

Registration

Registration fee covers rooms with meals and breaks. Thursday Lunch and Dinner Friday Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Saturday Breakfast and Lunch

Single Occupancy - \$160
Double Occupancy - \$130
Linens – Extra \$6,00 Single Beds
\$9.00 Double Beds

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ St. _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Church _____

_____ single room @ \$160 each _____

_____ double room @ \$130 each _____

_____ Linens @ \$6 single or \$9 double _____

Total Enclosed _____

If registering for more than one list names:

Preferred Roomate: _____

Dietary Needs _____



Rev. Dr. Doug Ruffle

Rev. Ruffle is on staff with the Greater New Jersey Annual Conference and leads the work in Congregational Development. As a

member of the National Network of Congregational Developers he leads the Northeast Jurisdiction of that Network. Rev. Ruffle is a Certified Trainer for Church Smart Resources, the American Affiliate of the worldwide Natural Church Development Movement.

We recommend that teams from local churches attend.

Schedule

8:30-9:15 Registration

9:30 – Noon Training

12:15 Lunch

1:00 Training

4:30 Dismiss for Dinner

5:30 Dinner

6:30-8:30 Training

Thursday and Friday will be the same Schedule. Friday Breakfast will be at 8:00 A.M. Morning and Afternoon Breaks will be built into the schedule.

Saturday

8:00A.M. Breakfast

9:00 - Noon Training

12:15 Lunch

1:00 Training

3:30 Dismissal



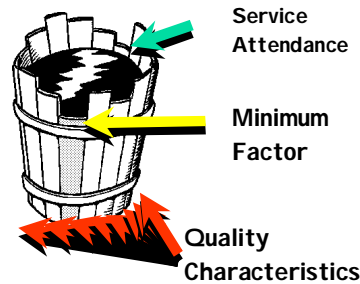
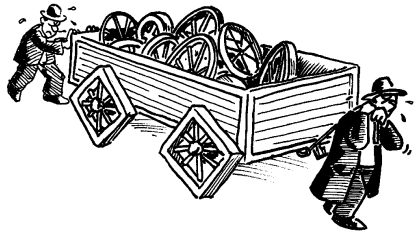
Introduction
and
Coach Training

Rev. Doug Ruffle,
PhD.

August 21-23. 2008
Thursday through Saturday

At
Camp Asbury
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P.O. Box 218
Silver Lake, NY 14549

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Questions call Ron Isaman 716-397-9993



Is this Natural Church Development?

Natural Church Development

Have you ever wondered why some churches grow and others decline when they are located in the same general area and minister to the same general population? What is it that makes a church **healthy**?

Christian A. Schwartz, a church developer from Germany, has done extensive research on the guiding and transferable principles that make churches healthy. A healthy church leads to a growing church.

Schwartz studied more than 1,000 churches in 32 countries on six continents and has come up with a refreshing and practical approach to church health and growth. His book, entitled *Natural Church Development: A Guide to Eight Essential Qualities of Healthy Churches* is available through **ChurchSmart Resources** (1-800-253-4276). Schwartz concludes that if the eight essential qualities are present in a congregation, growth will happen all by itself. It will naturally flow out of the essential qualities present. If you click on the underlined quality characteristic, you will be linked to a resource that helps address it.

Topics:

- Comprehensive training on what it means to be a coach
- Distinguishing 'coaching' from 'consulting'
- Training on the "Five R's" of coaching: Relate, Reflect, Refocus, Resource, and Review
- Natural Church Development (NCD) principles and coaching process
- How to administer and interpret the NCD survey
- How to guide churches through the NCD quality growth cycle
- 20 hours of training and practical experience in the NCD process
- How to use Coachnet.org
- Resources available to order

Expectations upon completion of training: We ask those that complete the training to consider becoming a coach and

being available for two years to coach 2-3 churches in the Natural Church Development process and to participate in a "Coaching Cluster" with other trained coaches during the two year period. For more details contact: Ron Isaman 716-397-9993

Books and Materials Every Church Should have and every coach must have. Check the number of copies you wish to order and send check with you registration on the back of this tear off.

Coaching 101 # of copies _____ x \$8= _____

Coaching 101 Handbook
of copies _____ x \$8= _____

Color Your World With Natural Church Development
of copies _____ x \$14= _____

Implementation Guide to NCD
of copies _____ x \$10= _____

The ABC's of NCD
of copies _____ x \$1 = _____

Coachnet Subscription \$75 yearly _____

Total Enclosed _____ \$ _____

Please send registrations and material orders to:

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131 John Muir Drive
Buffalo, NY 14228-1147**