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Mervin Peachey, Sumner, IL Minister; Ebenezer Christian Fellowship

Nathan Siegrist, Narvon, PA *Owner/CFO; Gehman Accounting*

Paul Peachey, Paint Lick, KYOwner/Partner with sons; Paint Lick Hardwood

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Wednesday, January 22, 2025

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Simon J. Graber Community Building · Odon, IN Wednesday, January 22, 2025

8:30 - 8:30 AM REGISTRATION, COFFEE, AND SEATING
8:30 - 8:45 AM WELCOME AND SEMINAR DETAILS
8:45 - 9:30 AM GENERAL SESSION

The History and Potential of Our Work Ethic · Mervin Peachey

Throughout history, the Anabaptist people have generally been known to be industrious and hardworking. How did this trait of a good work ethic develop? Has it always been positive and Godhonoring? Will this part of our culture be a blessing or a curse in the future?

9:30 - 9:45 AM AF OVERVIEW

9:45 - 10:05 AM BREAK

10:05 - 10:50 AM BREAKOUT SESSIONS

Breakout A: The Drivers of Compensation · Philip Horst

Scripture is clear that the laborers are to be paid a fair wage, but how do we determine fairness? Why are some employees compensated more than others? What factors drive compensation for an individual employee? What influences does the employee have at his disposal to effect change?

Breakout B: You Don't Have to Run it by Yourself · Paul Peachey

You don't have to run it by yourself, neither do you want to. Learn to delegate. Surround yourself with people who will help you. If you don't want to run it by yourself, you must be the kind of person whom people enjoy helping.

10:50 - 11:05 AM BREAK 11:05 - 11:50 AM BREAKOUT SESSIONS

Breakout A: Every Employee is a Brand Builder · Howard Horst

A company's brand encompasses an identity that goes beyond a name and a logo. Essentially a brand is both a visual and emotional representation of a company. This session will examine how owners can cast a brand vision and how each team member can be a part of that brand building.

Breakout B: Company Culture · Philip Horst

Customers and employees are vital to the success of any business. The key to growth and engagement lies in the one thing that connects them: a great culture. How powerful is culture? Does the culture in your organization need to change? What does it take to effect change?

11:50 - 12:00 PM AF OVERVIEW
12:00 - 1:15 PM LUNCH
1:15 - 2:00 PM GENERAL SESSION

The True Cost of Money · Nathan Siegrist

Having second thoughts about expanding? With elevated inflation and interest rates, the cost of doing business increases. Decisions during these times can be precarious. Learn how to prepare for and guard against the repercussions of the higher cost of capital.

2:00 - 2:15 PM BREAK
2:15 - 3:00 PM GENERAL SESSION

Ethical Marketing and Sales Techniques · Howard Horst

Building trust and authenticity into our marketing model is imperative to our success as a company and to our witness as a Christian business community. Do we know our target audience? Does our branding and sales model accurately portray our product and service? Can we market in a way that stimulates interest in potential customers but does not foster undue discontent?

3:00 - **3:15 PM** BREAK **3:15** - **4:00 PM** GENERAL SESSION

Contentment, Capacity, and Growth · Ernest Weaver

If you provide your customers with quality products and service at a fair price, you will very likely face the question of how to best manage growth. This session examines how to channel potential growth to benefit the Kingdom. Responsibly managed growth does not have to come at the expense of your spiritual life, family, or church.

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