

## Chapter 1 : John Daigle Leadership Seminar | New Life Church

*New Life for Dying Churches Seminar by Rose G Sims, , available at Book Depository with free delivery worldwide.*

These professionals can help with a wide range of needs. The tools provided here give me such hope that the Lord will accomplish this character change in me. I look forward to being a wife who is consistently loving, kind, and respectful to my husband. I felt exhausted at my failed attempts to escape from pornography and masturbation. I leave feeling hope that true healing comes from intimacy with God, self, and others. I am leaving with a plan which will bring me to victory. Although, there may be set backs, my trajectory is set and I have a band of brothers that I can depend on. I ate my shame, my pain, my stress, my isolation. This weekend has been something I have needed for years. An opportunity to discover what has been eating at me inside. I have felt loved and accepted. The main sessions as well as the breakout groups helped me to see the crazy cycle of lies and betrayal that I have put up with. I hope to attend the Intimacy in Marriage workshop with my husband this summer as well! Words cannot express the gratitude I feel for this weekend. It brings new perspective to the causes and triggers for sexual addiction. It also brings understanding and a proven way to help deal with a long term addiction using God, self, and others as partners. During this workshop, I was able to learn to forgive my dad for his attempted suicide when I was 15 years old that changed my life from that point forward. I was also able to forgive my mother for her years and years of prescription drug addiction that led to her early death. I now need to ask forgiveness from my wife for all the pain and grief my addiction and behaviors have caused her and to get down in her pain with her so I can help her with God to pull her back up to the life she deserves. Thank you New Life! Today I am in a place of clarity. I was able to shine the light on my secrets, flaws, and sorrows. I have a plan to grieve and forgive where I need to. I have truly accepted that I am a beloved daughter of the most high God.

### Chapter 2 : New Life for Dying Churches Seminar : Rose G Sims :

*For more information about House Church Seminar, please contact our House Church Seminar Coordinator at [seminar@www.nxgvision.com](mailto:seminar@www.nxgvision.com) Important Notes about the House Church Seminar for Lay Leaders Only members of churches where the senior pastor has attended a House Church Seminar in the past are allowed to attend.*

The arrangement met a need for both congregations. Hillview had a building but few people. Conduit had people but no building. The church had been meeting in a local high school since its founding. But the school board policy put a time limit on how long a church could rent. The whole process took about two months. Mergers may offer new life for many smaller congregations, which have been hit hard by the changing demographics of American congregations. But the majority of church attenders now go to a big church, according to the National Congregations Study. That leaves thousands of churches with buildings but few worshippers. In some cases, those churches have chosen to join bigger multisite congregations, like Edmond, Okla. The church has 18 locations, known as campuses, around the country. Five of the campuses were created as a result of mergers, said Bobby Gruenewald, a pastor and innovation leader at LifeChurch. A church that is going to become part of what we are doing is going to have to change. In most cases, the church staff also changes. Most of the congregations that merged with LifeChurch. Some were in danger of closing down. In this type of merger, two or more small churches unite rather than consolidating with a larger franchise. All their attention is focused on survival, so they have little energy to reach out to their neighbors or serve their community. Raymond starts by asking the struggling church to think strategically about its ministry. This is your choice. Do you want the church to close or do you want to try something new? His church was formed in after three small churches decided to close down and pool their resources. Those older three churches had a total of members, Peterson said, but few people showed up for services. The churches were stuck, he said, with little hope for the future. Opening a new church gave them a chance to begin with a clean slate. As part of the restart, the churches formed a separate nonprofit called Grace Center for Community Life in northeast Minneapolis, which is housed in a converted school. Today Grace Lutheran has about active members, said Pederson. They meet in the Grace Center for worship service on Sunday, sharing the space with three other churches—a Hispanic Pentecostal congregation, a startup Lutheran church, and a Seventh-day Adventist congregation of immigrants from Ethiopia. The center also rents space to two charter schools, a food pantry, a child care center, and other neighborhood programs. Still, he said, there was a lot of pain in the process. Watching a church that you love shut down is hard, he said, as is saying goodbye to a church building, which often is filled with powerful memories. But a merger can get a church out of survival mode and get the congregation focused on the future.

**Chapter 3 : Top shelves for Survival of the Smartest**

*It is a must for laity, clergy, church growth seminars, men or women's groups or church conferences. ALSO AVAILABLE: Accompanying "Do it Yourself Church Growth Seminar" Package \$, ISBN*

We are building a community of leaders who are called to protect the flock. Jimmy Meeks will give a presentation on the Three Pieces of Evidence that justify church safety practices. It has been said of his presentation that, "there has never been a stronger call to action. Several worshipers were shot; two precious sisters were killed. Carl also worked for Focus on the Family when, in , a gunman entered that property and took several hostages - one of whom was Carl. He will share with you the priceless lessons learned from these tragedies. Colonel Grossman will "zoom out" into all of society and talk about what it means to be a Sheepdog wherever one is - the church, the school, the mall, the theater - anywhere and everywhere. The Sheepdog Seminar is a response to the violence that reeks havoc in our world. It calls upon the defenders to take their stand. However, when you leave the Sheepdog Seminar, you will know exactly what you need to start doing. I am already taking steps to apply the Sheepdog Ministry at my church. They are affecting people across the country. Just since the first one Denver - , attendees have come from all over America and beyond. At the Spokane Seminar January attendees came from as far away as Alaska! Police may be able to get continuing education credit for attendance. We will do all that we can to help make sure this takes place. They must install a plan designed to provide a safe atmosphere for their attendees. If disaster strikes your church, you will spend the next few years trying to recover And some of your people will never recover. We believe our call is God-given, Christ-centered, and Spirit-directed. The effect of Jesus on our lives drives us to take a stand against violence, thus fulfilling the words of Psalms This is made plain in Genesis 2: The man was put in the Garden to "keep" it, we are told. The Hebrew word "keep" means to "defend, protect, save life.

## Chapter 4 : NEW LIFE MISSIONARY CHURCH

*New Life for Dying Churches For example, the following statements are taken from the article written by Dr. Thom Rainer which is linked beneath the comments: "I took a look at a few churches that had all the signs of impending death and then turned around to life.*

How Dying Churches Can Find New Life Rather than closing their doors, struggling churches find new life by merging with larger congregations. In early June, those prayers were finally answered, as more than people gathered for a Sunday morning service. But the pews were gone. So were the traditional hymns. At the time, Hillview had dwindled to less than two dozen members, and was on the verge of shutting down. The mergers allow small churches to reinvent themselves and bigger ones to extend their reach. The arrangement met a need for both congregations. Hillview had a building but few people. Conduit had people but no building. The church had been meeting in a local high school since its founding. But the school board policy put a time limit on how long a church could rent. The whole process took about two months. Mergers may offer new life for many smaller congregations, which have been hit hard by the changing demographics of American congregations. But the majority of church attenders now go to a big church, according to the National Congregations Study. That leaves thousands of churches with buildings but few worshippers. In some cases, those churches have chosen to join bigger multisite congregations, like Edmond, Okla. The church has 18 locations, known as campuses, around the country. Five of the campuses were created as a result of mergers, said Bobby Gruenewald, a pastor and innovation leader at LifeChurch. A church that is going to become part of what we are doing is going to have to change. In most cases, the church staff also changes. Most of the congregations that merged with LifeChurch. Some were in danger of closing down. In this type of merger, two or more small churches unite rather than consolidating with a larger franchise. All their attention is focused on survival, so they have little energy to reach out to their neighbors or serve their community. Raymond starts by asking the struggling church to think strategically about its ministry. This is your choice. Do you want the church to close or do you want to try something new? His church was formed in after three small churches decided to close down and pool their resources. Those older three churches had a total of members, Peterson said, but few people showed up for services. The churches were stuck, he said, with little hope for the future. Opening a new church gave them a chance to begin with a clean slate. As part of the restart, the churches formed a separate nonprofit called Grace Center for Community Life in northeast Minneapolis, which is housed in a converted school. Today Grace Lutheran has about active members, said Pederson. They meet in the Grace Center for worship service on Sunday, sharing the space with three other churches a Hispanic Pentecostal congregation, a startup Lutheran church, and a Seventh-day Adventist congregation of immigrants from Ethiopia. The center also rents space to two charter schools, a food pantry, a child care center, and other neighborhood programs. Still, he said, there was a lot of pain in the process. Watching a church that you love shut down is hard, he said, as is saying goodbye to a church building, which often is filled with powerful memories. But a merger can get a church out of survival mode and get the congregation focused on the future.

**Chapter 5 : New Life for Dying Churches!: It Can Happen Anywhere! - Rose Sims - Google Books**

*A Note about the Seminar The "New Life for Old Churches" is a non-denominational begin to experience new life and be revitalized to meet the intense ministry.*

No, due to the large number of groups that attend the New Life Conference each year, we are unable to help groups arrange transportation. As an advocate, she has traveled to 19 countries, calling the faith community as well as the public and private sectors to respond with prevention, care, treatment and support. Kay is the author of several books including: She has been lauded as a gifted communicator, whose writing and speaking overflow with colorful pop culture references that connect the dots between the Bible era and modern life. Her style combines sound scriptural exposition with easy-to-relate to anecdotes and comedic wit. Empowering teams to fulfill their God-inspired destiny and providing opportunities to grow and flourish within their gifting largely expresses her passion for ministry and growing leaders. She is a native of New Orleans, Louisiana and enjoys spending time cooking southern food with her husband George. Together, they enjoy outdoor activities such as camping, backpacking and spending time with their adult children and first grandchild. He loves community, which can be found in the unified team of New Life Worship , which has deep history of innovation and creativity. Co-founder of "Heartwork", a ministry focused on the young people of our nation rescuing the lives of the orphaned and less fortunate, Jon champions our worship leading to action. Jon and his wife Paige have three children. Twins Jones and Izzy and little Lewis. As campus pastor he leads the campus ministry team and staff to execute the vision and values of Gateway as they minister to the Dallas congregation. In addition to his campus pastor responsibilities he serves as Lead Executive Pastor over the Apostolic Outreach ministries of the church. In his position of Lead Executive Senior Pastor he oversees the outside ministries associated with the church, working with the senior management team in this area to execute the outreach vision and values of the church. His ministry experience spans more than 34 years in various ministries and roles, and his relational style and personal experiences bring a warmth to his leadership, speaking, writing, and pastoral ministry. In addition to coauthoring He Still Speaks, Tom has also authored four other books: He has also written articles for Ministry Today and has produced Foundations, a DVD series on healthy church government. Tom and Jan have been married for 44 years and have four married children and 15 grandchildren. In her free time, Michelle enjoys being with her family, reading a good book, and the beach while drinking a strong cup of coffee. After playing a little bit of Division I basketball and a lot of music at Oral Roberts University, he received his degree in theology in That same summer, Daniel married his bride, Lisa, and a week after their wedding they moved to Colorado Springs to join the staff of New Life Church. They have three children--Lillian, Wilson, and Wakley--and they love to get outside to enjoy the rugged beauty of Colorado. Daniel serves as the lead pastor of the New Life Friday Night congregation. Glenn, his wife, Holly, their four children are enjoying life in the shadow of the mighty Rocky Mountains. When Rich is not reading, he is cheering on his beloved Mets, Knicks and Jets teams. Rich is married to Rosie and they have a little girl and boy, named Karis and Nathan. For three out of the last five years, TC has been recognized as one of the top fastest-growing churches in America by Outreach magazine. Gray met his wife, Vicki, at Brigham Young University. They have been married for over 20 years and have two children. After graduating from Brigham Young University, he played professional football in the NFL for five years with the Indianapolis Colts and one year with the Carolina Panthers He then graduated from Southern Evangelical Seminary magna cum laude, with a Masters of Divinity with a concentration in Apologetics, where he was mentored by renowned theologian and philosopher Dr. Gray is the author of Hero: He has written five books: He has a degree in Journalism from Louisiana Tech, has been a radio announcer for professional baseball and basketball teams, and was the Sports Editor for his college newspaper.

**Chapter 6 : New Life for Dying Churches!: It Can Happen Anywhere! - Rose Sims - Google Books**

*New Life West Lakeview is one of a small but growing number of churches around the country that have experienced*

*new life after years of decline. Some are joining up with church plants or with larger congregations.*

### Chapter 7 : Church Letters | Ready-To-Use Templates

*Breathing new life into dying churches At the North American Mission Board (NAMB), our mission is to help Southern Baptists push back lostness in North America. Our primary strategy for doing that is called Send North America, and that strategy includes two primary goals.*

### Chapter 8 : John Daigle Leadership Seminar | New Life Church

*While it's easy for members in a small church to recognize a guest in their midst, it's equally easy for a new visitor to get lost in the crowd at a big church. Overall, the key to surviving in a big church is to have several small "churches" within the large congregation, while keeping your eyes open for those drifting at the edges.*

### Chapter 9 : Armenian Church Seminar | New Life Christian Church

*New Life for a Dying Church! Back to Pastor Doug's Newsletter Archives An Amazing Fact: According to [www.nxgvision.com](http://www.nxgvision.com), the world's smallest church can be found in Oneida, New York.*