

Workshop Pre-Registration Form

deadline: March 1st

Name(s) _____
Street _____
City/State/Zip _____
Phone _____
Email _____

Number of Adults at \$ 14 each _____
Number of Couples at \$20 each _____
Teens over 12 at \$6 each _____
TOTAL ENCLOSED _____



March 12, 2011
The Bible Chapel

Make checks payable to: **Greater Pittsburgh Homeschooling Workshop**

Mail to: Shelley Adams, 25 McChain Road, Finleyville, PA 15332

No confirmation letter will be sent.

Directions

The Bible Chapel is on Gallery Drive. Gallery Drive intersects Route 19, 2 miles south of Boyce Road. Going north on Route 19 from I-70, it is about 12 miles to the intersection. Detailed directions can be found at www.biblechapel.org.



Used Book Sale 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Bring your used materials to sell during the workshop, using the following guidelines:

- ✓ Each item must be labeled with your name and its price on a removable dot sticker.
- ✓ **Materials must be submitted by 8:45 a.m.**
- ✓ Please place all books in the hall in the correct subject section.
- ✓ Prices should be multiples of 25 cents.
- ✓ Multi-part items should be clearly labeled as such.
- ✓ You will receive 80% of sales price.
- ✓ Pick up between 3 and 3:30 p.m.

Questions? Contact **Wendy Jones** at 724-258-2492 or meandmyhouse@gmail.com.

WORKSHOP VENDORS*

Book Sales - 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Some of the curriculum suppliers who will be present:

A Beka Books
Honey Tree
Math-U-See
PA Homeschoolers
Usborne Books

**Vendor list is subject to change.*

If you need to reach us . . .

Prior to the workshop, calls should be made to **Shelley Adams** at 724-348-0395. For emergency calls during the workshop, please contact Shelley at 724-986-5924.

Greater Pittsburgh Homeschooling Workshop
c/o 25 McChain Road
Finleyville, PA 15332



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26th Annual Greater Pittsburgh Homeschooling Workshop and Curriculum Fair

Freedom & Joy
in Homeschooling

Featuring Keynote Speaker

TODD WILSON

founder of Familyman Ministries
and author of
Lies Homeschooling Moms Believe

March 12, 2011
8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

The Bible Chapel

300 Gallery Drive
McMurray, PA 15317
www.bethel-park.com



Our Keynote Speaker **TODD WILSON**

is the author of *Lies Homeschooling Moms Believe, Help! I'm Married to a Homeschooling Mom* and *The Official Book of Homeschooling Cartoons*. He is a dad, writer, conference speaker, and former pastor. Todd's humor and gut-honest realness have made him a favorite speaker at homeschool conventions across the country and a guest on Focus on the Family.

As founder of Familyman Ministries, his passion and mission are to remind dads and moms of what's most important through a weekly e-mail for dads, seminars, and books that encourage parents.



Todd, and his wife Debbie, homeschool their eight children in northern Indiana and travel around America in the Familyman Mobile. You can visit Familyman Ministries at www.familymanweb.com.

Keynote Address:

Lies Homeschoolers Believe
Learning to live the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth

Your house is a disaster, your kids seem out of control, and you wonder how you'll ever make it through another day of school. Your "get up and go" has "gotten up and went". You used to think homeschooling was the best thing since sliced bread, but now you're feeling like burnt toast.

Take heart - you're not alone! No one homeschools because it's easy. You do it because you believe it's best. But there are times when you need to be reminded once again why it's best. Join me as we do just that. You'll laugh and be encouraged in the toughest job you'll ever... love.

2011 Workshop Schedule

8:50 a.m. Keynote Address - TODD WILSON

Lies Homeschoolers Believe

10:00 a.m. First Workshop Session

- The How and Why of Homeschoolers (Homeschooling for Beginners)
- Ministry as a Homeschooling Family
- Homeschooling Through Difficult Times
- High School at Home

11:00 a.m. Second Workshop Session

- Dream Big and Fan the Dreams of Those Around You*
- Homeschooling Time Management Strategies with a Large Family
- Finding God's Purpose for Your Life as a Homeschooling Mom
- Test Taking 101

Noon - LUNCH BREAK

1:00 p.m. Third Workshop Session

- Every Dad a Homeschooling Dad*
- Ten Things to Consider When Choosing a Christian College
- Cyber School Panel
- Teaching Writing

2:00 p.m. Fourth Workshop Session

- Raising Butterflies
- Teaching Preschoolers
- The Backyard Homestead
- How to Put Together a Portfolio

* Workshops by Todd Wilson. See below for more information.

Workshops are subject to change without notice.

Visit www.bethel-park.com to view detailed workshop descriptions and vendor updates.

Workshops by . . . **TODD WILSON**

Dream BIG and Fan the Dreams of Those Around You

Everyone has dreams - you, your spouse, and your children, but for every dreamer a dream killer lurks in the shadows. They're the ones who constantly remind you why you shouldn't homeschool, have more children, be a stay-at-home mom, start a new business, or take that step of faith God's telling you to take.



Dream killers grew up with you. They live in your house and sometimes they even...are you. Their intentions may be good, but if you listen to them, you will miss out on God's best for your life. Join Todd as he helps you revive old dreams, fan the dreams of others, and urges you to throw caution to the wind and set sail for the adventure of a lifetime.

Every Dad a Homeschooling Dad!

You may not crack open a book, work through a curriculum, or call it school, but it's your job to train your children. Join Todd Wilson as he looks at the trials, triumphs, and tribulations of training children.

Don't worry! He won't make you feel guilty or give you a forty-six point outline, but he promises to tell it straight and to encourage you in the best job there is - *fathering*.



Cost

Before March 1:

\$14 per adult; \$20 per couple; \$6 per teen

After March 1:

\$15 per adult; \$25 per couple; \$8 per teen

Workshop Tips

- ✓ PRE-REGISTER by March 1! You will save time and energy right from the start!
- ✓ Come with your spouse or friend, split up and attend different workshops. Share notes and ideas later.
- ✓ Come prepared with a shopping list, so you can zero in on what you really need to buy.

Lunch

There are numerous restaurant options within minutes of the church on Route 19. You are also welcome to bring your own lunch.

About Children

We do not encourage children under 12 to attend. Parents will need to sign an acknowledgement of responsibility and be charged a \$6 admission fee per child.

Children must remain with their parents. There are no babysitting services provided during the workshop, but nursing babies are always welcome.

Need Advice?

Are you new to homeschooling or facing a particular challenge? Stop by the Mentoring Booth for some one-on-one advice.

For more information:

or to print an additional registration form visit:

www.bethel-park.com

Email Nancy Shawgo: nancys_30@yahoo.com

Call Shelley Adams: 724-348-0395