



Women Connect



MARCH/APRIL 2026 NEWSLETTER



UPCOMING DATES:

- Last day of James/Joshua studies: March 18 (no Tues/Wed Bible Study March 24/25 or March 31/April 1)
- Study resumes: April 7 for Tuesday study and April 8 for Wednesday study
- Last day of study: May 13 (Brunch)
- Fall Kickoff: Week of September 13
- Women's Conference, with Glenna Marshall, at CBC: October 2-3

GROW IN FAITHFULNESS

In April and May, our Women's Bible Study will gather as a whole group to study God's Word together! We will sit under a single teaching with a time of discussion on scripture passages related to God's faithfulness – our theme for the year!

God's Faithfulness Makes Us Fruitful

"He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers." (Psalm 1:3)

A fruitful tree is dependent on external factors to survive and thrive. It bears fruit because it is well hydrated, supplied for, and nourished through its roots. Everything a tree needs, it receives from outside of itself. God's Word is telling us that believers are like trees: fully dependent on Him for any growth and fruitfulness. A believer in Jesus can be like this tree – faithfully fruitful – because genuine faith bears good fruit. What does it look like to grow in faithfulness?

- The faithful believer walks with God – is He the priority of our days, expressed through listening to Him in His Word and talking with Him in prayer, or have we let other pursuits take priority over Christ?
- The faithful believer stands for God – is the gospel a regular part of our conversations, informing our thoughts and words, or do we give into fear when our faith is questioned?
- The faithful believer serves God – whether big or small, seen or unseen by others. Do we seek to do everything for Christ, who sees all?
- The faithful believer imitates God – with God's help and the empowerment of His Spirit of faithfulness, do we seek to be dependable in our roles and responsibilities?
- The faithful believer hopes in God – is our hope grounded in our own attempts at faithfulness, or the faithfulness of Christ?

(Adapted from The ESV Devotional Journal on Faithfulness, which we will be using in our upcoming study in April/May)





SAVE THE DATE:

October 2-3

The Women's Ministry team is excited to announce that Calvary Bible Church will be hosting author and speaker, Glenna Marshall, for our Women's Conference this fall! Save the date for October 2-3, 2026. Watch for more details, coming in May!



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Women's Ministry

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WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES
Tuesdays at 6:30 pm
and
Wednesdays at 9:25 am
in the Fellowship Center

PRAYING FOR WOMEN'S MINISTRY:

- **Please pray with us...** that each woman that attends will feel welcomed and be able to get connected – that each of us would have eyes to see the needs of the women who enter through the doors on Wednesday morning.
- **Please pray with us...** that women will find mentors to disciple them and encourage them in their faith journey.
- **Please pray with us...** that the Lord would direct all of us to His Word and His promises – that we would follow Him daily and drink deeply from His wisdom.



GET TO KNOW OUR LEADERSHIP TEAM ...

Prompt: What has God been teaching you about prayer lately? In what ways do you hope to grow in your prayer life?



DANA SMITH

God has been teaching me that prayer is a very important part of the life of the Christian that He uses to help us grow in our faith. I hope to continue to cast ALL my cares on Him. What a great invitation to learn to trust Jesus with all the things that concern me!

AMY PANKOW

God is teaching me how to bring my sorrow and pain to Him in worship and trust through the practice of lament. "Lament is how you live between the poles of a hard life and trusting God's goodness" (Dark Clouds, Deep Mercy by Mark Vroegop). I want to grow by expressing and articulating the heavier cares of my heart, more freely and fully to the Lord!



DENISE HANSEN

He is teaching me that I can cast ALL my cares on Him because He cares for me. I hope to continue to trust God in the waiting, knowing that He is Sovereign and in control.

LACEY ANEVICIUS

God has been teaching me what a joy it is to talk to Him. I tend to be a verbal processor, and lately I have been trying to make a habit of silencing the noise around me so I can audibly speak to Him about all that is in my mind and heart. I hope to continue going to Him first, instead of spending time with spiraling thoughts or worries. I want to run to my Father – believing He cares for me!



MOLLY JONES

He's been prompting me to spend time praising and thanking Him for all He's done and given me; I tend to focus on my needs or wants. I want to be more patient and understanding, and to help my kids talk to Jesus about everything, little things and big things, to make it part of our everyday thoughts.

BRI KWIATOWSKI

God has been interrupting my internal dialogue and helping me to turn it into prayer, instead of just a mix of swirled thoughts. Instead of talking to myself, I am talking to God, in every moment. I hope to practice more and grow in prayer through Scripture, with the goal of using the passage that I'm reading to guide my prayers (instead of them being separate things).



"NOW MAY THE GOD OF PEACE HIMSELF SANCTIFY YOU COMPLETELY, AND MAY YOUR WHOLE SPIRIT AND SOUL AND BODY BE KEPT BLAMELESS AT THE COMING OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST. HE WHO CALLS YOU IS FAITHFUL; HE WILL SURELY DO IT."
(1 THESSALONIANS 5:23-24)

