

SUMMER LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE



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Registration fee is \$105 before April 15, \$125 by May 15, and \$140 after that date. On-campus housing is available at an additional fee. For more information about this event, contact the Office of Continuing Education at 412-924-1345 or Click to view e-mail.

Scazzero is author of the recently released Emotionally Healthy Spirituality (Thomas Nelson, 2006), a groundbreaking work on the integration of emotional health and contemplative spirituality. He is the founder and senior pastor of New Life Fellowship Church in Queens, New York City, a large, multiracial, international church with more than 65 countries represented. Scazzero is a graduate of Gordon-Conwell Seminary (M.Div.) and Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary (D.Min.). Lammers Gross is the Arthur Sarell Rudd Associate Professor of Speech Communication in Ministry and dean of student life at Princeton Theological Seminary. She earned both her M.Div. and Ph.D. from Princeton Seminary. An ordained Presbyterian minister, she has served churches in California and New Jersey. Lammers Gross is the author of *If You Cannot Preach Like Paul* (Eerdmans, 2002). Purves, a native of Edinburgh, Scotland, received degrees in philosophy and divinity from the University of Edinburgh, and a Th.M. degree from Duke Divinity School. Purves completed his doctorate at the University of Edinburgh. Licensed by the Church of Scotland, he came to the U.S. in 1978. His most recent publication is *The Crucifixion of Ministry: Surrendering Our Ambitions to the Service of Christ* (InterVarsity Press, 2007).

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