

# Alive Ministries

DoubleTree, Chesterfield MO

Student Conference 2025

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## THE "WHO'S WHO" AND THE "WHAT'S WHAT" OF THE ALIVE STUDENT CONFERENCE 2025

### Student Session Speaker

Mike Strong is lead church planter and pastor at Freedom Missionary Baptist Church (FMBC). He is originally from Little Rock, Arkansas. He and his family moved to North Minneapolis in December of 2012. His desire was to live with those who had been pushed to the margins of society in Minneapolis. His hope is to share the message of Good News: God kept His promises to send a savior for all who are trapped in sin and place their faith in Him, Jesus Christ, who has died in our place, rose from the dead, is alive and in charge of everything that exists today, and is working all things out in accordance with His perfect plan! This message brings the hope, healing, and rest our weary soul's hunger for each day.

Mike's passion is to see a return to biblical discipleship that offers all who desire to devote themselves to Christ and His Word the opportunity to be equipped in a missional context (learning on the job). He has a passion to see true joy and peace fill the hearts of those who hunger for it. He desires to see the people of North Minneapolis sent to fill the world with the transformational message of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

### Worship Leaders

Our worship team for this year's Alive Conference will be The Central Collective! The Central Collective is a gospel-centered worship band in central Arkansas. They met at Central Baptist Church in Conway, Arkansas. After playing as a group for a year, they realized the gifts God had blessed them with as well as the heart they had for leading people in worship and started The Central Collective.

### Entertainment

Comedian Bob Smiley brings over 27 years of experience, performing in theaters, churches, and festivals nationwide. With five comedy specials, including three on DryBar, and numerous podcast appearances, Bob is a recognized figure in the comedy scene. He created "The Adventures of Average Boy," a celebrated series featured in Focus on the Family's Clubhouse magazine and the award-winning podcast, both of which inspire kids and parents alike. In 2024, Bob voiced Lowell the Snowman in the stop-motion Christmas movie "Steal the Naughty List." Bob is also very good at mowing and has a massive hotel shampoo collection.

### Recreation

Kokomo Joe's Family Fun Center in St. Peters, MO, is a family-friendly entertainment venue offering a variety of attractions including bowling, escape rooms, an arcade, laser tag, a trampoline park and more!

### Medical Release Form

Each student must have a medical release form in case of accident or illness. Each church is responsible for collecting and keeping the medical releases for its own students. You can use the sample release provided or use one of your own.

### Conference T-shirt

A conference t-shirt will be provided for all who register by December 1. T-shirts will be handed out at the Alive registration table, right outside the ballroom, between 5:00 and 6:45 on December 29, 2025.

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## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### Sunday, December 29, 2025

		Where	Who
5:00 - 7:00	Check in at DoubleTree Chesterfield	Hotel	All Attendees
5:00 - 7:00	Registration at the Alive Table	Entrance to Ballroom	Sponsors
6:45 - 7:00	Prayer Time	Ballroom/Lobby	All Attendees
7:00 - 8:30	General Session #1 with Michael Strong	Ballroom	All Attendees
9:00 - 12:00	Recreation at Kokomo Joe's	Kokomo Joes	All Attendees

### Monday, December 30, 2025

10:15 - 10:30	Prayer Time	Ballroom/Lobby	All Attendees
10:30 - 12:00	General Session #2 with Michael Strong	Ballroom	All Attendees
12:00 - 1:30	Lunch	Off Campus	All Attendees
2:00 - 3:00	Break Out Session	Ballroom	All Attendees
3:00 - 6:45	Free Time and Dinner	Off Campus	All Attendees
6:45 - 7:00	Prayer Time	Ballroom/Lobby	All Attendees
7:00 - 8:30	General Session #3 with Michael Strong	Ballroom	All Attendees
9:00 - ???	Entertainment – Bob Smiley	Ballroom	All Attendees

### Tuesday, December 31, 2025

9:00 - 9:45	Students & Sponsors Pack Up	Your Room	All Attendees
9:45 - 10:00	Prayer Time	Ballroom/Lobby	All Attendees
10:00 - 11:30	General Session #4 with Michael Strong	Ballroom	All Attendees

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## REGISTRATION AND T-SHIRT ORDER FORM

Church Name

SHIRTS	New Church "First Time Ever at Conference" Discount	Students	<input type="text"/>	X \$60=	<input type="text"/>
	New Church "First Time Ever at Conference" Discount	Sponsors	<input type="text"/>	X \$60=	<input type="text"/>
	Total Number of Students		<input type="text"/>	X \$75=	<input type="text"/>
	Total Number of Sponsors		<input type="text"/>	X \$75=	<input type="text"/>

SHIRTS	<b>SHORT Sleeve T-Shirts</b>		<b>LONG Sleeve T-Shirts</b> (\$2 extra per shirt ordered)	
	Total Number of Small T-Shirts	<input type="text"/>	Total Number of Small T-Shirts	<input type="text"/>
	Total Number of Medium T-Shirts	<input type="text"/>	Total Number of Medium T-Shirts	<input type="text"/>
	Total Number of Large T-Shirts	<input type="text"/>	Total Number of Large T-Shirts	<input type="text"/>
	Total Number of X-Large T-Shirts	<input type="text"/>	Total Number of X-Large T-Shirts	<input type="text"/>
	Total Number of XX-Large T-Shirts	<input type="text"/>	Total Number of XX-Large T-Shirts	<input type="text"/>
	Total Number of XXX-Large T-Shirts	<input type="text"/>	Total Number of XXX-Large T-Shirts	<input type="text"/>
<b>Total Number of Alive Student Conference T-Shirts</b>				<input type="text"/>

Total Registration Cost  + Long Sleeve Charge  = **TOTAL AMOUNT SENT**

This registration form should be returned with registration fees before December 1 to avoid a late fee.  
 Please note: The late registration fee does not apply to churches registered by December 1 and later add more students or sponsors.

New Church Discount only applies to church attending the conference for the very first time.

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## HOTEL ROOM LIST

Church Name:

City:

Room #1

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Room #5

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Room #2

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Room #6

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Room #3

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Room #7

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Room #4

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Room #8

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\* Adult sponsor in the room.

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## THE "HOW TO" ON REGISTERING FOR THE ALIVE CONFERENCE, PART A

### General Registration

The cost of the 2025 Alive Conference is \$75.00 per person (non-refundable).

In the event the conference is cancelled because of weather, registration fees will be refunded, less amounts necessary to cover non-recoverable conference costs.

New church discount of \$60 per registrant only applies to those churches that are coming to Alive for the very first time.

The Registration Fee of \$75.00 per person OR \$60 per person for **first time** churches (check payable to Alive Ministries) along with the Registration Form, must be received by December 1, 2025 to avoid a late registration fee. Send these to:

Alive Ministries  
C/O Jim Ainley  
10479 State Road P  
Potosi, MO 63664

### Late Registration

The late registration cost is \$85.00 per person for those who do not register by December 1. This late registration charge does not apply to registered churches that simply add additional attendees after the deadline. Late registrations will be accepted but there is no guarantee of a conference T-shirt.

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## THE "HOW TO" ON REGISTERING FOR THE ALIVE CONFERENCE, PART B

### Option 1: Register by Phone

Hotel Registration Contact Info:

Conference will be hosted at the Doubletree Chesterfield  
On-Site Contact: Almira Selimovic  
Direct: 636-667-6646

### Option 2: Register by Email

Hotel Registration Contact Info:

Conference will be hosted at the Doubletree Chesterfield  
On-Site Contact: Almira Selimovic  
[Email: aselimovic@doubletreechesterfield.com](mailto:aselimovic@doubletreechesterfield.com)

Each church is responsible for mailing or emailing a rooming list directly to the hotel.

The room rate this year is \$77.00 (plus tax) per room, per night. Churches can avoid the sales tax by supplying a "tax exempt" letter and paying with church check or church credit card. Hotel tax is still required.

RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE BY Sunday, November 28, 2025 TO BE GUARANTEED THE \$77.00 RATE.

Please Note: To avoid any confusion, each church is responsible for making their own room reservations. We encourage early hotel reservations by phone or email and to notify the hotel that you are with the Alive Student Conference. Please make reservations with your Church Name.

If you encounter difficulty with your hotel reservations, please notify Benjamin Kingston at 636-266-9891 (Alive Committee Registration Czar) immediately instead of waiting until you arrive at the conference. Remember, after the November 28<sup>th</sup> deadline the room fee or availability of rooms is not guaranteed. Please call early so you can meet the deadline.

Hotel Lingo to keep in mind

Adjoining Room: Room that is NEXT to another room.

Connecting Room: Room that has a PASS thru door to another adjoining room.

All Adjoining and Connecting Rooms are on a first come first serve basis.

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## MEDICAL RELEASE FORM

In the event that my minor child, \_\_\_\_\_, has need of medical attention, I do hereby give my permission for the staff and sponsors of the \_\_\_\_\_ Church to seek such help including emergency surgery if the particular medical emergency warrants. I understand that every effort will be made to contact me or my alternate responsible party prior to emergency surgical procedures unless the particular situation does not allow due to the threat of loss of life.

I give my minor child full consent to attend the activities of \_\_\_\_\_ Church from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_. It is my understanding that the staff and volunteers of \_\_\_\_\_ Church will take all the necessary precautions to ensure the safety of my child. I do hereby release the above stated organization from any legal or financial obligation due to the injury of my above-named minor.

Minor's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/legal guardian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone numbers where you can be reached during this time:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Alternate person to contact in case of emergency if parent can't be reached:  
Name, relationship, phone  
\_\_\_\_\_

MEDICAL HISTORY/KNOWN ALLERGIES TO FOOD, DRUGS, BEE STINGS, ETC.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

LIST ALL MEDICINE CURRENTLY TAKING AND WHAT MEDICAL CONDITION IT IS TAKEN FOR:  
\_\_\_\_\_

TRANSPORTATION ALLOWANCE My above listed child is allowed to travel with the above-named church.

I AGREE TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS STATED ABOVE.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

\_\_\_\_\_