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and mission  
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2005  
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retreat

## How to get there

**Location:** Downtown Williamsburg Holiday Inn-  
near Busch Gardens, Williamsburg Pottery, and  
Colonial Williamsburg.

**Directions:**

From Richmond, take Interstate 64 East to exit  
#238. At the end of the ramp, take a right onto  
Rt 143. \*\*Go through two stop lights and bear  
to the right at the fork in the road onto Route 5  
West. (DMV building located to the left of the  
fork). Holiday Inn Downtown is located 1 1/2  
mile down on the left.

From VA Beach area: take Interstate 64 West to  
exit #238. At the end of the ramp take a left  
onto Rt 143. Follow directions above from the  
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## General Information

**Phone calls to the hotel:** 757-229-0200

- A list of registrants and travel details will be sent prior to the retreat to enable car-pooling.
- No meal will be served Friday evening.
- Please bring some games and snacks to share with others throughout the weekend.
- A more detailed schedule will be sent along with registration confirmation.

Brian McLaren on:  
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February 11-13, 2005

Williamsburg Holiday Inn  
Williamsburg, Va.

## Speaker



Brian McLaren has been involved in networking and church planting since the 1980s. He founded Cedar Ridge Community Church in 1982

(www.crcc.org), located in the Baltimore-Washington D.C. area, where he is still lead pastor. He has authored several books, including *The Church on the Other Side: Doing Ministry in the Postmodern Matrix*, *Finding Faith*, and *A New Kind of Christian*. He has also co-authored several books, including *Adventures in Missing the Point* with Tony Campolo. More information on Brian can be found at [www.anewkindofchristian.com](http://www.anewkindofchristian.com).

## Costs and Deadlines

	By Jan. 5	After Jan. 5
Single room	\$175	\$185
Double room	\$125	\$135

Price includes lodging on Friday and Saturday nights, three meals on Saturday, and breakfast on Sunday.

**Registration deadline: January 12, 2005.**

If cancellation is made by January 5, deposits will be refunded.

## Schedule

### Friday, February 11

- 5-7 p.m. Registration  
*Dinner not provided*  
(There is a pizza place on site, and plenty of restaurants within driving distance)
- 7 p.m. Session #1

### Saturday, February 12

- Breakfast  
Session #2  
Lunch  
Free time  
Dinner  
Session #3

### Sunday, February 13

- Breakfast  
Worship and breakout sessions  
Evaluation  
Dismissal (noon)  
*Lunch on your own*

## Free Time

We want this weekend to be a restful and energizing time for all involved. Whether you take a nap, sightsee, or visit with others, we encourage you to take time for yourself on Saturday afternoon.

## Registration Form

**Registration deadline: January 12, 2005.** Registration and a \$25 per person deposit must be received by this date to reserve your spot. *Register early because space is limited.* Deposits will be refunded if capacity is filled.

**Yes!** I/we plan to attend the Youthworkers and Ministry Retreat on February 11-13, 2005. I/we have enclosed a deposit of \$25 per person. The balance will be paid upon arrival.

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

(please provide if applicable, as this will be used to contact you prior to the retreat)

Congregation: \_\_\_\_\_

Rooms: (check one)

I would like a single room

I would like to share a room with

(name) \_\_\_\_\_

Please assign me a roommate

Make checks payable to **Virginia Mennonite Conference.**

**Mail to:**

Youthworkers/Ministry Retreat  
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