

Bradford M. Wheeler

Education

Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, KY. Graduated 2010
Master of Theology (Th.M.): School of Theology, New Testament Studies

Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, KY. Graduated 2008
Master of Divinity (M.Div.): School of Theology, Biblical and Theological Studies GPA 4.07

Princeton University, Princeton, NJ. Graduating Class of 1997
Bachelor of Arts: Economics GPA 3.3

Ministry-Related Experience

Associate Pastor - Capitol Hill Baptist Church, Washington, DC Aug 10 - Present

- Pastor a congregation of 950 members through prayer and the public teaching of God's word. Bear the primary teaching and leadership responsibilities when our senior pastor is absent. Frequently preach and lead our Sunday morning and evening services. Regularly teach our Wednesday night inductive Bible study, classes on biblical manhood and womanhood, systematic theology, and membership.
- Manage and supervise our pastoral staff in their weekly duties and responsibilities.
- Serve as the Director of our pastoral internship program, an intensive five month program that focuses on the theology and practice of the local church (preaching, leadership, membership, polity, missions, evangelism).
- Lead our church planting and revitalization strategies. Coordinate with local churches, state representatives and national organizations in the fostering of other healthy churches in the DC metropolitan region and beyond.
- Moderate our members' meetings.
- Additional pastoral duties include counseling, weddings, funerals, membership interviews, conducting baptisms, and presiding over the Lord's Supper.

Assistant Pastor - Third Avenue Baptist Church, Louisville, KY April 05 - August 10

- Provided spiritual care and leadership for a congregation of 125 members in downtown Louisville. Primary focus areas: discipling, outreach, membership and member care.
- Led staff-meetings, began visitor outreach, established home-groups and developed programs to help new members better incorporate into the body.
- Regularly preached on Sunday mornings and evenings, taught Sunday School, and led services.
- Initiated and coordinated a training program for future pastors on topics related to service planning, preaching, member care, discipling, ecclesiology and evangelism.

Assistant Pastor - Capitol Hill Baptist Church, Washington, DC January 01 - July 03

- Helped pastor a local congregation of 400 members through teaching, counseling, and small group Bible studies. Aided pastoral staff in all aspects of member care, benevolence and visitation.
- Responsible for promoting discipleship through one-on-one discipling relationships and small-group Bible studies. Ran the church's outreach and ministry to local college students.
- Administered our adult Sunday School. Identify teachers, develop curriculum and taught classes.

Other Ministry Experience & Activities

- Trustee on the Executive Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention.
- Director of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary Extension Center in Washington, DC.
- Teach 9Marks workshops on building healthy churches.

License and Ordination

Licensed and ordained on 16 June 2002 at Capitol Hill Baptist Church in Washington, DC.

Professional Experience

Institutional Consultant – Merrill Lynch, Louisville, KY June 05 - Aug 10

- Institutional Consulting Group (ICG) Advisor for corporate, foundation, endowment and Taft-Hartley clients. Consulting services include portfolio analysis, risk measurement, asset allocation, manager search, and performance measurement.
- Wealth management advisor for private high net-worth clients. Provide estate and survivor planning, tactical and strategic asset allocation, wealth transfer, private money management, and concentrated stock strategies.

Senior VP, Director of Partnerships – Christianity.com, Alexandria, VA April 00 - November 00

- Designed and implemented the marketing, sales, and account management processes for a startup focused on web-based management and distribution of Christian audio content over the Internet.
- Developed business plans and relationships with strategic partners.
- Oversaw operations, account management and customer service for all partner ministries.

Associate Analyst – Ferris, Baker Watts, Inc., Baltimore, MD June 99 - April 00

- Conducted investment research of small-cap health services firms. Research included earnings models and peer group valuation analysis. Summarized results in written reports and verbal presentations to the institutional and retail sales forces.
- Hosted daily morning market commentary over the 26-branch “squawk-box.”

Institutional Consultant - Wurts & Associates, Santa Monica, CA June 97 - June 99

- Institutional investment consultant for thirty corporate, foundation, endowment, and high net-worth clients. Sole responsibility for client meetings, entertainment and new business presentations.
- Investment consulting services included portfolio analysis, asset allocation and asset/liability studies, quarterly performance measurement, and investment policy statements.

Personal

Born 28 January 1975. Raised in a Unitarian home. Grew up largely in Santa Cruz, CA. Converted in March of 1989 through the witness of two friends and the gospel of Mark. Married Erin (Matiasovich) of Santa Cruz, CA in 1998. Erin received a B.A. in Kinesiology from Westmont College and a B.S. in Nursing from Johns Hopkins University. She currently serves in the home as a mom, discipler, and full-time teacher to our four children. First felt the call to pastoral ministry in 1999 as I experienced the wonderfully transforming effect of faithful preaching and vibrant church life. Four children: Page (13); Maggie (11); William (10); and Eliza (8). I enjoy reading, travel, exercise and all things motorcycles! My wife's an avid reader, a wonderful discipler of women, and enjoys women's health.