

**WHERE:**

Hilton Ontario Hotel  
700 North Haven Avenue  
Ontario, CA 91764

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**WHEN:**

Starts: 2:00 pm Friday, February 24, 2012  
Ends: 1:00 pm Sunday, February 26, 2012

**COST:**

One senior pastor couple per congregation is scholarshiped by the denomination for on-site costs (registration, lodging and meals). Members and ministry leaders are encouraged to attend and would pay the registration fee and may purchase on-site lodging and/or meals.

**Registration fee:**

- \$40.00/person (children under 18 free)

**Lodging in conference hotel:**

- \$98.00 (per night, includes tax)

**On-site meals (includes tax and gratuity):**

- Friday - dinner: \$26.00/person
- Saturday - hot breakfast: \$16.00/person
- Saturday - lunch: \$18.00/person
- Saturday - dinner: \$26.00/person
- Sunday - hot breakfast: \$16/person

## Registration GCI Regional Conference 2012

**Deadline  
February 7, 2012**

Please register on line by going to the following link:

[www.gci.org/go/12ca](http://www.gci.org/go/12ca)

Credit cards accepted— American Express, Visa, Master Card and Discover

For questions about registration, contact CAD at (800) 574-2299 or [Church.Administration@gci.org](mailto:Church.Administration@gci.org)



GCI members and their families and friends are invited to **Ministry with Jesus: How to...**—the 2012 GCI-USA Regional Conference. This conference will help you discover and develop practical ministry tools that you can take home and begin to implement right away in your local congregation.

Plenary sessions at the conference will feature inspiring worship followed by encouraging messages from Joseph Tkach (GCI president), Russell Duke (GCI vice president) and Dan Rogers (GCI superintendent of US ministers). You'll also hear from Gary and Cathy Deddo, who are coming on board with GCI this year.

In addition to plenary sessions with keynote speakers, we'll break into *dialog groups*. Come to share your questions, experiences, frustrations, resources, ideas, and victories concerning the specified topics. These topics have been selected based on pre-conference surveys of our US pastors. Each forum is facilitated by a CAD ministry developer. No lengthy lectures—rather a place to dialog on issues of mutual concern as we learn from each other, growing together in ministry with Jesus.

# 2012 GCI Regional Conference

## Friday Sessions

2:00 to 3:30 pm: **District Meetings (Open to all)**

Meet with your district pastoral leader to discuss how to “navigate” the conference, emphasizing key themes.

3:30 to 3:45 pm: Break

3:45 to 4:35 pm: **Dialog Groups**

1a: **Re-examining Church Ceremonies:**  
Discussing tips and questions about our new church ceremonies – *Ted Johnston with Ken Williams & Russell Duke*

1b: **Contagious Generosity**

How we connect the offertory to worship and mission—*Randy Bloom and Charles Albrecht*

4:35 to 4:50 pm: Break

4:50 – 5:40 pm: **Trinitarian Theology of Ministry--Cathy Deddo**

5:40 to 7:00 pm: Dinner

7:10 to 7:25 pm: **Praise, Worship, & Welcome**

7:30 to 8:30 pm: **GCI: Transforming Its World**

*Joseph Tkach* gives an overview of what is happening in GCI domestically and internationally.

## Saturday Sessions

7:30 to 8:20 am: Breakfast

8:25 to 8:45 am: Worship

8:50 to 9:40 am: **Taking Leaders & Groups to the Next Level**

As we continue on journey with Jesus, we celebrate new churches in the making and new pastoral interns—*Randy Bloom*

9:40 – 9:55 am: Break

9:55 to 10:45 am: **Dialog Groups**

2a: **Beyond My Church:**

How Are We Connecting with the Unchurched?—*Ted Johnston, Randy Bloom, Ken Williams, Lorenzo Arroyo*

2b: **Aligning a Multi-Generational Mission:**

How are we doing cross-generational discipling?—*Greg Williams with Anthony Mullins*

10:55 to 11:45 am: **Dialog Groups**

3a: **Discipleship Outside the Walls:**

How we reach unchurched people and make new disciples through small discussion groups— *Randy Bloom, Charles Albrecht, Anthony Mullins*

3b: **Ministry with Jesus in Our Retirement Years:**

How are we ministering with Jesus in our retirement years?—*Ted Johnston, Ken Williams, Lorenzo Arroyo*

11:45 to 1:00 pm: Lunch

1:00 to 2:00 pm: **The Transformational and Missional Church--Dan Rogers**

2:00 to 2:15 pm: Break

2:15 to 3:05 pm: **Dialog Groups**

4a: **Beyond Your World:**

How to discern what Jesus is up to in the world around your church—*Anthony Mullins with Randy Bloom*

4b: **Surviving and Thriving as a Pastor:**

How are we dealing with tough pastoral issues?—*Ted Johnston, Lorenzo Arroyo, Ken Williams, Greg Williams*

3:05 to 3:15 pm: Break

3:15 to 4:05 pm: **Dialog Groups**

5a: **Redefining a Leadership Development Culture:**

How are we multiplying new leaders? –*Greg Williams with Anthony Mullins*

5b: **Small but Powerful:** How GCI congregations are actively helping start new churches—*Randy Bloom, Lorenzo Arroyo, Heber Ticas, Glen Weber*

**Tech Booth Open:** Ted (and others) will be at the CAD booth to consult about computers in ministry.

4:05 to 4:20 pm: Break

4:20 to 4:40 pm: **GCS Presentation & Introduction of Gary & Cathy Deddo--Russell Duke**

4:40 to 5:40 pm: **Theology, Faith and a Life of Joyful Obedience--Gary Deddo**

5:45 to 7:00 pm: Dinner

7:00 to 7:50 pm: **Music in worship services** – Optional gathering for pastors, worship leaders, vocalist, a/v techs, musicians – bring your musical instruments for some jamming!—*Ted Johnston*

7:00 to 7:50 pm: **GCS Meeting** with *Russell Duke*

## Sunday Sessions

7:30 to 8:30 am: Breakfast

8:30 to 9:20 am: **District Meetings (Open to all)**  
Meet with your district pastoral leader to debrief the conference and explore other tools for your congregation..

8:30 to 9:20 am: **Workshop: Trinitarian Approach to Scripture Study—Cathy Deddo**

9:20 to 9:35 am: Break

9:35 to 10:20 am: **Panel with Gary Deddo**

Questions must be submitted in writing prior to panel discussion.

11:00 am to 12:55 pm: **Closing Worship Service**

Luke 10:1-12 “How Jesus taught mission and how most churches get it wrong” – *Dan Rogers*

*Communion served & Offering received.*