

What's New with AB Women's Ministries



Women's Leadership Academy - You Must Register For Each Session

The Women's Leadership Academy focuses on the basics of Christian leadership with an emphasis on Biblical insights for leadership, personal spiritual growth, servant leadership as modeled by Jesus, and God's vision for the future.

The Academy modules also covers the "How-to's" of organizing for effective ministry, communication within the ministry team and to the broader audience, shepherding and mentoring, selecting ministry activities and planning, resourcing for effective ministry and evaluation.

Women from age 18 and older are encouraged to participate in the 10-session Academy. Several modules will be taught each year, and participants can begin at any time during the two-year cycle.

**Session Two - Saturday, September 24, 2016 at Parchment Valley Conference Center/
Santrock Hall at 1:30 p.m., during the Spiritual Growth Retreat.**

The Spiritual Life of the Leader

Leader Debbie Higginbotham invites you to explore how to exist in a relationship of ongoing spiritual formation with God who loves us beyond what we can ever understand. We will be looking at practices that open us to God and deepen our relationship with Him.

**Session Three - Saturday, November 5, 2016 at the Parchment Valley Baptist Church
10:00 a.m. until after lunch. Lunch will be provided.**

Developing a Vision for Your Ministry

Participants will learn what vision for ministry is and why it is important to all organizations, even local church ministries! The session will also cover a Biblical foundation for vision, a method to discern and develop a vision for ministry and how to help others understand and use the vision as the foundation for service. Participants should bring their Bible. The leader is Lisa Simmons.

The Leadership training is FREE of charge. What a great opportunity to strengthen your womens group and your church.

Women's Leadership Academy Registration

Name: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip Code: _____

Phone: Home _____ Cell: _____ Email: _____

Age Group: _____ 18-30 _____ 31-50 _____ 51-77 _____ 77-Great Wisdom

Church you attend: _____

Mail to: Zola Miller

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Spencer, WV 25276

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_____ Attending in person

_____ Online participation

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Online Instructions

- ♦ *If you wish to receive credit towards a Women's Leadership Academy certificate, go to www.wvbc.org. From the menu, select Partners and scroll down to American Baptist Women's Ministries of WV and click.*
- ♦ *Click on Women's Leadership Academy Registration; print off the form; complete it and mail to Zola Miller, Registrar, 29 Wildwood Lane, Spencer, WV 25276.*
- ♦ *Exit from this website and go to www.YouTube.com.*
- ♦ *In the Search Bar at the top of the page, type Women's Leadership Academy WVBC (case sensitive).*
- ♦ *Click on the session you wish to view.*
- ♦ *Under the video box click "Show More" and this will give you a link to Google where you can access and print the handouts for the session.*