LIMITLESS LEADERS 2024

PROGRAMME

THE HAYES CONFERENCE CENTRE

YOUTH & CHILDREN'S MINISTRY LEADERS

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WELCOME

Hello and welcome to Limitless Leaders 2024… I am so pleased you're here!

This year at Limitless Leaders feels particularly significant as we launch into a year of prayer together. We have a strong sense that the Lord is asking us as a youth & children's ministry community to lay some things down to create more room for prayer, and, in doing so, to build our capacity for the things of God in the year ahead.

In many ways, this feels like a leap into the unknown; how will God shape us, what will he speak to us about, and where will he lead us as we give ourselves over to prayer? These are all largely unanswered questions! But there are two things I know with absolute certainty: 1. God is good, and when he asks us to lay things down its always so he can build us up, and 2, whenever there has been a significant move of God in the nations it has always started with the Lord calling his people to pray. The thought of what God might do in us and through us this year is thrilling!

With this in mind, we will be creating lots of room for prayer during our time together and have invited some fantastic communicators coming to equip us in this area, so do have a good read through the whole programme so you can pick the sessions that will be most helpful to you.

And don't forget, there's an opportunity for you to sign up for a prophetic appointment, where you can receive some personal prayer and prophecy from some of our trusted friends. So, if you haven't done so already, get yourself booked in via limitlesselim.co.uk/reserve

There is also an opportunity to sign up for a 1-2-1 consultancy session, which is an opportunity to talk with an experienced practitioner about the specifics of your youth or children's ministry, (please note, not a counselling session!), to help you reflect on the challenges and opportunities you are facing right now. Simply speak to our team at the Limitless stand to get booked in.

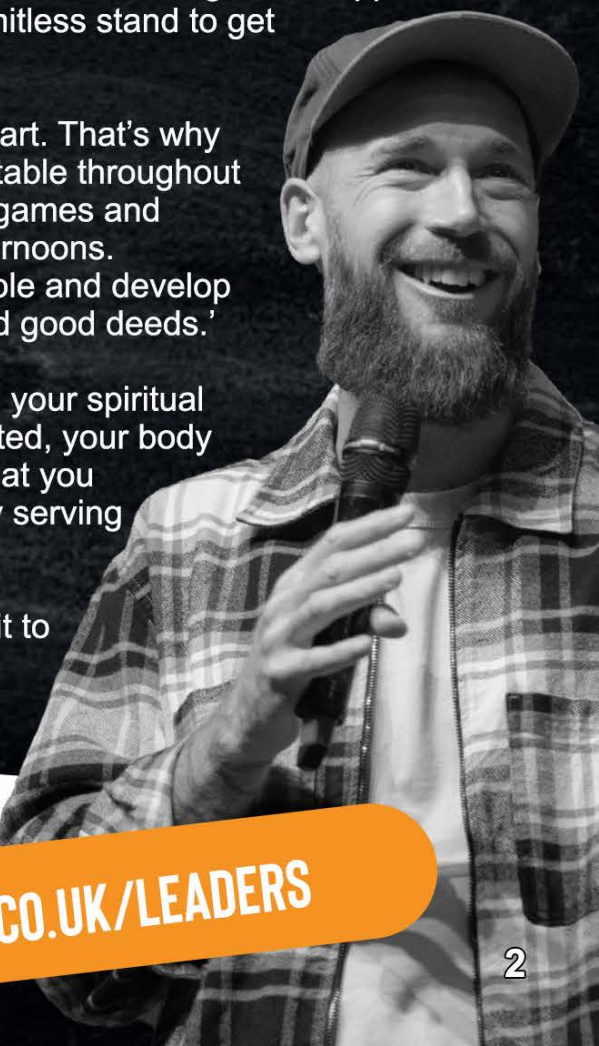
Oh, and one more thing…. Here at Limitless, family is our heart. That's why we've created plenty of time to be together around the meal table throughout the week, around fire-pits after hours, and around some fun games and activities during our socials on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons. Limitless Leaders is a fantastic opportunity to meet new people and develop new friendships as we 'spur one another on towards love and good deeds.'

My prayer is that you will leave Limitless Leaders having had your spiritual capacity stretched, your faith encouraged, your mind stimulated, your body refreshed, your heart stirred, and your practice developed; that you might leave filled-up and fired-up for another year of faithfully serving Jesus.

So… let's do this! I am delighted to be with you and can't wait to see all that the Lord has in store for us.

With much love,

Tim Alford
LIMITLESS National Director



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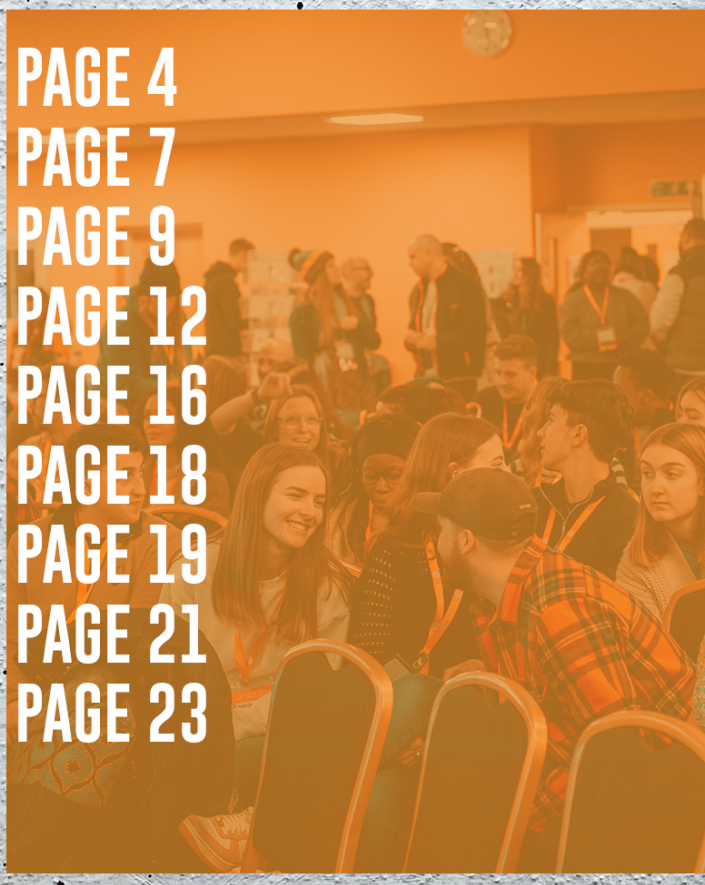

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PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

DAY 1

10:30 - 11:30	**Arrival and Welcome**		
11:30 - 12:00	**Welcome & Worship**	**- Tim Alford & Faye Harris**	**-Derbyshire Hall**
12:00 - 13:30	**-LUNCH-**		
13:30 - 14:30	**Opening Keynote:** A Call to Prayer	-Tim Alford	**-Derbyshire Hall**
14:45 - 15:30	**Electives Session 1** **PRAYER MINISTRY LEADERSHIP:** Prayer and deliverance with young people and children... What to do and what not to do!	- Daniel Shillingford	**-Derbyshire Hall**
	KIDS: Praying with under 5's	- Debs Price	**-Butterley 1**
	YOUTH: Reaching youth in a digital world	- Christy Goodwin	**-Butterley 2**
15:30 - 17:00	**OPEN SOCIAL & ROOM CHECK IN**		**-Sports Hall**
15:30 - 17:00	**WORKSHOP** **- Arranging our lives around being with Jesus**	- Tim Alford	**-Derbyshire Hall**
17:30 - 19:00	**-DINNER-**		
18:15	**Prophetic appointments**		**-Derbyshire rooms 2&3**
19:00	**Worship, Ministry and Prayer:** Equipping Leaders for a life of prayer	- Rachel Hughes	**-Derbyshire Hall**
21:30	**-SPORTS HALL, BAR OPEN, PUB QUIZ & FIRE PITS-**		

PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

DAY 2

07:30	Prophetic Appointments		-Derbyshire rooms 2 & 3
07:00 - 07:45	Morning group run		-Meet outside the main reception
07:45 - 08:45	-BREAKFAST-		
09:00 - 09:20	Worship		-Derbyshire Hall
09:30 - 10:30	YOUTH KEYNOTE: How to create a culture of prayer in my youth ministry	- Ryan Holmes	-Derbyshire Hall
	KIDS KEYNOTE: How to create a culture of prayer in my children's ministry	- Mike de Vetter	-Butterley 1
10:30 - 11:00	-Coffee Break - SUBMIT QUESTIONS-		
11:00 - 12:00	YOUTH Q+A, Reflections and Prayer		-Derbyshire Hall
	KIDS Q+A, Reflections and Prayer		-Butterley 1
12:00 - 13:30	-LUNCH-		
13:30 - 14:30	**Children's and Youth Ministry UNITE** The things we wish you knew about what we do…	-Jamie & Debs Price	-Derbyshire Hall
14:45 - 15:30	Electives Session 2 PRAYER MINISTRY LEADERSHIP: Prayer spaces in schools	- Tim Abbott	-Derbyshire Hall
	KIDS: Discipling Young Leaders	- Mike de Vetter	-Butterley 1
	YOUTH: How to talk to young people about Pornography	- Ian Henderson	-Butterley 2
15:45 - 16:20	REGIONAL CONNECT COFFEE & CAKE		-Various Locations
16:30 - 17:15	BATTLE OF THE REGIONS		-Derbyshire Hall
17:30 - 19:00	-DINNER-		
18:15	Prophetic appointments		-Derbyshire rooms 2&3
19:00	Worship, Ministry and prayer Equipping Leaders for an expectancy in prayer	- Tiva Daka	-Derbyshire Hall
21:30	-SPORTS HALL, BAR OPEN, SILENT DISCO & FIRE PITS-		

PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

DAY 3

07:30	Prophetic Appointments		-Derbyshire rooms 2 & 3
07:00 - 07:45	Morning group walk		-Meet outside main reception
07:45 - 08:45	-BREAKFAST-		
09:00 - 09:30	Worship and guided prayer	-Faye Harris & Debbie Schofield	-Derbyshire Hall
09:30 - 10:00	Together We Are Limitless	- Jamie Price	-Derbyshire Hall
10:00 - 10:30	-COFFEE BREAK-		
10:30 - 11:15	Electives Session 3 PRAYER MINISTRY LEADERSHIP: How to engage in fasting (in a healthy way!)	-Tim Alford	-Derbyshire Hall
	KIDS: Creative prayer with children	- Helen Mullis-Kunda	-Butterley 1
	YOUTH: Equipping young people to share their faith in the power of the Holy Spirit	- Laura Hancock	-Butterley 2
11:30 - 12:15	Communion & Prayer	- Kele Silikiwai	-Derbyshire Hall
12:15	-LUNCH-		

SITE MAP

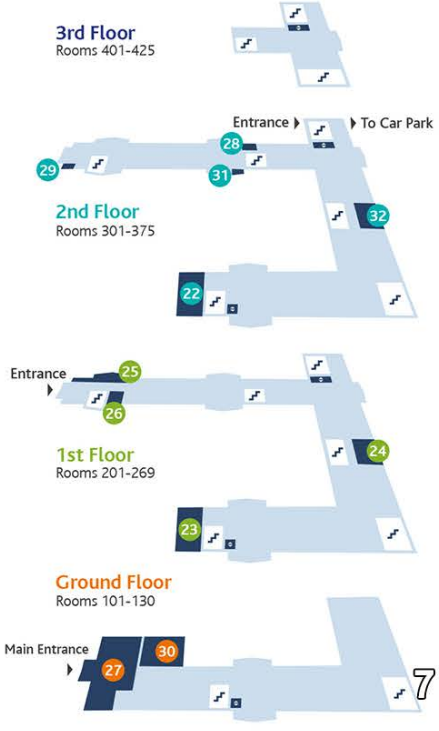
THE HAYES
DERBYSHIRE
CONFERENCE CENTRE

1. Main Conference Hall
2. Butterley Hall
3. Orchard Hall Clubhouse
4. Derbyshire Suite

Bar
Chapel
Croquet
Dining Rooms
Outdoor Games
Tea & Coffee
Outdoor Sports Area
Play Equipment
Sports Hall

Lakeside Accommodation

22. Amber Lounge
23. Buxton Lounge
24. Cromford Room
25. Derwent Room
26. Dove Room
27. Lakeside Reception
28. Matlock Room
29. Prayer Room
30. Tissington Room
31. TV Room
32. Wirksworth Room



Main House

1. Bar
2. Games Room (over 18's)
3. Butterley Hall (1&2)
4. Chatsworth Dining Room
5. Committee Room
6. Derbyshire Hall
7. Derbyshire Rooms 1-6
8. Derbyshire Rooms 7&8
9. Haddon Dining Room
10. Kinder Room
11. Garden Lounge
12. Reading Room
13. Reception Area
14. Sports Hall
15. Tea & Coffee
16. The Board Room
17. The Lounge
18. Upper Lounge
19. Vinery
20. Writing Room
21. Gym (over 18's)

VENUES

TOGETHER SESSIONS	- DERBYSHIRE HALL
PRAYER MINISTRY LEADERSHIP STREAM	- DERBYSHIRE HALL
KIDS MINISTRY STREAM	- BUTTERLEY 1
YOUTH MINISTRY STREAM	- BUTTERLEY 2
PRAYER SPACE	- THE CHAPEL
1-2-1 CONSULTANCY	- MEET AT MAIN RECEPTION
PROPHETIC APPOINTMENTS	- DERBYSHIRE ROOMS 2 & 3

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WHAT'S ON?

1-2-1 CONSULTANCY

Have you got something going on in your youth or kids ministry that you need some practical guidance on? Would you value some time talking with one of our team about this? Then why not sign up for a 1-2-1 consultancy session with someone from the Limitless Leadership Team? Visit the Limitless stand or main reception and speak to a member of the Limitless events team to book a spot.

PROPHETIC APPOINTMENTS

07:30AM (WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY) OR 6.15PM (TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY)

Take a few moments to receive some personal prayer as our team listen to God and share anything they feel he says for you. Of course, you'll need to weigh and discern any prophetic words you receive, but if you'd like to sign up, go to limitlesselim.co.uk/reserve to book a spot. Places are offered on a first-come, first-served basis.

MORNING GROUP RUN/WALK

07:00AM – 7:45AM (WEDNESDAY MORNING RUN. THURSDAY MORNING WALK)

There are times when we come to things like Limitless Leaders and we don't leave the site for the whole three days. For those of you who want to get off site, we are going to be doing early morning exercise together (not obligatory!!). On Wednesday morning, dust off your running shoes and we'll do a group run together – we'll facilitate for different paces, so no one gets left behind!

And on Thursday morning, we'll go for a gentler pace and do a group walk together. Meet outside the main Hayes reception at 7am, we'll be back in time for everyone to get breakfast and showered before the morning sessions!

PRAYER SPACE

You may notice throughout our time together at Limitless Leaders that we are really going to be zoning in on prayer this year. We have a fantastic and interactive prayer space for you to engage in, and we are going to be launching a special prayer initiative on day 1, so keep your eyes peeled for this… This will be in the Chapel at the Hayes, and we are sure it'll be a place of solace, encounter and meeting with God.

LATE NIGHTS

9:30PM TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

Hang out in the bar with old friends and new. Sit out and toast marshmallows on the fire pits. Let off some steam in the sports hall. On Tuesday night, join us in the bar for a pub quiz and Wednesday evening we'll be having our very first Limitless Leaders silent disco!

OPEN SOCIAL
3:30PM TUESDAY

For some of you, you will have had a long journey and need some head space between sessions. That's why, we are having an 'open social' time on Tuesday, where you can come in and out as you want. This is also the first space that you will have to get into your rooms.

For the social, head to the sports hall, where there will be a selection of mini games and challenges for you to do with friends at Limitless Leaders, new and old alike!

WORKSHOP
ARRANGING OUR LIVES AROUND BEING WITH JESUS (TIM ALFORD) - 3:30PM TUESDAY

For those who don't need the headspace as much, we have something for you as well!

Jesus' invitation to prayer is to become consistently aware of and awake to his presence that is already with us in every moment. But in our busy and often stressful lives this is far easier said than done! That's why, in this practical workshop, we will learn how constructing a Rule of Life can help us step into the abiding life to which Jesus invites us.

REGIONAL CONNECT AND BATTLE OF THE REGIONS
3:45PM WEDNESDAY

We know that ministry can be lonely and isolating sometimes – and meeting with likeminded people in youth and children's ministry is so valuable. So we are making space to connect with our regional engagement teams, who are based all over the UK and will let you know about things happening in the regions.

After this time together, you will unite with the other people in your region for our inaugural battle of the regions, where we will find out once and for all, who is the ultimate region! Expect fun, competition, and territorial pride…

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LONDON	*City Gates Church 2.3.24*
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CARDIFF	*Cardiff City Church 15.3.24*
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TOGETHER SESSIONS

WELCOME & WORSHIP
DAY 1, 11:30AM -12:00PM

We kick off as we mean to go on, by fixing our attention upon Jesus. We'll also be giving an overview to our time together at Limitless Leaders.

A CALL TO PRAYER - TIM ALFORD
DAY 1, 1:30PM- 2:30PM

"Whenever God is ready to do something new with His people, He always sets them to praying." - J. Edwin Orr

We believe the Lord is calling us, as a community of youth & kids leaders, to lay some things down to make more room for prayer. For some, this invitation will set the heart soaring. For others, the feeling will be more one of frustration. Others still will feel like we've been here before. So why is this significant? Why does it matter now? And what are the invitations Jesus is presenting us as he calls us deeper into prayer?

EQUIPPING LEADERS FOR A LIFE OF PRAYER — RACHEL HUGHES
DAY 1, 7:00PM-9:30PM

In our evening sessions, we give time and space to hear from God, to worship together and to pray. We are excited to have Rachel Hughes, from Gas Street Church in Birmingham, coming to share with us on how we as leaders can be equipped for a life of prayer. We will then pray for each other and see what God wants to do in the space together – come expectant!

TOGETHER SESSIONS

WELCOME & WORSHIP
DAY 2, 9:00AM-9:20AM

We'll start our day together in the best way you can, worshipping Jesus!

CHILDREN'S AND YOUTH MINISTRY UNITE
DAY 2, 1:30PM-2:30PM

We love that we get to gather at Limitless Leaders as both Children's AND Youth ministry leaders – believing the importance of passing on the gospel to the next generation! We also know that sometimes, there can be misunderstandings or frustrations from each party towards the other… So, in this session, we are going to be having some fun together, and hear from both Children's and Youth ministry leaders on this subject; Things we wish you knew about what we do! There will be fun, there will be prayer and we will UNITE the in task we have ahead of us.

EQUIPPING LEADERS FOR AN EXPECTANCY IN PRAYER - TIVA DAKA
DAY 2, 7:00PM-9:30PM

In our evening sessions, we give time and space to hear from God, to worship together and to pray. In our second evening together, Tiva Daka, former church leader but present prayer warrior, will be sharing with us about what it looks like to be expectant in our prayer life. When we pray for miracles, when we ask God to intervene in situations, when we are praying for the young people and children that we serve, how can we be expectant that God is going to hear our prayers and see an answer to them?

TOGETHER SESSIONS

WORSHIP AND GUIDED PRAYER
DAY 3, 9:00AM -9:30AM

We will start our final day together in worship and prayer – as we spend some specific time praying over our youth and children's ministries.

TOGETHER WE ARE LIMITLESS
DAY 3, 9:30AM-10:00AM

A space to hear about the resources, events and training we have available for you in the year ahead, and for us to listen to your feedback as we do all we can to help you lead your youth and children's ministries into a brighter future.

COMMUNION AND COMMISSIONING
DAY 3, 11:30AM-12:15PM

We finish as we started, with Jesus at the centre. We gather around the Lord's table in a show of unity as we pray for one another and head back out onto the mission field. Let's come expectant for how God wants to send us out together.

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PRAYER MINISTRY LEADERSHIP STREAM

PRAYER AND DELIVERANCE WITH YOUNG PEOPLE AND CHILDREN... WHAT TO DO AND WHAT NOT TO DO! — DANIEL SHILLINGFORD

DAY 1, 2:45PM-3:30PM

There may be times when we suspect that one of the children or young people we are working with need to be prayed with, specifically for some kind of deliverance. This is of course always done in love and with a degree of caution… In this session, Daniel will unpack some of the things that we SHOULD and SHOULDN'T DO when it comes to this area of prayer ministry and give some practical things that we need to avoid in this area.

PRAYER SPACES IN SCHOOLS — TIM ABBOTT

DAY 2, 2:45PM-3:30PM

Prayer spaces in schools give children and young people a fantastic opportunity to explore prayer in a safe, engaging, creative and interactive way. As well as supporting RE and whole school spiritual development, a prayer space is a calming, peaceful place amid all the busyness of school life.
This session will inspire you with the vision and practice of prayer spaces, equip you with resources and ideas, give you an opportunity to try out some typical prayer activities and give you an insight into the impact of these spaces through the voices of children, young people, and teachers.

HOW TO ENGAGE IN FASTING (IN A HEALTHY WAY!) — TIM ALFORD

DAY 3, 10:30AM-11:15AM

Fasting is one of the most overlooked and under-practiced spiritual disciplines by leaders today… and yet, one of the most powerful and transformative. We fast as an act of worship, an act of obedience, an act of surrender, an act of intercession and an act of denying ourselves to follow him. In this precious spiritual practice, we meet God in our bodies and are formed into resilient disciples. So come and hear about the biblical basis for this central discipline of the spiritual life, and how to integrate it into your discipleship.

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KIDS MINISTRY STREAM

PRAYING WITH UNDER 5'S - DEBS PRICE
DAY 1 | 2:45PM-3:45PM

Praying with all children is, of course, really important, but what are the key things that need to be known when praying with under 5's? Debs will share her top tips for praying with under 5-year-olds and share some of the ways that she has engaged this age group in prayer over the years. This session will be interactive and practical as you learn together how to pray with under 5's.

KIDS MINISTRY KEYNOTE: HOW TO CREATE A CULTURE OF PRAYER IN MY CHILDREN'S MINISTRY — MIKE DE VETTER
DAY 2 | 9:30AM-10:30AM

As we are looking at the theme of prayer at Limitless Leaders, we are going to be exploring together how to practically create a culture of prayer in our children's ministries. In this session, Mike will give ideas as to how we can ensure our children's ministries are built on the foundation and emphasis of prayer – and share some ideas of how to implement this into our ministries back at home.

KIDS Q&A: REFLECTIONS AND PRAYER
DAY 2 | 11:00AM-12:00PM

After hearing the keynote, there will be some time given to ask questions directly to Mike who will be able to answer all your burning questions (hopefully!). After this, we will spend some time in reflections and prayer together, as together we work out how to implement what we have heard.

DISCIPLING YOUNG LEADERS — MIKE DE VETTER
DAY 2 | 2:45PM-3:30PM

In this session, Mike will share about his journey in Children's ministry and how he has discipled young leaders over his time in ministry as whole. He will also share about some fantastic resources that he has developed that are designed to help you in discipling young leaders.

CREATIVE PRAYER WITH CHILDREN — HELEN MULLIS-KUNDA
DAY 3, 10:30AM-11:15AM

Children of all ages are keen to pray and to connect with God. Sometimes it can be hard to do this with groups where they are all at different points in their faith journey and want to pray about such a wide range of things. Plus research and experience tells us that children have different ways of connecting with God. Using some tried and tested creative methods from doing prayer spaces in schools, we'll explore ways to get children praying from the heart of where they're at.

YOUTH MINISTRY STREAM

REACHING YOUTH IN A DIGITAL WORLD — CHRISTY GOODWIN

DAY 2 | 9:30AM-10:30AM

Young people now spend more time than ever on their phones. So how can we use apps like TikTok and Instagram to reach, connect, and share Jesus with them? How can we be positive influences in the digital world?

YOUTH MINISTRY KEYNOTE: HOW TO CREATE A CULTURE OF PRAYER IN MY YOUTH MINISTRY — RYAN HOLMES

DAY 2 | 9:30AM-10:30AM

As we are looking at the theme of prayer at Limitless Leaders, we are going to be exploring together how to practically create a culture of prayer in our youth ministries. In this session, Ryan will give ideas as to how we can ensure our youth ministries are built on the foundation and emphasis of prayer – and share some ideas of how to implement this into our ministries back at home.

YOUTH Q&A : REFLECTIONS AND PRAYER

DAY 2 | 11:00AM-12:00PM

After hearing the keynote, there will be some time given to ask questions directly to Ryan who will be able to answer all your burning questions (hopefully!). After this, we will spend some time in reflections and prayer together, as together we work out how to implement what we have heard.

HOW TO TALK TO YOUNG PEOPLE ABOUT PORNOGRAPHY — IAN HENDERSON

DAY 2 | 2:45PM-3:45PM

As youth workers in a digital world, we know that pornography is a temptation that young people are facing daily. We also often feel unequipped to talk to young people about this issue. In this session, Ian will explain some of the cultural trends with porn and young people and help equip us as how to speak to young people about this important topic.

EQUIPPING YOUNG PEOPLE TO SHARE THEIR FAITH IN THE POWER OF THE HOLY SPIRIT — LAURA HANCOCK

DAY 3, 10:30AM-11:15AM

We long to see young people reaching their friends, reaching their schools, reaching their communities, for Jesus. However, we don't always know how to practically equip our young people to be able to share their faith and do so in the power of the Holy Spirit. Laura will give us some pra ctical ways that she has helped young people do this and encourage us to be able to equip our young people in this area.

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SPEAKERS

CHRISTY GOODWIN

Christy has had the privilege of working with young people for the past 10 years. She is originally from Scotland but now works as a youth pastor in Weston-Super-Mare. She lives with her husband, Connor and her son, Murray. Christy is passionate about helping young people discover their identity in Christ and strives for them to know how loved they are.

DANIEL SHILLINGFORD

Rev Daniel Shillingford has 20 years of experience working in youth ministry in urban areas within London. He also lectures at Elim's Regents Theological College, sharing strategies for reaching young people in urban settings. Daniel works as Head of Youth Work for North and East London for XLP, a Christian Charity, which aims to engage in long-term relationships that empower young people from disadvantaged backgrounds to complete their education, avoid anti-social behaviour, and ultimately become independent and confident contributors within their communities.'

Daniel has an extensive background in leadership, having served on City Gates Church's senior team for six years as a youth pastor and later as an assistant pastor for two years. He is now part of the preaching and teaching team at Romford Elim Church while also expanding his ministry as an itinerant preacher. Daniel is happily married to Sarah, and they have two children named Shiloh and Lydia.

DEBS PRICE

Debs is the Children's Pastor at Encounter Church in Selly Oak, Birmingham, and a member of the Limitless Kids Team. She is also a qualified teacher, specialising in early years. Debs is passionate about children of all ages encountering the Holy Spirit. She is married to Jamie and is Mum to Jude and Ezekiel.

HELEN MULLIS-KUNDA

Helen attends City Gates Church in Ilford and is the Project Leader at The Christian Education Project, which has a mission to 'Serve schools, Inspire Minds and Explore Faith' in the London Borough of Redbridge. This year she is seconded one day a week to facilitate a project with the Church of England to connect schools and their local churches in prayer spaces. She is passionate about using creative ways to practically engage children in prayer and connect them to the Christian story.

IAN HENDERSON

Ian is the founder of the Naked Truth Project, a global team of educators, counsellors, and creatives dedicated to awareness, education, and recovery from the harmful impacts of pornography. Prior to launching Naked Truth, Ian served as the Executive Director of Mission for the Message Trust. He has also been involved in urban church planting, worked as an itinerant evangelist, and even dabbled in stand-up comedy! Ian currently lives in Manchester with his wife, who is a social worker, and they are parents to a 20-year-old and a 16-year-old daughter.

LAURA HANCOCK

Laura is part of the leadership team at Youth for Christ and on the Limitless Consultation Board, as well as volunteering on the youth team at Lifecentral Church. She lives in Halesowen with her husband Andy where she enjoys reading, running, shopping, hanging out with her dog, and never says no to an episode of Below Deck.

TIM ABBOTT

Until recently Tim was the director of a school's ministry in Colchester that delivered chaplaincy and ran prayer spaces in most of the secondary schools and Further Education colleges of the city. He is now the GB Team Leader for Prayer Spaces in Schools which inspires and resources people to create spaces where children and young people can pause to reflect or pray.

SPEAKERS

MIKE DE VETTER

Mike de Vetter is an author from Whangarei, New Zealand and is the husband of Amy and father to Rosie, Josiah and Zoe.

He has written six children's books so far, including the Fur and Feathers series as well as two Prince and Princess Books recently released.
Mike and Amy are Lead Pastors of Elim Christian Centre Whangarei, a campus location of Elim Christian Centre. Within the church community they have a passion to see generations working together to build healthy and Godly families. This includes helping children discover their gifts and purpose at a young age, so they have the confidence to live a life of purpose.

Mike has worked with children for over 30 years in children and youth roles within Church as well as Football Coaching.

RACHEL HUGHES

Rachel is the Senior Pastor of Gas Street Church in Birmingham, alongside her husband Tim. She is a passionate preacher and loves communicating the liberating power of God's truth. Rachel has recently pioneered a national ministry (alongside her sister) called 'The Orchard' to encourage and empower women. She is also a keen advocate for fostering and adoption. Rachel has a background in television & media and worked for the BBC in London before joining the staff at Holy Trinity Brompton (HTB) where she lead the Creativity & Arts Department. Rachel & Tim have five wonderful children Phoebe, Simeon, Lois, Judah & Summer.

RYAN HOLMES

Ryan hails from Northern Ireland and is the director of Limitless Ireland and also a part of the Limitless Leadership Team. He has a wealth of experience in youth ministry, previously been the Youth Pastor at UTbelfast Church for over 6 years. He is now the Pastor of River of Life Church in Ballyclare. Ryan is married to Laura and is a big Manchester United fan.

KELE SILIKWAI

Kele was born in Fiji, grew up in Hawaii, studied in California, and now lives in Wales! He is married to Jess and a dad to a joyful young son! Kele is the Youth Pastor at City Church Swansea and the Limitless Regional Leader for Wales.

TIVA DAKA

Tiva is a passionate lover of Jesus, whose chief aim in life is to know and grow in the love of God. His pilgrimage of pursuing night and day presence has recently led him out of his lead pastor role of 8 years, into a new evolving path of faith alongside another beloved family, resulting in a relocation to explore community living in North Cornwall. Tiva's current discipleship focus is 'family first', considering it to be the foundation from where he does life and ministry. Tiva lives by faith alongside his wife Sara, raising their children – Elijah, Eliana and Jedediah.

TIM ALFORD

Tim lives in Malvern, with his wife Jen, and two kids, Tobijah and Aria. He is the National Director of Limitless, a Youth Ministry Specialist Lecturer at Regents Theological College, and author of Leadership 101: Your go-to guide to leading youth and children's ministries into a brighter future. Tim is passionate about equipping leaders and communicating the gospel, having spoken at conferences, churches, schools and events all over the world. He is an enthusiastic runner, a frustrated supporter of Arsenal, and has on more than one occasion been to the cinema in Star Wars fancy dress.

MEET THE HOSTS

EMMA GAZE

Emma is based in Manchester and is the Limitless Pioneers Team Leader, helping to launch new youth ministries across the UK. She has been a part of the Eden Project with The Message Trust, and has been a Youth Pastor for 10 years. She is also an international DJ, loves House music, and can quote most of Friends!

FAYE HARRIS

Faye Harris is the Youth Pastor and an Elder of Hope Church in Corby, she also is a part of Limitless' Consultation Board. She's married to Andy and is Mum to Sophie, Emily, Brendan, Caleb and Micah. Faye started volunteering as a youth helper as a teenager and has continued to serve in youth ministry for the last 25 years. She trained with Youth For Christ, worked with SWYM and has served in several local churches and youth work projects. She is still as passionate about Jesus and working with young people, as she was when she started.

JAMIE PRICE

Jamie is the Director of Ministries for Limitless and on the Limitless Pioneers team, helping churches with no youth ministries, start new youth ministries. He lives in Birmingham with his wife Debs and sons Jude and Ezekiel. In his spare time, he loves to run and read.

RIANNE CARD

Rianne is from Birmingham, working as the youth pastor at Elim Life Church North Birmingham. She is also a part of the Limitless Consultation Board. She loves working with young people and helping them to feel part of a wider family! Rianne loves TV and food.

ABZ ADEKEYE

Abz is a Midlands-based Londoner, currently living in Rugby with her husband, Kunle, and worshipping at St Marks Coventry. Part of the Limitless Leaders Programme Team, Abz has been part of the Limitless family for as long as she can remember! A youth worker at heart, Abz has worked as a Youth Pastor, Child and Adolescent Therapist, Mentor, SEN teaching assistant, and is currently training as Clinical Psychologist within the NHS, on placement within CAMHS Hereford. She just loves to see young people thrive.

SAM HUGHES

Sam is the full-time NextGen pastor for Lifecentral Church in Halesowen, just outside Birmingham. Here he oversees the kids, youth and young adults ministries. Sam's main focus is children's work and he has been working in ministry for over 10 years with experience in a variety of Church & charity settings. He is passionate about pioneering relevant, fun and engaging kids ministries.

DEBBIE SCHOFIELD

Debbie is the Children's and Families Worker at All Nations Christian Centre in Reading and is also a member of the Limitless Kids Team. Debbie is a primary school teacher with experience of working from reception to Year 6 and History is her favourite subject. Debbie is passionate about engaging children in learning about Jesus and in worshipping. She is married to Adam and has two teenage children.

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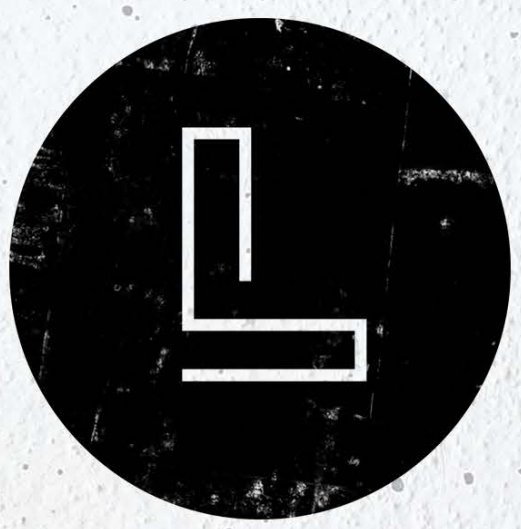

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