

Women's Ministries 2015-2016

# Gospel Tracts

Pastor Minnick used to say that the best way to witness to someone is to tell him/her of what Christ has done for you. We have asked a few ladies from our church to write out their testimonies with a clear and simple Gospel witness, and have published them as tracts. They are available in the bookstore in packs of five for \$1.75. We encourage you to avail yourself of this tool to witness to people in our community. It's a special opportunity to get to share the story of someone you know and perhaps follow up with your own.

Mentoring Biblical Womanhood: Mothers of Teens The MBW SS class is a four-year cycle of lessons held every year in the fall semester. This year's class is for mothers who have any children from the age of 11 to 18 years old. We encourage your participation, even if you attended previous cycles, to hear fresh perspectives on timeless truths from Scripture.

Based on the teaching of Titus 2:3-5, older women in our assembly will teach and encourage those of you who have preteen and teenage children to continue during these critical years "to love your husbands, to love your children, to be sensible, pure, workers at home, kind, submitted to your own husbands so that the Word of God will not be dishonored."

There is a \$5 fee to cover the cost of a notebook binder and weekly handouts for the class. Registration is recommended but not required in order to participate.

When: September 6 – December 20, 2015

Where: Rm 203 (Fireplace Rm)

Contact: Esther Neal (eneal@mountcalvarybaptist.org; 233-1684)

#### Ladies Missionary Prayer Group

This ministry is available to women of all ages in our church family. Our primary purpose is to generate prayer support for our missionaries. The monthly meetings provide opportunity to hear from our missionary women, check out missionary biographies from our lending library, and spend time in prayer. We also help provide missionary awareness within our assembly.

Many ministry opportunities are available for those who participate regularly in LMPG in the areas of writing, technology, leadership, music, hospitality, librarian skills, etc. We encourage you to join us with the exercise of your gifts in this ministry of "Taking the Word to the World."

When: Next meeting: August 7 at 7:15 p.m. Meetings held second

Friday of each month unless announced otherwise.

Where: Choir Suite

Contact: Rosemary Kelly (<a href="mailto:rakelly3@bellsouth.net">rakelly3@bellsouth.net</a>)

## Women's Activities

Mark your calendars for a Mount Calvary Ladies Brunch for ladies college age and above! The event will be held November 21<sup>st</sup> from 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon at the Kroc Center near the Greenville West End. This will be a great outreach opportunity for you to invite someone with whom you'd like to build a relationship for spiritual ministry. Begin praying and thinking about who the Lord would have you to invite as your guest. Start now to set aside some extra change so that you can pay their way. Cost is \$16.00 per person. One of the special features will be a funniest home video contest, so begin thinking about a possible entry from your archives. More details will be forthcoming soon.

When: November 21, 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Where: Kroc Center near the Greenville West End Contact: Tina Walker (walkerti@us.concentrix.com)

## Seminary Wives Fellowship

If your husband is in Seminary and is preparing for ministry in a pastoral/missionary role, we invite you to join us for our monthly meetings with Mrs. Minnick. We have a discussion time on topics as they relate to being a wife of a man in ministry: marriage, parenting, finances, young women in ministry, priorities, counseling, etc. We also share book recommendations, Scripture memory, project reports, evangelism opportunities, and close with a brief time of prayer. "Breakfast" and a nursery are provided.

When: 4th Saturday of each month at 8:00 a.m. Next meeting: 8/22.

Where: Fireplace Room

Contact: Amanda Barley (amanda.chinn@gmail.com)

or Mrs. Minnick (iicorin318@gmail.com)

#### Women's Bible Studies

Our ladies have the opportunity to fellowship around the Word with two different Bible study tracks.

A **weekly Bible Study** meets at the church each Thursday morning at 10:30 a.m. This year the group will be studying *Selah: Studying God's Songbook* by Betty Henderson, which is available for purchase in the church bookstore. The ladies enjoy hearing from four different teachers throughout the month, as well as having a period of small-group discussion time for each session. We welcome you to join us. (Childcare not available.)

When: Thursdays at 10:30 a.m., September – April (exact dates TBA)

Where: Fireplace Room

Contact: Virginia Arnold (<a href="mailto:thebarnolds@gmail.com">thebarnolds@gmail.com</a>)



A second option is our **monthly regional Bible Study groups**. Seven different groups meet in individual homes located throughout the Greenville area one evening each month. Most of the groups are working through *Refresh Your Heart* by Claudia Barba. This book is also available in the church bookstore. If you would like to participate, we invite you to contact Ruth Langendorfer who will assign you to a group which meets near your home.

When: Once a month Where: Private homes

Contact: Ruth Langendorfer (rufus328@gmail.com)