

Ladies Retreat Emmanuel Bible Camp June 25-27, 2010

It is with great anticipation that we invite the ladies in your meeting to join us at our annual Ladies Retreat at Emmanuel Bible Camp. The retreat will begin at 4:00 pm on Friday, June 25 and will end at 2:00 Sunday, June 27. Lord willing, our speaker this year will be Marilyn MacMullen. Marilyn and her husband, Donald, live in Oakville, Ontario and they attend Halton Hills Bible Chapel where Donald is an elder.

Marilyn is the daughter of Dr. Ross Woodward who was a missionary to Angola. She spent her early years at Sikeji School and then later graduated in Nursing from U of T followed by a BEd and an MEd. She has been happily married for 29 years and worked as head of counseling in a high school before retiring to have their 2 children. She now teaches and tutors and works on the editing staff for Gospel Folio Press and Everyday Publications. She is a real student of the Word of God and enjoys teaching ladies Bible studies and speaking at various conferences.

Marilyn has chosen to speak on Ruth and we would like to encourage and challenge each one to spend some time getting to know this book before they arrive. To register contact Dixie Boisvert at 902-569-5815. A draft of the schedule for the retreat has been attached. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 902-675-3376 or you can email me at gloria@macdougallsteel.com

In Christ,
Gloria MacDougall

Ladies Retreat Schedule

June 25-27, 2010

Friday – June 25

4:00 – 5:30	Registration
5:45 – 6:45	Supper
7:00 – 7:30	Getting Acquainted
7:45 – 8:00	Singing
8:00 – 9:00	Session 1
9:15	Refreshments
	Table Games, Talking & Sharing

Saturday – June 26

8:00	Morning Bell
8:30 – 9:00	Breakfast
9:15 – 9:45	Table Devotions
9:45 – 10:15	Registration for ‘Saturday Only’ Campers
10:15 – 10:30	Singing
10:30 – 11:30	Session 2
12:00 – 12:45	Lunch
12:45 – 2:45	Free Time
2:45	Snack Time
3:15 – 4:45	Camp Wide Activity
5:15 – 6:00	Evening Meal
7:00 – 7:15	Singing
7:15 – 8:15	Session 3
8:15 – 9:15	Concert/Testimony/Sharing Time
9:15	Refreshments
	Table Games, Talking & Sharing

Sunday, June 27

7:30	Morning Bell
8:00 – 8:30	Breakfast
8:30 – 9:15	Table Devotions
9:45	Leave for Upton Chapel
10:00	The Lord’s Supper at Upton Chapel (return to camp after meeting)
11:15 – 11:30	Singing upstairs at camp
11:30 – 12:30	Session 4
12:45 – 1:30	Lunch
1:30	Cabin Clean-up

Notes:

To register contact Dixie Boisvert at 902-569-5815.

We encourage those who cannot spend the night to come and enjoy the retreat on Saturday.

Please register with Dixie if you intend to come down for the day!

As in years past, we will be having a concert and time for sharing on Saturday evening. If you have a talent you would like to share, come prepared to participate.

Don't forget to bring a head covering for the Lord's Supper Sunday morning at Upton Chapel.

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Ruth has been titled "A Love Song in Harvest." Is this a good title: Can you suggest a better one? One author writes, "Our story is Naomi's story: from bitterness and despair to joy and fullness.

Our story is Boaz's story; from waiting in the wings to a lasting legacy.

Our story is Ruth's story; from loss to commitment to betrothal to the ultimate Bridegroom."

In what ways can you relate to Ruth? Naomi? Boaz?

The book of Ruth is a romance with a very happy ending. Do you think that's an accurate picture of life in this world? Why or why not? How well does it depict your hopes for an inheritance in God's kingdom?