

BIBLE SCHOOL CONSULTATION 2015

Spiritual Formation for Bible Education in Southern Africa

		Tuesday (23 June)	Wednesday (24 June)	Thursday (25 June)
08h00	Opening			
08h15	First session:	Spiritual requirements for leadership <i>(Rev Choolwe Mwetwa)</i>	The biblical models of discipleship <i>(Dr John Evans)</i>	Theological foundations seminary in relation to churches. <i>(Rev Choolwe Mwetwa)</i>
09h30	Coffee/tea break			
10h00	Second session:	Spiritual formation of Bible lecturers <i>(Rev Basilius Kasera)</i>	Preparing men of God to avoid the root of all kinds of evils. <i>(Prof P.J. Flip Buys)</i>	Seminary-Church: history of relations, present state and research, way forward. <i>(Dr Jack Whytock)</i>
11h10	Third session:	Spiritual Insights from Missionary Pioneers in Bible Education <i>(Dr Peter Hammond)</i>	Dimensions of the cross: spiritual formation and Christian biographical history. <i>(Rev Jim Wright)</i>	Spiritual formation <i>(Rev Simon Gillham)</i>
12h30	Lunch			
13h30-14h45	Fourth session: Workshop A	Workshops 1, 2, 3, 4 (see next page)	Workshops 5, 6, 7, 8 (see next page)	Expert Panel Discussion: <i>Rev Choolwe Mwetwa, Prof P.J. (Flip) Buys, Rev Ronald Munyithya, Dr Peter Hammond</i>
15h00-16h15	Fifth session: Workshop B	Workshops 1, 2, 3, 4 (See page 2)	Workshops 5, 6, 7, 8 (See page 2)	
16h15	Coffee/tea break			Concluding Remarks
16h30	Presentations & Group Prayer	Presentations (3-5 min) of each Bible school or institution	Presentations (3-5 min) of each Bible school or institution	
18h00	Dinner fellowship			Departure before 17h00

WORKSHOPS

Tuesday Workshops:

1. How to develop/implement a mentoring program
2. Spiritual formation through distance learning
3. Personal piety: the goal of theological education
4. Spiritual unity of the faculty

Dr Sam Ndogo
Dr Bruce Button
Rev Ronald Munyithya
Rev Simon Gillham

Wednesday Workshops:

5. Panel of church leaders: What do you expect from seminaries?
6. Models of seminary & church partnership in spiritual formation
7. Distance education: spiritual formation
8. Contextual : cross-cultural mentorship

Rev Choolwe Mwetwa, Dr Griffel van Wyk,
Rev Silas Nefefe
Rev Andrew Lamb
Rev Cois Bodenstein
Prof P.J. (Flip) Buys

Thursday Panel:

Rev Choolwe Mwetwa, Prof Flip Buys, Rev Ronald Munyithya, Dr Peter Hammond