



Women's Ministry at Windwood Presents ...

2010 Fall Retreat

at Camp Allen in Navasota, Tx.

September 17-19

"Let your beauty be that of your inner self, the unfading beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which is of great worth in God's sight."

- 1 Peter 3:4

Dear Sisters,

Women's Ministry at Windwood is very excited to announce our fall retreat. After the success of last year's retreat we knew we needed to bring our "A" game, and we have delivered! At Camp Allen in Navasota, Texas (www.campallen.org), we'll be praising our Father, and learning about having Biblical beauty.

We are fortunate in being able to bring in a gifted speaker for our retreat this year. This is made possible by a generous donation from one individual who has offered to pay the entire speakers' fee for the weekend. A prayer of praise would be appreciated for this gift.

Our speaker, Laurie Cole from Priority Ministries (www.priorityministries.com), has been active in ministry for 20 years. In those years she has taught a multitude of Bible studies. For our retreat she will delve into Proverbs and lead us with the study ***Beauty by the Book***. We are thrilled to have Laurie join us. Beginning June 13th at 9:30 WMW will also be offering a Sunday School class from one of Laurie's studies. Please consider joining us in this class.

We only have 46 spots available at Camp Allen. We'll be staying in hotel rooms with two women per room. The retreat begins Friday night and ends on Sunday after worship services. Dinner on Friday, 3 meals on Saturday, and Sunday breakfast are included in the retreat fee. There are 3 swimming pools and tennis courts that we can enjoy, plus we'll have a campfire and crafts. Optional activities offered at Camp Allen at an additional charge include, Trail Ride (\$20), Canoeing (\$5), and kayaking (\$10). Once again we'll be bringing Kay Womak in to do massages (\$25 for 30 minutes, \$55 for 60 minutes). Watch for activity sign-ups later this summer.

The retreat fee for ***Beauty by the Book*** is \$185. **Registration begins May 23rd** with an \$85 deposit due at registration. The balance is due September 5th. Once the deposit is paid you are guaranteeing your attendance. If your plans change your deposit will be returned IF we can fill your spot from a wait list. If we don't have a wait list, you'll need to find someone to fill your spot; at which time we can return your deposit. We trust you will understand this policy is necessary as we have guaranteed Camp Allen their fee. We also have a few "Day Tripper" spots. The charge for this will be \$65 and it includes lunch and dinner. Please contact Debby Hartzell if you are interested in a *Day Trip* spot.

We do have a limited number of partial scholarships available. If you have a need of this sort please, contact Lisa Bodeman (832-244-5012) or Pat Ryan (281-378-4040). Your confidentiality will be respected. If anyone feels so called, we will gratefully accept financial gifts to offset scholarships.

This is an overview of our event and certainly there will be more detailed information to follow. Please contact Debby Hartzell (dlhartzell@gmail.com, 713-806-7443) with any questions or stop by for a chat at the WMW table on Sunday morning.

In His service,

Debby Hartzell, Lisa Bodeman, Courtney Davis, Alli Sandel and Pat Ryan