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## WELCOME TO HAWAI'I + CONNECTION 2016

*Glenn Burris Jr., President*



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It is a joy to have Foursquare Connection 2016 in such a beautiful location and a place where our Foursquare heritage is rich. Pioneering missionary Martha May Leising came to Hawai'i in 1928 and helped establish a fruitful work here.

Our theme this year is "Empowered." Our theme verse states: "But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me ... to the end of the earth" (Acts 1:8, NKJV). The Holy Spirit is empowering His people and releasing them to fruitful ministry to:

- compassionately transform communities
- intentionally engage culture
- fearlessly embrace our future and
- boldly penetrate the darkness.

I pray that your convention experience will increase your understanding of the Lord's favor for our Foursquare family and His empowerment to help us reach the world for Christ!

Till all have heard,

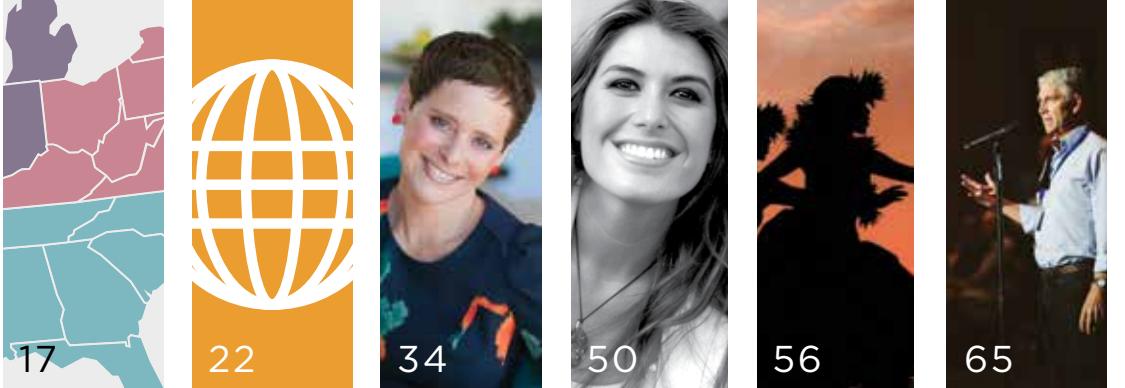
Glenn Burris Jr.  
President, The Foursquare Church

Es un gozo poder celebrar la Conexión Cuadrangular 2016 en un lugar tan hermoso como este y en donde la herencia Cuadrangular es rica. La misionera pionera Martha May Leising vino a Hawaii en 1928 y ayudó a establecer aquí una obra fructífera.

Nuestro lema este año es "Empoderados". Nuestro verso lema declara: "Pero recibiréis poder, cuando haya venido sobre vosotros el Espíritu Santo, y me seréis testigos...hasta lo último de la tierra" (Hechos 1:8 RV1960).

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iOro que su experiencia en la convención aumente su comprensión del favor del Señor para con nuestra familia Cuadrangular y de Su empoderamiento para ayudarnos a alcanzar el mundo para Cristo!



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Aloha! We are so excited to share Foursquare Connection 2016 with you. This Event Guide contains all the information that you need to enjoy the great opportunities only Connection can bring whether you are in Hawai'i or watching Connection Live from home. From Multiethnic Connections to the ministry-impacting teaching and training times, we pray that your time here will leave an impact on you, your church and the people you serve.

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## INDECE

iAloha! Estamos entusiasmados de poder compartir con usted la Conexión Cuadrangular 2016. Esta Guía del Evento contiene toda la información que usted necesita para disfrutar las grandes oportunidades que solo Conexión le puede ofrecer. Desde Conexiones Multiétnicas hasta enseñanzas y tiempos de capacitación que impactan ministerios, oramos que su tiempo aquí deje un impacto en ustedes, sus iglesias y las ciudades en donde sirven.

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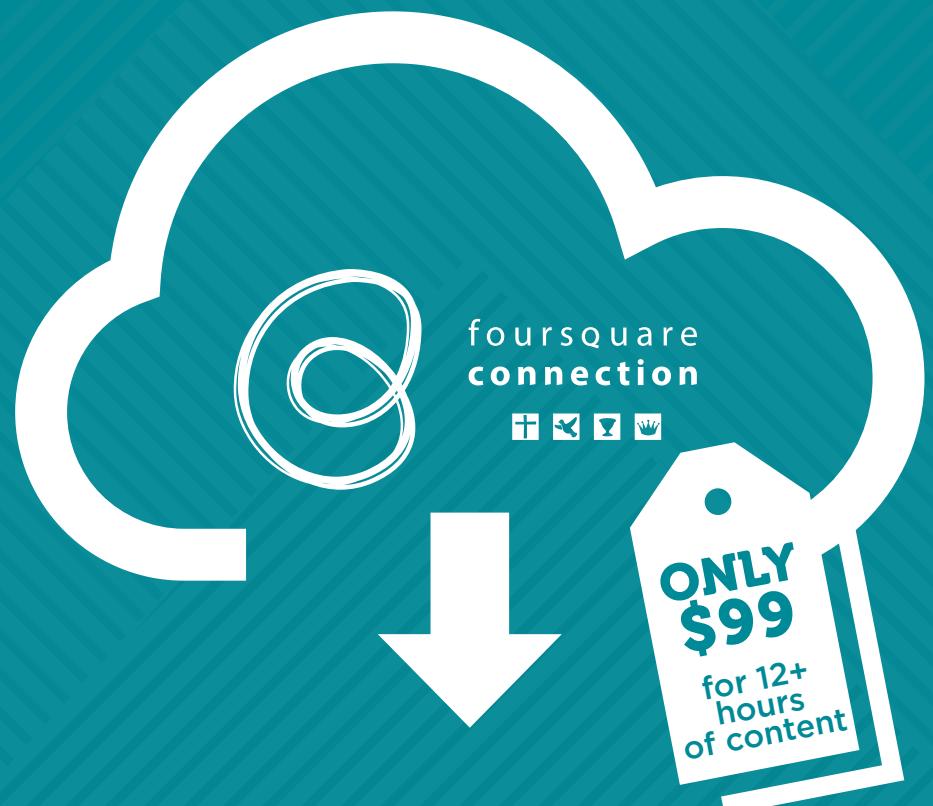
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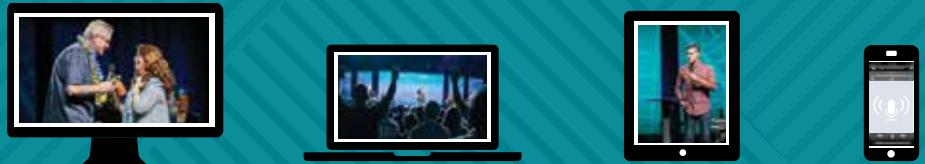


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## ABOUT FOURSQUARE

### WHAT IS THE FOURSQUARE CHURCH?

The Foursquare Church is a global family of churches who believe that Jesus Christ is unchanging as our Savior, Healer, Baptizer With the Holy Spirit, and Soon-Coming King.

Since its inception, The Foursquare Church has been empowered to be a sending family. Today, with over 92,000 credentialed ministers serving in over 146 countries and territories, we celebrate all the ways God has worked through His people—and continues to do so—until all have heard.

With a diverse leadership body that releases women and men to pursue the work God has called them to, Foursquare is part of a dynamic global front that is pressing back the darkness and revealing the kingdom of God. We have been called and equipped for such a time as this!

As we gather in Hawai'i for Foursquare Connection 2016, we honor the tireless work of pastors, leaders and disciples to see peoples and cultures captivated and transformed by Christ.

### ¿QUÉ ES LA IGLESIA CUADRANGULAR?

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La Iglesia Cuadrangular es una familia global de iglesias que cree que Jesucristo es inmutable como nuestro Salvador, Sanador, Bautizador con el Espíritu Santo y Rey Venidero.

Desde sus inicios, La Iglesia Cuadrangular ha sido empoderada para ser una familia enviadora. Hoy, con más de 92,000 ministros con credenciales sirviendo en más de 146 naciones, celebramos todos las maneras en que Dios ha obrado por medio de Su pueblo—y continúa haciéndolo—hasta que todos hayan escuchado.

Con un cuerpo de liderazgo diversificado que envía a mujeres y hombres a seguir la obra a la cual Dios les ha llamado, la Cuadrangular forma parte de un dinámico frente global que está haciendo retroceder la oscuridad y revelando el reino de Dios. ¡Hemos sido llamados y equipados para un tiempo como éste!

Al reunirnos en Hawaii para la Conexión Cuadrangular 2016, honramos la obra infatigable de los pastores, líderes y discípulos para a ver a los pueblos y culturas alcanzados y transformados por Cristo.



# FIVE STAKES UPDATE

First introduced in 2014, The Foursquare Church has already made significant progress on the Five Stakes. Hear an update from President Glenn Burris Jr., re-familiarize yourself with the Stakes, and check in on where the future of Foursquare is heading.

## *The Five Stakes*

1

Align everything in Foursquare to the Great Commission

2

Align the National Church Office and district offices to a catalytic culture

3

Align 100 percent of the tithe to the local and district mission

4

Align Foursquare Foundation to resource and support the Foursquare mission

5

Align Foursquare polity to provide property options for local churches

## THAT NONE SHOULD PERISH

*By Glenn Burris Jr., President*

During devotions one morning, I was deeply moved while reading 2 Peter 3:9. Peter's heart and passion are evident in his words to his "brethren" in northern Galatia: "The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, as some count slackness, but is longsuffering toward us, not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance" (NKJV).

The words that hit the target that morning, "not willing that any should perish," brought fresh fire and further increased my strong resolve that our Foursquare global family is distinctly called as a movement to keep our vision—our reason for all that we do—firmly fixed on the Lord's highest priority: the Great Commission. The ache of our Father's heart for the lost must become the burning purpose in our lives, giving us reason to get out of bed every morning.

As you may recall, the Five Stakes were agreed upon as a body during our 2014 convention in Dallas. Subsequent to that, significant progress has been made through Reimagine 1.0 in the way our central office has started to streamline our national structure, releasing initiative to our local congregations as never before.

Stake 1—Align everything Foursquare to the Great Commission—will be the one Stake that will always remain. The actualization of all the other Stakes will come about as we adhere to this first and highest value. We'll be giving updates about all of the Five Stakes at Foursquare Connection 2016 in Hawaii.

Our mission, "The Whole Church Taking the Whole Gospel to the Whole World," is an urgent call. Reports show that 87 percent of missions funding goes to those who have already heard; 12 percent to those who have heard but not yet responded; and only 1 percent to the unreached!

I invite you to review these milestones of the Five Stakes with fresh vision and commitment. As we come together for Connection 2016 and consider the theme, "Empowered," take that statement as a declaration of our new season of powerful partnership. The Foursquare Church is called by the Lord Himself to such a noble cause—that none should perish.

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## *Re-imagina a la Cuadrangular* **LAS NOTICIAS MAS RECENTE ACERCA DE LAS CINCO ESTACAS**

Presentadas por primera vez en el 2014, La Iglesia Cuadrangular ya ha hecho un progreso significativo en lo que respecta a las Cinco Estacas. Escuche las noticias mas recientes de parte del presidente Glenn Burris Jr., vuelva a familiarizarse con las Estacas, y descubra hacia dónde se dirige el futuro de la Cuadrangular.

## *Las Cinco Estacas*

**ESTACA 1:** Alinear todo en la Cuadrangular a la Gran Comisión

**ESTACA 2:** Alinear la Oficina de la Iglesia Nacional y oficinas de distrito a una cultura catalítica

**ESTACA 3:** Alinear el 100 por ciento del diezmo a la misión local y de distrito

**ESTACA 4:** Alinear la Fundación Cuadrangular para proveer recursos y apoyar la misión de la Cuadrangular

**ESTACA 5:** Alinear la Forma de Gobierno Cuadrangular para proporcionar opciones de propiedad para las iglesias locales

## FIVE STAKES PROGRESS

A progress report on Reimagine and more about what will be involved in Reimagine 2.0 will be presented during the business session at Foursquare Connection 2016 in Honolulu.

Here are highlights of what has happened since last year's convention in Anaheim:

**STAKE 1:** A national task force continues to evaluate Foursquare structures and systems to ensure they all have a "missional focus."

**STAKE 2:** Supervisors for the revised 11 districts have been appointed in line with the "catalytic leader" profile, which identifies ministry gifts and abilities, and details the values and behaviors required of the role.

Together with national leaders, the supervisors are meeting twice a year with a "one team, 11 districts" emphasis to pursue ways of furthering church multiplication, church transformation and leadership formation.

In 2012, the board of directors made a decision to fund church multiplication through new extension tithe dollars received from church plants and congregations. In 2015, \$724,097 was returned to church multiplication sponsoring entities to further their endeavors and enable them to continue multiplying, opening new churches and congregations.

Deployed in spring 2015, the Canvas learning management system has expanded to include all 11 districts, as well as Foursquare Missions International. There are currently over 800 users on the Foursquare Canvas platform, and it is now open to institutes and churches. Credentialed ministers can learn more at [foursquare.org/education](http://foursquare.org/education).

**STAKE 3:** The initial goal of returning 20 percent of the tithe to the field was achieved well ahead of schedule, with checks totaling \$5.8 million going out to churches last year. The National Church Office heard reports of local churches "being able to do things they were never able to do before, new initiatives, and being able to increase in scope the opportunities that they already have," says Adam Davidson, vice president and COO.

At The Bridge (Christiansburg Foursquare Church) in Christiansburg, Va., the money was used for missional engagement by sending members out to reach their

## PARA QUE NINGUNO PEREZCA

Por: Glenn Burris Jr., Presidente

Durante mi tiempo devocional una mañana, me sentí profundamente conmovido mientras leía 2 Pedro 3:9. El corazón y la pasión de Pedro son evidentes en sus palabras a sus "hermanos" del norte de Galacia: "El Señor no retarda su promesa, según algunos la tienen por tardanza, sino que es paciente para con nosotros, no queriendo que ninguno perezca, sino que todos procedan al arrepentimiento". (Reina Valera 1960)

Las palabras que dieron en el blanco esa mañana, "no queriendo que ninguno

perezca", trajeron un fuego fresco y aumentaron aún más mi firme determinación de que nuestra familia Cuadrangular global está llamada de manera particular como movimiento a mantener nuestra visión—nuestra razón para todo lo que hacemos—firmemente enfocada en la prioridad máxima del Señor: la Gran Comisión. El dolor del corazón de nuestro Padre por los perdidos debe convertirse en el propósito ardiente en nuestras vidas, dándonos una razón para levantarnos de la cama cada mañana.

Como ustedes recordarán, las Cinco Estacas fueron acordadas corporativamente durante nuestra convención del 2014 en Dallas.

## Foursquare's Missional Objectives

- Leadership formation
- Church and congregation multiplication
- Church transformation

## Returning Money to the Field

In April and October 2015, Foursquare sent checks to tithing Foursquare churches, with a third round due in April 2016. At press time, Foursquare had distributed the following funds, which were to be used on missional objectives:

**April 2015: \$2,818,937**

**October 2015: \$2,943,773**

community on Sundays at regular intervals, in lieu of having services. Others have been using their returned tithe money to kick start new church plants or congregations.

Much of this financial reallocation was made possible through ongoing streamlining within the central offices, which included selling non-strategic income-producing properties and reinvesting the proceeds for a higher rate of return, as well as further reduction of office space within the Rolf K. McPherson building, home of the Foursquare central offices in Los Angeles.

Other cost savings were realized through the closing of the processing center in Concord, N.C., with its duties being transferred to the central and district offices. New technology enhancements include the introduction of an

online administrative toolkit, [4sq.ca/toolkit](http://4sq.ca/toolkit), which includes practical resources, in Spanish and English, that are "extremely practical and pertinent to the day-to-day challenges faced by our local church leaders," notes Adam.

The Foursquare Church continues to look for new ways to reduce expenses and increase revenue with the goal of returning even more money to the field.

**STAKE 4:** Central to Reimagine's financial restructuring has been establishing Foursquare Foundation as what Glenn calls the movement's "financial engine," generating new sources of income to replace the money being returned

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Subsecuentemente, se ha hecho un progreso significativo a través de Re-imaginación 1.0 en la forma en que nuestra oficina central ha comenzado a simplificar nuestra estructura nacional, pasando la iniciativa a nuestras congregaciones locales como nunca antes.

Estaca 1—Alinear todo en la Cuadrangular a la Gran Comisión—será la única Estaca que siempre permanecerá. La actualización de todas las otras Estacas se logrará a medida que nos adherimos a este primer y más alto valor. Estaremos dando las noticias más recientes sobre todas las Cinco Estacas en Hawaii durante la Conexión Cuadrangular 2016.

Nuestra misión, "Toda la iglesia llevando todo el evangelio a todo el mundo", es un llamado urgente. Los informes muestran que el 87 por ciento de los fondos destinados a misiones van a aquellos que ya han escuchado; 12 por ciento a los que han escuchado, pero aún no han respondido; y sólo el 1 por ciento a los no alcanzados!

Los invito a revisar estos hitos de las Cinco Estacas con una visión y compromiso frescos. Al reunirnos para la Conexión 2016 y considerar el lema, "Empoderados", tomemos esa afirmación como una declaración de nuestra nueva etapa de poderosa colaboración. La Iglesia Cuadrangular es llamada por el mismo Señor a tan noble causa—que ninguno se pierda.

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to the field. This means that, in addition to their already missional foci of “accelerating worldwide, interdenominational evangelism,” Foursquare Foundation will endeavor to develop new sources of income while responsibly blessing the church and the world around us. We believe there are wells of provision and blessing that have yet to be tapped.

One innovative way Foursquare Foundation has begun to do that is through negotiating a pilot solar energy program for a Foursquare church in Hawaii that will slash its power bill,

thereby saving money and increasing the church's income available for mission.

“Funding models are changing, giving patterns are changing, not just here in the U.S. but globally,” explains the Foundation’s Interim CEO Joe Wainer. “We really have to be on the cutting edge of what that means for us as a movement. If we believe God is our provider and that ‘we shall not want,’ then there are rivers of provision and blessing to be discovered. This is part of the beauty of God’s greatness.”

In addition to funding Foursquare Education, a Global Cities strategy and providing Foursquare Senior Living subsidies, Foursquare Foundation

is strategically helping the global church through the leadership of the Foursquare Global Council (comprising the regional chairs of each of our 15 regions).

Three target initiatives guide the Global Council’s mission:

- 1 our shared mission
- 2 training and education
- 3 governance.

A commitment has been made to help fund fruitfulness in all of these vital areas. The partnership with the Foursquare Global Council is an expression of Foursquare Foundation’s missional focus—to effectively catalyze

kingdom advancement through the Foursquare church, in the U.S. and globally.

**STAKE 5:** Finding the best way to provide the option for local churches to lease or own their own property has been a prime example of the need to adjust on the Reimagine trail.

After it became clear that the original idea of allowing local churches to form their own LLCs was not workable, last year’s Foursquare Connection approved following a different route, which would involve

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## EL PROGRESO DE LAS CINCO ESTACAS

Un informe del progreso de Re-imagina y más acerca de lo que estará involucrado en Re-imagina 2.0 será presentado durante la sesión de negocios en la Conexión Cuadrangular 2016 en Honolulu.

Estos son los aspectos destacados de lo que ha ocurrido desde la convención del año pasado en Anaheim:

**ESTACA 1:** Un equipo de trabajo nacional continúa evaluando las estructuras y sistemas Cuadrangulares para asegurar que todo tenga un “enfoque misional”.

**ESTACA 2:** Han sido nombrados supervisores para los 11 distritos, de acuerdo con el perfil del “líder catalítico”, que identifica dones y habilidades ministeriales, y detalla los valores y comportamientos requeridos para dicho rol.

Junto con los líderes nacionales, los supervisores se reúnen dos veces al año con un énfasis de “un equipo, 11 distritos” para adoptar medidas que fomenten la multiplicación de iglesias, la transformación de la iglesia y la formación del liderazgo.

En el 2012, la Junta de Directores tomó la decisión de financiar la multiplicación de iglesias

a través de los dólares del diezmo de diezmos recibidos de congregaciones y plantaciones de iglesias. En el 2015, \$724,097 fueron devueltos a entidades patrocinadoras de la multiplicación de iglesias para promover aún más sus iniciativas y permitirles continuar multiplicando y abriendo nuevas iglesias y congregaciones.

Implementado en la primavera del 2015, Canvas se ha extendido para incluir a todos los 11 distritos, así como a Foursquare Missions International. Actualmente hay más de 800 usuarios en la plataforma Cuadrangular Canvas y ahora está abierta a institutos e iglesias. Los ministros con credenciales pueden obtener más información en [foursquare.org/education](http://foursquare.org/education).

**ESTACA 3:** La meta inicial de regresar el 20 por ciento del diezmo al campo se alcanzó antes de lo previsto, con cheques por un total de \$5.8 millones que fueron enviados a las iglesias el año pasado. La Oficina de la Iglesia Nacional escuchó los informes de las iglesias locales “habiéndolo podido hacer cosas que nunca habían podido hacer antes, nuevas iniciativas, y la posibilidad de aumentar el alcance de las oportunidades que ya tienen”, dice Adam Davidson, Vicepresidente y Director de Operaciones.

En The Bridge (Christiansburg Foursquare Church) en Christiansburg, Virginia, el dinero se utilizó para el compromiso misional mediante el envío de sus miembros a la comunidad los domingos en intervalos regulares, en

## Objetivos Misionales de la Cuadrangular

- Formación del liderazgo
- Multiplicación de iglesias y congregaciones
- Transformación de la Iglesia

## Devolviendo Dinero al Campo

En abril y octubre del 2015, la Cuadrangular envió cheques a las iglesias Cuadrangulares que diezman, con una tercera ronda prevista para abril del 2016. Al cierre de esta edición, la Cuadrangular habrá distribuido los siguientes fondos para ser utilizados en objetivos misionales.

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lugar de tener servicios. Otras iglesias, como Grace Capital (Pembroke Foursquare Church) en Pembroke, New Hampshire, han estado utilizando el dinero del diezmo regresado para comenzar nuevos campus, incluyendo su más reciente en las cercanías de Pittsfield.

Gran parte de esta reasignación financiera fue posible gracias a la reestructuración en curso de las oficinas centrales, que incluyó la venta de propiedades que no eran estratégicamente generadoras de ingresos y la reinversión de las ganancias para obtener una mayor tasa de retorno, así como una reducción adicional de espacio en las oficinas del edificio Rolf K. McPherson, sede de las oficinas centrales de la Iglesia Cuadrangular en los Ángeles.

Otros ahorros se realizaron a través del cierre del centro de procesamiento en Concord, Carolina del Norte, siendo transferidas sus funciones a la oficina central y a las oficinas de los distritos.

Las nuevas mejoras tecnológicas incluyen la introducción de un kit de herramientas administrativas en línea [4sq.ca/toolkit](http://4sq.ca/toolkit), con recursos prácticos, en español e inglés, y que son “extremadamente prácticos y pertinentes a los retos del día a día que enfrentan nuestros líderes de iglesias locales”, señala Adam.

La Iglesia Cuadrangular continúa buscando nuevas formas de reducir los gastos y aumentar los ingresos con el objetivo de devolver aún más dinero al campo.

**ESTACA 4:** El establecimiento de la Fundación Cuadrangular (Foursquare Foundation) como lo que Glenn llama el “motor económico” del movimiento ha sido vital para la reestructuración financiera de Re-imagina, generando nuevas fuentes de ingresos para reemplazar el dinero que se ha devuelto al campo. Esto significa que, además de su enfoque ya misional de “acelerar el evangelismo mundial e interdenominacional”,

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congregations forming their own tax-exempt corporations.

Since then, Foursquare's Bylaw Committee has been working on a comprehensive revision of the church bylaws that would permit such a move, and drafting a unique covenant agreement each local congregation choosing this option would need to sign with the national church. Both are due to be presented to this year's convention. 

## Missional Objectives in Action

One church is closing its doors on some Sunday mornings to reach out to its community. Another is giving food and high fives to local school employees, while a third is helping fund new campuses. These are just some of the ways in which Foursquare churches are spending their missional objective money, released as part of the Reimagine process. Read their stories and more at [4sq.ca/missional2016](http://4sq.ca/missional2016).

la Fundación Cuadrangular tratará de desarrollar nuevas fuentes de ingresos, mientras que responsablemente bendice a la iglesia y al mundo que nos rodea. Creemos que hay fuentes de provisión y bendición que aún no se han explotado.

Una forma innovadora en que la Fundación Cuadrangular ha comenzado a hacer esto es a través de la negociación de un programa piloto de energía solar para una iglesia Cuadrangular en Hawaii que reducirá su pago de energía, y de esta manera ahorrar dinero y aumentar los ingresos de la iglesia disponibles para la misión.

"Los modelos de financiación están cambiando, los patrones de ofrendas están cambiando, no sólo aquí en los Estados Unidos sino en todo el mundo", explica el Director General Interino de la Fundación Joe Wainer. "Realmente tenemos que estar a la vanguardia en lo que esto significa para nosotros como movimiento. Si creemos que Dios es nuestro proveedor y que "nada nos faltará", entonces hay ríos de provisión y bendición por ser descubiertos. Esto es parte de la belleza de la grandeza de Dios".

Además de financiar la Educación Cuadrangular, la estrategia global de ciudades y proporcionar subsidios de vivienda para los ministros jubilados de la Cuadrangular, la Fundación Cuadrangular está ayudando estratégicamente a la iglesia global a través del liderazgo del Concilio Global Cuadrangular (que comprende a los presidentes regionales de cada una de nuestras 15 regiones).

Tres iniciativas de enfoque guían nuestra misión:

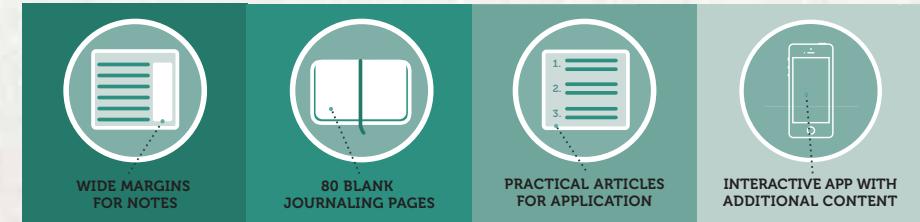
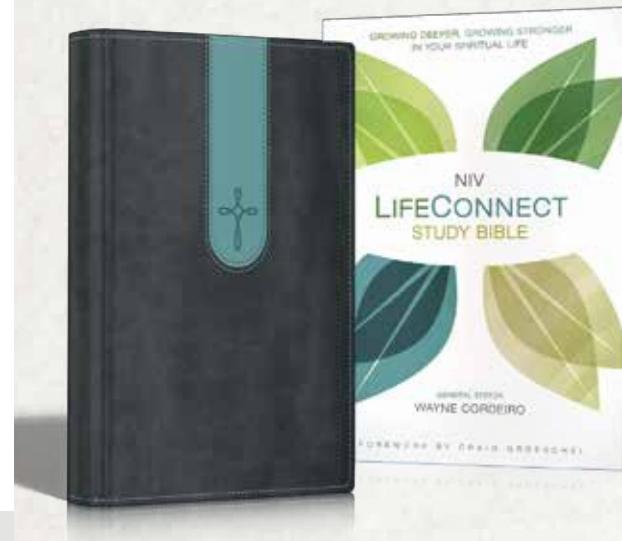
- 1 nuestra misión compartida
- 2 entrenamiento y educación
- 3 gobernabilidad.

Se ha hecho un compromiso para ayudar a financiar el fruto en todas estas áreas vitales. La asociación con el Concilio Global Cuadrangular es una expresión del enfoque misional de la Fundación Cuadrangular—para catalizar de manera efectiva el avance del reino a través de La Iglesia Cuadrangular en los Estados Unidos y en el mundo.

**ESTACA 5:** Encontrar la mejor manera de proporcionar opciones para que las iglesias locales arrienden o sean dueños de su propiedad ha sido un buen ejemplo de la necesidad de ajustar la trayectoria de Re-imaginación.

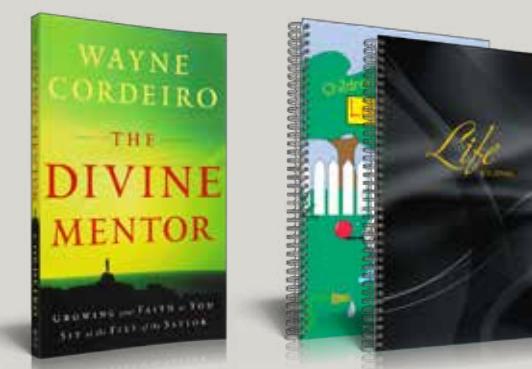
Después de que fue evidente que la idea original de permitir que las iglesias locales formaran sus propias sociedades de responsabilidad limitada no era viable, en la Conexión Cuadrangular del año pasado se aprobó seguir una ruta diferente, que implicaría que las congregaciones formaran sus propias corporaciones exentas de impuestos.

Desde entonces, el comité de estatutos de la Cuadrangular ha estado trabajando en una revisión exhaustiva de los estatutos de la iglesia que permitan tal movimiento, y en la redacción de un singular acuerdo de pacto que cada congregación local que escogiese esta opción tendría que firmar con la iglesia nacional. Ambos se presentarán en la convención de este año. 



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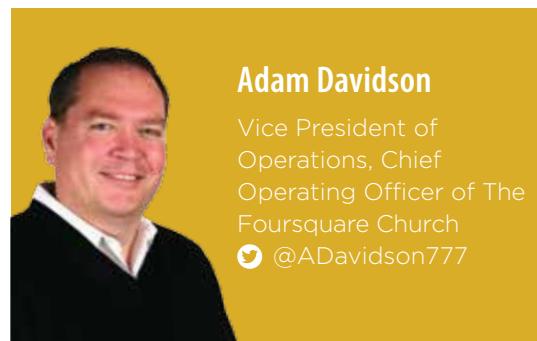
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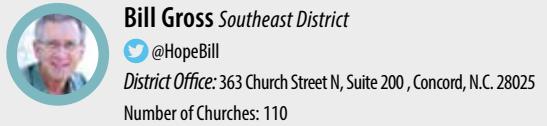
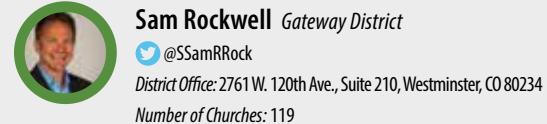
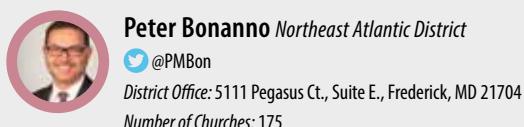
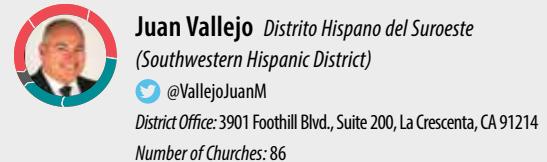
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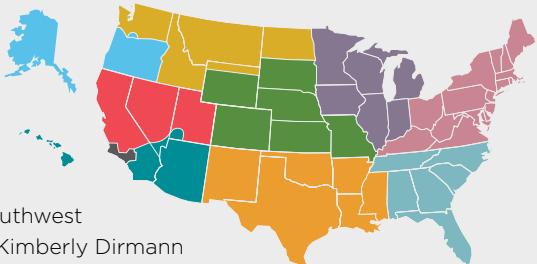
Meet our faithful Foursquare executives, who are based out of the Los Angeles central office. Follow them on Twitter, or read their full bios at [foursquare.org/about](http://foursquare.org/about) and click on "Leadership."



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Number of churches as of March 2016

## Leadership

# MEET YOUR 2016 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The current Foursquare board of directors comprises the president, general supervisor, director of missions, corporate secretary, chief financial officer, 12 selected directors (one from each district), and eight appointed directors. Most of the nonofficer directors are senior pastors. The board also has three nonvoting board-appointed participants: the president of Life Pacific College, the chief operating officer of ICFG, and the chief operating officer of Foursquare Financial Solutions.

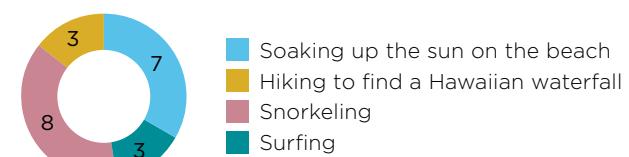
The board of directors meets face to face four or five times each year, and has a conference call each month. They are responsible for the management of the corporation and the missional effectiveness of the Foursquare movement. The board assigns committees to assist in the process of making informed decisions; there are currently 15 committees. An executive committee of the board meets weekly to handle the delegated business matters that are within policy.

## MORE ABOUT YOUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS

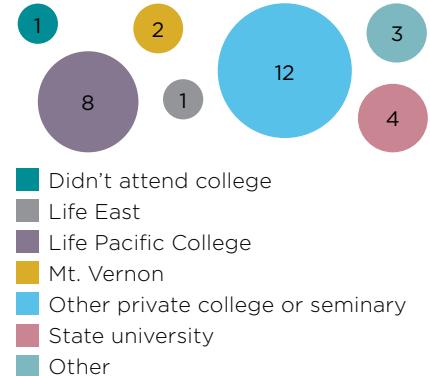
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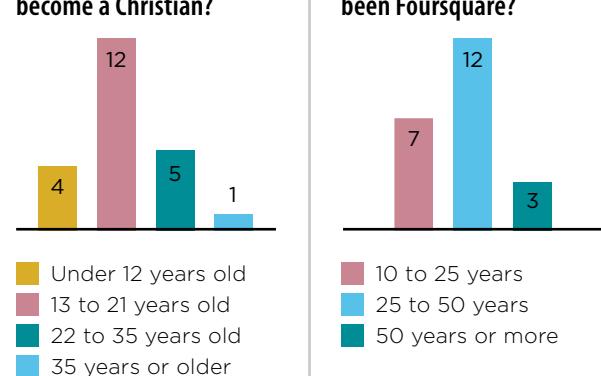
### What Hawaiian activity are you looking forward to the most?



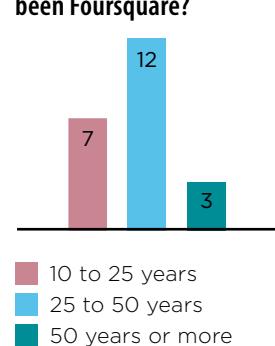
### What college or seminary did you attend?



### What age did you become a Christian?



### How long have you been Foursquare?



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Meet our Foursquare executives, who also serve on the board.

## Leadership

# 2016 FOURSQUARE CABINET

The Foursquare cabinet comprises the board of directors, district supervisors and ministerial representatives who are selected from the various voting regions throughout the United States. The Foursquare cabinet meets at least annually and may meet additional times at the request of the board, to receive reports, give counsel concerning the overall ministry of The Foursquare Church, and to act as a nominating committee in the selection of a president.

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Richard Casteel	Bob Hunt	Clint Pickrel	Jim VanDyke
Fernando Castillo	Marion Ingegneri	Ron Pinkston	Dave Veach
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# FOURSQUARE AROUND THE WORLD

This year, we celebrate moving mountains as a movement. Globally, we've planted churches, sent missionaries and credentialed ministers ... and seen millions come to Jesus and be baptized.

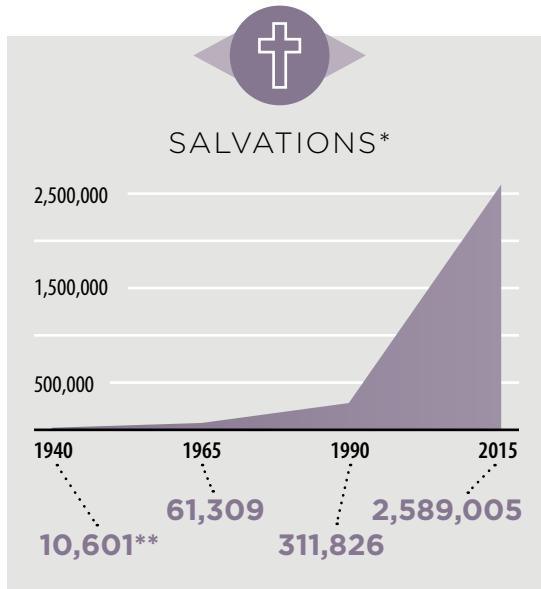
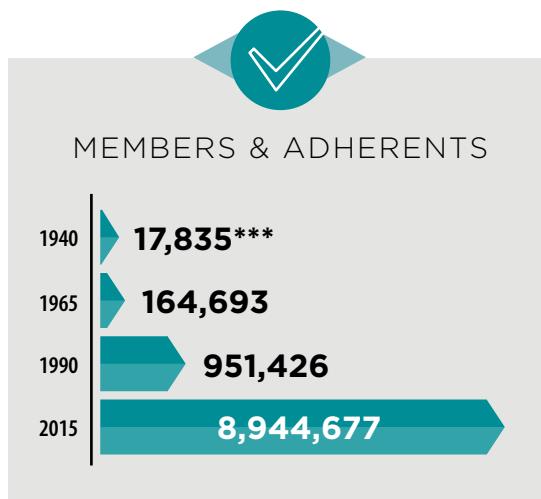
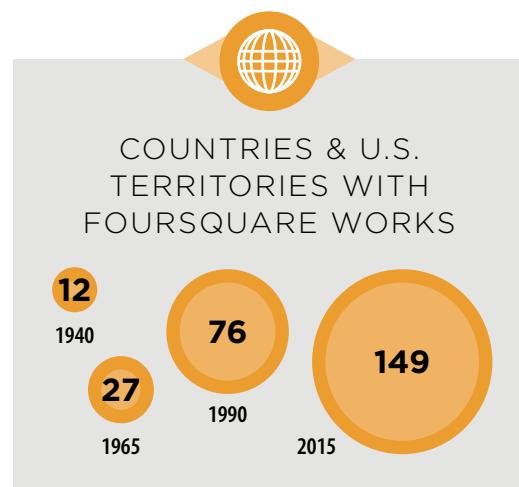
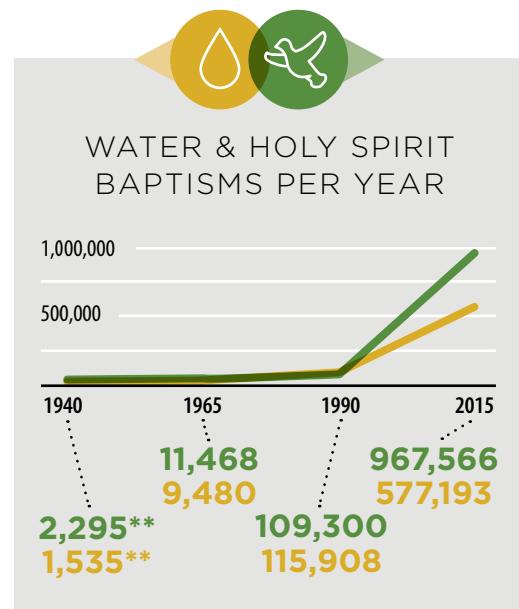
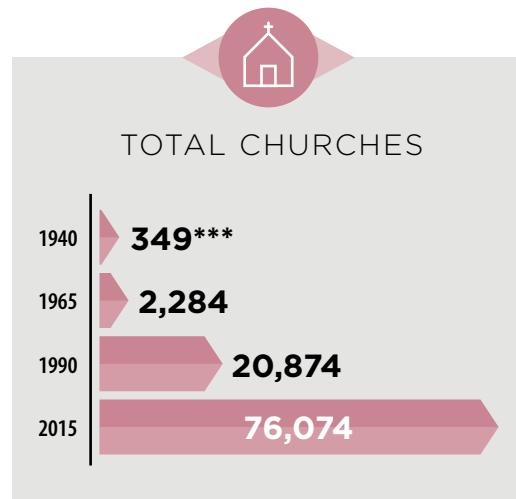
*Can I get an amen?*

It's clear that Jesus Christ, who is the same yesterday, today and forever, is still working through The Foursquare Church around the world. And that's something to celebrate.

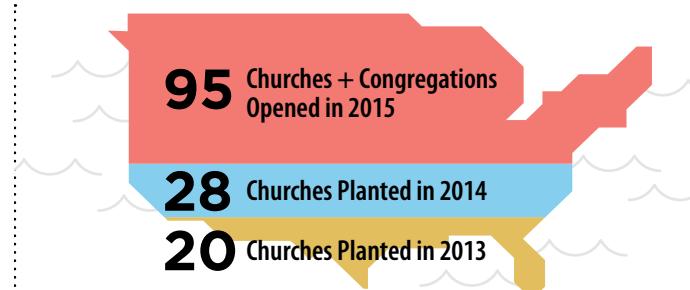
\* Salvations were historically tracked as Conversions

\*\* U.S. numbers only

\*\*\* In U.S. and Canada



## U.S. Church Plants



In 2015, Foursquare planted 42 churches and 47 congregations. We also adopted two churches and had four church restarts.



# 2016

# SERVICE AWARDS

Please join us in a round of applause for our credentialed ministers who have served 50 and 60 years. The Service Award recipients will be honored at a special lunch during convention where they will receive their awards. If you want to share or save this year's recipient list, download a full-color, printable list of the recipients with their photos at [4sq.ca/service2016](http://4sq.ca/service2016).

Without further ado, here are your 2016 Service Award recipients, as well as the states and nations where they served.

## 50-YEAR SERVICE AWARD RECIPIENTS

Eleanor L. Baker  
Colorado, California  
  
Ronald J. Balas  
Illinois, Ohio  
  
Janet D. Chapman  
California  
  
Jerry L. Chapman  
California  
  
Cheryl P. Click  
Illinois, California  
  
Pauline L. Davis  
Kansas, California, Oregon, Idaho  
  
George F. Dikeman  
Nebraska, Minnesota, California, Wyoming, Oregon  
  
Lolita J. Frederick-Harris  
California, Washington, Panama, Argentina, Oklahoma

Henriette E. Garley  
Philippines, California  
  
Tom Q. Garley  
Philippines, California  
  
Gordon Hankins  
Oregon  
  
Victoria Hankins  
Canada, Iowa, Oregon  
  
Mark T. Harris  
South Dakota, California, Colorado, Missouri  
  
Jerry T. Howell  
California, Illinois, Iowa, Arizona, Oregon, Nebraska, Ohio, Virginia  
  
Lillian K. Howell  
California, Illinois, Iowa, Arizona, Oregon, Nebraska, Ohio, Virginia

Joyce C. Mehl  
California, Oregon, Wisconsin  
  
Charlotte A. Meyers  
Pennsylvania, Ohio, Canada, South Korea, New York, Oklahoma  
  
Ronald R. Meyers  
Pennsylvania, Ohio, Canada, South Korea, New York, Oklahoma  
  
Ray A. Morrow  
Ohio  
  
Shmuel Oppenheim  
Texas, Washington, California, Nevada  
  
Daniel J. Park  
California  
  
Glen Pummel  
Costa Rica, Nebraska, Chile, California, Colorado, Arkansas, Kansas, Texas

Sharon Pummel  
Nebraska, Chile, California, Colorado, Arkansas, Kansas, Texas  
  
Roberta M. Schneidau  
California, Colorado, Wyoming  
  
Glenda L. Smith  
California, Oregon  
  
Beverly R. Sneed  
California, Europe  
  
Dan C. Sneed  
California, Europe  
  
G. Wayne Todd  
Washington, Oregon  
  
Anna M. Wells  
Jamaica, Illinois, California, Nebraska, Iowa, Texas  
  
Elvin Wells  
Nebraska, Iowa, Texas

## 60-YEAR SERVICE AWARD RECIPIENTS

Velma J. Angel  
Colorado, Nebraska, California, Texas

William L. Angel  
Colorado, Nebraska, California, Texas

Ruth E. Brandt  
Colorado, Missouri, California

William C. Brandt  
Colorado, Missouri, California

Larry L. Briney  
Illinois, California

Frank Clarkson  
California

Florence M. Espeseth  
Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois, Venezuela, Guatemala, Kansas

Irvin O. Espeseth  
Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois, Venezuela, Guatemala, Kansas

Anna M. Hayford  
Indiana, California

Jack W. Hayford  
Indiana, California

Barbara A. Middlebrook  
California, Mississippi

Kathryn M. Morrow  
Georgia, Ohio

Charles W. Middlebrook  
California, Mississippi, Georgia, Ohio

Helen A. Millen  
North Carolina, Iowa, Missouri, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota

Sarah H. Mimbs  
Panama, Georgia

Dewey E. Morrow  
Ohio, Virginia

Kathryn M. Morrow  
Ohio, Virginia

Johnny P. Otto  
California, Oregon

Dwayne O. Starling  
New Mexico, Texas, California

Katie L. Starling  
New Mexico, Texas, California

Alton L. Walls  
Texas

Vonna I. Walls  
Texas

Patsy R. Womack  
Pennsylvania, California

## STEP BACK IN TIME



*A lot has changed since our 2016 Service Award recipients started in ministry. See what was popular at the time, and what convention looked like back then.*

### 50 YEARS AGO (1966)

- ABC premieres the **Batman** TV series
- The U.S. has almost 500,000 troops in Vietnam; the **Vietnam War** is under protest
- **Miranda Rights** come into being
- **World Series**: Baltimore Orioles sweep the L.A. Dodgers (4-0)

### In Foursquare

- **Salvations** in U.S. Foursquare churches surpass 20,000 for the first time
- **Holy Spirit baptisms** in U.S. Foursquare churches surpass 4,000
- 1,124 people attend **Foursquare convention** at Angelus Temple in Los Angeles, themed "The Golden Year of Pentecost"

### 60 YEARS AGO (1956)

- **The Ten Commandments**, starring Charlton Heston as Moses, premiers
- **Elvis Presley** releases his first hit, "Heartbreak Hotel"
- On the heels of **Rosa Parks'** historic stance in December 1955, the U.S. Supreme Court declares Alabama's bus segregation laws illegal
- **World Series**: NY Yankees win over the Brooklyn Dodgers (4-3)

### In Foursquare

- **Salvations** in Foursquare churches around the world surpass 300,000 for the first time
- Foursquare sends **missionaries** to Ecuador, Uruguay and Papua New Guinea
- 1,187 people attended **Foursquare convention** at Angelus Temple in Los Angeles, themed "Christ Exalted"

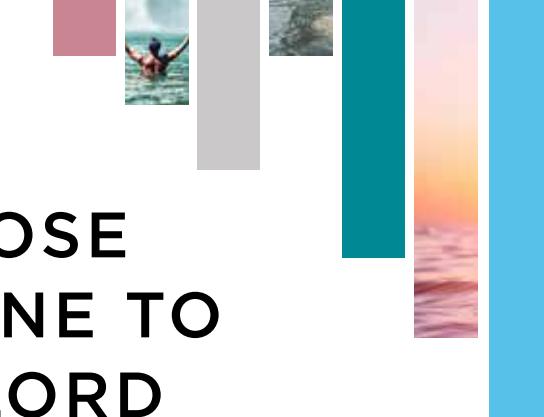


## In Memoriam

# HONORING THOSE WHO HAVE GONE TO BE WITH THE LORD

In 2015, 59 of Foursquare's own credentialed ministers went to be with the Lord and are now walking in full healing and joy with our heavenly Father. Please join us in honoring these beloved individuals and remembering the states where they served. To download a full-color, printable PDF that includes photos of those who have passed on, visit [4sq.ca/memoriam2015](http://4sq.ca/memoriam2015).

<b>Stephen P. Adamski</b> <b>1943-2015</b> Montana	<b>Curtis A. Cauble</b> <b>1925-2015</b> North Carolina, Oklahoma, Texas, Florida	<b>Victor F. Gardner</b> <b>1927-2015</b> Ohio, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Canada	<b>Mary L. Pense</b> <b>1948-2015</b> Oregon, Iowa, Michigan, California	<b>Howard A. Sebrell</b> <b>1935-2015</b> Ohio
<b>James G. Allen</b> <b>1932-2015</b> California	<b>Michael R. Crowley</b> <b>1948-2015</b> California	<b>Clifford R. Goldsmith</b> <b>1957-2015</b> California	<b>Harold W. Perry Sr.</b> <b>1933-2015</b> New Mexico	<b>John L. Sellinger</b> <b>1941-2015</b> Kentucky
<b>Clara M. Barber</b> <b>1929-2015</b> Indiana, Minnesota	<b>Bill J. Donaldson</b> <b>1939-2015</b> Oregon	<b>Delbert J. Herman</b> <b>1925-2015</b> Illinois	<b>Emily A. Plies</b> <b>1919-2015</b> California, Oregon, Louisiana, Washington	<b>Dolores V. Serratos</b> <b>1930-2015</b> California
<b>Christopher A. Bayer</b> <b>1954-2015</b> Washington	<b>Debra R. Dupre</b> <b>1954-2015</b> Louisiana	<b>Mary L. Hunt</b> <b>1934-2015</b> Iowa, Oklahoma	<b>Mildred Poole</b> <b>1920-2015</b> California	<b>Richard C. Tanguay</b> <b>1934-2015</b> Connecticut, Arizona
<b>Gordon W. Beard</b> <b>1935-2015</b> Colorado, Nebraska, Florida	<b>Madeline B. Elder</b> <b>1917-2015</b> Florida, North Carolina	<b>Sharon E. Hyde</b> <b>1937-2015</b> Nebraska, New Mexico, California	<b>Marvin W. Powell</b> <b>1942-2015</b> Nebraska, Colorado	<b>Elizabeth A. Thomforde</b> <b>1928-2015</b> Minnesota, Ohio, North Carolina
<b>Naomi J. Beard</b> <b>1940-2015</b> California	<b>Edward W. Ellis II</b> <b>1974-2015</b> Iowa	<b>Gloria J. Kinney</b> <b>1933-2015</b> Washington	<b>Luis M. Ramos</b> <b>1926-2015</b> California	<b>Marie C. Voris</b> <b>1913-2015</b> Nebraska, Colorado, Arizona, Wyoming, Colorado, New México, California
<b>Gary L. Beidleman</b> <b>1952-2015</b> Ohio	<b>David H. Ellithorpe</b> <b>1929-2015</b> California, Colorado	<b>Martha R. Knipps</b> <b>1921-2015</b> Kansas, California	<b>Dorothy M. Randolph</b> <b>1931-2015</b> California	<b>James A. Walker</b> <b>1925-2015</b> Nebraska, Colorado, Michigan, Kansas, Nicaragua, Nicaragua, Costa Rica, Guatemala, California
<b>Willa G. Browning</b> <b>1930-2015</b> Arizona, California, Ohio	<b>Sylvia E. Erickson</b> <b>1919-2015</b> Iowa, Illinois	<b>Timothy C. Lyon</b> <b>1962-2015</b> California, Colorado	<b>Sheila A. Ransford</b> <b>1938-2015</b> Arizona, California, Honduras, Nicaragua, Colorado, Kansas, Chile	<b>Aubrey P. Weaver</b> <b>1928-2015</b> Oklahoma, Louisiana
<b>Shirley M. Bruffey</b> <b>1930-2015</b> Virginia	<b>Betty J. Estill</b> <b>1932-2015</b> California, North Carolina, Missouri	<b>Kenneth L. Mathewson</b> <b>1921-2015</b> Washington, Idaho, Oregon	<b>William L. Ricklef</b> <b>1944-2015</b> California	<b>John P. Wheeler</b> <b>1926-2015</b> Canada, Idaho, Oregon, Texas, California
<b>Noel B. Campbell</b> <b>1928-2015</b> Oregon, Hawaii, Washington	<b>Cecelia M. Evans</b> <b>1911-2015</b> California, Wisconsin, Illinois, Minnesota	<b>Jesse R. McLoy Jr.</b> <b>1938-2015</b> California	<b>Benjamin Rosenzweig</b> <b>1948-2015</b> Nebraska	<b>C. Kenneth Wright</b> <b>1938-2015</b> Virginia
<b>Billy C. Carpenter</b> <b>1946-2015</b> South Carolina, North Carolina, Texas	<b>Trinidad Flores</b> <b>1926-2015</b> Colorado	<b>Gwendolyn C. McQuerry</b> <b>1935-2015</b> Ohio	<b>Peter D. Russell</b> <b>1939-2015</b> Washington	
<b>Elizabeth J. Carson</b> <b>1923-2015</b> Colorado, Ohio, Illinois, Iowa, Indiana, Philippines, Washington, California	<b>Daniel M. Fonseca Jr.</b> <b>1962-2015</b>	<b>Ronald C. Nichols</b> <b>1959-2015</b> Alabama		
	<b>Electra Paulick</b> <b>1921-2015</b> Massachusetts, Ohio	<b>1921-2015</b> California		



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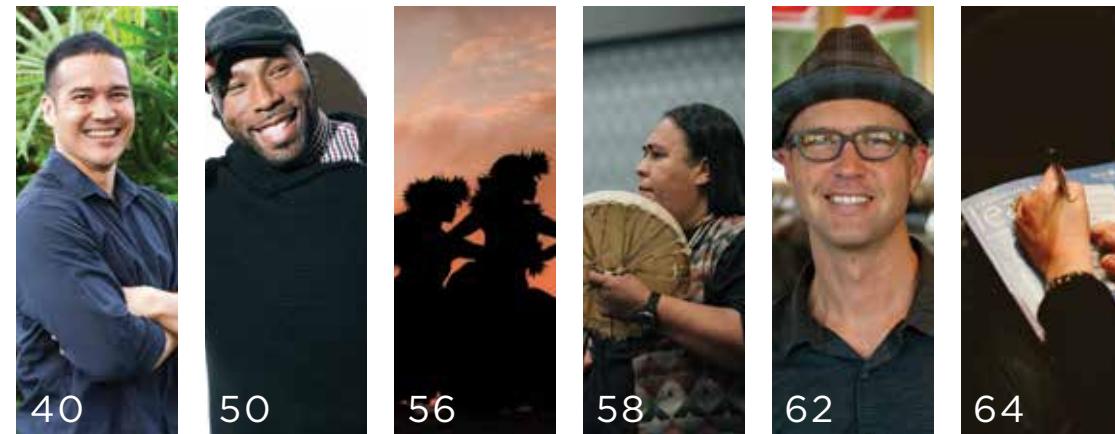


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# GLENN BURRIS JR.

*President, The Foursquare Church*



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Glenn Burris Jr. has been leading The U.S. Foursquare Church through the Reimagine Foursquare process, developing the Five Stakes and bringing about healthy changes in Foursquare. Glenn also co-chairs the Foursquare Global Council, and is committed to building relationships around the world. He has influenced countless leaders who have been identified, equipped and released to fruitful ministries. Glenn and his wife, Debbie, have been married since 1975. They are the proud parents of two adult children, and four grandchildren.

Glenn Burris Jr. sirve como presidente de La Iglesia Cuadrangular y como co-director del Concilio Global Cuadrangular. Su dedicación a construir relaciones alrededor del mundo es uno de sus valores más importantes. Glenn ha influido sobre un incontable número de líderes quienes han sido identificados, equipados y lanzados a ministerios fructíferos. Glenn celebra el éxito de otros como claras victorias para la gloria de Dios. Glenn y su esposa, Debbie, están casados desde 1975. Son los orgullosos padres de dos hijos adultos y abuelos de cuatro nietos.

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Q & A

## What are you looking forward to at Foursquare Connection 2016?

I love the 'Ohana spirit of our Hawai'i pastors, and I look forward to connecting with them and catching the wave of the remarkable things God has been doing on the islands. Our family dynamic in Foursquare is a core distinctive of our movement, and this is truly displayed through our Hawai'ian pastors and leaders.

**What is the most exciting thing to you about our theme, “Empowered”?**

The entrance of the Holy Spirit birthed a fresh explosion of kingdom opportunity. Ministry has always been designed to be distributed through common people, empowered by the Holy Spirit. The whole church became God's redemptive delivery system. As we release people to God's intended purposes and plans, we will see the good news of the gospel reach its intended target—the whole world!

## What is one thing God has been teaching you recently?

I've been overwhelmed by the concept of liberating the captive. In Luke 4:18, Jesus described His ministry as a capstone for the church. Anytime that liberators moved out in courage, history was reshaped. We are carrying the seed of liberation when we know and follow Christ.

## NOTES



# FERNANDO CASTILLO

*District Supervisor*



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Fernando Castillo, a native son of Bogotá, Colombia, has served as supervisor of the Hawaii District since 2013. He was most recently asked to lead the newly converged Hawaii and Southwest Districts, an appointment that begins June 1, 2016. Fernando and a team of likeminded leaders launched C4 Christ Centered Community Church (Diamond Head Foursquare Church) in Honolulu, a multi-campus church that reaches over 1,200 people a week. He is married to Karen, the daughter of Foursquare missionaries to Colombia. Fernando and Karen have two sons, with a third due to arrive in September.

Q & A

**What is one thing God has been teaching you recently?**

During this season, I've been learning about the importance of God's calling in our lives. Ministry is more than a vocation. It's neither a career nor a job. Ministry is deeply rooted in the moment God called us to serve Him. God's calling gives us a clear sense of direction, it takes us back to purpose when we lose heart, and it will guarantee the supply of grace necessary to

move forward. It's comforting to know that, above all things, God has called me to serve Him and His people.

## What has God empowered you to do?

By God's grace, I've been empowered to equip and release people according to God's call in their lives. As a result, new churches have been planted, young people have found purpose and significance.

men and women have become ministers in their areas of influence, and other pastors and churches are partnering to do together what they couldn't do by themselves.

**What's something impactful  
you've heard at a recent  
Foursquare Connection event?**

We are not called to build castles. We are called to build the kingdom.



Fernando Castillo es nativo de Bogotá, Colombia, y ha servido como supervisor del Hawaii District desde el 2013. Se le ha pedido a Fernando que dirija los distritos recientemente unidos de Hawaii y Southwest, nombramiento que inicia el 1 de junio de 2016. Fernando y un equipo de líderes con ideas afines lanzaron C4 Christ Centered Community Church (Diamond Head Foursquare Church) en Honolulu, una iglesia multicampus alcanzando más de 1,200 personas por semana. Está casado con Karen Larson, hija de misioneros Cuadrangulares a Colombia. Fernando y Karen tienen dos hijos con un tercero en camino que nacerá en septiembre.



## NOTES

# MARGARET FEINBERG



### *Author/Speaker*



Margaret Feinberg is the acclaimed author of the new book *Fight Back With Joy* (Worthy Publishing), as well as *Wonderstruck* (Worthy) and *Scouting the Divine* (Zondervan). She is recognized as a powerful speaker and Bible teacher, regularly featured at conferences such as Catalyst, Thrive and Extraordinary Women. A 21st-century culture shaper, she was recently named as a leading voice in the church by periodicals *Christianity Today* and *Charisma*. Margaret currently lives in Salt Lake City with her husband, Leif, and their superpup, Hershey.

Margaret Feinberg, aclamada escritora de *Wonderstruck*, *Scouting the Divine* y *Fight Back With Joy* (*Impactados, Explorando lo Divino y Combatiendo con Gozo*), es reconocida como una poderosa conferencista y maestra de la Biblia, presentándose regularmente en conferencias tales como Catalyst, Thrive y Extraordinary Women. Una forjadora cultural del siglo 21, recientemente fue nombrada como una de las principales voces protagonistas de la iglesia por publicaciones como *Christianity Today* y *Charisma*. Margaret reside en Salt Lake City con su esposo, Leif, y su mascota, Hershey.



## Q & A

## How has God empowered you?

I've been empowered to live life loved, free and fearless. I'm learning how to embrace that reality and help others walk in it as a part of the local church. And I've been utterly empowered to walk in God's joy. I have discovered facets of joy that no one ever taught me—more than whimsy, joy is a weapon we can use to fight life's battles.

**What are you looking forward to  
at Foursquare Connection 2016?**

To sense God's presence, to hear His voice, to experience the Scripture come alive—those are the moments I long for and expect as we gather in Hawai'i. I'm looking forward to connecting with old friends and making new ones among the Foursquare family.

**What are some things you want people to know about you?**

At Starbucks I love a venti nonfat, no foam latte. I believe some of the best days are spent in jammies, laughing and being silly. I love coloring books, which aren't just for kids anymore. I authored two coloring books especially for adults: *Live Loved* and *Live Free*.

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# MIKE KAI

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## *The Pound for Pound Principle: Becoming All God Designed You to Be (Authentic Publishers)*

Q & A

## What has God empowered you to do?

Honestly, because of my testimony and background, I feel God has graced me to inspire people. But not just to inspire them, but to help people see and then reach for their God-given potential. I think our Church's story is inspiring in and of itself. We were once a small church but grew incrementally over a

span of eight years and then God brought the increase because of His faithfulness in response to our faithfulness.

## What are you looking forward to about Connection 2016 this year?

I can't wait to connect with Foursquare family, and I am anticipating hearing the Holy Spirit speak to me as we spend time together.

What's something funny  
you'd like to share with your  
Foursquare family?

I worked for an airline, and early one morning, a mishap occurred—the waste from the entire plane dumped directly on my head for about 10 seconds before I could shut it off. Fellow airline employees started calling me Papa Smurf because the chemical dye was blue back then.

Mike Kai and his wife, Lisa, lead Inspire Church, a multi-site Foursquare church in Hawaii. Mike's mission is to see people fulfill their God-given potential and to advance the Great Commission. Along with pastoring, he has established the Equip and Inspire Conference and Network, and launched Send Hope International, which supports and strengthens church planters and missionaries. Mike and Lisa have been married for over 20 years, and have three daughters and one granddaughter.

Mike Kai y su esposa, Lisa, lideran Inspire Church, una iglesia Cuadrangular con múltiples sedes en Hawaii. La misión de Mike es ver a las personas alcanzar su potencial dado por Dios y avanzar la Gran Comisión. Además de su labor pastoral, Mike ha establecido la Conferencia y Red, "Equip and Inspire", y puesto en marcha Send Hope International, que apoya y fortalece a plantadores de iglesias y misioneros. Mike y Lisa han estado casados por más de 20 años, y tienen tres hijas y una nieta.

## NOTES



# SHELDON LACSINA

*Lead Pastor, New Hope Hilo Hawaii in Hilo, Hawaii*



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Book Series: "The Adventures of Helicopter Jim" (CreateSpace)

Sheldon Lacsina sirve como Pastor Líder de New Hope Hilo Hawaii (Hilo Foursquare Church) en Hilo, Hawaii, y como superintendente divisional de la División Big Island y Maui. A la edad de 19 años conoció a Cristo, y su corazón interesado por los jóvenes lo guió a servir como pastor de jóvenes por más de 10 años. Trabajó en muchos otros ámbitos de la iglesia local en preparación para su llamado como pastor líder. En su tiempo libre le gusta pintar, jugar baloncesto y correr. Sheldon y su esposa, Heidi, tienen dos hijos, Justin y Jordon, y tres nietos.

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## Q & A

**What is one specific thing you have learned from or heard from God at a recent Foursquare Connection event?**

Be an influencer for the kingdom, especially in the Foursquare family.

Relationships have always been very important to me, especially between generations. I see God's work in my life empowering me

to be a person who connects the generations by building relationships with people.

Heidi and I have been together since I was 12 years old. We met at Heidi's intermediate school dance, where she almost punched me for mistaking me for the wrong person. She apologized and asked me to

dance. We've been together for 31 years, been married for 24 years, and have two adult children and three grandchildren.

**What are you looking forward to about Foursquare Connection 2016?**

I am looking forward to connecting with everyone, worshipping the Lord together, to learning, and to hosting our Foursquare family with the love of Christ and with the spirit of Aloha!

# RANDY REMINGTON

*Senior Pastor, Beaverton Foursquare Church, Beaverton, Ore.*



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Randy Remington is senior pastor of Beaverton Foursquare Church, a vibrant, multi-ethnic, multi-generational and socio-economically diverse congregation in Beaverton, Ore. The church is defined by the phrase "family on mission." Randy currently serves on the Presidential Task Force, Missions Committee and District Advisory Council of the North Pacific District. Randy and his wife, Sandy, have been married for 27 years and have three sons.

## Q & A

## What are you looking forward to at Foursquare Connection 2016?

I'm looking forward to times of renewal through refreshing worship, hearing God speak through His Word, and encouraging fellowship that happens during the many personal interactions at our annual family reunion. And, of course, the fact that it's taking place in the unlimited sunshine and beauty of Hawai'i

has nothing to do with my anticipation and expectation! Seriously, it could be in North Dakota, and I would still attend.

## What has God empowered you to do?

God has empowered me to serve as a pastor in His church, primarily in the Pacific Northwest. In particular, I have been given the privilege to lead two long-established and fruitful

churches into new seasons of mission and fruitfulness.

**What is one fun fact you would like Connection attendees to know about you before you hit the stage?**

I can fall asleep in 30 seconds. Sometimes I yell in my sleep, sort of like a primal scream. My wife, as you might expect, has trouble sleeping.



Randy Remington es el pastor principal de Beaverton Foursquare Church, una congregación vibrante, multiétnica, multigeneracional y socio-económicamente diversa en Beaverton, Oregon. La iglesia es definida por la frase “familia en la misión”. Randy actualmente sirve en el equipo de trabajo presidencial, en el comité de misiones y en la junta consultora de distrito del North Pacific District. Randy y su esposa, Sandy, han estado casados por 27 años y tienen tres hijos, con edades de 22, 20 y 17.



## NOTES ▶



# JON TYSON

*Founding Pastor, Trinity Grace Church in New York City  
Lead Pastor, Trinity Grace Church Midtown*



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## *Sacred Roots: Why the Church Still Matters* (Zondervan)

*Rumors of God: Experience the Kind of Faith You've Only Heard About* co-authored with Darren Whitehead (Thomas Nelson)

Jon Tyson is founding pastor of Trinity Grace Church, a family of neighborhood-centric parishes located throughout New York City. He is on the board of City Collective, a network of incarnational churches committed to multiplying missional church networks in the urban centers of the world. Originally from Australia, Jon moved to the U.S. 14 years ago with a passion to understand and help work out the future of the Western church. Jon lives in Manhattan with his wife, Christy, and their two children.

Jon Tyson es el pastor líder de Trinity Grace Church, una familia de iglesias vecinales por toda la ciudad de Nueva York. Forma parte de la junta de City Collective, una red de iglesias encarnacionales comprometidas con la multiplicación de redes de iglesias misionales en los centros urbanos del mundo. Originario de Australia, Jon se mudó a los EE.UU. hace 14 años con una pasión para entender y para ayudar a forjar el futuro de las iglesias occidentales. Vive, trabaja y sirve en uno de los mayores centros culturales y misioneros del mundo—la ciudad global. Jon vive en Manhattan con su esposa, Christy, y sus dos hijos.

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## Q & A

**What has God empowered you to do?**

I see myself focused on praying, leading and teaching. I find myself doing that at the local church where I serve as founding pastor, but also in our work of multiplication of communities in the city.

## What is one thing you've learned from the Foursquare family?

People in the Foursquare movement have inspired me over the years. Recently, I found myself reminded of the importance of trusting the power of the Holy Spirit.

## **What are you most looking forward to during Foursquare Connection 2016?**

## The presence of God.

**Any fun things we should know about you?**

I'm on a mission to visit and rate every BBQ restaurant in my home of New York City.

## NOTES ▶

# JERRY DIRMANN

*Senior Pastor, The Rock (Anaheim Foursquare Church), Anaheim, Calif.*



Jerry Dirmann, along with his wife, Kimberly, is founding and senior pastor of The Rock (Anaheim Foursquare Church) in Anaheim, Calif. The Rock is a multi-campus, multi-language church with 16 congregations. Jerry is also the creator of Operation: Solid Lives (OSL), a discipleship system that has served tens of thousands of students in hundreds of churches in 15 countries. Jerry and Kimberly have been married since 1987 and are best friends. They have two adult children and one granddaughter.



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Jerry Dirmann, junto a su esposa, Kimberly, es el fundador y pastor principal de The Rock Anaheim Foursquare Church en Anaheim, California. The Rock es una iglesia multicampus y multilingüe con 16 congregaciones. Jerry es también el creador de Operación: Vidas Sólidas (OVS), un programa de discipulado que ha servido a decenas de miles de estudiantes en cientos de iglesias en 15 países. Jerry y Kimberly están casados desde 1987 y son mejores amigos. Tienen dos hijos adultos y una nieta.



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## Operation: Solid Lives (OSL)

## NOTES

# NATE POETZL

*Lead Pastor, Faith Chapel (Billings Foursquare Church), Billings, Mont.*



[faithchapel.co](http://faithchapel.co)

Nate and his wife, Jennie, have been serving churches for over 20 years. Having served in Oregon and Washington, they now have the distinct privilege of pastoring the community of Faith Chapel (Billings Foursquare Church) in Billings, Mont. Nate serves on several boards in his community as a way of loving and serving his city. Nate and Jennie have four children.

Nate Poetzl y su esposa, Jennie, han servido a las iglesias por más de 20 años. Habiendo trabajado en el ministerio en Oregón y Washington, ahora tienen el particular privilegio de pastorear a la comunidad de Faith Chapel (Billings Foursquare Church) en Billings, Montana. Nate y Jennie tienen 4 hijos.



# STAN SIMMONS

*Pastor Emeritus, Faith Chapel (Billings Foursquare Church), Billings, Mont.*

Stan Simmons was the lead pastor of Faith Chapel (Billings Foursquare Church) in Billings, Mont., for 36 years. His radio broadcast, *The Living Word*, was an extension of Stan's ministry for over 20 years. Today, Stan coaches pastors and serves as a consultant to churches. Stan and his wife, Ginger, still reside in Billings and attend Faith Chapel.



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Stan Simmons fue el pastor principal de Faith Chapel (Billings Foursquare Church) en Billings, Montana por 36 años. Su programa de radio, *The Living Word (La Palabra Viviente)*, fue una extensión de su ministerio por más de 20 años. Hoy, Stan asesora a pastores y sirve como consultor de iglesias. Stan y su esposa, Ginger, aun residen en Billings y se congregan en Faith Chapel, donde como ministro asistente, retiene el título de pastor emérito.

## NOTES



# JOE WITTWER

*Lead Pastor, Life Center (Spokane Foursquare Church), Spokane, Wash.*



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Mentoring Young Leaders  
If you are 35 years old or  
younger, join Joe Wittwer on  
Tuesday evening in room 315 in  
the Hawai'i Convention Center.

God called Joe Wittwer to Life Center (Spokane Foursquare Church) in Spokane, Wash., in 1978. In 38 years, the church has grown to several thousand and has given birth to 16 daughter/granddaughter churches, 15 of them in the Spokane area. Joe is a lifelong learner who completed a master's degree in theology at age 60 at Whitworth University. Joe is married to Laina, and they have five adult children and seven grandchildren.

Joe Wittwer fue llamado por Dios en 1978 a Life Center (Spokane Foursquare Church) en Spokane, Washington. En 38 años, la iglesia ha crecido a varios miles y ha dado nacimiento a 16 iglesias hijas e iglesias nietas, 15 de ellas en el área de Spokane. Joe es un aprendiz permanente que, a los 60 años, completó su maestría en teología en la Universidad Whitworth. Joe está casado con Laina, y tienen cinco hijos adultos y siete nietos.



# MEET YOUR WORSHIP LEADERS



## TIFFANY THURSTON



@TiffanyThurston

Tiffany Thurston was born and raised in Hawai'i, and has been leading worship for the past 18 years. Starting on the worship team at her local church, New Hope O'ahu (O'ahu South Foursquare Church) in Honolulu, she later joined the staff as vocal director and creative director under the leadership of Pastor Wayne Cordeiro. In 2007 she entered

full-time touring ministry as worship leader for the Revolve Tour and soon began singing with Christian recording artist Natalie Grant. She moved back to Hawai'i and started a conference for teen girls and college women in 2013, called the BLOOM Conference. She currently lives on the island of O'ahu with her husband, Keoki.



## ANTHONY EVANS



@AnthonyEvansJr

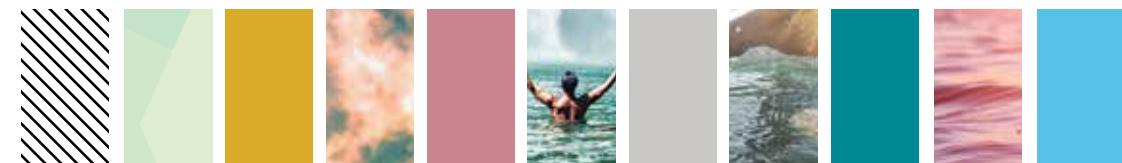
Anthony Evans has been touring the world, ministering in music for the past 15 years. After several years of providing backup vocals for Gospel music star Kirk Franklin, Anthony released his debut album titled *Even More* (Epic), and began conveying his heart and message from the stage. Now, with

seven albums released, over 1,000 concerts performed, and an appearance on the hit NBC show *The Voice*, Anthony continues to build on what he knows the Lord has called him to do. His seventh album, *Real Life/Real Worship* (Fair Trade Services), debuted at the top of the *Billboard* charts.

This year we have invited recording artist and worship leader Anthony Evans to lead worship each evening, while Foursquare's own Tiffany Thurston will lead a worship collective from several Hawaiian Foursquare churches each morning. Meet this year's worship leaders.

## WORSHIP TEAM

This year's worship team comprises some of the finest worship leaders from five Foursquare churches planted on O'ahu. Led by Tiffany Thurston, this amazing team is an example of the unity of the body worshiping in Spirit and in truth. Get ready to participate in a snapshot of what God is doing in Hawai'i and beyond.



## ¡CONOZCA A LOS LÍDERES DE ALABANZA DE LA CONEXIÓN 2016!

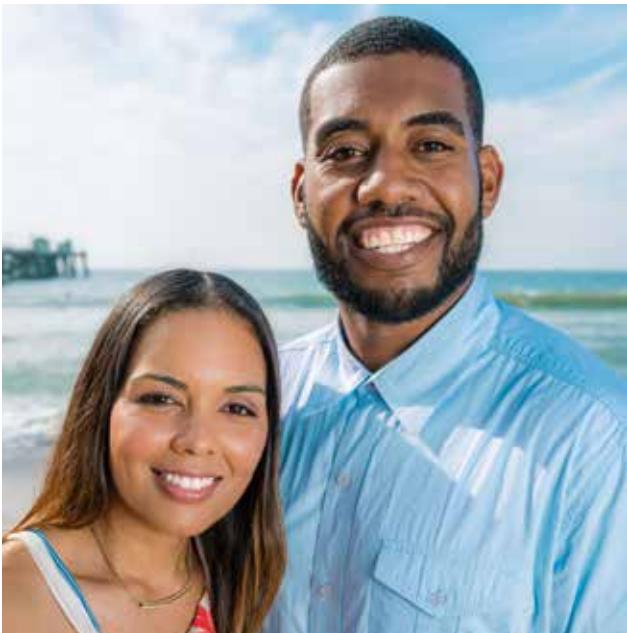
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Este año hemos invitado a **Anthony Evans**, un líder de alabanza y artista nacional, a dirigir la alabanza en nuestras sesiones vespertinas. Podrán reconocer su nombre por su más reciente álbum, *Real Life/Real Worship* (Fair Trade Services), sus más de mil conciertos realizados, incluso por su aparición en el programa de NBC, *The Voice*.

En las sesiones matutinas **Tiffany Thurston**, quién es parte de nuestra familia cuadrangular, dirigirá la alabanza con un

grupo integrado por algunos de los mejores líderes de alabanza provenientes de cinco iglesias cuadrangulares de Hawaii. Tiffany ha servido en la iglesia New Hope O'ahu (O'ahu South Foursquare Church), ha compartido el escenario con la artista cristiana, Natalie Grant y desde el 2013, ha iniciado la conferencia denominada BLOOM para adolescentes y universitarias.

iPrepárese para tener una probadita de lo que Dios está haciendo en Hawai'i y más allá!



## MARCUS & STARR ELLINGTON



@PastorMarcusE

*Senior and Co-Pastor: Lighthouse (San Clemente Foursquare Church), San Clemente, Calif.*

Marcus and Starr Ellington met serving in the United States Air Force. Today, they pastor Lighthouse (San Clemente Foursquare Church) in San Clemente, Calif., previously having served in different capacities such as NextGen reps and camp speakers. They have a passion for communicating the truth of the

Word of God and seeing people live out the fullness of their calling. The goal of their lives and family is to glorify God by being fully devoted followers of Christ. Married since 2006, Marcus and Starr have two children: Joshua (4) and Judaea (1). Raising their kiddos truly is their favorite ministry.

Marcus y Starr Ellington se conocieron sirviendo en la Fuerza Aérea de los Estados Unidos. Hoy pastorean Lighthouse (San Clemente Foursquare Church) en San Clemente, California, luego de servir en diferentes roles tales como representantes y conferencistas en campamentos de NextGen. Tienen pasión por comunicar la verdad de la palabra de Dios y ver a la gente vivir su llamado a plenitud. Su meta y la de su familia es glorificar a Dios como seguidores plenamente rendidos a Cristo. Casados desde 2006, Marcus y Starr son mejores amigos y tienen dos hijos: Joshua (4) y Judaea (1) y criarlos es realmente su ministerio favorito.

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**BILL CHANEY**

*Lead Pastor, Valley Christian Center (Fresno First Foursquare Church) in Fresno, Calif.*



**TUFF HARRIS**

*Intern Resident Pastor of Native American Connections in Billings, Mont.*

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**TERESA KOOP**

*Foursquare Chaplain and Foursquare Missions International Missionary to Alaska*

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**DAN LUCERO**

*Foursquare Missions International Area Missionary to Francophone Nations and West Africa*

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# INTERVIEWS

*Learn more about ministry happening locally through these in-depth interviews onstage during the main sessions.*



**JAMES RANGER III**

*Lead Pastor, New Life Church (Bakersfield Southwest Foursquare Church) in Bakersfield, Calif.*

@PastorJRanger



**MARIO BARAHONA**

*Senior Pastor, Angelus Temple Hispanic Foursquare Church in Los Angeles*



**NORMA PEREZ-MORIN**

*Co-Pastor, Sycamore Park Foursquare Church in Los Angeles*

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**WILL FILLINGHAM**

*Senior Pastor, The Bridge (Christiansburg Foursquare Church) in Christiansburg, Va.*

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## LET'S CELEBRATE!

*We have a lot to celebrate in the main sessions this year. Here are some highlights that you won't want to miss.*

### EMPOWERED AWARD

Discover who will receive the first-ever Empowered Award. Spoiler Alert: It's a ministry that has pushed ahead with tenacity to meet people right where they are.

### HAWAIIAN HISTORY

Recognize the apostolic powerhouses that contributed to rapid church planting in Hawai'i and beyond.

### RESOURCING PASTORS

Find out how the Foursquare board of directors and Pastor Jack Hayford have worked together to put an amazing resource in your hands. (Yes, yours!)

### REACHING THE UNREACHED

Meet a generation of leaders being discipled in one of the most hard-to-reach regions in the world, and learn how you can accelerate what's possible in one influential Central Asian city that may not be open much longer.

### RESOURCING THE WORLD

Celebrate 35 years of providing 200 million free resources to missionaries and churches.

# CONNECT AT THE 'OHANA DINNER

Get connected with your Foursquare family and enjoy a uniquely Hawaiian experience as Foursquare Connection 2016 kicks off with a spectacular luau-style dinner! Come prepared to feast, celebrate and relax together as you spend time with your district's pastors and leaders. Expect to engage with the sights, sounds and flavors of Hawai'i, and learn how Christ has changed the islands forever.

## FOURSQUARE 'OHANA DINNER

MONDAY, MAY 30

5 - 8 P.M.

LEVEL ONE  
HAWAII CONVENTION CENTER

## CONÉCTESE EN LA CENA 'OHANA

ES

Conéctese con su familia Cuadrangular y disfrute de una experiencia Hawaiana única al dar inicio a la Conexión Cuadrangular 2016 con una espectacular cena estilo luau. Espere conectarse con los diseños, sonidos y sabores de Hawaii, y conozca cómo Cristo ha cambiado para siempre las islas.

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Agua Dulce Foursquare Church, Agua Dulce, CA

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## MULTIETHNIC CONNECTIONS

### FIND YOUR TRIBE

Connection. It's in the name. And we want to give you a chance to connect with your tribe. Get a new perspective and join a new collective in our Multiethnic Connections.

#### MULTIETHNIC CONNECTIONS

TUESDAY, MAY 31

2:30 - 4:30 P.M.

DOUBLETREE BY HILTON HOTEL ALANA—WAIKIKI BEACH

Many tribes, tongues and nations make up the Foursquare family. You can join us in celebrating our diversity at multiple gatherings—from Korean to African to Native American and more.

Take the time to connect with your own multiethnic group about reaching your own tribe with likeminded members of your extended Foursquare family.

Sign up for a gathering in your heart language, and join the meeting at the nearby DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Alana—Waikiki Beach.

#### WHAT ARE MY CHOICES?

Full details on Multiethnic Connections can be found online at [4sq.ca/details2016](http://4sq.ca/details2016), or at the info counter.

## CONEXIONES MULTIÉTNICAS

MARTES, 31 DE MAYO | 2:30 - 4:30 P.M.

DOUBLETREE BY HILTON HOTEL ALANA—WAIKIKI BEACH



Muchas tribus, lenguas y naciones constituyen a la familia Cuadrangular. Únase a nosotros para celebrar nuestra diversidad en reuniones múltiples—desde reuniones coreanas y africanas hasta nativo americanas y más.

Tome tiempo para conectarse con su propio grupo étnico y así alcanzar a su propia comunidad con miembros de su familia Cuadrangular extendida que piensan de manera similar.

Inscríbase para una reunión en el idioma del corazón, y únase a la reunión en el tercer piso del Centro de Convenciones.

#### ¿CUÁLES SON MIS OPCIONES?

Los detalles sobre las Conexiones Multiétnicas pueden hallarse en el mostrador de información.



## FLEXIBLE COURSE OFFERINGS TO FIT YOUR SCHEDULE

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## ÚNASE A NOSOTROS

Este año hemos trasladado la Conexión Hispana al martes por la tarde pero seguirá contando con las mismas enseñanzas poderosas y alabanza a la que nos hemos acostumbrado en este evento que celebra el creciente movimiento Hispano en La Iglesia Cuadrangular.

Ya sea que desee conectarse con otros líderes hispanos, entender mejor el creciente movimiento hispano, o comenzar un movimiento hispano en su iglesia, planee unirse a este emocionante evento.

Este evento se llevará a cabo en español, pero habrá traducción al inglés disponible.

### CONEXIÓN HISPANA

MARTES, 31 DE MAYO, 2:30 - 4:30 P.M.

HAWAII CONVENTION CENTER

SALÓN 315 (MOLOKA', TERCER PISO)



### INVITADO: FERNANDO CASTILLO

*Supervisor del Distrito*

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El Supervisor de Distrito Fernando Castillo nos traerá un mensaje poderoso titulado "Empoderado por la Presión" enfocado en el cumplimiento del llamado pleno que Dios tiene para la vida. En su tiempo libre, Fernando disfruta el fútbol, las motocicletas y pasar tiempo con su esposa Karen y sus dos hijos adolescentes. El también espera con anticipación la llegada de su tercer hijo en septiembre.

## MARTES EN LA CONEXIÓN HISPANA

### ALABANZA: EQUIPO DE ALABANZA DIOS RESTAURA

Este dinámico y energético equipo de alabanza de la iglesia Dios Restaura Foursquare Church de Glendale, California, nos acompañará por segundo año consecutivo. Prepárese para gozar de ricos ritmos latinos mientras adoramos, danzamos y alabamos juntos.

#### ¿LE GUSTARÍA LLEVAR LA CONEXIÓN HISPANA A SU IGLESIA?

Compre la grabación en audio por solo \$19, o el juego completo en formato digital de la Conexión Cuadrangular 2016 por solo \$99. Puede obtener las grabaciones digitales en la tienda de la Conexión en Hawaii o en [foursquareconnection.org](http://foursquareconnection.org).

### JOIN US TUESDAY FOR CONEXIÓN HISPANA

This year Conexión Hispana moves to Tuesday afternoon, but it will feature the same powerful worship and teachings we've come to expect at this event that celebrates the growing Hispanic movement in Foursquare.

Whether you want to connect with fellow Hispanic leaders, better understand the growing Hispanic movement, or start a movement of your own at your church, plan to join this exciting event.

The event will be held in Spanish, but English translation will be available.

#### CONEXIÓN HISPANA

Tuesday, May 31, 2:30 - 4:30 p.m. | Hawai'i Convention Center | Room 315 (Level Three)

#### GUEST: FERNANDO CASTILLO, *District Supervisor*

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#### WORSHIP: DIOS RESTAURA WORSHIP TEAM

Dios Restaura Foursquare Church (Glendale Hispanic 2 Foursquare Church), Glendale, Calif.

# TRAININGS



Want to return home with some practical information from some pretty inspiring leaders? Join us on Wednesday after lunch to learn, connect and be moved to make a difference in your community. All trainings will be at 1:30 p.m. and repeated at 3 p.m., so pick your two favorites. If you didn't register in advance, no need to fear. Just check at the door and we may still have a seat just for you.

## TRAINING SESSIONS



LOCATION: LEVEL THREE, HAWAII CONVENTION CENTER



DANIEL A. BROWN, PH.D.  
Church Planter and Author

TOPIC: Introducing Holy Spirit Dynamics in Today's Congregations

DESCRIPTION: Because 'spirituals' are often either overstated **or** overlooked, it's difficult to introduce people to gifts of the Spirit as powerful-but-familiar ministry tools. Come hear thoughts for how to proceed sanely in an era when exaggeration **and** ignorance conspire against spiritual enablements in congregations.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: Leaders who want church members to understand the purpose and use of spiritual gifts in ministry



MIKE KAI  
Senior Pastor, Inspire Church (Waipahu Foursquare Church) in Waipahu, Hawaii

TOPIC: Empowered Environments

DESCRIPTION: Come ready to assess whether your church environment catapults leaders to their full potential or caps it off, and find practical steps for handling both situations. Learn the best ways to empower leaders around you, and how to avoid both the pitfalls of leaders who might feel entitled, and the plateaus of those who may be lax. Discover the rewards of empowerment—for leaders as well as those being led.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: Senior pastors, key team leaders, executive pastors



KEITH JENKINS  
Lead Pastor, New Life LA (West Adams Foursquare Church) in Los Angeles

TOPIC: Transforming Community Through Partnerships

DESCRIPTION: Community transformation is too large of a task for any one organization—a church, a non-profit or a city agency—serving in a city. However, by leveraging the power of partnerships, the most seemingly insurmountable obstacles within any community can be removed, and community members can begin to flourish.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: Ministry leaders, lay leaders and volunteers who work to see the gospel expressed in practical ways to meet the needs of those they serve in their communities



JON TYSON  
Founding Pastor, Trinity Grace Church in New York City

TOPIC: A Creative Minority

DESCRIPTION: Wondering how to engage post-Christian culture in a compelling way? Come hear from Jon Tyson, who has successfully planted many neighborhood churches and evangelized communities throughout New York City in the past 10 years. You will walk away with practical steps on how to engage your community and influence culture.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: People wondering how to influence culture without fear or coercion in post-Christian settings



JON COBLER  
Lead Pastor, The Church of Living Water (Olympia Foursquare Church) in Olympia, Wash.

TOPIC: The Church and Human Sexuality

DESCRIPTION: The radical shifts in culture surrounding sexual orientation and gender identity have left many leaders in the church wondering how to respond. Many are wrestling to find a basic framework to have a meaningful conversation. Are people born gay? Does sexual orientation change over time? Are there only six verses in Scripture that address homosexuality? Should a same-sex attracted person be allowed to serve in children's ministry? Is there such a thing as a gay Christian? These are just some of the questions that need to be answered.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: Those who desire a helpful paradigm for processing questions like these with insight from a handful of leaders who are engaged in these issues within the local church

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## ENCABEZADO: ENTRENAMIENTOS EN ESPAÑOL

El miércoles, 1 de junio, dos sesiones de entrenamiento contarán con traducción al español. El entrenamiento aportado por el Pastor Jon Tyson en "Una Minoría Creativa" contará con traducción al español a la 1:30 p.m. El entrenamiento aportado por el Pastor Jon Cobler sobre el tema de "La Iglesia y la Sexualidad Humana" contará con traducción al español a las 3:00 p.m.

Para más detalles acerca de estas dos sesiones de entrenamiento visite [4sq.ca/details](#).



Jon Tyson



Jon Cobler



# WANT A SAY? BE HERE!

Foursquare is a family, and every family has to make decisions together. As we continue through the Reimagine Foursquare process, there are questions to be asked, information to be considered and prayerful determinations to be reached. From missions to mortgages, spreadsheets to soul care, the convention floor is the place where Spirit-led strategy is agreed upon for the continuation and success of the mission of the church—reaching all nations with the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Our movement gives the highest human authority to the convention body. So if you are at Foursquare Connection 2016, and you are either a credentialed minister or a voting delegate for your local church, you have a part to play in the decisions that shape our future. God gave you to this church, and your voice matters. Let your voice be heard, and let us find unity with the Holy Spirit so that we can say, "It seemed good to us and to Him."

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

### BADGE

You must wear your Connection 2016 badge when gathered for the business sessions.

### DELEGATES

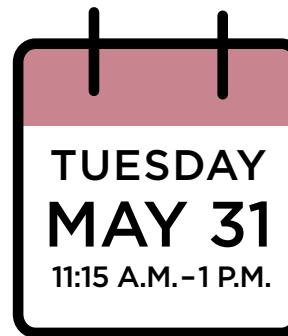
While all convention delegates are welcome at the business sessions, only licensed ministers and authorized voting delegates (people pre-authorized by the church council of a local church to represent the local church body) can participate in business sessions.

### PRAY!

The term "business session" might give you the cold sweats, but it genuinely is a place of intense prayer and discernment. Pray before the sessions for wisdom, pray during them for discernment, and pray afterward for unity after we have voted and as we move forward together.



## BUSINESS SESSIONS SCHEDULE



## NEGOCIOS DE LA FAMILIA

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Somos una familia y la familia hace planes juntos. Cada año en la convención, nos reunimos para buscar al Señor y sus estrategias y planes, y para votar juntos sobre estos asuntos. Las sesiones de negocios es donde usted necesita estar si quiere que su voz sea escuchada y su voto sea contado mientras hacemos preparativos para la siguiente parte de la misión. Si usted es un ministro con credenciales o un delegado autorizado para votar, únase a nosotros para las sesiones de este miércoles y jueves, mientras buscamos juntos la voluntad del Señor y el camino para nuestra familia Cuadrangular.

# INFORMATION, LOST + FOUND



Lost someone? Want to locate the best pineapples? Forgotten where to go? Visit the info desk, located in the foyer of the Hawai'i Convention Center, or check out our handy onsite webpage: [4sq.ca/details2016](http://4sq.ca/details2016).



## TRANSLATION

Translation is available in the following languages during general sessions:

- Chinese (Mandarin)
- French
- Korean
- Portuguese
- Spanish

Translation device checkout is located in the foyer of the Hawai'i Convention Center.



## BADGES

Repeat after us: "I will wear my badge. Badges are cool." They're also required to attend the Foursquare 'Ohana Dinner, general sessions, business sessions, Training Sessions and Multiethnic Connections. Your badge lets us know you're a part of the family.



## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### 1. Who are those people in ocean blue shirts?

Those are what we like to call our Connection Guardians—because our volunteers are that awesome. We want to make it easy for you to get what you need. Our volunteer team is ready to help, so just ask, and they'll point you in the right direction.

### 2. Where should we eat?

Don't trust Google or Siri? Ask a human at the info counter or the hotel concierge at the Ala Moana Hotel.

### 3. Can students come to general sessions?

High school and junior high students are scheduled to join the evening sessions on Tuesday and Wednesday. If your kids want to join the adult sessions, we can register them at a discounted rate and give them their very own coveted badge—because badges are cool, as you know. Just come to the registration desk for more information.

### 4. How can my team back home see what I see?

*Foursquare Vision Implants™* are still in R&D, but we hope the livestream on [connectionlive.org](http://connectionlive.org) will help you share the experience with your church team and congregation. Session digital downloads will also be available for purchase at the Connection Store onsite, as well as online at [foursquareconnection.org](http://foursquareconnection.org).



## KIDS + YOUTH PROGRAM AT FOURSQUARE CONNECTION 2016

Connection features a fun, challenging, safe place for your littlest disciples to enjoy time together in Honolulu. The program runs parallel to all adult general sessions, business sessions and Training Sessions. That means your Kids + Youth will be enjoying their own time during Multiethnic Connections and Conexión Hispana, as well.

Please note: High school and junior high students are scheduled to join the evening sessions on Tuesday and Wednesday.

All Kids + Youth Program activities, including registration, are located on level three of the Convention Center.

## IMPORTANT NOTES

- Onsite registration will be limited by class size and worker availability.
- Monday evening, all children and students are invited to attend the 'Ohana Dinner. Everyone, including kids, must have a meal ticket to enter. On Monday evening, the Kids + Youth Program will be available exclusively for Nursery + Pre-K. See page 56 for more on the 'Ohana Dinner.
- Tuesday through Thursday, no meals are included. Please feed your kids and students. But not the bears.
- Immediately following each session, please sign out and pick up your children.

# INFORMACIÓN, OBJETOS PERDIDOS Y ENCONTRADOS



¿Perdió a alguien? ¿Quiere ubicar las mejores piñas? ¿Olvidó dónde ir? Visite el mostrador de información, ubicado en la recepción del Hawai'i Convention Center.

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## TRADUCCIÓN

El servicio de traducción estará disponible en los siguientes idiomas durante las sesiones generales:

- Chino (Mandarín)
- Francés
- Coreano
- Portugués
- Español

Los dispositivos de traducción están disponibles en la recepción del Hawai'i Convention Center.

## DISTINTIVOS

Repite después de nosotros: "Voy a usar mi distintivo. Los distintivos tienen estilo". También son obligatorios para asistir a la Cena Cuadrangular 'Ohana, a las sesiones generales, a las sesiones de negocios, a las sesiones de entrenamiento y a las Conexiones Multiétnicas. Su distintivo nos permite saber que es parte de la familia.

## PROGRAMA DE NIÑOS + JÓVENES EN LA CONEXIÓN 2016

La conexión dispondrá de un lugar divertido, desafiante y seguro para que sus discípulos más pequeños disfruten de un buen tiempo juntos en Honolulu. El programa se realizará paralelamente a todas las sesiones generales para adultos, sesiones de negocios y sesiones de capacitación. Esto significa que su Niños + Jóvenes también disfrutarán de su propio tiempo durante las Conexiones Multiétnicas y Conexión Hispana. Tenga en cuenta: Los estudiantes de secundaria están programados a asistir a las sesiones de las noches del martes y miércoles.

Todas las actividades del programa de Niños + Jóvenes, incluyendo la inscripción, están ubicadas en el tercer piso del Centro de Convenciones.

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## NOTAS IMPORTANTES

- La inscripción en el lugar estará limitada por el tamaño de las clases y disponibilidad de voluntarios.
- El lunes en la noche, todos los niños y estudiantes están invitados a participar de la cena 'Ohana. Todos, incluyendo a los niños, necesitan tener un boleto de comida para ingresar. El lunes en la noche el programa Niños + Jóvenes estará disponible exclusivamente para la Guardería + Pre-Kinder. Vea la página 56 para más detalles sobre la cena 'Ohana.
- No se incluirán comidas de martes a jueves. Por favor alimente a sus hijos y estudiantes. Pero no a los osos.
- Inmediatamente después de finalizar cada sesión, deberá firmar la salida de sus hijos y recogerlos.

# SCHEDULE

## PROGRAMA

MAY  
**30**  
MONDAY

 **REGISTRATION OPENS**  
SE ABRE LA INSCRIPCIÓN A LAS  
9 a.m.

MAY  
**31**  
TUESDAY

 **PRAYER ROOM**  
SALA DE ORACIÓN  
8-9 a.m. / Room 315

 **MORNING SESSION**  
SESIÓN DE LA MAÑANA  
9-11 a.m.

 **BUSINESS SESSION**  
SESIÓN DE NEGOCIOS  
11:15 a.m.-1 p.m.  
*SEE PAGE 64*

 **CONEXIÓN HISPANA +  
MULTIETHNIC CONNECTIONS**  
CONEXIÓN HISPANA +  
CONEXIONES MULTIÉTNICAS  
2:30-4:30 p.m.  
*SEE PAGE 60*

 **'OHANA DINNER**  
CENA 'OHANA  
5-8 p.m.

 **EVENING SESSION**  
SESIÓN DE LA NOCHE  
6-8:15 P.M.

 **MENTORING YOUTH LEADERS**  
GUARDANDO A LÍDERES JÓVENES  
8:15-9 p.m. / Room 315

JUNE  
**01**  
WEDNESDAY

 **Q&A W/ BOARD OF DIRECTORS**  
SESIÓN DE PREGUNTAS Y RESPUESTAS  
CON LA JUNTA DIRECTIVA  
7-8 a.m.

 **PRAYER ROOM**  
SALA DE ORACIÓN  
8-9 a.m. / Room 315

 **MORNING SESSION**  
SESIÓN DE LA MAÑANA  
9-11:30 a.m.

 **TRAINING SESSIONS A + B**  
SESIÓN DE ENTRENAMIENTO A + B  
1:30-4 p.m.  
*SEE PAGES 62-63*

 **EVENING SESSION**  
SESIÓN DE LA NOCHE  
6-8:15 P.M.

 **PRAYER + MINISTRY SERVICE**  
SERVICIO DE ORACIÓN + MINISTRACIÓN  
8:15-9 p.m.

JUNE  
**02**  
THURSDAY

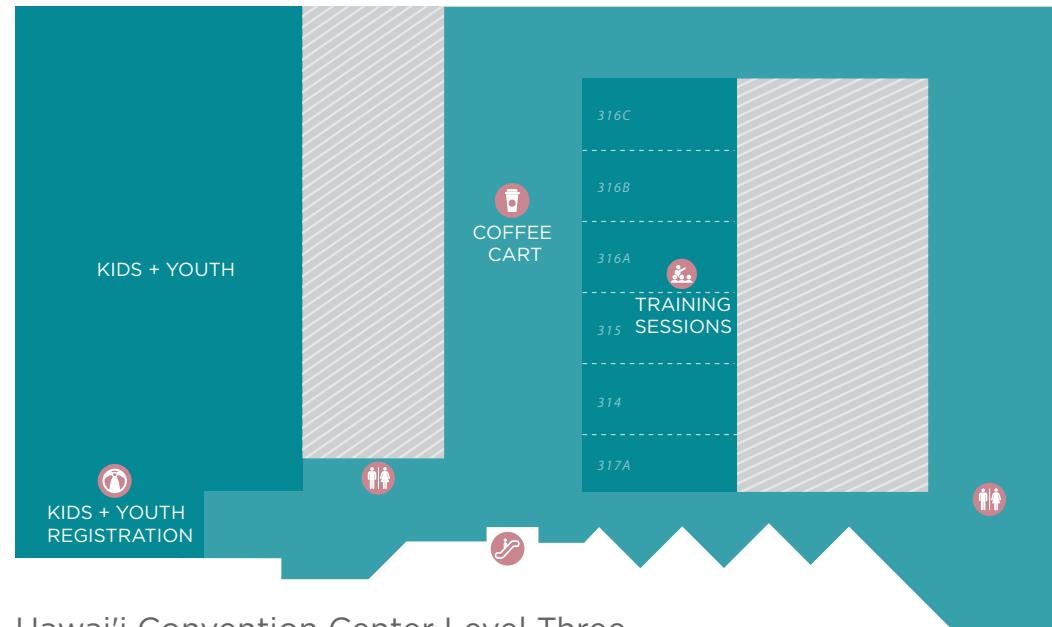
 **PRAYER ROOM**  
SALA DE ORACIÓN  
8-9 a.m. / Room 315

 **BUSINESS SESSION**  
SESIÓN DE NEGOCIOS  
9-10:45 a.m.

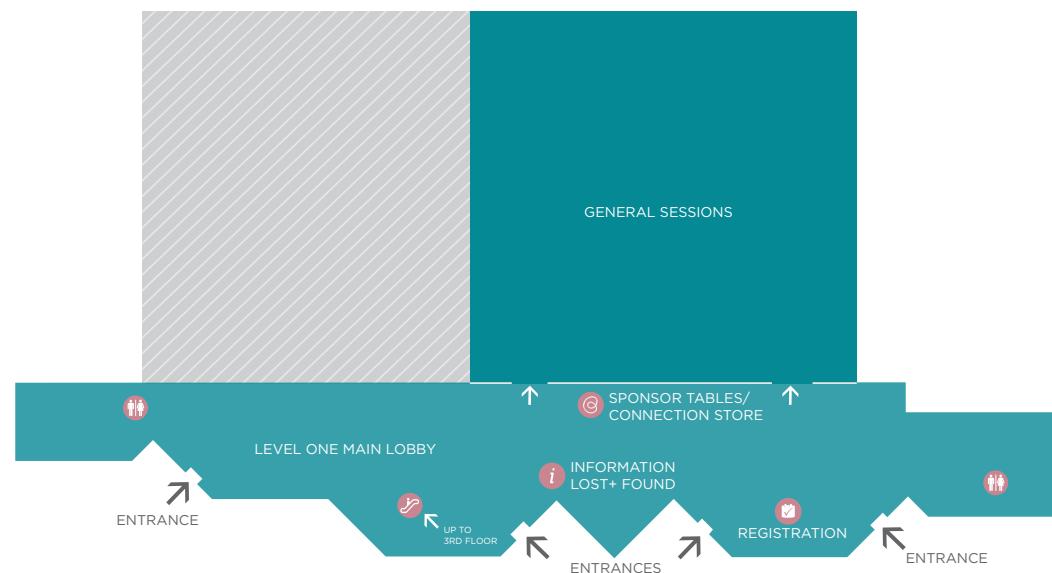
 **CLOSING SESSION**  
SESIÓN DE CLAUSURA  
11a.m- 1 p.m.

# MAPS

Foursquare Connection 2016 Area Map



Hawai'i Convention Center Level Three



Hawai'i Convention Center Level One

# MAHALO + GRACIAS

Thank you to everyone who worked to bring the Foursquare family an amazing Foursquare Connection event this year. We appreciate each and every one of you!

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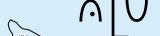


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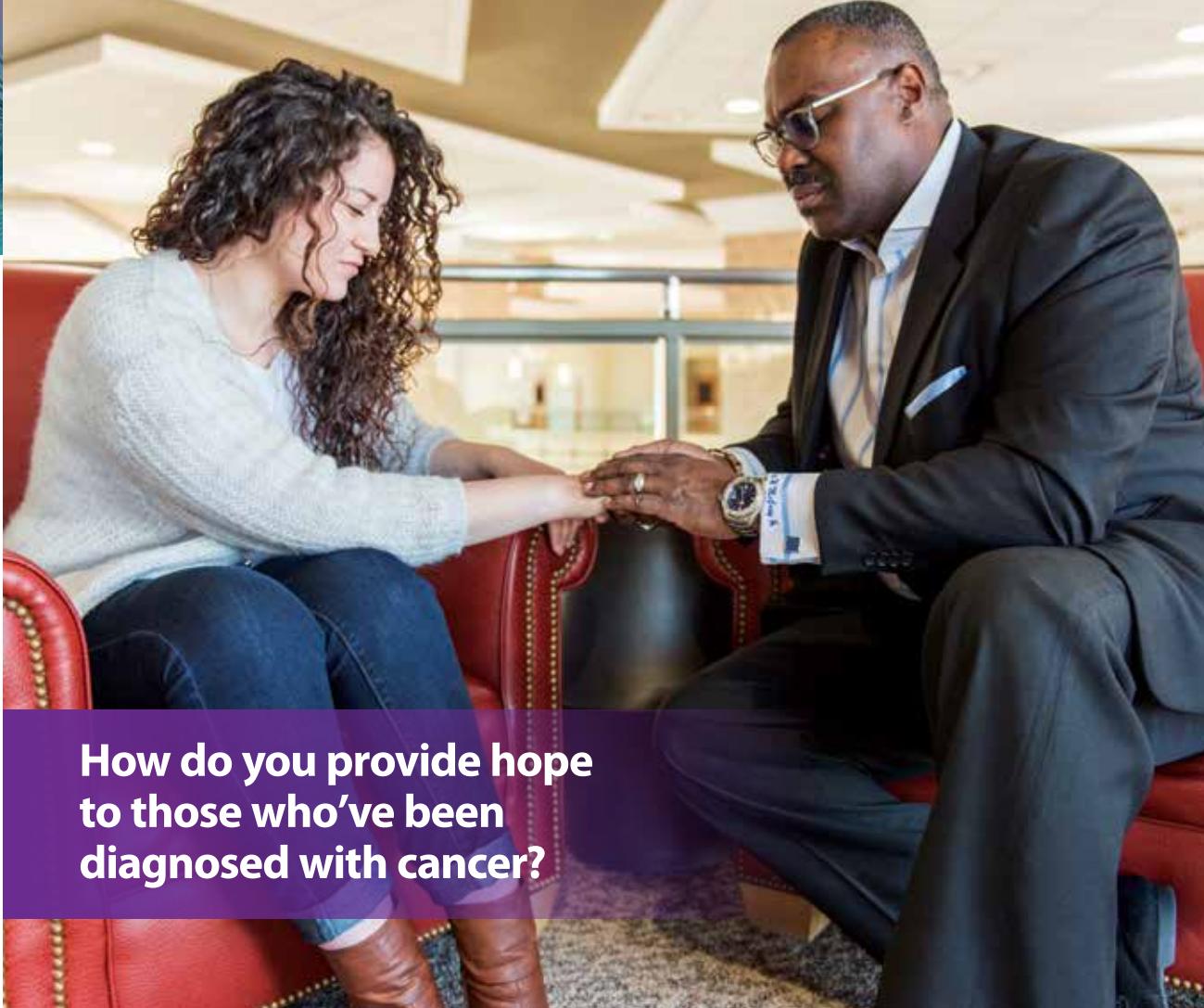
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