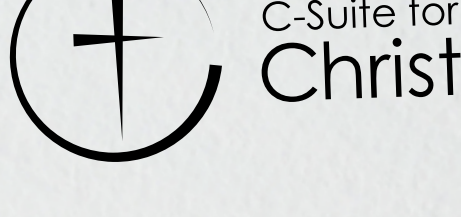




2024 COVERING THE WORLD IN CHRIST CONFERENCE



To my Sibling in Christ,

Thank you very much for taking time out of your busy schedule to join us for the 2024 Covering the World in Christ festivities. It's a blessing to have you with us!

I think you would readily agree that our society is in a sorry state today. Although there is plenty of blame to go around, I believe one of the key contributors is that God is being systemically removed from all of our major institutions.

As an organization, we believe that the greatest ministry field is the workplace and it's our prayer that you'll join us in boldly and unapologetically declaring to the world whose we are to win this world back for Him.

Your participation in this event shows me that you feel the same way.

Don't let the energy and enthusiasm that you experience today fade when you walk out the door. Take what you learn here and share it with everyone that God places in your life.

Want to officially join our movement?

Then visit <https://csuiteforchrist.com/> to get started.

Together, we'll cover every square inch of this world in Christ!

Blessings,

Paul

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AGENDA

7:45 A.M. TO 8:30 A.M. CST:	NETWORKING & FELLOWSHIP
8:30 A.M. TO 9:15 A.M. CST:	PRAYER BREAKFAST
9:15 A.M. TO 10:00 A.M. CST:	WELCOME & ADDRESS BY PAUL M. NEUBERGER
10:00 A.M. TO 10:15 A.M. CST:	BREAK
10:15 A.M. TO 11:00 A.M. CST:	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SESSIONS #1
11:15 A.M. TO 12:00 A.M. CST:	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SESSIONS #2
12:30 P.M. TO 1:30 P.M. CST:	LUNCH
2:00 P.M. TO 2:45 P.M. CST:	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SESSIONS #3
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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SESSIONS

SESSION #1

Patrick Yanke: The Virtues as a Way of Life

LOCATION ► NORTH DINING HALL

DESCRIPTION: Patrick's talk is on living the virtues. It's simple to encapsulate but it includes a discussion on creation, temptation, sin, our Fall from Grace, and the example of virtue we learn in Christ. He loves giving this talk! The culmination is learning to focus on living the virtues in our personal and professional lives... to have the heart of a servant in all we do.

Mary Grothe: Scaling Faith

LOCATION ► ALUMNAE DINING HALL

DESCRIPTION: In this session, Mary Grothe recounts a personal journey of success, downfall, and redemption. After achieving significant success in her early career, the speaker faced a rock bottom incident that led to a healing, soul-searching journey. Struggling with guilt, shame, and inner conflict, she found solace and transformation through faith in Jesus Christ. The speaker shares two life-changing concepts to help Christians integrate their faith into the workplace and live fearlessly. She emphasizes the importance of choosing Christ over worldly pursuits with an engaging, physical demonstration of climbing two ladders simultaneously, and introduces the SCALE framework (Surrender, Commit, Abide, Listen, Engage) as a guide to align personal and professional life with Christian values.

Austin Gardner: Forging Futures: A Guide to Transformative Leadership

LOCATION ► HELFAER HALL

DESCRIPTION: Discover the awesome power of shaping a forward-thinking workplace culture through key Biblical principles that fuel success. Learn how these timeless principles drive innovation, strengthen relationships, and set your business on the path to lasting success in an ever-changing world.

SESSION #2

Lisa Marie Platske:

Courageous Leadership: Standing Strong When It Feels the World is Shaking

LOCATION ► ALUMNAE DINING HALL

DESCRIPTION: Leaders, now more than ever, wrestle with how to have the greatest impact within their organization without trading in pieces of their soul. As norms are challenged, it's easy to lose one's footing. To stand as a catalyst for positive change, Christian leaders must have the courage to be bold in vision, voice, and vulnerability. Dive into these key elements of courageous leadership – and walk away with proven strategies that deliver transformative results.

Wellington Hepburn: Careers for Christ: Kingdom Influence at Work

LOCATION ► NORTH DINING HALL

DESCRIPTION: Our Lord Jesus Christ has given us a commission to share the gospel with the whole world – and this too includes our places of employment. Research shows that as professionals we can spend up to one third of our lives at work. I know right?! I too was amazed when I thought about this statistic. However, the research holds true. It means that we must reflect on how we are sharing and exemplifying in a very real way The Kingdom of God in the workplace. This presentation provides several power-packed and Biblical principles to provide each Christian believer with a framework to be a more impactful steward in their careers. Referencing Matthew 5: 13 – 16, this workshop identifies the characteristics of being the "salt of the earth" and the "light of the world" and gives practical lessons to live up to God's expectation of Christ-like impact at work.

Athena Dean-Holtz: Igniting Influence: Writing Your Faith-Infused Business Story

LOCATION ► HELFAER HALL

DESCRIPTION: A book communicates more than just your story, it's your calling card and gives credibility to your area of expertise. Join publisher Athena Dean Holtz as she gives a step-by-step guide to write a book that inspires your reader. Share what you have learned from your faith walk to impact your clients and even grow your business. Leave with a template to ease the writing process and share your message with excellence.

SESSION #3

Al Ruppel: Christ's Transforming Light in Islamabad – Unity in Hope School System

LOCATION ► NORTH DINING HALL

DESCRIPTION: In Pakistan 98% of the population identifies as members of the Islamic faith. Christians face severe religious persecution and generational poverty just to practice their faith. Co-Founder and President of the Unity in Hope School System and Community Center, Allen Ruppel will share how the only tuition-free Christian school in Iqbal Town Islamabad, Pakistan is bringing hope for a brighter future to the community where little existed before.

Caitlin Young Ramirez: Grace, Power, and Abundant Life

LOCATION ► ALUMNAE DINING HALL

DESCRIPTION: Healing, deliverance, power, joy, love, and peace, gifts of the Spirit and intimacy with God....this is living life in the glory zone, accessing the "abundant life" that Christ gives to us according to John 10:10, where Jesus came to give life, and life in abundance. A life of contempt, disappointment, depression, anxiety, fear, addiction, frustration, pain- these conditions keep us from experiencing the joy of the Lord, they hold us back from walking in our calling, and ultimately living in freedom, true, absolute freedom. In Christ. It is not often easy to move from a life of habitual sin, denial, unforgiveness, and trauma to complete surrender to the Lord, and a new obedience and hunger to allow His power to heal and deliver you, but it is possible. This is the place and atmosphere of glory where miracles happen. So hunger for Him, and begin anew. He is ready for you.

Brian Holtz: Free to Choose

LOCATION ► HELFAER HALL

DESCRIPTION: As God's pinnacle creation, He has granted us an incredible freedom, the opportunity to choose. Scripture is filled with examples of those who have chosen wisely and those who have chosen poorly. In the myriad of choices we are free to make, one topic appears in scripture more than any other. Money and possessions.

The Bible has 2,350 verses relating to money and possessions. More than any other topic. More than love. More than forgiveness. More than prayer. It's not because money is more important than those things, but because God knows we can all relate to it, we are all tempted by it, and it is often the last thing in our lives we are willing to surrender to Him. As Jesus Himself put it, "You cannot serve God and money." (Matthew 6:24)

In this session, Brian Holtz, CEO of Compass-finances God's way, will help us understand how our relationship with money impacts our relationship with Christ, choose God over money, and apply those same principles in every area of our lives.

SESSION #4

Melissa Whitaker: Resilience, Innovation, & Comebacks

LOCATION ► ALUMNAE DINING HALL

DESCRIPTION: In Business, life takes many turns. Melissa Whitaker talks about her story on the highs and lows of running a business and her journey that God has guided her along to not only thrive over time, but to also consult other businesses to do the same.

Bill Gosse: The Characteristics of a Godly Leader

LOCATION ► NORTH DINING HALL

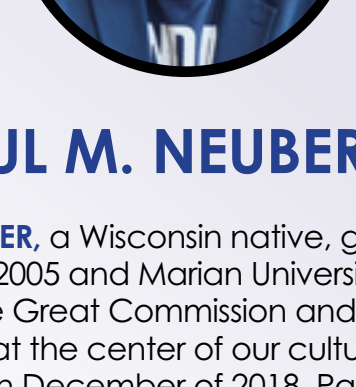
DESCRIPTION: In our business experiences, or in everyday Christian life, it can be difficult being a Godly leader – the Bible. In order to prioritize when that's the case, where should we turn for guidance? Of course, it should be our life manual – the Bible. In a "go to" prioritize our lives for the benefit of others, join Bill Gosse, Founder and President of TeamScore, to discover the seven qualities of a good leader and a mature Christian.

Wayne Moore: The Holy Spirit in our Salvation and the Power of His Word

LOCATION ► HELFAER HALL

DESCRIPTION: How the Holy Spirit led me away from some major distractions and into His arms for salvation, even miraculously using one of those distractions to draw me to Christ; and how the Lord uses Philippians 4: 4-9 to lead me from fear to focusing on His peace.

MEET PAUL & TIM



PAUL M. NEUBERGER

PAUL M. NEUBERGER, a Wisconsin native, graduated from Ripon College in 2005 and Marian University in 2007. Proudly obsessed with the Great Commission and restoring God to His rightful place at the center of our culture, Paul founded C-Suite for Christ in December of 2018. Paul felt called by God to use his talents to bring others to Him and is passionate about pushing back against an ever-increasing secular society. C-Suite for Christ focuses on bringing Christ back into the workplace, starting with C level executives that seek to bring their professional life and deep faith together for God's glory.

Paul is also a dynamic, in-demand speaker who delivers key-notes worldwide. When he's not speaking or managing many of the great C-Suite events, Paul loves spending quality time with his wife Tanya and their three children: Kennedy, Hudson, and Reagan. He also enjoys immersing himself in politics, reading biographies, and watching movies.



TIM BREEN

TIM is a third-generation pastor and has a passion for dynamic Biblical preaching, congregational mobilization, and staff health. In addition to his most recent pastoral work in Orange City, Iowa, Tim has served churches in Hudsonville, Michigan; Rockford, Michigan; and Sibley, Iowa. He has been a college professor, camp counselor, conference speaker, and has served on numerous education, denominational, and charitable boards. Tim writes at telosblog.com and enjoys leading Bible-based study tours of Israel.

Tim and his wife Tamara have been enthusiastically married for 20 years. They have three school-aged children and relied their family time. The Breens enjoy hiking, biking, stargazing, and traveling the country in their trusty Jayco motorhome. Their favorite moments include holidays in worship and fall Saturdays watching college football. Tim's favorite book of the Bible is Daniel, and he cites 2 Timothy 4:1-8 as his life verse.

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