



# Women's Ministry

Fall Newsletter 2018

## September Events:

Pie Party Kick  
Off –  
Friday 7<sup>th</sup> 7:00-  
9:00pm

Tuesday Bible  
Study Start –  
Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup>  
6:30-7:45pm

Thursday Bible  
Study Start –  
Thursday 13<sup>th</sup>  
9:30-11:00am

Prayer Retreat  
– Saturday 15<sup>th</sup>  
8:30am-12:00  
(+lunch)

LIFT –  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup>  
7:00-9:00pm

Be Still  
AND KNOW  
THAT I AM GOD

-PSALM 46:10

**Saturday September 15<sup>th</sup> from 8:30-12:00.**

This prayer retreat will be devoted to a morning of quiet; each of us spending quiet time alone with God, reflecting on passages in His Word. With some thoughts from Tim Keller's book Prayer, the primary focus will be on having time alone to pray, seeking the Lord as we reflect on directed questions from several Bible passages. There will also be a time of sharing together how the Lord is working in our lives. The morning will be led by Janis Taylor, Betty Nicoletta and Karen Bengtson. Lunch will be from Noon to 12:30 and is provided free of charge. Bring your Bible and a pen. Other materials will be provided as well. We hope you will join us to enjoy this wonderful time of fellowship with the Lord and your sisters in Christ!

Please RSVP to Erica Philips, [ephilips@gmail.com](mailto:ephilips@gmail.com) to sign-up and indicate if you will be staying for lunch.

### Summer Sewing Project!

Thanks for all your help. The project is finishing up – so we can bless the young ladies of the Emmanuel orphanage. Call or text Cindy Peatfield at 617 901 4284 for any more details.

### Fall Fellowship Kick-Off

Friday, Sept. 7<sup>th</sup> | 7:00-9:00PM | Fellowship Hall

Join us for a **PIE PARTY!** Bring a pie or ice cream or drink to share or just come to hear about our Fall events & studies as well as sign up to participate in *Secret Sisters*. Contact Erica Philips to be added to our email list!  
Contact: Erica Philips [ephilips@gmail.com](mailto:ephilips@gmail.com)

## **Bible Studies**

*Tuesdays, Sept. 11<sup>th</sup> – Dec. 18<sup>th</sup> | 6:30-7:45PM | Room 114*

*\*Same night as our AWANA program for ages 3 years old -12<sup>th</sup> grade*

### **Behold Your God: Studies on the Attributes of God - by Myrna Alexander**

In this study of God's character and person, each lesson covers a truth about God's character: loving, supreme and sovereign, all-powerful, good, omniscient, all-wise, omnipresent, immutable, faithful, holy, just, and worthy to be praised. It prepares participants "to consistently lean on God," and "to know him"; it also encourages practical application of this knowledge to daily living. You'll complete one brief on-your-own "discovery session" each day and share your insights in the weekly group lesson.

Contact: **Erica Philips** [ephilips@gmail.com](mailto:ephilips@gmail.com)

*Thursdays | 9:30-11:30AM | Capernaum Room - Sept 13<sup>th</sup> -Nov 2<sup>nd</sup>*

### **Ephesians: Made Complete in Christ - by Janice Mayo Mathers**

It doesn't matter where you've been or what you've done - God wants to be in relationship with you. And one place He tells you about Himself is in His Word: the Bible. Whether the Bible is familiar or new to you, its contents will transform your life and bring answers to your biggest questions.

Gather and consider the message of Ephesians. Reflect on the big love of God and find the strength and power He provides to live victoriously.

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or **Pat Shaw** - [pattishaw@comcast.net](mailto:pattishaw@comcast.net)

## **Wonderful Women Moving Away!!**

We have some ladies who will be moving away – on to new adventures. Be sure to send them a card or message!

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## **More Women's Ministry Activities!!**

### **Ladies in Fellowship Together (L.I.F.T.)**

*3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the month, Sept-June | 7:00-9:00PM*

A fun group for women of all ages to get together to have fun, get to know each other, laugh, play games, do crafts, make new friends, pray, hear a devotional shared by one of our sisters in Christ and enjoy each others company!

There will be a LOT of laughs, snacks, and opportunities to fellowship with other women! And, of course, bring a friend!!

Contact: **Dotty McMillan** (978-866-3343), [getdotm@yahoo.com](mailto:getdotm@yahoo.com)

### **Moms of Little Ones (MOLO)**

*Start Date TBD*

We look forward to getting moms and caregivers of small children together to enjoy fellowship and encouragement while the kids can enjoy play time. Join us in the gym at Immanuel Church.

Contact: **Shelly Brawn** at [shellybrawn@gmail.com](mailto:shellybrawn@gmail.com)

**Secret Sisters...shhh! It's a Secret!**

Secret Sisters is a great opportunity for you to share your love for Christ with others through fellowship and prayer. Spiritual uplifting and fun are guaranteed! After signing up this fall, you will be given the name of another woman who you will not reveal yourself to until the Spring "Unveiling". During this time you'll be praying for her. You can also drop cards in the mail or leave cards with words of enlightenment, encouragement or uplifting scriptures for her on the designated table in Fellowship Hall. Sign up in September!

Contact: **Dotty McMillan** - [getdotm@yahoo.com](mailto:getdotm@yahoo.com)

***Enlarging Your Ministry Through Outreach***

On Saturday November 17<sup>th</sup> 9:30-12:15 Jean Marapodi will help you develop a strategy to reach women for Christ as you serve in ministry.

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