



February 24th, 2024
1st Baptist Church
Pottsville, AR
8:30 a.m. – 2 p.m.

A Three-Association Event!

Speakers and Breakout Session Leaders



Keynote Speaker and Large Group leader:

Ken Braddy

*Lifeway Christian Resource's Director of Sunday School
& Network Partnerships*

Speaker's Bio: Ken Braddy is the Director of Sunday School for Lifeway Christian Resources through which he champions Sunday School as a writer, blogger, podcaster, and trainer. From 2010-2021 Ken served as Lifeway's managing director for all adult ongoing curriculum used by approximately 3M people weekly.

Ken has served on several church staffs as a discipleship pastor. His first church began as a mission with 44 people and grew to over 2400+ members, becoming the fastest growing Sunday School in Texas for more than seven years. Ken recently served 3 years on a church staff in middle Tennessee, helping it become the fastest growing Sunday School in Tennessee pre-COVID. When he is not serving as an interim church staff leader or consultant, he teaches an ongoing Bible study group at his church in Tennessee.

Ken has the largest active Sunday School and small groups blog in the country (kenbraddy.com). He has authored and/or compiled 8 books on Sunday School and small groups and has written numerous articles for *Lifeway Research*, *Facts & Trends Magazine*, *Outreach.com*, and *ChurchLeader.com*. His 2019 book *Breathing Life into Sunday School* has gone through 2 reprints, and his latest book, *Breakthrough: Creating a New Scorecard for Group Ministry Success*, was released in August 2022 through B&H Publishing. In March 2023, Ken launched a highly successful podcast for ongoing groups called *Disciple-making In Community with Ken Braddy*, where he enlists multiple church practitioners per episode to discuss current trends in church education ministry. His latest book, *Welcome Aboard!* (December 2023), is a call for Bible study groups to provide a higher level of biblical hospitality to guests.

Ken and Tammy have been married for 37 years, have two grown sons, and two grandchildren, Logan and Nora Gail. He loves good Tex-Mex and Texas barbecue, and wishes he had his high school car back, a 1978 Camaro.



Celebration Sunday Speaker to be Announced Soon!

Each year we invite the churches of all participating associations to move their Sunday evening services to the host church for a joint Worship and Preaching celebration where a special guest speaker will bring God's Word and challenge our congregations to implement what we will have learned at the conference! Service will begin at 6 o'clock.

Remember, the Great Commission is not complete until we "... *make disciples, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded...*"



Celebration Service Worship Leader Caleb Reynolds

Caleb presently serves First Baptist Church in Dover Arkansas as Music, Children, and Media Pastor.

He graduated from Arkansas Tech University with a B.A. in Music Education in 2018, and is pursuing his M.Div online at Southwestern. Caleb has served as a worship leader at various events around the state, including Camp Siloam, JoyWorks, Super Summer Arkansas color schools, various Disciple Nows and Fall Retreats. He enjoys adventuring, waterfalls, misty mountains, going for rides on the motorcycle, time with his friends, Super Smash Bros, and anything musical.

Caleb joined the FBC Dover staff in 2016. He and his wife, Taylor have a cat named Zwena and a dog named Onyx.