2024 PTSG Speaker's Bios

Jeff Kinley



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Jeff Kinley is a best-selling author and former pastor who has written over 35 books. He is a recognized expert and thought leader in the field of Bible Prophecy, having authored 10 books on the subject. Currently he hosts a podcast called Jeff's weekly *Vintage Truth Podcasts*. To start our conference off this morning, his presentation will be on "Seeing the End-Times through the Eyes of Jesus: Current Considerations from the Olivet Discourse."

Andy Woods



https://www.andywoodsministries.org

Dr. Andy Woods is the senior pastor of Sugar Land Bible Church in Sugar Land, Texas and president of Chafer Theological Seminary. Over the years he has written several books and articles on the topic of Bible prophecy and serves as a board member for the Pre-Trib Research Center. Andy is going to speaking on the topic, "Is 2 Thessalonians 2:3 Apostasy or Rapture?"

Richard Schmidt



www.prophecyfocusministries.com

Dr. Richard Schmidt, is the Senior Pastor at **Union Grove Baptist Church**, a city south of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Richard has a diverse background from Bible school training, serving as an assistant pastor, while also serving over 20 years in law enforcement finishing his carrier as Acting Sheriff of Milwaukee in January 2019. This afternoon he will be speaking on "Artificial Intelligence: Transhumanism and the De-Evolution of Democracy."

Ray Mondragon



Ray Mondragon is Professor of Hermeneutics and Exegesis at Chafer Theological Seminary in Albuquerque, New Mexico. He is also a professor at Trinity SW University, Word of God Seminary in Ukraine, and professor at the International Baptist Bible College in Ukraine. He also teaches regularly at Grace Church of Albuquerque, NM. Today he is going to speaking on **"The Essence of Sound Biblical Hermeneutics: Grammatical-Historical-Contextual."** If you want to learn more about his work you can check out his website called, "ForHisGloryNM.com" which focuses on Creation Science, Biblical studies, Bible prophecy, and Bible exposition.

Carl Broggi



https://www.communitybiblechurch.us

Carl Broggi is Pastor of Community Bible church in Beaufort, South Carolina since 1990. He is a graduate of Boston College (BS), Dallas Theological Seminary (ThM), and Southwestern Baptist Seminary (DMin).

In addition to his ministry as a pastor, he hosts a live weekly radio program called The Bible Line which can be heard on <u>WAGP.net</u> 88.7 FM in Beaufort, South Carolina. People from across the nation call in or email to ask Dr. Broggi questions about the Bible. He is also a regular guest on Stand in the Gap radio. Carl's radio ministry is called **Search the Scriptures**. Carl's busy pastor's schedule has him preaching/ teaching through entire books of the Bible as well as shepherding his congregation.

He and his wife Audrey have been married 44 years and have 5 adult children who are all married with children of their own. And so far, Carl and Audrey have 16 grandchildren.

Joe Bell



https://cchapel.org

Joe Bell is the senior pastor at Calvary Chapel in Lafayette, Indiana (associated with Chuck Smith). He has served at Calvary Chapel forty-three years. He became a Christian through the ministry of Campus Crusade on the campus of Purdue University where he graduated. Joe ran track at Purdue. He graduated from Southwestern Seminary in Ft. Worth, Texas with a Master of Divinity degree. Joe and his wife Peggy of 53 years, have four children, twelve grandchildren, and two great grandchildren.

Joe will be giving our devotion this morning.



Randall Price

http://www.worldofthebible.com

Dr. Randall Price serves as President for World of the Bible Ministries. He is a Biblical archaeologist and retired Liberty University Distinguished Research Professor. Dr. Price has led people all over the world through his archaeological digs, guided tours, with over a hundred Middle East trips under his belt.

He has written many books and articles, been part of documentaries, and is a frequent conference speaker. He has also served on the board of the Pre-Trib Research Center for many years. Today He will be speaking on **"Rebuilding the Temple as an End-Time Sign."**

Paul Wilkinson



Paul Wilkinson is our brother in the Lord from Oldham, Lancashire, which is located in the north of England. He received his doctorate at the University of Manchester with a focus on Zionism and John Nelson Darby.

He is the author of *For Zion's Sake: Christian Zionism and the Role of John Nelson Darby*. Also, *The Rise of Christian Palestinianism*. He has been a research consultant for documentaries and currently serves as a council member of the prophetic witness movement international.

His presentation title is, **"The Beautiful Simplicity of the Rapture—A Gypsy Testimony."**

Robert Thurman



https://www.brookes.edu/page/home-page

Robert Thurman is president of Brookes Bible College in Saint Louis, MO. He was born and raised in St. Louis. He is a graduate of Southeastern Baptist Theological College in Wake Forest, North Carolina (BA in Biblical Studies) and The Master's College in Santa Clarita, California (MA in Biblical Studies). He is currently in the final phase of a Doctor of Ministry degree (D. Min) through The Master's Seminary in Los Angeles, California. Robert has served in churches in Missouri, Illinois, Louisiana, and North Carolina. While serving as a church planter in North Carolina, he also taught in Christian schools and served as a K–12 principal. He has pastored Forest Park Bible Church in St. Louis since 2011. He began teaching at Brookes in 2013, and he became the president of Brookes in 2016. He has been married to Ashley since 1995. Together they have a son, Cole, and a daughter, Elise.

Robert's presentation Tuesday afternoon is entitled **"The Identity of the Seven-Sealed Scroll in Revelation 5."**

Mike Vlach



https://shepherds.edu/faculty-and-staff/michael-vlach/

Mike Vlach is professor of Theology at Shepherds Theological Seminary. He has a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, a Master of Divinity degree from The Master's Seminary, and a PhD in Systematic Theology from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. Dr. Vlach was awarded the 2008 Franz Delitzsch Prize for his dissertation, *The Church as a Replacement of Israel: An Analysis of Supersessionism*.

Dr. Vlach taught at The Master's Seminary for 15 years where he served as Professor of Theology. While there he was Managing Editor of *The Master's Seminary Journal* for nine years.

A regular conference speaker, Dr. Vlach has appeared on The History Channel. He is most known for his books, *Has the Church Replaced Israel: A Theological Evaluation* (B&H), and *He Will Reign Forever: A Biblical Theology of the Kingdom of God* (Lampion).

Mike's paper is on the topic: "How Jesus Fulfills the Old Testament."

Bill Koenig



watch.org

Bill Koenig is the President of Koenig–World Watch Daily. His daily online news service has readers in 50 states and 79 countries. Prophetic news is posted 365 days a year. He has been a White House correspondent since 2001.

Bill is the author of *Eye to Eye: Facing the Consequences of Dividing Israel*. The 576-page updated book, in its 30th printing, documents record-setting catastrophes that occur when American Presidents pressure Israel to give up their covenant land. Bill has spoken in churches and congregations in 32 states and 10 countries. We do not know of anyone in the news business that keeps up on Israel and how it impacts the American Bible-believing church more than Bill. He currently resides in the Dallas area.

Bill will share his thoughts on current events and answer questions as well.

Jason Coke



Jason Coke grew up in Canada and earned degrees in Industrial Engineering and business administration. He worked as a consultant in the Middle East for nearly a decade, and his love for the international church and the Bible inspired him to attend Dallas Theological Seminary where he earned his Master of Theology degree. At the same institution, he is currently a third-year PhD student in Bible Exposition. He is married to his wife Joan, and they have one son named Gabriel. Jason hopes to return to the Middle East to serve as a pastor and seminary professor.

His presentation is on "Premillennialism and Mistaken Identities in Genesis 3-4."

Mark Hitchcock



http://faithbibleok.com

Mark Hitchcock has authored over 30 books related to Bible prophecy. Mark is one of the top-selling Christian authors. He has a BS from Oklahoma State University, a JD in law from Oklahoma City University School of Law and has earned a ThM and PhD degrees from Dallas Theological Seminary and is an associate professor at Dallas. He lives in Edmond, Oklahoma with his wife Cheryl and serves as Senior Pastor of Faith Bible Church. He and his wife have two married sons and three grandchildren. He serves on the board of the Pre-Trib Research Center.

He will be speaking on, "The Gog-Magog War: Current Stage-Setting."