



The Uncover Summit

Launching a National Scripture Engagement Movement

Sponsored by The Forum of Bible Agencies—North America
November 7-9, 2011 * Orlando, FL

Host: *Robert L. Briggs, Chair Forum of Bible Agencies –North America
Executive Vice President, Global Scripture Ministries, American Bible Society*

Monday November 7

- 1:00 pm **Registration**
- 5:00 pm **Reception**
- 6:00 pm **Opening Dinner**
- Dinner Keynote**
The Urgent Need for Bible Engagement
Rev. Samuel Rodriguez, President, National Hispanic Christian Leadership Conference
- 7:55 pm **Break (Engagement Café Open)***
- 8:05 pm **Zuckerberg Bible? Engaging the Facebook Generation**
Rev. Mark Brown, Chief Strategist, Global Scope Media

Tuesday November 8

Breakfast on Your Own / Engagement Café Opens @ 8

- 8:30 am ***Experience the Word Uncovered***
Rev. Chris Webb, President, Renovaré USA
- Plenary Session 1**
- Engaging the Whole Church***
*Rev. Fr. Allan Deck, S.J. Executive Director,
Secretariat of Cultural Diversity in the Church
United States Conference of Catholic Bishops*
- 9:45 am **Break (Engagement Café Open)***
- 10:50 am **Plenary Session 2**
- Engaging the Next Generation***
Dr. Kara Powell: Exec. Director, Fuller Youth Institute

11:55 am **Break** (*Engagement Café Open*)*

12:30 pm **Luncheon**
Global Media Outreach Presentation
Luncheon Keynote
Bible Engagement Online
Bobby Gruenewald – YouVersion

2:00 pm **Break** (*Engagement Café Open*)*

2:15 pm **Plenary Session 3**
Moderator - Mark Forshaw, Global Scripture Impact
Scripture Engagement Research on the Street
David Kinnaman – President, Barna Group
Dr. Phil Collins – Professor of Christian Educational Ministries, Taylor University &
Dr. Steven Bird – Professor of Sociology, Taylor University
Dr. Allen Reesor – Executive Director, The Metrix Research Group

3:50 pm **Break** (*Engagement Café Open*)*

4:05 pm **Plenary Session 4**
Scripture Engagement Research in the Church
Cally Parkinson – Willow Creek Association: REVEAL
Panel Discussion – Mark Forshaw, moderator
*Kinnaman, Collins, Bird, Reesor, Parkinson, Murray***
Engage the Journey
Jim Mellado: President, Willow Creek Association

5:35 pm **Free Time** (*Engagement Café Open*)*

6:30 pm **Dinner**
Dinner Keynote
A Call to Commitment - Uncovering The Word
Dr. Joel Hunter, Sr. Pastor, Northland Church

Uncovering a Movement of God Together: A Common Commitment
Robert L. Briggs, Chair, Forum of Bible Agencies –North America
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Wednesday November 9

Breakfast on Your Own / Engagement Café Open @ 8

9:00 am

Experience the Word Uncovered

Rev. Chris Webb, President, Renovaré USA

Plenary Session 5

A Call to Action – Putting the Uncover Commitment into Practice

Dr. R. Lamar Vest, President, American Bible Society

10:15 am

Break (Engagement Café Open)*

10:30 am

Plenary Session 6

Joining a Movement of Uncover Activists

Dr. James Puchy, Executive Director, National Ministries, American Bible Society

11:50 am

Break (Engagement Café Open)*

12:30 pm

Luncheon

Luncheon Keynote

Until Everything is Accomplished

Dr. Staccato Powell, Sr. Pastor, Grace AMEZ Church

2:00 pm

Benediction and Dismissal

*** Engagement Café**

Grab a cup of coffee, pull up a chair, and join the conversation. We've brought together resource providers, researchers and mobilizers to jump start the discussion. This is a great time to network and share your Scripture engagement best practices with others. The Engagement Café will be open during the breaks, free time, and each morning.

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