Breakfast With Fred and Dallas Baptist University are joining together to present the Fred Smith, Sr. Leadership Symposium: Leading With Integrity on March 1, 2010. Fred Smith, Sr. was a business executive, internationally known speaker, writer, and mentor to generations of leaders including Zig Ziglar, Ken Blanchard, and John Maxwell. Eight outstanding leaders who were influenced by Mr. Smith will join together on the DBU campus to pass on wisdom, experience, and leadership truths for the next generation of leaders.

Speakers Include:
Johanna Fisher
Ron Glosser
Marilyn J. Kasko
Jim Lang
Holt Lunsford
Craig Morgan
Harold L. Myra
Ramesh Richard
Brenda A. Smith
Dan Williams
Ed Yates

**Fred Smith, Sr. Leadership Symposium**
Topic: “Leading with Integrity”

**Dallas Baptist University**
Monday, March 1, 2010

**Schedule of Events**
10:00-11:00am “Leading with Integrity” Chapel Service (Pilgrim Chapel)
11:00am-2:00pm Professor/Team Member Class Lectures
6:00-7:30pm Fred Smith, Sr. Leadership Symposium: Session 1 (Pilgrim Chapel)
8:00-9:30pm Fred Smith, Sr. Leadership Symposium: Session 2 (Pilgrim Chapel)

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Symposium Speaker Bios

Johanna Fisher has been part of the Dallas/Fort Worth Metroplex culture for over 29 years with 23 of them spent at Christian radio station, KCBI. She hosted The Johanna Fisher Show and Johanna Live. She also co-hosted a satellite morning call-in show for FamilyNet Radio, with Lorri Allen. Previously, she worked for the American Bible Society in New York City and Philadelphia. She has served as board member and founder of several Dallas area Christian ministries, such as Women in Christian Media, and Fellowship of Professional Women Dallas. Johanna has interacted with the community as a retreat and banquet speaker. Her particular areas of interest are women’s ministry, parenting, personal development and spiritual growth. Johanna is a converted Lutheran who has chosen to follow Jesus and embrace His call to live a life that demonstrates excellence in their profession. Marilyn has four children and nine grandchildren.

Ronald Glosset is a graduate of Ohio Wesleyan and has an honorary Doctorate from Lindsey Wilson College. Ronald spent most of his career in banking with Cleveland Trust, later became President of Goodyear Bank and prior to retirement was President and CEO of Hershey Trust and Milton Hershey Foundation. He is active in many organizations; Past Chairman of Board of Ohio Wesleyan University, Past President of Ohio Bankers Association, Vice Chairman of Guideposts, board of Robert Schuller’s Hour of Power, board of Lloyd Ogilvie Ministries, Salvation Army and Coachella Valley Rescue Mission. Active in his church The Chapel in Akron, Ohio, and Palm Desert Presbyterian Church in Palm Desert, California. He and his wife Mary have five children and eight grandchildren.

Marilyn Kasko is responsible for the acquisition, management, and disposition of Abbott’s global real estate portfolio valued at over two billion dollars. Marilyn joined Abbott in September 2003. Prior to coming to Abbott, Marilyn was employed by Electronic Data Systems (EDS) Corporation in Dallas, TX for 20 years. She held several positions in the Real Estate Division of EDS. Her last position was Director of Legacy Business Park, a 2,700-acre mixed-use Corporate Business Park, which she developed into one of the largest and most successful corporate parks in the United States. Marilyn has held numerous leadership positions in both charitable and civic organizations on a national level. She was selected as one of the 21 visionary leaders for the 21st Century, and nominated for the Texas Trailblazers Award in Dallas. In addition, Marilyn was awarded the ATHENA Award is presented to businesswomen across the United States who support the goals of executive women, exhibit initiative and creativity, and demonstrate excellence in their profession. Marilyn has four children and nine grandchildren. She lives in Lake Forest and enjoys cooking, traveling, and fishing.

Jim Lang A San Antonio, TX native, Jim was an athlete, leader and honor student in high school and college. He graduated with honors from the U.S. Air Force Academy and became a pilot with over 3,000 hours flying time. He was a starting member of the football team at the Academy and was First Group Commanding Officer his senior year. He was commissioned personally by President John F. Kennedy in 1963. In the Air Force he became the youngest Aircraft Commander in the history of his unit. Later he was president of a multi-million dollar real estate investment company at age 32. At age 36 he became a Christian and along with his wife led his four young daughters to a personal relationship with Christ. Later, he served in Church and Ministry positions as Deacon, Elder and Pastor. He has served on 27 Business and Ministry Boards. Married to his wife Bonnie for 44 years, he is the father of four and grandfather of twelve. He currently serves as President of the Lufkin Board of Chamber of Commerce in Palm Desert, California. He and his wife Lily have five children and one granddaughter.

Holt Lunsford HLC is a fifteen year old commercial real estate service and investment firm. HLC’s core line of business includes development, leasing, property management, and investments in the office, industrial, and retail sectors. They are the second largest commercial real estate provider in the DFW Metroplex. In addition to his commercial real estate business, Holt is Founder and Chairman of Liberty Capital Bank in Addison, Texas. Lunsford is a guest lecturer at Harvard Business School, Tuck School of Business (Dartmouth University), and the McCombs School of Business (University of Texas). He serves on numerous professional, civic, and Christian ministry boards.

Craig Morgan is National Sales Director for Primierica Corporation. His background in sales management, leadership development, and winning performance demonstrate his gifts and strategic vision. The recipient of national sales awards and community recognition, Morgan focuses his activities on growing men and women in their business skills and their walk of faith. He has pioneered offices throughout North America, including Thunder Bay, Ontario, Calgary, Alberta, Windsor, Montana, and numerous regions in the United States. He thinks of himself as a coach who is team driven, with a desire to win; and a leader who loves to mentor. He is a nationally known speaker and communicator with 26 years experience in the financial services industry. He and his wife Gina are the parents of seven children. He is an avid sports fan and communicates enthusiastically about his Christian faith.

Harold L. Myra served for 32 years with Christianity Today International and currently serves as a trustee emeritus. Under his leadership, the organization grew from one magazine to a communications company with a dozen magazines, copublisher books and a major internet company. Author of five novels, numerous children’s and non-fiction books, and hundreds of magazine articles, Myra has taught writing and publishing at the Graduate School of Wheaton, Illinois. He holds honorary degrees from several colleges, including Biola University and Gordon College. He serves on the board of Gordon College and Tyndale House Publishers. Harold is the recipient of numerous awards, citations, and recognitions, including the Joseph T. Bayly Award, the Magazine Publisher’s Award, and the James DeForest Murch Award from the National Association of Evangelicals. He is a contributor to Breakfast with Fred (Regal Books).

Dr. Ramesh Richard is the founder and president of REACH—a global proclamation ministry evangelizing leaders and training pastors worldwide. As an inspirational speaker, spiritual philosopher, renowned educator and practical author, he speaks on the ultimate issues of life to large numbers of people each year around the globe. At universities and business forums; from Presidents of nations to the masses in them; from small, intimate gatherings to large, filled arenas he has clarified God’s message of peace and hope to wide-ranging audiences in over 80 countries. In 2006, Dr. Richard was the speaker at the fourth annual African Union Heads of State Prayer Breakfast where he addressed 53 nations of Presidents/heads of state, secretaries of states, and ambassadors of state of Africa in Khartoum, Sudan. In 2008, he addressed an audience of 200 ambassadors and world leaders as the keynote speaker for the 23rd Annual International Prayer Breakfast at the United Nations in New York City. Since 2000, he has brought a triumphant “state of humanity” address each New Year’s Day on the world’s largest secular television network based in Hong Kong. Dr. Richard holds a Doctor of Theology (Th.D.) from Dallas Theological Seminary and a Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) from the University of Delhi. In addition to serving as president of REACH, he serves full-time as Professor of Pastoral Ministries and Global Theological Engagement at Dallas Theological Seminary where he teaches courses credited in three academic departments. He and his wife Bonnie live in Dallas, Texas and have three grown children Ryan, Robby, Sitara, and a daughter-in-law, Natalie. He is a contributor to Breakfast With Fred (Regal Books).

Brenda A. Smith is the President of the BWF Project, a non-profit organization communicating the life-work of Fred Smith, Sr. www.breakfastwithfred.com, as the flagship piece of the project, reaches an international audience with the timely and timeless wisdom of her dad. Brenda organized and edited his most recent book, Breakfast with Fred featuring 32 of the emailed weekly thoughts and 52 responses of men and women influenced by Fred Smith, such as Zig Ziglar, Ken Blanchard, Jill Briscoe, John Maxwell, and Pat Williams. Brenda has served as an officer of The Principal Financial Group, a women’s marketing manager for Northwestern Mutual, and a regional director for Manulife Financial. She also has experience as a business owner and community volunteer. Her national and local board positions include Royal Treasure (a Christian women’s philanthropic organization), Zig Ziglar Advisory Board, Society of Financial Service Professionals, Dallas Area Parkinsonism Society, Damaris Project, Women’s Marketing Study Group, and Women in Financial Services. In 2000 she began caring for her Mom and Dad. The lessons she learned about this walk of faith are chronicled in her book, Divine Confinement: Facing Seasons of Limitation. The principles show the reader how to survive and thrive in life’s stuck places. Her articles have appeared in Today’s Christian, as well as numerous newsletters and websites. Brenda is the proud mother of three adult children, three loved-in-law children, five grandchildren, and one granddaughter.

Dan Williams Associate Professor of Organizational Leadership at Biola University since 2005. Founder of Your Life Matters Leadership Coaching Organization. “The majority of my working time is spent with young leaders ages 16-30. My responsibility to them is to be a compass as they consider their place in the world and the contributions they wish to make. I help them make sense of the noise and design a running game plan going forward. My joy is in seeing them make their personalized mark, while honoring Christ’s calling on their life.” Married to Julie since 1989. Daughter Niki-16, Son Jack-13. Lived in Southern California since 1981.

Ed Yates practiced law in Dallas, TX for 11 before becoming part-owner and then owner of Highland Park Cafeteria for 32 years. He has practiced court-ordered mediation and served as a member of the Alternate Dispute Resolution section of the National Association of Security Dealers. He has served as a member of various arbitration panels. Ed has served as a member of various for-profit and not-for-profit organizations. He and Fred Smith, Sr. belonged to a CEO Prayer Fellowship that met for 40 years. Among his current active leadership responsibilities are REACH International, First Baptist Church of Dallas, Texas, and the BWF PROJECT, Inc.