



# Transform Minnesota

THE EVANGELICAL NETWORK

## Connections Newsletter

### What It Means to Be Pro- Abundant Life

Our fourth Transform Ideas forum looked into how Christians can be **pro-abundant life**, rather than just anti-abortion.

Our inspiring panel of **speakers challenged** the audience to seek the goal of working toward a healthy flourishing society, as we aim to have a consistent pro-life witness.

**Next steps** Christians can take to pursue the goal of abundant life for all. Plus how seeking value and dignity in the unborn and already born means we should **advocate for foster care and affordable housing**.



### Reexamining Sexuality as a Gift from God

This 3-part workshop series embraced **God's good design** for being sexual and spiritual beings.

We **explored the physical and spiritual nature** of sexual desire, sexual struggles, and ultimately the gift of intimacy in a committed sexual engagement.

**Read a full recap** of our Reexamining Sexuality series with Becky Patton.



### Pastor's Column: Empowering Women to Use Their Gifts

Ten tips to consider as a springboard for conversations in your church on **how to promote healthier relationships among men and women**.

Pastor Amy Rowell, the Community Life Pastor at City Church in Minneapolis longs to see the Church reflecting an **accurate image of who God** is by how we relate with one another as men and women.

**Read how we can empower our sisters in Christ** to use their gifts in whatever capacity they can to serve the Church.



## Transform Minnesota Events

**Do Justice Conference**  
with BRYAN STEVENSON —  
PURSUING RACIAL JUSTICE  
AND RECONCILIATION

PRESENTED BY Transform Minnesota  
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HOSTED BY CHRIST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
WHEN: NOVEMBER 8, 2019, 1:00-5:30 PM

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**Do Justice Conference with Bryan Stevenson**  
November 8, 1-5pm  
Christ Presbyterian Church

There are still a handful of tickets left for the **Do Justice Conference**.

The afternoon session offers a unique opportunity to hear original content from Bryan Stevenson crafted specifically for the faith community.

Also hear Dr. Kenneth Young share a Biblical mandate for justice. Workshop Speakers include: Christopher Brooks, Rev. David Myles, Dominique Gilliard, Don Samuels, Dr. Jeanine Parolini, Rev. Dr. Karen McKinney, Ruben Rivera, Dr. Kenneth Young.

All tickets for **An Evening with Bryan Stevenson** are SOLD OUT.



**Succession Roadmapping**  
**Nov. 15, 9-11am**  
**Transform Minnesota**

**Proactively Developing Future Leaders.**

Learn the importance of making sure every person in your organization is prepared to transition to a place of greater leadership and responsibility when a leader is replaced.



**Transform Ideas ROCHESTER**  
**Nov. 29, 7-9pm**  
**Rochester Covenant Church**

**Awakening the Church to Mental Health.**

This forum will address the calling of the Church to care for people and their families who are struggling with common mental health concerns.



**Engaging Generations Through Generosity**  
**Jan. 22, 9am-12pm**  
**Transform Minnesota**

**An Interactive Workshop Experience for Church Leaders.**

This training provides insight into how Christians really feel about generosity, and ways to disciple and engage all generations through generosity.

## Community Calendar

- **October 30, November 6, & November 13 Human Trafficking Awareness Series**, Christ Presbyterian Church, Edina
- **November 8 Ministry Safe Workshop**, Roseville Covenant Church, Roseville
- **November 8 Moving Beyond Trauma**, Bethlehem Baptist Church, Minneapolis
- **November 16 MNHPC 2018 Fall Forum**, Eagan Community Center, Eagan
- **November 17 Adoption and Beyond Conference**, City Hill Church, Eden Prairie

Does your church, ministry or organization have an upcoming event?  
If so, submit your event [here](#).

## Job Openings

### Refugee Resettlement Director, Arrive Ministries

Arrive Ministries is looking for a full time (40 hours per week) Refugee Resettlement Director to oversee and evaluate Reception and Placement (R&P) program services, including compliance with program guidelines and contracts for services. This position expands programs and services to refugees; improving efficiency of systems and ensuring the highest quality program services. The Refugee Resettlement Director participates as a member of the Arrive Ministries Leadership Team leading organizational budgeting, goal-setting, strategy, staff well-being and overall organization development.

### SALT Program Director, Arrive Ministries

Arrive Ministries is looking for a full-time SALT (Somali Adult Literacy Training) Program Director to encourage and equip SALT team coordinators for success in recruiting, training, mobilizing and supporting their volunteer teams to make disciples as they share Jesus with their Somali neighbors through literacy and friendship. The SALT Program Director will encourage and equip volunteers to develop materials and methods to be shared throughout SALT and with other organizations committed to serving Somalis and English learners.

### **Church Relations Coordinator, New Life Family Services**

New Life Family Services is looking for a full time (40 hours per week) Church Relations Coordinator to develop and sustain church engagement and partnership through outreach, relationship cultivation, and coordination of communication, materials, speakers, and events to church partners. This position will oversee and execute the organization's development strategies as set by the Director of Development and related to churches including church giving, church engagement and church support. This position will also develop strategic communication and engagement plans for reaching churches.

### **Campus and Partnerships Mobilizer, GoCorps**

Speaking, presenting, sharing and teaching to mobilize college students and young adults to invest two years in global service through participating in conferences, campus events and ministry and church opportunities toward the goal of cultivating a culture of two year global service after college.

### **Mission and Vocation Coach, GoCorps**

Coach interested twenty-somethings through the process of exploration, application, assessment and sending out for 2 years of global service.

### **Director of Marketing and Digital Media, GoCorps**

We are looking for an experienced professional to lead our digital and other marketing and messaging efforts.

### **Development Coordinator, GoCorps**

Oversee our current fundraising events as well as spearhead new development efforts as GoCorps continues to grow.

### **Let Us Post Your Job Openings!**

Transform Minnesota is happy to include job postings of our network partners in our next Connections eNewsletter.



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