

Area Hotels:

La Quinta Inn & Suites (863) 593-7488
Tru by Hilton (863) 471-0000
Residence Inn (863) 314-9100
Inn on the Lakes (863) 471-9400
Holiday Inn Express & Suites (863) 451-0673
Seven Sebring Raceway Hotel (863) 655-7200

Area Restaurants:

Seafood:

Sunset Grille - 2650 US Hwy 27 S
Sandhill Grill - 2250 Little Lake Bonnet Rd
The Gator Shack - 9561 4651 US-98

Italian:

Galati's Family Restaurant - 637 S Commerce Ave
Tony's II Pizzeria - 3229 Kenilworth Blvd
Olive Garden - 1696 US Hwy 27

Steakhouse:

Cody's Roadhouse - 521 US Hwy 27 N
Outback 921 - US Hwy 27 N
Cowpoke's Watering Hole - 6813 US Hwy 27 S

Americana:

Sebring Diner - 4040 US Hwy 27 S
Bob Evans - 2541 US Hwy 27 N
Five Guys - 307 US Hwy 27

BBQ:

Schooner's - 4908 US Hwy 27 S
Sonny's BBQ - 751 US Hwy 27 S

Fast Food:

McDonald's - 3115 US Hwy 27 S
Dairy Queen - 33529 US Hwy 27 S
Arby's - 3440 US Hwy 27 S



with Terry Thompson
Founder, Small Church USA

Annual Conference | October 16 - 17, 2023

Pre-Conference Fellowship | Oct. 15 Evening

Southside Baptist Church

379 S Commerce Ave, Sebring, FL 33870



Encouragement through the WORD and FELLOWSHIP

Conference Schedule

Sunday, October 15th

5:30PM Registration Open

6:00PM Pre-Conference Fellowship with Dr. James Maxwell

6:45PM Games, Food, & Fun

Monday, October 16th

Things To Do:

- Editorial Bautista Independiente (EBI) will be open for tours. EBI is a publishing ministry, bringing theological and Christ-centric material to all of Latin America. Learn more at www.ebi-bmm.org.

Conference:

1:00PM Registration Open

2:00PM Session 1 with Terry Thompson*

3:15PM Break

3:30PM Prayer Meeting

4:00PM Business Session

5:00PM Dinner at area restaurants/Council of Ten dinner with new pastors

7:00PM Session 2 with Terry Thompson*

8:30PM Snack Fellowship

Tuesday, October 17th

9:00AM Session 3 with Terry Thompson*

10:15AM Break

10:30AM Session 4 with Terry Thompson*

12:00PM Lunch - Sponsored by Faith Baptist Mission

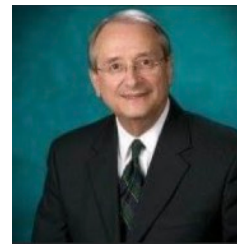
*Childcare Available



Terry Thompson

Keynote Speaker

Terry is a high energy leader who loves life and is always on the lookout for a good adventure. He is a 1985 graduate of Faith Baptist Bible College in Ankeny, Iowa. Terry was the lead pastor of Rock Point Church in Crawfordsville, Indiana for 24-years. Under his leadership Rock Point was transformed from an unhealthy, struggling church revitalization project of 20 people, to a thriving church of over 1,000 in Sunday morning worship. In 2022 Terry successfully transitioned the church to a next generation pastor. Today, he and his wife Kelly are the founders of Small Church USA. Their ministry partners with organizations and churches from across the country who are in need of revitalization assistance. Terry is also a certified leadership coach and has personally worked with 100's of pastors and ministry leaders.



Dr. James D. Maxwell II

Sunday Evening Speaker

James Maxwell has served the Lord full time since 1965. The son of a Baptist minister, his youth was spent in Iowa, Minnesota, and Alberta, Canada as his father prepared for the ministry.

His own ministry preparation took him to Pillsbury Baptist Bible College, Faith Baptist Bible College, Grand Rapids Baptist Seminary, and Baptist Bible Seminary. He has served five churches in the Midwest and was the State Representative for the Wisconsin Association of Regular Baptist Churches and the President of Faith Baptist Bible College and Theological Seminary. God has blessed him with the opportunity of preaching and teaching in Europe, Asia, South America, and the islands.

In Bible college, he met Leslie, the love of his life, and they were married following graduation. God has blessed them with four children and twelve grandchildren.

Upon retirement, the Maxwells moved to Naples, Florida, where they serve in various roles at Berean Baptist Church. James also holds weekly services in two assisted living centers in Naples. In 2019, the Council of Ten for the Sunshine Baptist Fellowship asked him to serve as Field Representative, and he has visited almost all of the churches in the Fellowship annually since then.