



To the Ladies Ministry Leader,

Hello from your Ladies Retreat Director and planning team!!! We are so excited for ladies retreat this year and we hope that your ladies, regardless of age, can come and worship, celebrate, and just have fun with us! The theme this year is Joshua 1:9, specifically Be Strong and Courageous. God tells us to be strong and courageous 13 times in scripture, so I think he is trying to tell us something! Join us and discover how we can be Strong and Courageous in the Lord. We will be led in worship by Rachelle Branstetter and we have Rev. Dr Sonja O'Bryan coming to give us our messages! Make sure that you can come down on Friday night and experience the special Kick-Off Party that we will be having! Trust me, it is worth it!!

This year we are doing a few things differently. First, we are including t-shirts in the price of the event. This decision was made due to the financial burden of not selling all of the t-shirts. We did pass the wholesale cost to you and we are not making any profit from the shirts. This will also allow the ladies who could not typically afford the shirts and opportunity to have one of their own! Secondly, if you have ladies who cannot come but want to send someone else or those who can come and can place their arm around another, we have the option donate some or all of the registration cost for a lady who cannot otherwise afford to go. Third, we are doing a compassionate care project. Please bring hygiene items for women and children for care kits that will go to support the Safe House for Women Shelter in Cape. Please bring hygiene items, sanitary items of all types, diapers, and things that can bring comfort. Things like lip-glosses, eyeshadows, nail polish, and small soft toys (beanie baby size). Many women who seek shelter at the Safe House for Women leave with little to no personal items and it is the small items that make a huge difference in making them feel some sense of normalcy.

Please have all registrations in by August 16th so that we can be sure we have everything that we need. If you have someone who cannot afford to go, please email me at stephaniehowellcpht@gmail.com and we will see how much we can contribute based on the donations that we receive. If you have someone needing to register after August 16th, please email Dawn Vaught ASAP at dawnvaught@sbcglobal.net.

We cannot wait to see everyone this year! Come and celebrate our wonderful savior with us!!

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