

103ND ANNUAL

CHRISTIAN BELIEVERS CONFERENCE

AUGUST 3-7, 2011



“In All Things - Christ”

“For by Him all things were created, both in the heavens and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things have been created through Him and for Him.”

Colossians 1:16-17

Come join us in lifting a triumphant shout to the Lord!

Gordon College
Wenham, Massachusetts

Wednesday, August 3, 2011

“But speaking the truth in love, may grow up into Him *in all things*, which is the head, even Christ.”

Ephesians 4:15

2:30- 5pm Conference Registration - Chase Hall

5:00 Dinner

Evening Program Begins

Chairman: Jim Sochacki, *Mt Solon, VA*

6:15 Conference Chairman's Welcome
Steve Teunis, *Naperville, IL*

6:45 Hymns of Praise
Brian Dunn, *Plainfield, IL*

7:15 Fellowship

7:30 Opening Sermon
Andy Weeks, *Batavia, IL*

8:00 Vespers

8:15 Fellowship and Refreshments

Thursday, August 4, 2011

“...yet for us there is but one God, the Father, from whom are all things and we exist for Him; and one Lord, Jesus Christ, by whom are *all things*, and we exist through Him.”

I Corinthians 8:6

Morning Chairman: Dennis Gorham, *Somersworth, NH*

7:15-7:35 Meditations Class Room B34 in Chase Basement

7:45 Breakfast

9:10 Devotions and Praise

9:30 Theme Sermon: Andrew Polychronis, *Somersworth, NH*

10:15 Fellowship

10:45 Prayer, Praise and Testimony

Dan Donnarummo, *North Canton, OH*

11:45 Fellowship

12:00 Lunch

Afternoon/Evening Chairman: Jack Porter, *Westminster, VT*

2:15 Interest Groups

- **Woman to Woman: “When I am weak...He is strong”**

Val Weeks, *Batavia, IL*

Classroom 109

- “Science and the Creation – Past, Present and Future”

Jim Sochacki, *Mt Solon, VA*

Classroom 124

- “Be Holy - Those Who Love God Keep His Commands”

Allan Crawford, *Aurora, IL*

Classroom 125

3:45 Fellowship

5:00 Dinner

6:30 Worship & Praise: Rich Leavitt, *Eliot, ME*

7:00 Fellowship

7:15 Sermon: David Karavas, *Apple Valley, CA*

8:00 Vespers

8:15 Fellowship and Refreshments

Friday, August 5, 2011

“Whoever speaks, is to do so as one who is speaking the utterances of God; whoever serves is to do so as one who is serving by the strength which God supplies; so that *in all things* God may be glorified through Jesus Christ, to whom belongs the glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.”

I Peter 4:11

Morning Chairman: Bruce Blake, *Rochester, NH*

7:15-7:35 Meditations Classroom B34 in Chase Basement

7:45 Breakfast

9:10 Devotions and Praise

9:30 Sermon on today's text: John DiCesare,
Port Orange, FL

10:15 Fellowship

10:45 Sermonettes:

Alex Allen, *Troy, OH*

Gordon Coulson, *Vancouver, BC, Canada*

11:45 Fellowship

12:00 Lunch

Afternoon/Evening Chairman: Jared Fournier, *Somersworth, NH*

1:15 Business Meeting: Steve Teunis, *Naperville, IL*

2:30 Fellowship

3:15 **Optional Bible Study or Nature Walk** –Enjoy your afternoon

5:00 Dinner

6:30 Youth Worship

7:15 Fellowship

7:30 Invitational Sermon: Tony Fantuzzo, *Henrietta, NY*

8:15 Vespers

8:30 Fellowship and Refreshments



Teen Ocean visit

Saturday, August 6, 2011

“Therefore, He had to be made like His brethren *in all things*, so that He might become a merciful and faithful high priest in things pertaining to God, to make propitiation for the sins of the people.”

Hebrews 2:17

Morning Chairman: Tim Sochacki, *Livonia, MI*

7:15-7:35 Meditations Classroom B34 in Chase Basement

7:45 Breakfast

9:10 Devotions and Praise

9:30 Sermon on today's text: Bruce Blake, *Rochester, NH*

10:15 Fellowship

10:45 Theme Discussion: Doug Famous, *Scottsdale, AZ*

11:45 Fellowship

12:00 Lunch

Afternoon/Evening Chairman: Angelo Drakopoulos, *Tinley Park, IL*

2:15 Interest Groups

- **Topic To be Announced**
Dennis Gorham, Somersworth, NH
Class Room 124
- “What is God's Name: The LORD or YHWH “
Gordon Coulson, *Vancouver, BC, Canada*
Class Room 125

3:45 Fellowship

4:00 Immersion Service or Free Time

5:00 Dinner

6:30 Praise & Gifts: Vanessa Polychronis, *Rochester, NH*
Sara Allen, *Manchester, NH*

7:30 Vespers

7:45 Fellowship and Refreshments

8:15 Optional Hymn Sing-a-long in Chase Basement
Room B34

Interest Group Topic Briefs

Woman to Woman: “When I am weak...He is strong”

“What is God's Name: The LORD or YHWH “

The Greek texts of the NT we currently have do not contain the *name of God*, YHWH, except the short form Yah found in the *book of Revelation*. However, more recent evidence suggests that the name was originally in the NT. This session will explore this question and discuss the importance of the Name for Christians.

“Be Holy - Those Who Love God Keep His Commands”

GOD is Holy and he expects no less from his people. To the Hebrews, his chosen people who were promised the bountiful land, He required holiness (Lev. 20:7-8).

Peter in 2Pet. 1:16 called this command to the remembrance of believers in his day. This call echoes through the ages to all God's people.

If we love God and His faithful Son, we must do as they command.

“Science and the Creation – Past, Present and Future”

We will study scriptural descriptions of the Big Bang Theory, the process of creation, how the world is evolving and where we are in this process. We will discuss how to use these scriptures as a witness of creation, to inspire Christians and to lead us in our daily lives in a decaying world on a decaying planet in perilous times.

Youth Activities Schedule

Nursery (0-3 yrs)	Thur – Sat	9:30-Noon	Classroom 202
	Thur – Sat	7:00-8:00P	Classroom 202
	Sunday	9:30-11:25	Classroom 202
VBS (4-10 yrs)	Thur – Sat	9:10-9:30A	Auditorium
	Thur – Sat	9:30-Noon	Chairman's Rm.
	Thur – Sat	Afternoon	Pool
	Thur – Sat	6:30-8:00P	Chairman's Rm.
	Sunday	9:30-11:25A	Chairman's Rm.
	Thur – Sat	9:10-9:30A	Auditorium
JR High (11-12 yrs)	Thur – Sat	9:30-Noon	Classroom 124
	Thur – Sat	Afternoon	Pool
	Sunday	9:30-11:25A	Classroom 124
	Thur – Sat	9:10-9:30A	Auditorium
Teens (13-19 yrs)	Thur – Sat	9:30-Noon	Classroom 109
	Thur – Sat	Afternoon	Pool
	Sunday	9:30-11:25A	Classroom 109
	Thur – Sat	9:10-9:30A	Auditorium

Parents are responsible for bringing and picking up their children at the opening and closing times for all activities.

Your 2011 CBC Committee

Conference Chairman: Steve Teunis *
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Teens Program:	Andy Weeks, <i>Batavia, IL</i>
JR High Program:	David Karavas, <i>Apple Valley, CA</i>
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Children's Afternoon Activities:	Coordinated by Alex Allen, <i>Troy, OH</i> Volunteers needed!
Children's Evening Activities:	Alex Allen, <i>Troy, OH</i>
Recording:	Gregg Mathewson, <i>Batavia, IL</i> Seth Mathewson, <i>Batavia, IL</i> John Polychronis, <i>Rochester, NH</i>
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**Transportation provided to/from Boston's Logan Airport only.*

Local Directions

Follow Route 128 North to Exit 17, Grapevine RD. Turn left onto Grapevine RD. Gordon College is on the right. Follow signs to registration, parking.

Note: The exit numbers where Route 128 merges with I-95 are in ascending order. Stay on Route 128. Exit numbers will descend after I-95 branches off.

From Logan Airport

Exit airport and bear right onto Route 1A North. Follow signs for Route 60 West to US 1 North to Route 128 North.

From I-84, Hartford, NYC, Albany, points south and west

Take Mass. Turnpike I-90 east to Exit 14, Weston/I-95N. Follow I-95N to Route 128N.

From Boston

Follow either I-93N to I-95N/128N or Route 1 North to 128N

From Maine

Follow I-95 south to Route 1 south to Route 62 east to 128N

From New Hampshire (Somersworth area)

Follow NH16 South to I-95 south to Route 1 south to Route 62 east to 128N

From Vermont

Follow NH12S to NH9N to I-89S to I-93S to I-95N/128N

Emergency Cell Phone Number

Gordon College's number is (978) 927-2300, however we recommend leaving Donna Mathewson's cell phone number **(630-251-2260)** at your home so that someone can reach her in case of an emergency. She has it on her at all times.

Conference Costs for all Days

Children (0-3 yrs): Free **(4-12 yrs):** No Cost - Subsidized
Teens (13-19 yrs or in college) \$124, ½ Adult Rate – Subsidized
Adults: \$124* per person (Double Occupancy)
\$144* per person (Single Occupancy)

*Note: Conference subsidized rate. Please see registration form

For Questions or extra reservation forms please contact:

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