

Raising children while in ministry can be a daunting task. Stereotypes abound regarding pastors' kids and neglect. However, God's design and grace for the home is the same for those in ministry as it is for those in the secular work space.

In this breakout session, Frank Trimble will walk through Biblical texts, home discipleship

formats, and systems of accountability that will provide a starting point for ministry parents.

Many ministry leaders experience a strong sense of shame when it comes to where they feel they have failed their children. Those that attend this session will learn how to blow that condemnation up, and begin dreaming about how God could move anew in their families!

## **MAIN POINT**

Ministry kids are not destined to fulfill negative stereotypes. Ministry leaders have a wonderful opportunity to disciple their own children in an intentional, warm, safe, and fun environment.



## IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO BEGIN SHEPHERDING YOUR CHILDREN.

Parents of little children and grown children all feel this way, and ministry leaders are very prone to it. However, the best time to start is now.

- - **THE SAME GRACE THAT SAVED YOU IS THE SAME GRACE THAT WILL EMPOWER YOUR PARENTING.** We often trust in the grace of Jesus for salvation, but default back to works to grow. We will mess this parenting thing up. However, God cannot fail!
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**GRACE MOTIVATED PLANS, EFFORT, AND ACCOUNTABILITY ARE GOOD THINGS.** Modern parenting techniques often resemble a free range & autonomous mentality. However, structure can provide freedom for effective shepherding.

