

## Dr. Michael Wetzel – Leadership & Creative - Bio

### PERSONAL

Born: 6 Jun 1959, Lietchfield, Kentucky

Parents: Jerry F. and Doris J. Wetzel

Married: Maria C. Vila, 27 June 1987

### EDUCATIONAL

Public School, Nashville, Tennessee 1965-77

B.A., University of the State of New York, 1987

M.Div., New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, 1990

D.Min., New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, 1999

### MINISTERIAL

License: 12 August 1979, Two Rivers Baptist Church, Nashville, TN. Ordination, 8 January 1986, Two Rivers Baptist Church, Nashville, TN.

Church Planter Apprentice, Home Mission Board, 1990-92

Started The Island Chapel, Tierra Verde, Florida, 1992

Pastor, The Island Chapel, Tierra Verde, Florida, 1992-present

Adjunct Professor, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, 2000-2004

Adjunct Professor, Baptist College of Florida, 2004-2006

Guidance Team Chair for Suncoast Baptist Association, 2005-present

Distance Site Coordinator, Baptist College of Florida, 2005-2006

Foundation Board Member, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, 2005-present

Extension Director, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, 2007-present

Chairperson of Suncoast Baptist Search Team for Director of Missions, 2008

Interim Director of Missions for Suncoast Baptist Association, 2008

Member of Suncoast Baptist Association Search Team for Church Planter Strategist, 2009