



*Caring for Your Church*

MEN'S RETREAT 2018

June 21, 2018

Dear Men,

Summer is here, and the IARBC Men's Retreat will be here before you know it. Guys are good at fixing things: Cars, clubs, computers, cows and even children! Sadly, it's possible for us to miss something that needs regular and loving care: The Church. If we fail to care for the church, our families, communities, and relationships will suffer. Thankfully, God has given us detailed instructions to care for the church. This year's Men's Retreat, August 24-25, will focus on ***Caring for Your Church***.

This year's speaker, *Evangelist Ross Crowe*, knows how to care for the church. He has been in evangelistic ministry for 31 years and has helped start three churches. Besides serving as an evangelist and several interim pastorates, Ross currently serves as the senior pastor of Berean Baptist Church in International Falls, MN. His passion is to protect and to care for the church through careful Bible exposition and application.

Ross Crowe grew up in the wilderness of Northern Minnesota as a resort owner's son. At age sixteen, he asked the Lord Jesus Christ to be his Savior and was called to preach three years later. Brother Crowe is a graduate of Northland Baptist Bible College and completed graduate training at Bob Jones University. He is known as a strong Biblical expositor and is the founder of Fishing for Men Ministries, an outdoors evangelism and discipleship program, based in Northern Minnesota. Ross holds a U.S. Coast Guard Master's Captain License and is a tournament fishing champion. He has been married to Colleen since 1977 and has two adult children, Marissa and Matthew.

The men of First Baptist Church of Guthrie Center are privileged to serve you this year as hosts. Besides equipping you to care for your church, Men's Retreat is a great way to grow closer to God, to get to know your brothers in Christ in a deeper way, and to enjoy time with other believers.

Online registration is available from [www.iarbc.org](http://www.iarbc.org) and from the camp's website ([www.irbc.org](http://www.irbc.org)), starting July 1<sup>st</sup>. A registration form can also be downloaded and mailed to the camp. The cost is \$50 for those who register on or before August 15<sup>th</sup>. Registrations made after August 15<sup>th</sup> are \$60 per person. Visit [www.iarbc.org](http://www.iarbc.org) to download and print promotional material:

- Schedule
- Bulletin Insert
- Poster
- Trap Shoot Info
- Golf Tournament Info
- Registration form

For questions about registration, please contact IRBC at [camp@irbc.org](mailto:camp@irbc.org) or 641-829-3824.

*Your brothers in Christ from Guthrie Center*