

# Connecting Point 2010: A “Can’t Miss” Event For Maine Christians



(Portland) - Connecting Point 2010 - Maine's Christian Expo & Family Conference has announced early information on the annual event being held this year on Saturday, March 20 at First Baptist Church in Portland.

There will be 12 distinct workshops - 6 scheduled between 9:00am-11:20am, and an additional 6 in the afternoon from 1:00pm-3:20pm. Admission is free; however, a freewill offering will be received during the morning and afternoon sessions.

"We are drawing on gifted Christian leaders and conference speakers from Maine and beyond who have a heart burning for teaching the things of God. Each desire to speak encouragement into the lives of others," says Jim Duran, founder of Connecting Point and publisher of the Good News Connection newspaper.

Speakers will challenge and build up attendees through a wide range of topics. **Here's a sampling of a few teachings that will be presented:**

- **Intense Passion**

How can we be open to the transforming work of God's Word and Spirit 24/7? Abiding in the Father's presence, with absolute trust, opens abundant resources in response to every call and victory in every trial.

- **Be Still & Know**

Downshifting our daily pace, muting the "static" of life, and setting our focus on Father God's communication, brings rich new understanding of biblical truths.

- **Wringing Hands or Resting In God?**

Worry produces exhaustion and angst-filled distraction! Worry doesn't help you escape the evil you are afraid of. It makes you unfit to cope with it when it comes. Christ demonstrated a better way!

**• Stay In The Game!!  
Finish Strong!!**

“Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervor, serving the Lord.” Romans 12:11

Learn the keys to living the Christian life fully, purposefully, joyfully, and fruitfully, all the way to the finish.

**“Be Still and WRITE!”**

Ever thought of writing a devotional or other Christian book? Benefit from hearing proven methods from a professional author. Learn how to quiet down, focus in, and let God give you the words to get His message out. Leave this workshop with a plan!

**Lord!  
Set Us On Fire**

The vision for Connecting Point 2010 is to see the embers of Christian unity and love come together, letting the Spirit of God fan the flames of our faith and birth a holy excitement for what He will do through His church in Maine.

Toward that goal, Jim expects several ministries and hundreds of attendees on hand, providing opportunities for guests to meet, encourage, and network with others in the Body of Christ.

To follow updated information on Connecting Point 2010, including workshop schedules and speakers, along with profiles on exhibiting Christian ministries and businesses, please visit: [www.goodnewsconnection.com](http://www.goodnewsconnection.com) and click on the Connecting Point 2010 icon. For ministries or businesses desiring information about booth space opportunities, please call (207) 797-4915, email [goodnewsmaine@aol.com](mailto:goodnewsmaine@aol.com) or visit the website .••