

Celebrate

2022!

REIGNITE
YOUR CALLING

FEBRUARY 25-27, 2022
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Celebrate 2022! REIGNITE YOUR CALLING

We invite you to join us at Celebrate 2022!

For the past several gatherings, we were asked to bring the event to California and in February 2022, we will deliver on our commitment! Who knew that a pandemic would happen after Celebrate 2019? God knew. We believe warm San Diego is just what we all need to rebuild, reconnect and reignite after the pandemic. It will be so good to come together again and enjoy the warm and lush surroundings of the Bahia Resort Hotel.

Celebrate is designed with you in mind and is specifically geared to encourage boomers, builders and empty nesters in their faith. Enjoy great music, be inspired and entertained, while having fun building on life-long relationships and creating new ones.

The weekend will feature guest speakers, Richard and Leona Bergstrom, who utilize their research and energy to encourage and guide their peers in serving God and making a difference. We will be entertained by the harmonies and acoustical sounds of Brush Arbor, an award winning band from the 1970's.

See all of the details enclosed and consider joining us in warm San Diego, CA from February 25-27, 2022. You may use this booklet to register for the event, register online at mbfoundation.com/celebrate2022 or call MB Foundation at **800.551.1547**.

We hope to see you in San Diego!

Jon C. Wiebe, President & CEO

FEATURED GUESTS

Richard and Leona Bergstrom

Guest Speakers

Richard & Leona Bergstrom are the founders and facilitators of Re-Ignite, a faith-based ministry committed to helping Boomers who want to serve God and make a difference in the world. Their desire is to utilize their life experiences, values, passions and priorities to live lives that impact our world for God. Richard and Leona have co-authored two books to encourage Boomers in their calling to live with passion and purpose.

Leona, director of Re-Ignite, has worked in the field of gerontology for more than 35 years. Leona is a respected speaker on the issues of midlife, aging and caregiving.

Richard is a church consultant, pastor and President of ChurchHealth. He co-directs Re-Ignite with Leona. They live in Seattle, Washington.



Brush Arbor

Saturday Entertainment

Academy of Country Music Awards recipient Jim Rice and Brush Arbor are keeping the legacy alive after thousands of concerts.

Lead singer/song writer, Jim Rice, along with Joe Rice, Mike Wilson and Mark Craig continue to bring their acoustic sound, great songs, harmonies, and stories that have kept audiences coming back for decades.

You will enjoy a concert that blends gospel music with bluegrass and country-rock influences. Their music will encourage and entertain, providing a wholesome and positive reinforcement for the soul.

REGISTRATION

Early registration price per person is \$299. After January 25, 2022 registration will be \$325 per person. Registration fee includes meals and convention activities noted in the schedule. Lodging is separate.

Register for Celebrate by completing the paper Registration Form and mailing it

along with payment to MB Foundation or register online at mbfoundation.com/celebrate2022.

You may also call **800.551.1547** or email Suzanne Kimball, celebrate@mbfoundation.com for additional registration and payment methods.



SCHEDULE

FRIDAY 2/25

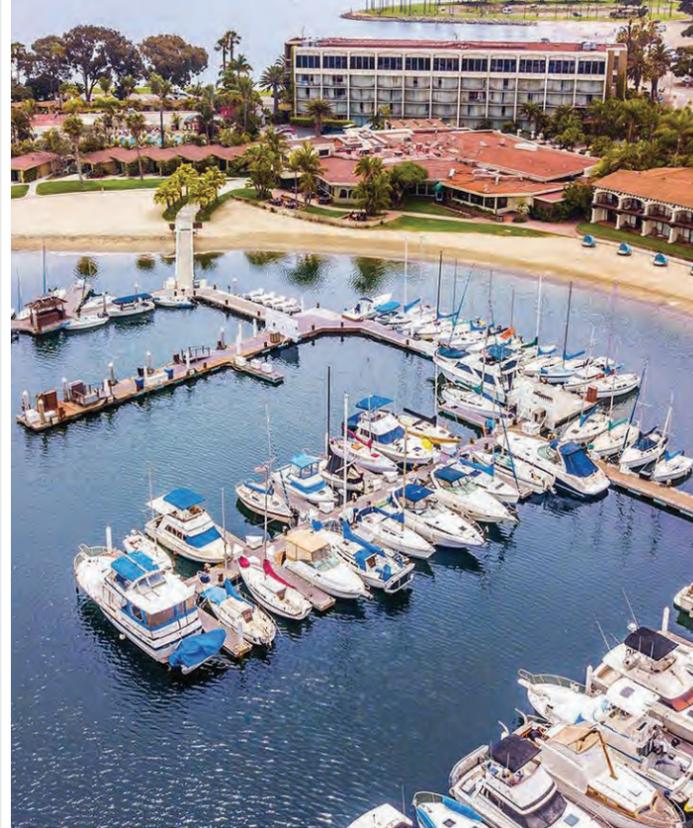
1:00–5:00 PM	Registration
5:00 PM	Dinner
7:00 PM	General Session 1
8:45 PM	Celebrate Connection

SATURDAY 2/26

7:30 AM	Continental Breakfast
9:00 AM	Worship
9:45 AM	Coffee Break
10:15 AM	General Session 2
12:00–5:30 PM	Free Time & Lunch on Your Own
5:30 PM	Dinner
7:00 PM	General Session 3
8:00 PM	Break
8:30 PM	Brush Arbor Concert

SUNDAY 2/27

7:30 AM	Continental Breakfast
9:30–11AM	General Session 4 & Conclusion of Celebrate 2022!



ACCOMMODATIONS

Discover the picturesque natural beauty of the Bahia Resort Hotel. Tucked away on a fourteen-acre peninsula in Mission Bay, the resort is your beachside escape for experiencing the best of San Diego. Bahia includes lush tropical gardens, miles of sandy beaches, and family-friendly accommodations.

All events will be held at the Bahia Resort Hotel, 998 West Mission Bay Drive, San Diego, CA. A block of rooms has been reserved for February 25 through February 27, 2022. The special room rate of \$189 plus taxes and fees will be available until January 25, 2022 or until the group block is sold out, whichever comes first.

Our group rate will be honored for three nights prior and three nights following the event, subject to availability. Complimentary self-parking is available for overnight guests. For general hotel information, call 858.488.0551 or visit www.bahiahotel.com.

You will need to make your own hotel room reservations. Two options are available:

- Call Bahia at **858.488.0551** and mention **MB Foundation Celebrate** for your discounted rate.
- Book online by selecting the accommodations link at **mbfoundation.com/celebrate2022** Use Group Code **MBF2021** in Bahia's reservation form.

If you have any trouble reserving your hotel room, contact Suzanne Kimball at celebrate@mbfoundation.com or call 800.551.1547.

Deadline for reservations at the group rate is Tuesday, January 25, 2022. You are encouraged to make your reservation as soon as possible as the rate and room availability cannot be guaranteed.

SATURDAY LUNCH & FREE TIME

Saturday lunch will be on your own.

Take in the scenery and nice weather on the resort walkways and enjoy local restaurants within walking distance from the resort.

During the afternoon take advantage of a stroll on the Ocean Front, a round of miniature golf, watch the boats in the marina or relax by the pool. You can also plan a short excursion to one of the area offsite activities. (See pages 6-7)



Featured Hotel On-Site Activities:

Tennis
Outdoor Swimming Pool
Private Beach Access
Bicycle Rentals on Site
Hiking/Biking Trails along Mission Bay

THINGS TO SEE & DO IN SAN DIEGO

BALBOA PARK AREA

1. San Diego Zoo

The San Diego Zoo is well known for its lush, naturalistic habitats and unique animal encounters and is home to more than 3,700 rare and endangered animals representing approximately 660 species and subspecies and a prominent botanical collection with more than 700,000 plants. Walk along pathways into aviaries and through bioclimatic zones, as you view cuddly looking koalas, reptiles of various shapes and sizes and many more interesting species.

zoo.sandiegozoo.org/tickets



2. Natural History Museum

The San Diego Natural History Museum is located in Balboa Park. It was founded in 1874 as the San Diego Society of Natural History and is the second oldest scientific institution west of the Mississippi and the oldest in Southern California.

www.sdnhm.org

3. San Diego Model Railroad Museum

At 27,000 sq. ft., the San Diego Model Railroad Museum is the largest such indoor

exhibit in North America, and one of the largest in the world. The museum is on the lower level of the Casa de Balboa Building on the Prado in Balboa Park.

www.sdmrm.org

4. Botanical Gardens

The Botanical Building with the Lily Pond and Lagoon in the foreground is one of the most photographed scenes in Balboa Park. The Lily Pond, built as a reflecting pool for the 1915 Panama-California Exposition, features annual plantings of water lilies and lotus. The plantings inside of the Botanical Building include orchid displays, cycads and palms, a scratch-and-sniff garden, and seasonal displays.

balboapark.org/gardens/botanical-building

EMBARCADERO AREA

5. Sea Port Village

Seaport Village is a waterfront shopping and dining complex adjacent to San Diego Bay in downtown San Diego, California. It houses more than 70 shops, galleries, and eateries on 90,000 square feet of waterfront property.

www.seaportvillage.com

6. USS Midway

The USS Midway Museum is a historical naval aircraft carrier museum located in downtown San Diego, California at Navy Pier. The museum consists of the aircraft carrier Midway. The ship houses an extensive collection of aircraft, many of which were built in Southern California.

www.midway.org

OTHER SAN DIEGO HIGHLIGHTS

7. Torrey Pines State Natural Reserve

Torrey Pines State Natural Reserve is 2,000 acres of coastal state park located in the community of La Jolla, in San Diego, California, off North Torrey Pines Road. Although it is located within San Diego city limits, it remains one of the wildest stretches of land on the Southern California coast.

www.parks.ca.gov/?page_id=657

8. Cabrillo National Monument & Lighthouse

Cabrillo National Monument and lighthouse at the west end of the peninsula offers sweeping views of the Pacific and San Diego's beautiful skyline. Cabrillo National Monument commemorates the landing of Juan Rodríguez Cabrillo at San Diego Bay on September 28, 1542. The original Point Loma Lighthouse is no longer in operation as a lighthouse but is open to the public as a museum. It was built in 1855 by the United States government after California's admission as a state. www.nps.gov/cabr/index.htm

9. Coronado Island

Situated just across the bay from downtown San Diego, Coronado is consistently voted best beach in the U.S. With gentle surf, sparkling wide-sand beaches, charming main street and great hotels, including the famous Hotel del Coronado, this island paradise is perfect for a getaway.

www.sandiego.org/explore/coastal/coronado



10. Whale Watching

Great spots to view the grey whale migration from shore include the Birch Aquarium at Scripps, the Cabrillo National Monument and Torrey Pines State Reserve where the hiking trails offer expansive views of the Pacific. If you're interested in a closer look at these majestic creatures, a host of sightseeing and tour operators in San Diego offer a variety of whale watching excursions.

www.sandiego.org/explore/things-to-do/tours-sightseeing/whale-watching

Individuals are responsible for their own transportation to offsite activities. Check ahead about tickets and available days and times for any activities you wish to include in your visit to San Diego.

TRANSPORTATION

Bahia Resort Hotel is less than a 15 minute drive from the San Diego airport.

LOCAL

SUNNY CAL TRANSPORTATION

Based out of the resort, guests can make arrangements by contacting Guest Services at 858.539.7633 or by email bahiaconcierge@bahiahotel.com

AIRPORT TRANSPORTATION

Super Shuttle www.supershuttle.com/locations/sandiego-san/

DRIVING DIRECTIONS

From I-8 heading West (from Arizona/El Cajon)

Follow the 8 West to the West Mission Bay Dr./Sports Arena Blvd exit. Turn right at the exit and stay in the right-hand lane. Follow the signs for West Mission Bay Dr. After the loop, go to the second traffic light and the hotel is on the right-hand side.

From I-5 heading South (from Los Angeles)

Follow I-5 South to San Diego. Exit SeaWorld Dr. and turn right. Just past the entrance to SeaWorld you will see signs for West Mission Bay Dr. Take that exit. Continue following the signs until you go around the loop. After the loop, the hotel is at the second traffic light on your right.

From I-5 heading North (from Airport/Chula Vista/National City)

Follow I-5 until I-8 heading West. Follow I-8 West until reaching the West Mission Bay Dr./Sports Arena Blvd exit. Turn right at the exit and stay in the right-hand lane. Follow the signs for West Mission Bay Dr. After the loop, go to the second traffic light and the hotel is on the right-hand side.

From I-15 heading South (from Las Vegas/Riverside/Escondido)

Follow I-15 South until it splits into 163 South. Exit on Hwy 52 West. Follow until you reach I-5 South. Follow I-5 south to San Diego. Exit on SeaWorld Dr. and turn right. Just past the entrance to Sea World you will see signs for West Mission Bay Dr. Take that exit. Continue following the signs until you go around the loop. After the loop, the hotel is at the second traffic light on your right.

TO & FROM SAN DIEGO

We recommend contacting your local church, pastor or advocate to coordinate transportation with others traveling from your area to get to and from San Diego.

PRAISE FROM CELEBRATE ATTENDEES

“The Lord is renewing me from within. Through these meetings, I have relearned that there is much to do, and I pray that the Lord will continue to use me.”

“We have been so blessed by this weekend. We have been enriched greatly and will share our story of the weekend along with intentionally building our personal lives.”

“For the majority of attendees, this event was a joyful family reunion; an opportunity to reconnect with friends from the past. For all present, this gathering provided excellent opportunities to forge new friendships.”

“It was excellent. I’m motivated to step out and do something, to stretch. I’m not at the end yet.”



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REGISTER ONLINE! Visit our website at mbfoundation.com/celebrate2022 OR complete the following information:

Name _____ Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Email _____

Phone Number _____ Home Church _____

Who else is attending? The names and states of all registrants will be listed on the MB Foundation website. If you do NOT want your name shared on the website, please mark the Opt Out box to the left.
 Include Me
 Opt Out

Early Registration (#) _____ @ \$299/person BEFORE Jan 25 = _____

Late Registration (#) _____ @ \$325/person AFTER Jan 25 = _____

TOTAL REGISTRATION COST _____

Please enclose a check for the total amount payable and mail to:

MB Foundation
1318 E Shaw Ave, Ste 140
Fresno, CA 93710

For additional payment options or other questions, please call 800.551.1547 or email Suzanne Kimball at celebrate@mbfoundation.com.

REFUND POLICY: Cancellations due to health issues are fully refundable until February 10, 2022, other cancellations will receive 50% of registration. No refunds available after this date.

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