



The Northern Federation Illinois, Heartland, West, and North Family of Churches present

THE YEAR OF BLESSINGS

“BEYOND BLESSED”

Winter Workshop 2024

Thursday, January 4th – Sunday, January 7th

Hyatt Regency Rosemont

9300 W Bryn Mawr Ave, Rosemont, IL 60018

“Surely you have granted him unending blessings and made him glad with the joy of your presence. For the king trusts in the LORD; through the unfailing love of the Most High he will not be shaken.”

(Psalm 21:6-7)

Who may ascend the mountain of the LORD? Who may stand in his holy place? The one who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not trust in an idol or swear by a false god. They will receive blessing from the LORD and vindication from God their Savior.

(Psalm 24:3-5)

“Blessed are all who fear the LORD, who walk in obedience to him. You will eat the fruit of your labor; blessings and prosperity will be yours.”

(Psalm 128:1-2)

“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled”

(Matthew 5:6)

“Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ.”

(Ephesians 1:3)



THURSDAY, JANUARY 4TH

“The Blessing of Service”

Reception

(by invitation only)

Location: O’Hare Ballroom, Hyatt Regency O’Hare Chicago

Attire: NF Scarf & Tie

MC: Dr. John & Emma Causey

7:00 PM	Doors Open	
7:15 PM	Welcome and Prayer	Jeremiah & Julie Clark
7:30 PM	Dessert, Coffee, and Tea Reception	
7:35 PM	Live Jazz Music: “The Spirit Of Chicago”	Patrick Stineman
8:10 PM	“Even Greater Things”	Chris Ryley
8:15 PM	Performance Song: “I’m So Blessed” (Cain)	Chicago Band
8:20 PM	Special Spoken Word Performance: “Blessed”	Sarah Carnes
8:25 PM	CHARGE: <i>Blessed to Build</i>	John Causey
8:45 PM	Shepherding Report	Chris & Kerri-Sue Adams
8:50 PM	Year of Blessings Plans: “Soar in 2024” <ul style="list-style-type: none">• NF East - Clarks• NF Illinois - Garners• NF West - Castillos• NF North - McDonnells• NF Heartland - Turners	NF Family of Churches
9:10 PM	Closing Remarks	Emma Causey
9:15 PM	Closing Prayer	Fabian Chagolla



FRIDAY, JANUARY 5TH

“The Blessing of Service” Ministry Breakout Sessions

Church Leaders, Staff, and Interns

Location: DFW, Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago

Attire: Business Casual

MC: Clark's, Turner's, Cohen's, McDonnell's

10:00 AM	209 Be With Me Lord	Chris Ryley
	410 When the Morning Comes	Richie McDonnell
	458 Glory, Glory Hallelujah	Chris Ryley
10:15 AM	Welcome	Caleb & Lizbeth Cohen
10:20 AM	Prayer	Jeremiah Clark
10:25 AM	103 I Will Call Upon the Lord	Chris Ryley
10:30 AM	SERMON: <i>Blessed to Be Called (Gen 12:1-2; Heb 11:8-12)</i>	Jorge Castillo
11:05 AM	Response	Richie McDonnell
	Fellowship Break	
11:15 AM	717 I'll Be Listening	Aaron Turner
11:20 AM	Sermonettes (5 min each)	
	<i>Blessed are the Faithful (Gal 3:8-9; Prov 28:20)</i>	RJ & Guldana McKay
	<i>Blessed are the Courageous</i>	Kyle & Molly Smith
	<i>Blessed are those that Hunger and Thirst for Righteousness (Matt 5:6)</i>	Jackson Sayler & Jessi Brower
	<i>Blessed are the Humble (Matt 5:5)</i>	Jay & Alicia Causey
	<i>Blessed are the Peacemakers (Matt 5:9)</i>	Victor & Marlyn Montano
	<i>Blessed are the Persecuted (Matt 5:10)</i>	John Droblas & Deborah D.
	<i>Blessed are the Pure in Heart (Matt 5:8)</i>	Gerardo & Alexis Luna
11:55 AM	Closing Remarks	Aaron & Sheila Turner



FRIDAY, JANUARY 5TH

“The Blessing of Service” Ministry Breakout Sessions

Shepherds & Deacons

Location: John Wayne AB, Hyatt Regency O’Hare Chicago

Attire: Business Casual

MC: Chris & Kerri-Sue Adams

10:00 AM	Song - I Will Call Upon the Lord	Steve Stancil
	Song - Blessed Assurance	Chris Adams
	Song - Wade in the Water	James Haynes
10:15 AM	Welcome	Andy & Anabel Hovey
10:20 AM	Prayer	Louis & Regina Holmes
10:25 AM	Song - Sanctuary	Steve Stancil
10:30 AM	SERMON - <i>Beyond Blessed in our God-given Identity</i>	Chris Adams
11:05 AM	Response	James & Jennifer Haynes
	Fellowship Break	
11:15 AM	Callback Song	Steve Stancil
11:20 AM	Sermonettes (7 min each)	
	<i>Blessed in Righteousness</i>	Fabian & Vicky Chagolla
	<i>Blessed in Trials</i>	Oumar & Emily Fofana
	<i>Blessed in Humility</i>	Joe & Ashley Campbell
	<i>Blessed in Marriage</i>	Peter & Lori Jordan
11:50 AM	Closing Remarks	Chris & Kerri-Sue Adams
12:00 PM	D-Groups	



FRIDAY, JANUARY 5TH

“The Blessing of Service” Ministry Breakout Sessions

MERCYWORLDWIDE

Location: McCarran AB, Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago

Attire: Business Casual

MC: Desmend & Janette Jetton

10:00 AM	Song - I Love to Praise Him	Patrick Stineman
	Song - Glory Glory	Jesse Lane
10:10 AM	Welcome	Desmend & Janette Jetton
10:15 AM	Prayer	Natalie Castaño
10:20 AM	Song - The Lord Watches	Ryan Mason
10:25 AM	CHARGE: <i>Blessed are the Merciful (Matt 5:7)</i>	Desmend Jetton
10:50 AM	Response	Ryan & Akua Mason
	Fellowship Break	
11:20 AM	Sermonettes (7 min each)	
	<i>Blessed are those with the heart of a child</i>	Patrick Stineman & Christie Redding
	<i>Blessed through generosity</i>	Andrea Alnaber
	<i>Blessed are those that serve the poor</i>	Jesse & Gina Lane
	<i>Blessed are those that care</i>	Ryan & Akua Mason
11:50 AM	Closing Remarks	Desmend & Janette Jetton



FRIDAY, JANUARY 5TH

“The Blessing of Service” Ministry Breakout Sessions

Administration, Cyber Ministry, Audio Visual Team

Location: Seatac AB, Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago

Attire: Business Casual

MC: AJ & CL Penedo

10:00 AM	Song - Glory Glory	Orion Traulle
	Song - I Will Call Upon The Lord	Christian Ortega
10:10 AM	Welcome	AJ & CL Penedo
10:15 AM	Prayer	Orion Traullé & Candice Shelbrack
10:20 AM	Song - Lord God Almighty	Christian Ortega
10:25 AM	CHARGE: <i>Blessed to Serve (Ex 39:42-43; Ex35;36)</i>	AJ Penedo
10:50 AM	Response	Orion Traullé & CL Penedo
	Fellowship Break	
11:20 AM	Sermonettes (7 min each)	
	<i>Blessed Worship</i>	Orion Traullé & Candice Shelbrack
	<i>Blessed in Administration (2 Cor 8:18-21)</i>	Paul Schaeffe
	<i>Blessed in Evangelistic Impact - Cyber Ministry (1 Cor 9:20-23; 2 Cor 10:15b-16)</i>	Christian Ortega & Sararose Ritchie
	<i>Blessed in Excellence (Mark 7:37)</i>	Garrett Shahan & Alysha Wilson
11:50 AM	Closing Remarks	AJ & CL Penedo



FRIDAY, JANUARY 5TH

Bible Talk Leaders Workshop

Location: Rosemont Ballroom, Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago

Attire: Business Casual

MC: Cohen's, Turner's, Luna's

7:30 PM	I Will Call Upon The Lord	Lota Ebube
	Ride On King Jesus	Chris Ryley
	Shake The Earth	Chris Ryley
7:45 PM	Welcome	Aaron & Sheila Turner
7:50 PM	International Prayer*	
7:57 PM	BT LEADERS SKIT	Chicago disciples
8:12 PM	Good News	Church Leaders
8:22 PM	Wade in the Water	Ryan Mason
8:30 PM	SERMON - Blessed By God (Gen 1:27-28)	Caleb Cohen
9:15 PM	Fellowship Break	
9:23 PM	Callback Song	
9:30 PM	Sermonettes (5 min each)	
	<i>Blessing of Bible Talk Leadership</i>	Jay & Barb Shelbreck
	<i>Blessing of Family</i>	Dominic & Lindsay Sandaval
	<i>Blessing of Boldness</i>	Jorge Valeria Castillo
	<i>Blessing of Humility</i>	Victor & Maryln Montono
	<i>Blessing of Perseverance</i>	Garrett & Heidi Bradley
	<i>Blessing of Evangelism</i>	RJ & Guldana Mckay
	<i>Blessed Households (Genesis 39:5)</i>	Richie & Elizabeth McDonnell
9:55 PM	Closing Remarks	Gerardo & Alexis Luna
10:00 PM		

*International Prayer Order: Spanish (David Paredes), French (?), Russian (Alysia Pavlenko), Taiwan (Orion Traulle), Korean (Dennis Park), ASL - Kasey Christiansen, English (Simeon Pawletiki)



SATURDAY, JANUARY 6TH

NF Church Family Breakout Sessions

NF Illinois

Location: Rosemont Ballroom AB, Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago

Attire: Business Casual

MC: Garner's and Luna's

10:00 AM	Song - You Are the Holy One	Lota Ebube
	Song - Let It Rise	Chris Ryley
10:15 AM	Welcome	Quinton Halmar & Courtney Barnett
10:20 AM	Prayer	Adams' & Chagolla's
10:30 AM	Song - Send the Light	Chris Adams
10:35 AM	SERMON: <i>All Nations Will Be Blessed (Gen 22:1-18)</i>	Danny Garner
11:05 AM	Response	Jarrett & Amelia Keith
	Fellowship Break	
11:15 AM	Callback Song	Lota Ebube
11:20 AM	Sermonettes (7 min each)	
	<i>Lessons from the life of Abraham...</i>	
	<i>The Blessing of Trusting God (Prov 3:5-6; Isaiah 12:2)</i>	Gerardo & Alexis Luna
	<i>The Blessing of Sacrifice (Romans 12:1-2; John 12:23-26)</i>	Jackson Sayler & Jessi Brower
	<i>The Blessing of Obedience (Psalm 128:1-2)</i>	Quinton Halmar & Courtney Barnett
	<i>The Blessing of Holding on to the Promises (Heb 11:17-19)</i>	Caleb & Lizbeth Cohen
11:50 AM	Closing Remarks	AJ & CL Penedo
12:00 PM	D-Groups	



SATURDAY, JANUARY 6TH NF Church Family Breakout Sessions

NF Heartland (Midwest)

Location: Rosemont C, Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago

Attire: Business Casual

MC: Turner's and Shelbrack's

10:00 AM	Medley	Je Vaughn
	Awesome God	Ryan Mason
10:15 AM	Welcome	Christian Ortega & Candice Shelbr
10:20 AM	Prayer	Orion Traullé & Vania Hanitrarinina
`	Wade In the Water	Ryan Mason
10:35 AM	SERMON: <i>All Nations Will Be Blessed (Gen 22:1-18)</i>	Aaron Turner
11:05 AM	Response	Dominic Sandoval
	Fellowship Break	
11:15 AM	The Lord Watches	Shundal Tillman
11:20 AM	Sermonettes (7 min each)	
	<i>Lessons from the life of Abraham...</i>	
	<i>The Blessing of Trusting God (Prov 3:5-6; Isaiah 12:2)</i>	Ryan & Akua Mason
	<i>The Blessing of Sacrifice (Romans 12:1-2; John 12:23-26)</i>	Garrett & Hedi Bradley
	<i>The Blessing of Obedience (Psalm 128:1-2)</i>	Dominic & Lindsay Sandoval
	<i>The Blessing of Holding on to the Promises (Heb 11:17-19)</i>	Victor & Maryln Montano
11:50 AM	Closing Remarks	Jay & Barb Shelbreck
12:00 PM	D-Groups	



SATURDAY, JANUARY 6TH NF Church Family Breakout Sessions

NF West

Location: United A, Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago

Attire: Business Casual

MC: Causey Jr's

10:00 AM	How Majestic is Your Name I will Call upon the Lord	Isaac Salgado James Haynes
10:15 AM	Welcome	Elijah Winthein and Bailey Boyd
10:20 AM	Prayer	Hoveys and Lanes
10:30 AM	Our God, He is Alive	JC Sanchez
10:35 AM	SERMON: <i>All Nations Will Be Blessed (Gen 22:1-18)</i>	Jorge Castillo
11:05 AM	Response Fellowship Break	Dom and Marissa Pickens
11:15 AM	Medley	Jay Causey
11:20 AM	Sermonettes (7 min each) <i>Lessons from the life of Abraham...</i> <i>The Blessing of Trusting God (Prov 3:5-6; Isaiah 12:2)</i> <i>The Blessing of Sacrifice (Romans 12:1-2; John 12:23-26)</i> <i>The Blessing of Obedience (Psalm 128:1-2)</i> <i>The Blessing of Holding on to the Promises (Heb 11:17-19)</i>	JC and Frida Sanchez Rich and Delaney Nochez Valeria Castillo James and Jennifer Haynes
11:50 AM	Closing Remarks	Isaac Salgado and Diana Hernandez
12:00 PM	D-Groups	



SATURDAY, JANUARY 6TH NF Church Family Breakout Sessions

NF LIFE (East)

Location: Rosemont Ballroom D, Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago

Attire: Business Casual

MC: Clark's and McKay's

10:00 AM	Song - Lord God Almighty	Kevin Trujillo
	Song - Let is Rise	Kharim Barthson
10:15 AM	Welcome	Semaj D & Noel M
10:20 AM	Prayer	Joe & Capil Estep
10:30 AM	Song - Lion of Judah	Kharim Barthson
10:35 AM	SERMON: <i>All Nations Will Be Blessed (Gen 22:1-18)</i>	Jeremiah Clark
11:05 AM	Response	Kevin & Betelihem Trujillo
	Fellowship Break	
11:15 AM	Callback Song - Can't Keep it to Myself	Kevin Trujillo
11:20 AM	Sermonettes (7 min each)	
	Lessons from the life of Abraham...	
	<i>The Blessing of Trusting God (Prov 3:5-6; Is 12:2)</i>	Kyle & Molly Smith
	<i>The Blessing of Sacrifice (Romans 12:1-2; John 12:23-26)</i>	RJ & Guldana McKay
	<i>The Blessing of Obedience (Psalm 128:1-2)</i>	Will Hubrecht/Zalma V
	<i>The Blessing of Holding on to the Promises (Heb 11:17-19)</i>	Terrance Griffin/Adriana C
	Closing Remarks	Julie Clark
11:55 AM	Song - Anchor for the Soul	Kharim Barthson
12:00 PM	D-Groups	



SATURDAY, JANUARY 6TH NF Church Family Breakout Sessions

NF North

Location: John Wayne AB, Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago

Attire: Business Casual

MC: McDonnell's

10:00 AM	116 How Majestic is Your Name	Dennis Park
	422 I'll Fly Away	Richie McDonnell
10:15 AM	Welcome	Oumar & Emily Fofana
10:20 AM	Prayer	Dennis Park
10:30 AM	700 Thank You Lord	Dennis Park
10:35 AM	SERMON: <i>All Nations Will Be Blessed (Gen 22:1-18)</i>	Richie McDonnell
11:05 AM	Response	Oumar Fofana
	Fellowship Break	
11:15 AM	733 Take the Lord With You	Dennis Park
11:20 AM	Sermonettes (7 min each)	
	<i>Lessons from the life of Abraham...</i>	
	<i>The Blessing of Trusting God (Prov 3:5-6; Isaiah 12:2)</i>	Oumar Fofana
	<i>The Blessing of Sacrifice (Romans 12:1-2; John 12:23-26)</i>	Anaé Ngavouka
	<i>The Blessing of Obedience (Psalm 128:1-2)</i>	Emily Fofana
	<i>The Blessing of Holding on to the Promises (Heb 11:17-19)</i>	Dennis Park
11:50 AM	Closing Remarks	Richie McDonnell
12:00 PM	D-Groups	



SATURDAY, JANUARY 6TH
Men and Women's Program
Saturday, January 6th

Men's Program

Location: Rosemont Ballroom CD, Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago

Attire: Business Casual

MC: Jeremiah Clark

02:00 PM	Song - Be Strong Take Heart	Lota Ebube
	Song - Hard Fighting Soldier	Chris Ryley
02:10 PM	Welcome	Caleb Cohen
02:15 PM	Prayer	
02:20 PM	Song - Rise up O Men of God	Ryan Mason
02:25 PM	SERMON: <i>Fight for Your Blessing</i>	Jeremiah Clark
	Response	RJ McKay
03:15 PM	Fellowship Break	
03:20 PM	Song -	Chris Ryley
03:25 PM	Sermonettes (5 min each)	
	<i>The Blessing of Leadership</i>	Dennis Park
	<i>The Blessing of Vision</i>	Aaron Turner
	<i>The Blessing of Fruitfulness</i>	Jorge Castillo
	<i>The Blessing of Relationships</i>	Christian Ortega
	<i>The Blessing of Discipling</i>	Kyle Smith
	<i>The Blessing of Hardship</i>	Jay Shelbrack
	<i>The Blessing of Strength and Courage</i>	Danny Garner
04:00 PM	Closing Remarks	Richie McDonnell
	D-Groups	



SECOND GENERAL SESSION
Men and Women's Program
Saturday, January 6th

Women's Program

Location: Rosemont AB, Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago

Attire: Business Casual

MC: Julie Clark

02:00 PM	Song - Marching in the Light of God	Taylor Burns
	Song - You Are the Only One	Kennedy Lloyd
02:10 PM	Welcome	Liz Cohen
02:15 PM	Prayer	CL Penedo
02:20 PM	Song - Rise Up Oh Women of God	Taylor Burns
02:25 PM	SERMON: <i>They will call her Blessed</i>	Julie Clark
	Response	Zalma Valencia
03:15 PM	Fellowship Break	
03:20 PM	Callback Song - Awesome God (445)	Taylor Burns
03:25 PM	Sermonettes (7 min each)	
	<i>She brings him good not harm (Marriage)</i>	Kerri Sue Adams
	<i>Her children will call her blessed (Family)</i>	Elizabeth McDonnell
	<i>She gets up while it's still dark (Qt's)</i>	Barb Shelbrack
	<i>She is clothed with strength and dignity</i>	Taylor Garner
	<i>She speaks with wisdom</i>	Sheila Turner
04:00 PM	Closing Remarks	Emma Causey
	D-Groups	



Teen Pizza Social (Jordans)

Room: United A, Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago
2:00PM-4:00PM (Teen Ministry and Visitors)
4:30PM-05:30PM Teen Parents session

PURE DANCE

Saturday, January 6th
7:30PM-11:00PM (Paid Entry)

Location: Rosemont Ballroom, Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago

Attire: Neon 90s

MC: Christian Ortega and Manilyn Pogoso



SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

Sunday, January 7th

Location: Rosemont Ballroom, Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago

Attire: Sunday Best

MC: Richie McDonnell

09:30 AM	Preservice	Jeremiah & Julie Clark
10:00 AM	000 You're the One, the Only One	Lota Ebube
	Lion of Judah	Chris Ryley
	351 Our God, He Is Alive	Chris Adams
10:15 AM	Video - Blessed!	Orion Traulle`
10:20 AM	Welcome	RJ & Guldana McKay
10:25 AM	International Prayer*	7 Disciples
10:30 AM	Announcements	Gerardo & Alexis Luna
10:50 AM	Appointments	
	Fellowship Break	
11:25 AM	103 I Will Call Upon the Lord	Chris Adams
11:30 AM	Pre-Communion Song	Chicago Choir
11:35 PM	Communion: <i>The Blessing of The Cross (Romans 4:7-8)</i>	Jay & Barb Shelbrack
11:45 PM	Special Song	Malonie Penn
11:50 PM	Contribution: <i>More Blessed to Give than Receive (Acts 20:35)</i>	Caleb & Liz Cohen
12:00 PM	Count your Blessings	Chicago Choir
12:05 PM	SERMON: <i>Beyond Blessed (Eph 1:3)</i>	Richie McDonnell
12:45 PM	Closing Remarks	Aaron & Sheila Turner
1:15 PM	Baptisms	Jackson Sayler & Jessi Brower
1:30 PM	Song	Chicago Choir



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