**More Than Just “Because I Said So”:**

**Why Theology Matters for the Church**

**Description**: God said what He said on purpose. Though He does not owe me a “because;” His Word defines and defends the truth. In a culture of “do whatever seems right to you,” the church must regain her voice and passionately defend Divine expectations. God’s Word is not merely His advice to generations long gone by, it is His intention for His people throughout time. It is enough to say that God’s Word is true simply because He said it, but this session will examine why theology matters for the church today.

**Four Critical Theological Issues Facing EVERY Southern Baptist Church Today**

1. **Southern Baptists today need to stand in agreement on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**
2. **Southern Baptists today need to stand in agreement on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**
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