

# THE Parenting Seminar



"I was given tools that I can really use with both my two-year-old and my sixteen-year-old."  
—**mother of two, Macon, Georgia**

"This is the best parenting advice in the whole world!"  
—**Austin Pritz, Bellingham, Washington**

"Loved the seminar. What a delight and breath of fresh air."  
—**Tracey Burner, Moscow, Pennsylvania**



## Bring this parenting seminar outreach to your church

### Overview

You can host the Parenting is Heart Work seminar at your church. We've trained several presenters who will energize, excite, and equip parents to move from behavior modification to a heart-based approach to parenting. We've also written children's curriculum that enables you to teach kids things that complement what the parents are learning. Each adult participant receives a Parent Manual (retail \$9.99).

### Cost

The cost is just \$350 (plus travel for the presenter—and there's likely a presenter close to you). In addition, each adult attendee pays \$20 for the seminar, \$5 of which goes back to the church. There is a guaranteed minimum attendance of 50 people.

## We provide you with the following materials:

- An individualized flier that you can photocopy
- Several colorful 11x17 posters
- A 1-minute commercial to promote the seminar in your worship service
- A complete children's program curriculum that you can run with the kids at the same time the parents are in the seminar.
- Suggested follow-up materials to keep relationships growing



## Here's what it looks like:

Usually the seminar takes place on a Saturday from 9:00 am to 2:30 pm, offering several sessions.

### Session #1 – Teaching Kids to Listen and Follow Instructions

Parents often become frustrated because their kids don't listen. In this session we take apart the instruction process and point out five steps for children ages 2 to 18. Parents learn how to teach cooperation and responsibility in this practical session.

### Session #2 – Correction Ideas that Touch the Heart

The goal of discipline is a changed heart. This session gives parents several hands-on tools to use when children need to be corrected. A change of heart is defined in practical terms and parents go away with a plan to use seven categories of consequences to motivate heart change in their kids. The underlying principle taught is that behavior modification is not enough. Parents must keep an eye on the heart.

### Session #3 – Ending Discipline Times with Impact

Parents often don't know how to end discipline in a constructive way. This session explains a routine for helping children process correction and learn from the experience. Teaching children about repentance and forgiveness are heart gifts discussed here. This tool is especially helpful for children who blame others or have a victim mentality.

The seminar is creative with interaction and several opportunities for parents to make specific application to their own families. The seminar ends by talking about God's desire to touch the hearts of parents, not just their kids. Parents leave encouraged, armed with lots of practical strategies and a new vision for touching the hearts of their children.

If you'd like to host a live parenting seminar featuring a presenter from the National Center for Biblical Parenting, please download the application at [biblicalparenting.org/liveseminarhost.asp](http://biblicalparenting.org/liveseminarhost.asp)

**To explore possible dates and presenters in your area you may also call us at (609) 771-8002**