

Keynotes



Issues Writing that Matters - Bill Watkins

Wednesday, 7:30 pm

Be encouraged to tackle tough subjects in persuasive and beneficial ways. Bill created and ran a publishing program for the American Center for Law and Justice and is the author of *The New Absolutes*.



Writing Light into Darkness

Peter Lundell CCWC pastor in residence Thursday, 8:30 am



Darkness infiltrates every person and every area of our society. If God has created you to write, you have an inbuilt purpose to write light into darkness. How do we grasp that, and how do we make it happen? Peter is a pastor, Bible college teacher, and writer who helps people connect with God and live well in the face of eternity. www.peterlundell.com

In a Beginning

Allen Arnold

Friday, 8:30 am

The first way God chose to introduce himself in Scripture was in the role of Creator. But few have understood how knowing God in this way shines light to who we are as writers and how we create. Combining Scripture, Celtic writings, and 25 years of publishing wisdom, Allen illuminates God's wild and passionate creative process in a way that helps writers move from chaos to light in their calling.



Be Prepared - Living & Writing His Answer in the Last Days J.B. Hixson, Ph.D Thursday, 7:30 pm

We live in a rapidly changing world of spiritual realities, cosmic battles, and unseen enemies. It is a frightening world of lies and hidden agendas. Dr. Hixson examines Satan's powerful agenda and explains how to discern truth from error in an age of universal deceit. J. B. Hixson is a professor, pastor, author, and national radio host. www.NotByWorks.org



Fulfilling the Vision

Sandy Cathcart

Friday, 7:30 pm



Amazing things can happen when you take what you've learned and lay it at the Master's feet. Sandy shares her journey from frustration to reaching thousands through her writing. www.needlerockpress.com

Moving Our Mountains with Prayer

Patricia Raybon

Do you need encouragement to move your "author" mountains and to heal your life divides? Patricia is the award-winning author of books and essays on mountain-moving faith. <http://patriciaraybon.com>



The Cross Is the Main Thing

Michael Gantt

Saturday, 8:30 am



The church has slowly and surely become "issue driven" more than gospel driven. We are driven now by the issues of abortion, homosexuality, and governmental interference, and, therefore, have become more suited to announcing judgment than preaching redemption. Michael has been in full-time pastoral ministry for over 40 years. www.growinggodlyseed.com

Live and Write Dangerously

David Rupert

Saturday, 4:30 pm



Is your writing life stuck? Do you write in the same-old genre to the same-old audience with the same-old results? By allowing discomfort—and even a little danger—into your life, you'll start to find the words that God is actually trying to get you to write. David regularly writes about faith and culture for Patheos.

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