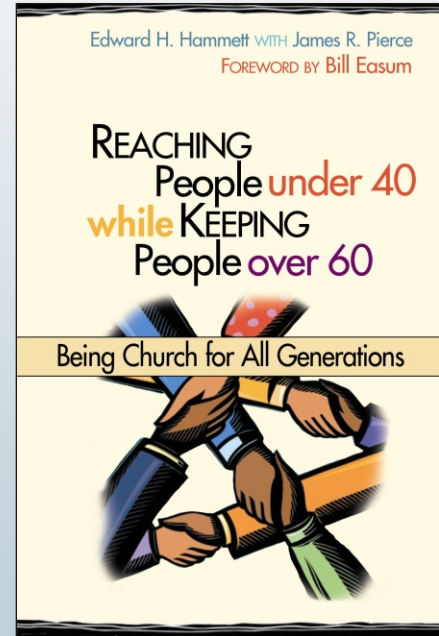




# Hinton Rural Life Center

presents



**A vital workshop for pastors and laity  
of the Small Membership Church**

*featuring*

**Eddie Hammett,**  
*acclaimed Author and  
Professional Credentialed Coach*

**May 10-11, 2010**

**Hinton Rural Life Center**  
Hayesville, North Carolina  
(828) 389-8336  
[www.hintoncenter.org](http://www.hintoncenter.org)

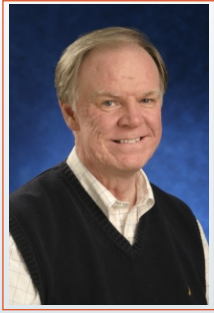
*Celebrating 50 Years of Ministry*

Hinton Rural Life Center  
P.O. Box 27  
Hayesville, NC 28904

*The mission of Hinton Rural Life Center is to be an advocate for the small membership church within the United Methodist connection, to assist small membership churches in becoming healthy and effective, to provide opportunities for missional involvement, and to be a place of hospitality, spiritual growth, and renewal.*



## Workshop Leader Eddie Hammett



Eddie has served on church staff and in denominational leadership for over 25 years. A prolific author, certified Professional Credentialed Coach (PCC) with the International Coaching Federation and popular speaker, retreat and seminar leader across the country and among over 10 denominations and judicatories. Eddie is a founding coach of Valwood Christian Leadership Coaching ([www.valwoodcoaching.com](http://www.valwoodcoaching.com)) and a

founding partner of The Columbia Partnership ([www.thecolumbiapartnership.org](http://www.thecolumbiapartnership.org)) and an affiliate with Coach Approach Ministries ([www.ca-ministries.com](http://www.ca-ministries.com)). He currently serves in a partnership with Cooperative Baptist Fellowship of North Carolina [www.cbfn.org](http://www.cbfn.org) as their Church and Clergy Coach. His coaching experiences are deep and wide touching churches of various denominations, church planters and lay and clergy leaders across the country.

Eddie is the author of five books dealing with preparing the church for a more effective ministry in the 21st century. He has also authored over 310 published articles and has recently completed a book with Leonard Sweet entitled *The Gospel According to Starbucks*, 2007. His most recent best-selling book is *Reaching People Under 40 While Keeping People Over 60*, Chalice press, 2007. The companion piece to the *Reaching/Keeping* book is *Making Shifts Without Making Waves: A Coach Approach to Soulful-leadership* released October, 2009. Eddie has also served as a lead coach the Sustaining Pastoral Excellence project funded by the Lilly Foundation to develop coaching strategies for pastors and congregations across the Southeast United States and across denominational lines. On his personal websites ([www.transformingsolutions.org](http://www.transformingsolutions.org) and [www.soulful-leadership.com](http://www.soulful-leadership.com)) you will find free leadership newsletters to assist in the coach approach to church, non-profit organizational development, programming and local church and denominational ministries.

He is a graduate of Furman University, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary with post-graduate studies at Duke Divinity School, Southeastern Seminary, NC State University and Fielding Institute. He has lectured at or served as adjunct faculty at Northern Baptist Seminary, Southeastern Baptist Seminary, Duke Divinity School, Western Seminary, Golden Gate Seminary, Southern Seminary and Campbell Divinity School.

## Workshop Schedule

### Monday, May 10

12:00 - 2:00 Registration  
2:00 - 3:00 Welcome / Hinton Story  
3:00 - 5:30 Session One  
5:30 - 6:30 Supper  
6:30 - 8:30 Session Two

### Tuesday, May 11

8:00 - 9:00 Breakfast  
9:00 - 11:30 Session Three

Participants will receive .7 CEU's upon completion.

***Participants are invited to stay additional evenings to rest, relax, and visit the area. No meals provided. Reservations required. Call or email for details.***

**Cost: \$100.00 per person**, inclusive of workshop fee, lodging and two meals, based on double room occupancy. Limited availability of private rooms for additional fee of \$25.00. Fees are underwritten by the Waynesville District of the Western North Carolina Annual Conference and by a grant from the Duke Endowment.



### Registration Form

*All registrations due by May 1, 2010*

Name

Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

Alternate Phone

Email

Special Dietary or Accommodations Needs

***An administration fee of \$10 will be retained for all cancellations.***

Please make check payable to Hinton Center.

*Detach and mail completed form with full payment to:*  
Hinton Rural Life Center  
PO Box 27  
Hayesville, NC 28904

Directions to Hinton Center can be found on our website, [www.hintoncenter.org](http://www.hintoncenter.org).