**Andrea Barnard - Bagley 323**

**Session 1**

***“The Many Moods of the Preschool Classroom” - Preschool***

How to use the many different, and sometimes extreme, moods of the preschooler for the greater good of the classroom. Together, we will explore different ways to manage the classroom, while directing the focus to Christ and worship through music.

**Large Group (Friday- Room 300)**

***“Guess That Sound?”***

We’ve all heard the angelic sounds of a well-trained choir unified in glorious worship to God. So, how do we get those angelic little voices headed in the right direction? We will look at the foundations of vocal production and how it works in the youngest of voices.

**Session 2**

***“Going Fishing for Fun in the Classroom” - Preschool***

Did you ever notice how many references to “water” and “fishing” there are in the Bible? We will explore different Biblical settings and ways to incorporate the themes into our musical classrooms.

**Session 3**

***“Guess Who’s in the Classroom?” - Preschool***

We’ll take the theme of this year’s conference “Guess Who” and talk about who we are in Christ as Preschool Teachers? What spiritual gifts do we have and how can they be used to glorify God in the preschool classroom?

**David Talaguit – Bagley 300**

**Session 1**

***“It’s All Fun and Games Until Somebody Learns” – All levels***

Children speak the language of play fluently. Here are some “kid-tested” games that will hone your young musicians’ musical skills (singing, Orff-instruments, percussion, movements), foster teamwork, and have been known to develop the “We-don’t-want-to-leave-the-music-room-syndrome”.

**Large Group (Friday-Room 300)**

***“Sing to the Lord a New Song”***

Song writing is a great way to cultivate creativity, ownership and collaboration, and the process is very natural and simpler than you think, thanks to some tried and true Orff Schulwerk strategies.

**Session 2**

***“Better Than a Fairytale” – All levels***

Don’t have an idea for your next program? Your Sunday School teacher might have all the answers. Remember those Bible stories we learned in Sunday School? Those are God-breathed powerful time-tested stories full of wisdom, AND, great for gluing together songs, instrument playing, acting, dance and creative movements that will enhance your Church’s worship experience.

**Session 3**

***“Thy Word” – All levels***

We make sure our children are fortified from diseases by giving them their shots, and proper nutrition. What about their Spiritual health? One way we can do this is by helping them hide God’s word in their hearts. Learn some Scripture songs with instruments, creative movement, games and stories to instill in them love for the Word of God.

**Carol Dickerson & James Barnard – Bagley 325**

**Large Group (Friday-Room 300)**

***“Friends All Over the World”***

We’ve curated the best stuff from the newest curriculum theme from Growing in Grace. We’ll learn how to say “hello” and “goodbye” in multiple languages, have a blast with our favorite energizers, activities, and songs, and briefly explore new resources for Preschoolers and Elementary ages.

**Session 1**

***“God Loves the World” – Preschool 1 (Ages 3-5)***

Sing, play, and move with the newest curriculum from Growing in Grace – “God Loves the World!” This exciting theme includes engaging songs and activities, colorful visuals, Kidpages, hymns, demonstration and accompaniment recordings, rehearsal plans, and much, much more! The multi-cultural feel will enhance the message that we are all created in God’s image!

**Session 2**

***“God Loves the World”– Preschool 2 (Ages 3-5)***

Sing, play, and move with the newest curriculum from Growing in Grace – “God Loves the World!” This exciting theme includes engaging songs and activities, colorful visuals, Kidpages, hymns, demonstration and accompaniment recordings, rehearsal plans, and much, much more! The multi-cultural feel will enhance the message that we are all created in God’s image!

***Reading Session – Grades 3-6 (Room 206)***

Explore new anthems for Unison and 2-part choirs and a new Christmas musical from Growing in Grace!

**Session 3**

***“God Loves the World”– Elementary (Grades 1-6)***

Sing, play, and move with the newest curriculum from Growing in Grace – “God Loves the World!” This exciting theme includes engaging songs and activities, colorful visuals, Kidpages, hymns, demonstration and accompaniment recordings, rehearsal plans, and much, much more! The multi-cultural feel will enhance the message that we are all created in God’s image!

**Pam Andrews – Bagley 326**

**Session 1**

***“Guess Who can Perform Musicals” – Younger & Older Children***

Let’s tackle innovative methods to teach and perform children’s choir musicals.

**Session 2**

***“Guess Who Needs Children’s Choir” – Older Children***

Let’s explore the spiritual aspects and benefits of children’s choir.

**Session 3**

***“Guess Who Can Use Musical Education Technology” – Older Children***

Kids love exploring music with technology. Pam will give you the latest and greatest technology ideas for your kids.

**Large Group (Saturday-Room 300)**

***“String Dance”***

**Bethany Franklin & Doug Rogers – Bagley 324**

**Large Group (Friday-Room 300)**

***“Guess That Song w/Puppets”***

**Session 1 and Session 2**

***“Media in Your Ministry” – All levels***

We’ll explore creative ways to use video and other media resources to promote your children’s choir ministry to your church and beyond. We’ll also take a look at how to resourcefully use media within your ministry to create a more original and unique experience as your children lead worship.

**Session 3**

***“Name That Song: A Creative Approach to Teaching Hymns” – All levels***

In this session, we’ll take a look at how a music leader and a puppeteer at one church combined forces to provide a fun weekly game show-style video for children, focused on hymns and music education.

**Keith Pate – Bagley 306**

**Session 1**

***“Hoopin Fun!” – Younger Children***

Using Hoops (Hula Hoops and Others) to teach songs and music theory in an exciting way! The class will explore the use of hoops to engage students in better listening, moving with a purpose, introducing a new song, or teaching and reinforcing sound music theory.

**Session 2**

***“Drum It Up!” - Younger Children***

Did you ever notice how many references to “water” and “fishing” there are in the Bible? We will explore different Biblical settings and ways to incorporate the themes into our musical classrooms.

**Large Group (Saturday- Room 300)**

***“Move ‘EM or Lose ‘EM” - Younger Children***

Movement is a necessary part of every rehearsal. The class will feature Body Energizers, Movement Activities, Games, Props and more to enhance choir rehearsal.

**Session 3**

***“WHACKY Hymn Mania” - Younger Children***

Teaching Hymns can be fun and exciting! Using boomwhackers, games and activities to teach and memorize the hymns of our faith. Many interactive and action-packed ideas to get your hymn memory program back on track!