

Rochester L'Abri Conference

Common Grace for the Common Good *Living Life Vocationally*

Friday, February 8

8:00-9:00 Registration

9:00-9:05 Welcome

9:05-10:15 *Created to Make a Difference*

Dick Keyes

10:30-11:45

"A" Workshops

A1 On Seeing Seamlessly

Steven Garber

A2 The Speed of Kingdom Living: In Praise of Wasting Time

Denis Haack

A3 Romans 7: Sin, the Self, and the Redemption of Human Agency

Jeff Dryden

A4 What to think of Poetic Naturalism? A critical reading of Sean Carroll's book "The Big Picture: On the Origins of Life, Meaning, and the Universe Itself."

AJ Poelarends

A5 Jazz, Common Grace, and Culture Care

Doug Groothuis

A6 The Spirit at Work: God and Vocation

Clarke Scheibe

A7 The Changing Relationship of Young People to Work

Mardi Keyes

12:00-1:30

Lunch at the Mayo Civic Center

2:00-3:15 *Christian Vocation in the Humanities*

John Hodges

3:30-4:45

"B" Workshops

B1 Making Peace with the Proximate

Steven Garber

B2 Race, Economics, and Apologetics: Is There a Connection?

Luke Bobo

B3 It Works If You Work It: The Spiritual Nature of Addiction & 12 Step Recovery

Heather Dryden

B4 The Promises and Problems of the Argument from Cosmological Fine Tuning for Apologetics

AJ Poelarends

B5 In Search of the Common Good: Christian Fidelity in a Fractured World

Jake Meador

B6 Skills for Staying Human in a Pornified Culture

Joshua Chestnut

B7 Finding Sabbath Rest in a World that Never Stops

Mary Frances Giles

5:00-7:00

Dinner on your own

7:00-8:15 *Christian Vocation in the Sciences*

Frank Stootman

8:30-9:30 *Concert*

Katy & Kenny

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Saturday, February 9

8:00-9:00 Registration

9:00-10:15 *Living Life Vocationally: What the Church Must Do*

Luke Bobo

10:30-11:45

"C" Workshops

C1 The Strange Modern Idea of "Image Without God"

Dick Keyes

C2 Science & The Bible – Unnatural Enemies: Is the choice either naturalistic science or the existence of god?

Frank Stootman

C3 The Creative Artist's End

John Hodges

C4 Is Race Injustice Really A Gospel Issue?

Jeff Dryden

C5 The Changing Relationship of Young People to Work

Mardi Keyes

C6 Understanding Jordan Peterson

Clarke Scheibe

C7 Skills for Staying Human in a Smartphone Culture

Joshua Chestnut

12:00-1:30

Lunch at the Mayo Civic Center

2:00-3:15 *Vocation and the Movies: Cinematic Visions of Work & Toil*

Denis Haack

3:30-4:45

"D" Workshops

D1 What is Stewardship?

Dick Keyes

D2 The Sovereignty of God, Chance, and Evolution: Does God use chance processes? Is there any room for evolution? Where can we draw the boundaries?

Frank Stootman

D3 Whatever Happened to the Human Race? The Image of God; the Question of Race; the Reality of Nation.

Mike Sugimoto

D4 A Theology of Writing

Doug Groothuis

D5 Salty Talk: How to Speak So You Can Listen

Marvin Padgett

D6 Time to Play: A Developmental and Theological Model

Mary Frances Giles

D7 In Search of the Common Good: Christian Fidelity in a Fractured World

Jake Meador

5:00-6:15 *Singing Songs the Whole World can Hear*

Steven Garber

6:15 Closing Remarks