



# World Changers

ENGAGING AND EMPOWERING YOUTH  
TO RESPOND TO THE NEEDS OF THEIR WORLD



Across Canada there are **champions who are leading effective youth ministries, experiencing transformed lives and seeing students empowered to become world changers.** Drawing from these current stories of Canada's every-day heroes of youth ministry, along with current research and resources on youth ministry, the 2012 forum will help equip local church leaders to build effective youth ministries. We'll explore:

- How to engage youth in personal and spiritual growth in their lives
- How to empower youth to make a significant difference in their world
- The changing needs and motivations of youth today
- Tools for helping youth become "World Changers"



The 2012 Forum's featured speaker is **Al Mertes** who served as youth pastor in his church for 22 years, growing the youth ministry to excess of 400 students. Al also enjoyed direct invitation and involvement in many of the high schools in his city. As a seasoned practitioner, he created the youth ministry curriculum at Prairie Bible Institute where he is Professor of Youth Ministries.

## Dates and Locations:

**9:30 am – Noon**

**Vancouver** - Tuesday March 27  
at FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

**Calgary** - Thursday March 29  
at CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH

**Edmonton** - Wednesday March 28  
at BETHEL LUTHERAN CHURCH,  
SHERWOOD PARK

**Regina** - Wednesday May 2  
at REGINA APOSTOLIC CHURCH

**Saskatoon** - Tuesday May 1  
at CIRCLE DRIVE ALLIANCE CHURCH

**Winnipeg** - Thursday May 3  
at WINNIPEG EVANGELICAL  
FREE CHURCH

**Waterloo** - Thursday April 19  
at WATERLOO MENNONITE  
BRETHREN CHURCH

**Toronto** - Wednesday April 18  
at GLOBAL KINGDOM  
MINISTRIES (PAOC)

**Ottawa** - Tuesday April 17  
at METROPOLITAN BIBLE  
CHURCH

**Montreal** - Tuesday May 8  
at ÉGLISE NOUVELLE VIE

**Moncton** - Wednesday May 9  
at MONCTON WESLEYAN  
CELEBRATION CENTRE

**Halifax** - Thursday May 10  
at GRACE CHAPEL

**COST:** (payable online at time of registration)

1 person **\$35/person**, 2 or more **\$30/person**  
3 or more **\$25/person**

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