Five Reasons to Attend a Preaching Workshop

**Reason #1:** Like everyone else, pastors need to be fed whether they are seasoned servants of God’s people or new to the pastorate. CHM preaching workshops are designed to spiritually nourish you and build you up in your faith.

**Reason #2:** Some pastors are stuck in a pattern of frantically trying to come up with a sermon each week, while others could simply use their sermon preparation time more effectively. CHM preaching workshops take you a giant step forward in preparing several months of sermons. Rather than being left to spend hours searching commentaries and trying to wrestle through complex arguments relating to the Greek or Hebrew text of Scripture, you will have someone shepherd you through the challenges of the biblical text so you can focus your attention on how best to communicate God’s message to your congregation.

**Reason #3:** Being a pastor is often a lonely role. Who do you share the challenges of life and ministry with aside from your spouse? CHM preaching workshops provide an opportunity to gather together for several days of fellowship with fellow pastors and develop relationships and a support network that can help you to grow and stand firm in the faith and flourish in your ministry.

**Reason #4:** Doctors and lawyers admit that after many years of extensive training they are still just people who “practice” medicine or “practice” law and require regular ongoing education. The only difference with church ministry is that pastors often start off with far less training in how to handle God’s Word responsibly and how to connect it to the lives of those under their care effectively. CHM preaching workshops will help you grow considerably in both areas.

**Reason #5:** Although they are workshops rather than conferences, the opportunity to “get away” for a few days will refresh and re-energize weary pastors.