Speakers

TMC 2024

Vincent Yellow Old Woman

has served as chief of the Siksika Nation near Calgary, Alberta where he was born and raised. He speaks the Blackfoot language fluently. Vincent is a residential school survivor who experienced a childhood of chaos. He attended residential school for 9 years and suffered all kinds of abuse. However, he overcame this tragedy and today it has made him stronger than ever before. He travels extensively as an elder giving spiritual counsel throughout North America sharing his personal values of honesty, integrity, respect, and fairness.

A 1975 graduate of New York Theological College, Vincent went on to receive his Certificate of Aboriginal Leadership, Governance and Management Excellence from the Banff Centre in 2012. In 2022 he received an honorary Doctor of Divinity from NAIITS (North American Institute for Indigenous Theological Studies) for his extensive and lifelong work among Indigenous peoples in Canada and the U.S.

Huron Claus

is the President of CHIEF, Inc. (Christian Hope Indian Eskimo Fellowship, Inc.) He is a fifth generation Christian from the Mohawk/Kiowa tribes. Huron is actively involved as a speaker for church events, national conferences, mission related activities and colleges. The vision of CHIEF is to see an effective Christian witness in every Native American tribe and all related tribes in this generation. The mission of CHIEF is to disciple and equip a strong Native American leadership for the development of the indigenous church throughout North, Central, and South America. CHIEF networks with approximately 3,000 Native Churches among 300 of the 1,200 Native tribes in the Western Hemisphere.

Swil Kanim

US Army Veteran, classically trained violinist, native storyteller and actor, is a member of the Lummi nation. He travels extensively throughout the United States, enchanting audiences with his original composition music and native storytelling. His compositions incorporate classical influences as well as musical interpretations of his journey from depression and despair to spiritual and emotional freedom. Music and the performance of music helped him to process the traumas associated with his early placement into the foster care system.

Music

Living Stone

Living Stone is a Contemporary Christian band based in Las Vegas, NV, preparing to release their fourth album in 2024. Randy Jackson (guitar/vocals) is a member of the Whitefish Lake First Nation, a Cree tribe in Alberta, Canada. He was a founding member of the group SonRise, one of the first aboriginal groups to perform all original Christian music. Evangeline Jackson (base/vocals) is a member of the Prairie Island Indian Community, a Dakota tribe located near Red Wing, MN. The group mostly plays original songs written by Randy.

Behold, how good and how pleasant it is when brothers dwell together in unity.
- Psalm 133:1

The purpose of the Tribal Ministry Conference is to gather Native Christian leaders, their people, and all who have a heart for Indigenous ministry, from across the spectrum of church and worship traditions, to unite in prayer, seeking God for a greater gospel impact among tribal communities in the Pacific Northwest. Desiring to walk in Jesus' good way of making disciples of all nations (Matthew 28:18-29), we hope this conference will help launch a disciple-making movement among First Nations believers who are impacting the nations with Christ.

Host Ministries:

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Sacred Path Fellowship, Tacoma
Clearwater Awakening, Suquamish
Church of the Indian Fellowship, Tacoma
Muckleshoot Pentecostal Church, Auburn
Sacred Road Ministries, White Swan
Hope Fellowship, White Swan

Join us!

APR 12

FRIDAY
2:00 - 3:00pm - Check-in
3:00 - 8:30pm - Conference program

APR 13

SATURDAY
8:30 - 9:00am - Coffee & Tea
9:00am - 7:30pm - Conference Program

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$60/person, includes 3 meals:
Friday Dinner, Saturday Lunch & Dinner

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Walk-ins are welcome!

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