

EQUIP TO ENGAGE

Quality, Affordable, Local Leadership Development for Children's Leaders



From the Road

We have been back on the road for almost 4 months. Our travels have taken us to Florida, Georgia, Tennessee, Ohio, Kansas, Indiana, Michigan, Washington, Texas, Arizona, California, and back to Florida. The next few weeks, we will be in Oregon, Washington (again), Idaho, and Missouri. We are so thankful to be back to the traveling part of what God has called us to live.

In addition to our traveling, we had 2 NazaZooms, 1 Equipping Conversation (with another next week - check next page for details), 2 District Director Meetings (with another in May), a series of Coaching for Children's Leaders, had Equip to Engage Regional Connector at an interdenominational event, and will have SPARK::Online next month (details next page). Then, we will begin a full schedule of Summer ministry.

We are so grateful for a full schedule! God has been doing wonderful things and we know God has more ahead.

To stay up-to-date with where we are and what we are doing, you are welcome to follow us on Facebook at Equip to Engage.

RESOURCE SPOTLIGHT →



Resilient is an honest calling to ask robust questions about the future; it is a timely conversation in the midst of changing cultural landscapes; and it's a love letter to KidMin leaders and disciple makers to walk this road of child discipleship together.

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Details

Equipping Conversation// The Interruption of Mourning

The world is trying to move on, but we have all lost a great deal within the last two years. Our rush to normalcy has robbed us of the time to grieve and process many layers of tremendous loss and trauma.

It's important to ask ourselves: Have I been given the space to grieve the scale of what I have lost? Join us TUESDAY, APRIL 26 at 8 PM (Central) as we join with Pastor Tina Wilson of Unique Grief, to discuss and learn how to move forward into our search of space to understand our grief in order to minister freely again.

Cost: Free

Date: Tuesday, April 26

Time: 8 PM (Central)

[Sign-Up Here](#)

District Children's Director Meeting

Nazarene District Children's Directors are important leaders on their districts.

Our next meeting is May 17 on Zoom. If you are a District Children's Director and would like to join, email trey@equiptoengage.org.



SPARK::Online

SPARK::Online is back! Out of necessity in 2021, we had to take SPARK online. It went over very well and Equip to Engage was able to help children's leaders in places we've never physically been! So...it's back!

We have a great line up of speakers and topics: Tammy Daughtry, Janet Dean, Laura Deeken, Melissa MacDonald, Beth Rush, Jennifer Sommers, Shaun Stevenson, Eric Ward, and Tori White. Their topics include Single Parent & Step Parent Strategies that Protect the Hearts of Children, Intentional Ministry with Sexual/Gender Diverse Young People, Communicating in Special Needs Ministry, Inside the Mind of a Kid, Leading into the Future, Faith at Home, Redefining the Wins, The Secret to Unlimited Object Lessons, Accessible Worship (A Simple Plan), and Creating Family Discipleship!!

PLUS...There will be a time of prayer, prizes, and fun!! You WILL NOT want to miss this on **May 20-21, 2022**.

[Breakout Descriptions](#) and [Sign-Up HERE](#)

SPARK REGISTRATION IS OPEN

SPARK is a 3 day/2 night equipping retreat for Local Children's Leaders with leadership development, connecting with others, and learning together for a low cost. In 2022, we have locations in Florida, Georgia, Tennessee, Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, Texas, Arizona, California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Alberta, Pennsylvania, Illinois, and Online.






Introducing SPARK+ in 2022...Your local SPARK and SPARK::Online.

[More Information Here about SPARK, SPARK::Online, and SPARK+](#)

Questions, please email trey@equiptoengage.org.



APRIL 2022

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				SPARK::Southwest (Prescott, AZ) 		
3	4	5	6	SPARK::Northern California (Forbestown, CA) 		
Palm Sunday	11	12	13	Maundy Thursday	Good Friday	16
Easter	18	19	D6 Conference (Orlando, FL) 			23
24	25	Equipping Conversation 	27	SPARK::Pacific Northwest (Oakland, OR) 		


THIS MONTH

- March 31-April 2 - SPARK::Southwest
- April 7-9 - SPARK::Northern California
- April 10-17 - Holy Week
- April 20-22 - D6 Conference
- April 26 - Equipping Conversation//Grief
- April 28-20 - SPARK::Pacific Northwest

NEXT MONTH

- May 5-7 - SPARK::Northwest
- May 12-14 - SPARK::Intermountain
- May 17 - District Children's Director Meeting
- May 20-21 - SPARK::Online
- May 22-25 - Wesleyan Church General Conference

For more information on upcoming events...
check out equiptoengage.org/schedule

 = Online

 = In-Person

 = Online & In-Person

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