

Christian Women Connection Fall Retreat

Friday, September 15-17, 2017

*Unplug
to Connect...
with your roots*

Camp White Branch

61500 Old McKenzie Hwy.
McKenzie Bridge, OR 97413

Be Sure to Pack:

- Sleeping bag or bedding and your pillow!
- Towels and toiletries
- Warm jacket and walking shoes
- Bible and notepad
- Table games and snacks to share

Great expectations of:

- Enjoying God's beautiful creation
- Good food and fellowship
- Receiving teaching and instruction
- Wonderful worship in song

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To contact campers: 1-877-822-3964

Take exit 194A, the Springfield exit. This becomes I-105 and connects with Hwy 126 at the east side of Springfield. Turn left (east) at second stop light Hwy 126 (toward Bend). Continue on 126 for about 50 miles, past McKenzie Ranger Station. Turn right onto Hwy 242. Continue for about 7 miles to the camp which is on the right.

Check-in begins at 4:00 on Friday

Fall Retreat Registration

Registration Fee of **\$90** includes: Housing, Programming and all meals Friday through Sunday Brunch. If you are planning to go to Belknap Hot Springs Pool, you will pay upon entrance to pool.

Please try to send registrations from your church together, and on one check by **September 1st**. If needed, you may pay \$45 at registration and the balance when you arrive.

Checks payable to **Christian Women Connection** may be mailed to: **Sherrill Goodeill**
3229 SE 116th Ave, Portland, OR 97266

Name: _____ Phone _____

Home Church: _____

I plan to attend: _____ Friday—Sunday _____ Friday and Saturday only **\$65**

Dietary Restrictions: _____

Speaker



Leslie Duclo lives in Hillsboro with her husband Gary. They have a daughter Bethany. While they do not have any grandchildren they do have a grand horse, dog, two cats and a turtle with an attitude. Thankfully only the dog comes to visit on occasion with Beth.

Leslie has attended Aloha Church of God since she was a junior in high school except for the three years that she worshipped with the First Church of God in Juneau, Alaska. It was while she was in Alaska that she began to love WCG now Christian Women Connection. As she looks back, the connections she made with those women and the things they taught her have been invaluable as she faced the defeats and triumphs of the last forty years. Leslie has been very active throughout her life teaching Sunday school, leading Bible studies, serving others in the food pantry and as the woman's group leader in Celebrate Recovery. She served as State President of WCG and continues to serve as secretary to CWC.

Leslie continues to work part time as a dental hygienist. She is beginning to ask what God wants her to do with the rest of her life. Continue working, retire, travel, sit back and take it easy. No matter what God has in mind she is sure that it will require her to "unplug" in order to make a new "connection" doing what God is calling her to do.

Worship Leader



Marva Adams lives in Hillsboro with her husband Rick. Their three married children have given her 8 grandchildren who are the joy of her life. Three of them have recently moved with their parents to Kenya on a short term mission assignment.

Marva has used her musical talents to lead worship at Aloha Church of God for over 25 years and still counts it a great pleasure to serve. In addition to leading at church she has lead worship for many retreats, and was the worship leader this year's Spring CWC Connection.

Marva also enjoys singing in the Portland Scandinavian Choir, where they sing in 6 different Scandinavian languages, loves bicycling, going to the beach and spending time with family and friends.

Let your roots grow down in him, and let your lives be built on him. Then your faith will grow strong in the truth you were taught, and you will overflow with thankfulness. Colossians 2:7(NLT)

Check In Begins at 4:00 pm

There is an **activity** being planned for **Saturday** afternoon, however the complete plans have not taken root. But be prepared for a great time at Camp.

If you want to return to **Belknap Hot Springs** for a walk or to soak in the Hot Springs pool there will be time for that on Saturday as well. **The entrance fee for the pool** has been raised to **\$8** according to their website. As always you can go with the group and walk the grounds for no fee.

What ever you choose to do we encourage you to spend time making new friend relationships and strengthening old ones.

Cost for the Weekend

\$90, this covers your lodging (2 nights), all meals (5), programming and fun for **Friday, Saturday and Sunday**

Only able to attend **Friday and Saturday, \$65**