

2026 John Bunyan Conference

June 28-July 1, 2026

Grace Church, 4052 Arno Road, Franklin, TN

Theme: “Glances of Church History from Pentecost to Today”

Time	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
	June 28, 2026	June 29, 2026	June 30, 2026	July 1, 2026
8:30-9:00		Corporate Prayer	Corporate Prayer	Corporate Prayer
9:20-9:30		Assembly, Prayer & Hymn	Assembly, Prayer & Hymn	Assembly, Prayer & Hymn
9:30-10:30		Teaching Slot 1: Speaker: Dr. Tony Costa “Imperial Church to Middle Ages: Ecumenical Councils to Papacy & Theological Decline”	Teaching Slot 3: Speaker: Bill Sasser “The Calvinist-Arminian Controversy”	Teaching Slot 5: Speaker: Greg Van Court “Theological Liberalism, Fundamentalism and Evangelicalism”
10:30-11:00		Break	Break	Break
11:00-12:15	Preaching Slot 1: Speaker: Zachary Maxcey “Birth of the Church: From Pentecost to 95AD”	Teaching Slot 2: Speaker: Dr. J.D. Meade “The Reformation: Sola Scriptura”	Teaching Slot 4: Speaker Question & Answer Panel (Chair: David Leon)	Teaching Slot 6: Speaker: Moe Bergeron “The Practical Implications of Right and Wrong Theologies”
12:15-1:30		Pizza at Grace Church (12:15-1:30) (Food by PTI-NCT)	Lunch at Grace Church (Food by Grace Church)	Lunch at Grace Church (12:15-1:30) (Food by PTI-NCT)
1:30-2:30		Open Time in Franklin / Nashville Area		Conference Ends – 1:30 PM
4:00-6:00	Arrival & Registration (Please sign /check Conference Attendee list in Grace Church Foyer. Also please fill out nametag.)			PTI Board Meeting: Planning Session at Grace Church (4:00-5:00)
6:15-6:30	Introduction to the Conference (Zachary Maxcey)			
6:30-6:40	Prayer, Praise, and Worship		Prayer, Praise, and Worship (Keith Message)	Prayer, Praise, and Worship
6:40-7:40	Preaching Slot 2: Speaker: Dr. Frank Gumerlock “The Church from 100-400: NCT Gleanings from the Early Church Fathers”	Preaching Slot 4: Speaker: Greg Van Court “The Puritans and Covenant Theology”	Preaching Slot 6: Speaker: Gary George “Whitefield, Edwards and the Great Awakening”	
7:40-7:45	(Hymn)	(Hymn)	(Hymn)	
7:45-8:45	Preaching Slot 3: Speaker: Dr. Frank Gumerlock “Augustine and His Influence”	Preaching Slot 5: Speaker: René Frey “The Anabaptists & Early Baptists”	Preaching Slot 7: Speaker: Dr. Tony Costa “The Dawning of Fringe Groups, Cults and Dispensationalism”	
8:45	Break for Evening (8:45 PM)	Break for Evening (8:45 PM)	Break for Evening (8:45 PM)	

*Questions can also be asked in the Q & A Panel on Wednesday. All messages to be placed on Institute Website & Sermon Audio. You may also watch each speaker’s message live via the Ustream Video Feed at Grace Church: <http://gracechurchatfranklin.org/?page=ustream>; people watching remotely may email questions for Wednesday’s Q & A Panel to info@ptinct.org.