

## *Ethiopia Mission Network Meeting — April 2009*

<b>Thursday—April 23rd</b>	<b>Today's Theme: <u>Understanding Indigenous Culture</u> — Worship &amp; Orality,</b>
8:00—9:00 am	Continental Breakfast — Fergusson Hall
9:00— 9:30 am	Registration - Fergusson Hall
9:30— 10:30 am	Conference Begins—Welcome, Introductions, Opening Prayer
10:30—11:45 am	"Living out the Kingdom in Your Heart Culture" - Ethiopian Indigenous Christian Life—Harold Kurtz
11:45—12:45 pm	Lunch
12:45—2:00 pm	"Orality" - What is it? Why is it important! - Caroline Kurtz
2:00—2:30 pm	Break
2:30—3:45 pm	"How does contextualization of the gospel look in real life?" - Caroline Kurtz, Telile Fikru
3:45—4:45 pm	"Ethiopian Insight" - Ethiopian reflections on Indigenous Worship & Orality (Yonas, others)
4:45—5:30 pm	Group Discussion - What new concept, notion, idea did you learn today?
5:30— 6:00 pm	Open Time— Meet someone you don't know!
6:00— 7:00 pm	Welcome Dinner
7:00 — 8:30 pm	Ministry Fair — Participants sharing ministries in Ethiopia
8:30 — 9:00 pm	Prayer for Ethiopia
<b>Friday—April 24th</b>	<b>Today's Theme: <u>Improving our Serve</u></b>
8:00—9:00 am	Continental Breakfast/Registration— Fergusson Hall
9:00—9:20 am	Morning Worship— "American Indigenous Worship"
9:20—10:20 am	"Exploring the face of mission in Ethiopia" - Ethiopian perspective on mission (Yonas)
10:20—10:40 am	Break
10:40—12:00 pm	The Role of Audio/Video Media in mission outreach and teaching ministry— Allan Starling, Guy Piersall, Global Recordings Network
12:00—1:15 pm	Lunch (Interest group chat time)
1:15—2:30 pm	Concurrent Working Sessions — Outreach to Muslims, Partnership 101, Practical Solar Cooking
2:30—3:45 pm	Concurrent Working Sessions — When someone comes with a need, Ethiopian/American Cross Cultural Issues, English for Ethiopia high school ministry
3:45—4:15 pm	Break
4:15—4:45 pm	Cross fertilization—Report on key points of working sessions
4:45—5:30 pm	What's going on! — PCUSA Missions, East Africa Coordination, Ethiopia Elder Care, .....
5:30—6:00 pm	Open Time—Meet someone new, find an old friend, find a good book
6:00—7:00 pm	Ethiopian Dinner
7:00—8:00 pm	"My Ethiopian Roots" — Seifu Ibssa, East African Village Outreach, Sacramento
8:00—8:30 pm	Questions, comments, reflections from the audience
<b>Saturday—April 25th</b>	<b>Today's Theme: <u>Extending our vision</u></b>
8:00—9:00 am	Continental Breakfast/Registration— Fergusson Hall
9:00—10:00 am	God's Call to Mission — In my life, In your life (If I could do it all over . . . ) — Harold Kurtz
10:00—10:45 am	Panel Discussion—Challenges facing the Church in Ethiopia (Yonas, Michael, ...)
10:45—11:00 am	Break
11:00—11:45 pm	Worship, Communion
11:45—12:00 pm	Wrap-up
12:00—1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm	Conference Closed