

**MICRO-ENTERPRISE: A MEANS OF EMPOWERMENT**  
**(Saturday, June 18, 2:15-3:45 PM)**

**CRAIG COLE**

Craig Cole is president and CEO of Five Talents International, an organization dedicated to fighting poverty, creating jobs and transforming lives through savings and microcredit programs, business training and spiritual development.

Before coming to start Five Talents in 1999, Craig spent four years with Food for the Poor, one of the largest relief and development organizations based in the U.S. He held several program and fund-raising positions while working extensively with churches in Latin America and the Caribbean, especially in Haiti. He has a master's degree in economic development from Eastern College, St. David's, PA. While there, he worked as a consultant with two non-profit organizations in inner-city Philadelphia. He has given workshops and speeches on economic development in a variety of settings and countries. He has a B.A. in journalism from the University of Iowa and worked for the *Daily Herald* newspaper (Chicago) for five years.

**JUDITH GREGORY**

Judith Gregory, CPA, has been the business manager for the Diocese of Delaware for almost 17 years. A member of the AFRECS board, she spent nearly six months in Khartoum in 2008. She was assisting the ECS in its efforts to train staff, purchase computer hardware, and begin setting up financial systems. She is a member of Sts. Andrew and Matthew Church in Wilmington, DE, and is active with an African drumming group. She hopes to return to Sudan later this year as a volunteer.