

WHY ATTEND?

Theology, the study of God, is often thought to be more for the “ivory towers” of academic institutions rather than something that is applicable to every day life. Yet as Rev. Kim will demonstrate, the letter to the Colossians, while full of rich theology, is also deeply *practical*, informing the every day life of God’s people even today.

COLOSSIANS: PAUL’S PRACTICAL THEOLOGY

WILL OFFER A BIRD’S EYE VIEW OF THE MODERN MESSAGE OF A VERY ANCIENT LETTER

Whether you’re...

- ...exploring what Christianity is all about...
- ...new to the Christian faith and want to learn more about what God says in the Bible...
- ...or are a long-time Christian ready for a deep dive into this rich text...

...this conference is for YOU!

Rev. Kim, New Testament professor and President of Westminster Seminary California is known for his skill at bringing both penetrating scholarly insight together with practical application to every day life. Come ready to learn more about Colossians, and be changed by its message.

PAST SPEAKERS

Dr. Michael S. Horton
Dr. T. David Gordon
Dr. Mark Futado
Dr. W. Robert Godfrey
Dr. Bryan Chappell
Dr. Derek Thomas
Dr. Stephen Coleman
Dr. Irwyn Ince
Dr. Paul Jeon
Dr. Jonny Gibson
Dr. Peter Lee
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PAUL’S PRACTICAL THEOLOGY

REV. JOEL KIM

RPCB SPRING CONFERENCE
4.25.2025 - 4.27.2025

REV. JOEL KIM



Rev. Joel Kim is an ordained minister in the Presbyterian Church in America, and has taught New Testament at Westminster Seminary California since 2005 and in 2017 was appointed as the fourth president of WSC. He previously taught at Calvin Theological Seminary and International Theological Seminary in Los Angeles, as well as in Taiwan and Indonesia. When he was nine years of age, he and his family moved from South Korea to Southern California, where he would learn English and retain fluency in Korean.

Among other publications, he co-edited *Always Reformed: Essays in Honor of W. Robert Godfrey* (Westminster Seminary California, 2012). Rev. Kim's doctoral studies in historical theology were with the noted scholar Professor Richard A. Muller at Calvin Theological Seminary.

Rev. Kim and his wife, Sharon, have a daughter and a son; the family resides in Escondido and attends New Life Presbyterian Church.

WEEKEND HIGHLIGHTS

CHILD CARE

Child care will be provided on Friday and Saturday for children ages 6 mos. to 6 yrs. For Sunday morning a nursery is provided for infants and toddlers (up to 5 yrs.). Children of all ages are welcome to join with adults in worship.

FEATURED EATS

Friday Night
Tacos

Saturday Morning
Lite Start Breakfast

Saturday Afternoon
Lunch Buffet

SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, APRIL 25

- 6:30 PM Registration & Welcome Reception / Tacos
- 7:30 PM Session 1: **A Praying Apostle (Colossians 1:3-14)**
- 8:45 PM Dessert / Social Time

SATURDAY, APRIL 26

- 9:00 AM Lite Start Breakfast
- 9:30 AM Session 2: **Joy in the Journey (Colossians 1:24-31)**
- 10:45 AM Break / Refreshments
- 11:15 AM Session 3: **A Band of Brothers (Colossians 4:7-18)**
- 12:30 PM Lunch Buffet

SUNDAY, APRIL 27

- 10:00 AM Worship / Session 4: **Only Jesus (Colossians 3:1-4)**
- 11:45 AM Sermon Discussion / Q&A for adults
Bible Classes for children

WHERE: 2807 Church Road
Bowie, MD 20721

WHEN: April 25, 2025
to April 27, 2025

HOW MUCH: \$35 / adults (18+)
Until April 18

\$40 / adults (18+)
After April 18

FREE FOR CHILDREN

Includes refreshments provided at every session as well as lunch on Saturday

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