

MEDIA ADVISORYPRESS CONFERENCE

RICK WARREN TO SPEAK ON FAITH; METHODISTS TO ANNOUNCE MALARIA INITIATIVE, at 2:15 PM Tues., Nov. 1, 2005

WHAT: The opening press conference of the TIME Global Health Summit focuses on the role of Americans and American faith communities in fighting for global health. The United Methodist Church will announce new African malaria initiative supported by Americans.

WHO: **Rick Warren**, pastor and best-selling author (“The Purpose-Driven Life”); **Bishop João Somane Machado, Mozambique**, The United Methodist Church; **The Rev. R. Randy Day**, General Secretary, General Board of Global Ministries, The United Methodist Church

WHEN: 2:15 PM EST, Tuesday, November 1, 2005

WHERE: Press Conference Room, TIME Global Health Summit.
Frederick P. Rose Hall, Home of Jazz at Lincoln Center,
Broadway at 60th Street, NYC

DIAL IN: Working press may dial-in to a conference call broadcast of the press conference. Questions from the dial-in participants may be accepted if time permits; first priority is given to on-site press. Dial +1-651-291-1889, Participant Access Code: 800979.

TIME Summit Press Credentials: To request press credentials for the TIME Summit, please go to <http://www.time.com/time/2005/globalhealth/press.html>. You must submit the form IN ADVANCE to request credentials in order to attend.

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The TIME Global Health Summit will inform and engage Americans from all sectors on the international challenges to public health – and what they can do to help. The TIME Summit will highlight solutions to such challenges as AIDS, avian flu, malaria, and the shortage of health-care professionals. The summit brings together non-profit, government, faith and corporate leaders like Bill Clinton, Bill Gates, Dr. Julie Gerberding, Jeffrey Sachs, Ann Veneman, Rick Warren, Paul Wolfowitz, and others.

The United Methodist Church’s General Board of Global Ministries and Rick Warren, pastor of Saddleback Church, Orange County, CA, represent the major commitments by Americans of faith to the fight for global health and against poverty.

Malaria kills more than one million people each year, four-fifths in sub-Saharan Africa. Both a cause and a result of poverty, malaria consumes 40% of public health spending in and accounts for more than half of hospital inpatient admissions in the most affected countries, and causes a net loss to African economies of \$12 billion.

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