June 24  CounselTalk Webinar through the American Association of Christian Counselors (AACC):

*Topic:* Restoring the Shattered Self: Symptom Stabilization for Complex Trauma Survivors  
*Time:* 3PM - 5:00PM PST. It is recommended to sign in at least 10 minutes early.  
*CEUs:* 2  
*Cost:* AACC members without CEUs get in free. Other pricing varies from $10-$30, depending on whether or not you are an AACC member and/or want CEUs.  
*Speaker:* Heather Davediuk Gingrich, Ph.D.

Participants will:  
1. Identify intrusive post-traumatic symptoms and explain how they develop  
2. Describe how to stabilize intrusive post-traumatic symptoms, including flashbacks, nightmares, terror, memory gaps, and physical pain  
3. Recognize how to use spiritual resources appropriately with complex trauma survivors

Click [here](#) for more information about this course and [here](#) for information about AACC.

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June 26  The Arts of the Covenant monthly meeting

*The Vision:* Christ in culture through the arts and media  
*Meets:* Every fourth Thursday of the month  
*Time:* 7:30PM - 9:00PM  
*Location:* Bank Building at Menlo Park Presbyterian Church, 950 Santa Cruz Ave., Menlo Park, CA 94025, Room D-11 at 1111 University Drive, Menlo Park 94025. Marianne Lettieri at mariannelettieri@yahoo.com or 650-328-5754

This time will be used to collect submissions for the exhibit to be held on July 19 and 20. Bring your art piece and complete a submission form which is available on the members page of the website below.

*The Arts of the Covenant* is sponsored by Menlo Park Presbyterian Church. It is a group of people interested in exploring the intersection of Christian faith and the visual arts. Emerging and professional artists, art teachers, and art therapists who live throughout the greater San Francisco Bay Area gather monthly for intellectual stimulation, spiritual nourishment, artistic development, and the opportunity to use art in ministry.

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June 27  The Gospel Coalition’s 2014 National Women’s Conference

*Location:* Orlando, Florida  
*Some of the Speakers:* John Piper, Don Carson, Tim Keller, Katherine Alsdorf, Kristie Anyabwile, Mindy Belz, Mary Mohler and Jenny Salt.  
*More info:* [www.tgc.org/2014](http://www.tgc.org/2014) #TGCW14

A conference for women, all about the Word! Plenary speakers will unfold the book of Nehemiah - the story of God’s people returned to a broken-down city and called to trust God’s Word at a point of great need. It’s about God redeeming a people for himself through his Son. This is our story. The focus will be on listening to this Word... living in light of it...helping others hear it...worshiping according to it...waiting on the Spirit who inspired it...exalting Jesus at the center of it.
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July 29

**CounselTalk Webinar through the American Association of Christian Counselors (AACC):**

*Topic:* Playing with Violence: How the Virtual World Impacts Bullying and Aggressive Behaviors  
*Time:* 3PM - 5:00PM PST. It is recommended to sign in at least 10 minutes early.  
*CEUs:* 2  
*Cost:* AACC members without CEUs get in free. Other pricing varies from $10-$30, depending on whether or not you are an AACC member and/or want CEUs.  
*Speaker:* Tina Brookes, MSW, Ed.D.

Participants will:  
1. Explore the negative neurobiological impact on today's youth of violent content marketed as "entertainment" through gaming, movies and television.  
2. Identify how repeated exposure to violence in the virtual world often manifests itself in bullying, aggressive behaviors and gun violence.  
3. Name and describe practical steps for facilitating pro-social behavior in youth and creating a culture of respect, honor and kindness.

Click [here](#) for more information about this course and [here](#) for information about AACC.

Aug. 14-15

**Global Leadership Summit**

*The Purpose:* GLS is telecast live from Willow Creek Community Church and features world class speakers, music and drama to help equip Christian leaders around the world.  
*Presenters:* Bill Hybels, Tyler Perry, Jeffrey Immelt, Susan Cain, Wilfredo De Jesus, Patrick Lencioni, Carly Fiorina, Ivan Satyavrata, Bryan Loritts, Joseph Grenny, Allen Catherine Kagina, Louie Giglio, Erica Ariel Fox, and Don Flow.  
*Bay Area Locations:* San Jose - Church on the Hill, Foster City - Central Peninsula Church, San Francisco - Cornerstone Church, Pleasanton - Valley Community Church, and Richmond/Oakland - Hilltop Community Church  
*Register:* [http://www.willowcreek.com/events/leadership](http://www.willowcreek.com/events/leadership)

Western Seminary will have a booth at most of these sites. Stop by and send people our way! Interested in connecting with other Western people at the GLS? Contact Charmaine Williams at cwilliams@westernseminary.edu.

For Christian concerts and other events in the area, visit [www.NorCalChristianEvents.com](http://www.NorCalChristianEvents.com).