



## Dr. Lee Atkinson

Dr. Lee Atkinson has been a member of *Dyer Baptist Church* since 1990, and started serving in various roles as a teenager and young adult. In 2006, God started *Plum Creek Christian Academy* as a ministry of DBC with Lee serving as the administrator, a role he still fills today. In 2018, Dr. Atkinson was also given the responsibility of Senior Pastor at Dyer Baptist Church.

Dr. Atkinson is well qualified to serve in each of the roles the Lord has placed him. He is known for his Christlike spirit, practical wisdom, and academic preparation. He holds the following degrees: Graduate of Practical Theology, B.S. Biology Education, M.S. Secondary Science Education, Ed.D. Education Administration, M.A. Church Ministry (in progress).

Pastor Lee – as he is known by his church family – has a deep and strong burden for missions and Christian education, and desires to see every age group in every culture growing in the grace and likeness of our Lord Jesus Christ. Pastor Lee's life goal is to magnify and exalt the name of the Lord (Psalm 34:3).

When not directly involved in ministry, Lee enjoys outdoor recreation with his wife, Bethany, and four children, of whom two are in college and two are in high school. Favorite activities include hiking, skiing, camping, landscaping, and splitting firewood.

Dr. Atkinson has served as a member of the IACS Board of Directors since January, 2019. Currently, he serves as the Vice-President.