

Hope Starts Here

A *Faithful* Home for Every Child

Join pastors, ministries, and faith leaders from across Louisiana to discover how churches can become a source of hope and support for children and families. Learn how your congregation can strengthen family preservation efforts, support kinship and foster families, grow a foster care ministry, and help create pathways to safety, stability, and belonging. The event also includes Focus on the Family's Wait No More Suitcase Bundle Packing Event, where attendees will assemble suitcase bundles filled with essential items for children entering foster care.

Together, we can ignite **HOPE**.



October 7, 2026
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.



Bethany Church (South Baton Rouge Campus)
11107 Honore Lane
Baton Rouge, Louisiana



SPECIAL GUEST

Jim Daly

President, Focus on the Family

WHY ATTEND?



LEARN

Learn how churches and faith partners can meet the needs of vulnerable children and families and identify practical ways to respond.



SHARE

Exchange ideas and initiatives with other faith leaders, churches, and ministries.



PARTNER

Build relationships and become part of a statewide network of churches making a difference.



CONTRIBUTE

Join others in packing suitcases for foster children with a bible, a teddy bear, and a "loved" letter.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?



PASTORS



ASSOCIATE
PASTORS



CHURCH
LEADERS



MINISTRY
LEADERS



OUTREACH
MINISTRIES



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ORGANIZATIONS

EQUIPPING CHURCHES.
STRENGTHENING FAMILIES.



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