

Positioning Your Church to  
Accomplish the Mission  
March 11, 2008  
10:00 am—3:00 pm  
Please Register by: March 5, 2008

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Rhodes Grove  
Ecclesiastes Institute  
7693 Browns Mill Rd  
Chambersburg, PA 17202

**Registration Form**

Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Phone

Email

Home Church

- Course Fee—\$65.00 (includes buffet-style lunch)  
(Course Fee is transferrable, but non-refundable)
- Yes, please order a book for me - Add \$14.00
- Yes, I am in need of a partial scholarship  
Deduct \$15.00

Total Amount Due

Method of Payment:

- Check - Payable to Rhodes Grove
- Visa
- MasterCard
- Discover

Credit Card #

Exp. date

Security Code

Signature

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## Rhodes Grove

## Course Description

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### Rhodes Grove Conference Center

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- ◆ Continuing Education Classes

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### Lancaster Bible College

In partnership with Lancaster Bible College and Graduate School, our program uses CEU (continuing education unit) credit to measure academic progress. Upon completion of coursework each participant will receive a .5 CEU and a Certificate of Participation from LBC. Rhodes Grove is one of ten affiliated institutes partnering with LBC. For more information on LBC or their institutes visit them at [www.lbc.edu](http://www.lbc.edu).

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This course will be led by Rev. Patrick B. Jones, MDiv., who holds degrees from Huntington University and Evangelical School of Theology. Following 23 years in pastoral ministry in churches ranging from 10 to 1500, Pat now serves as the Director of Healthy Church Ministries for the United Brethren Church. His time is spent mainly in performing church assessments and coaching pastors and church leaders toward fruitful Kingdom ministry. Pat served for over a decade as a superintendent in the former Mid Atlantic conference, including a time as chairman of the management team for Rhodes Grove. Pat and his wife Pam have two children active in ministry initiatives.

This course will focus on the following objectives:

1. To review the Biblical mandates regarding the mission of the Church.
2. To explore and discuss “faithfulness” and “fruitfulness” in ministry.
3. To understand the dynamics of leading churches at different sizes.
4. To discuss principles and goals common to churches of all sizes.
5. To understand the life cycles of churches and steps to take at each stage of the cycle.
6. To understand governance in church polity.

The associated text, *One Size Doesn't Fit All*, written by Gary McIntosh, can be purchased through Rhodes Grove with advanced payment of \$14.00.

### The Ecclesiastes Institute

“I devoted myself to study and to explore by wisdom all that is under Heaven.”

Ecclesiastes 1:13

As an ongoing branch of ministry through Rhodes Grove, The Ecclesiastes Institute offers a variety of continuing education options for the purpose of Biblical enrichment, community outreach and ministerial advancement. Courses are open to anyone in the Cumberland Valley community interested in personal growth and leadership development.

Contact us if you would like to host or teach a course at your location.

### Scholarships Available

If you are interested in participating in this course of study, and are hindered by the financial requirements, please take advantage of the available partial scholarship option as noted on the registration form.

Please send registration form and payment to:  
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