



G.R.O.W

God Renewing Our Women

*Grow in grace and in knowledge of our Lord and Savior
Jesus Christ
2 Peter 3:18a*

September 2018

SPIRITUAL GROWTH

**SHE IS CLOTHED WITH STRENGTH AND DIGNITY, SHE LAUGHS *without fear* OF THE
FUTURE**



EXTRAORDINARY WOMEN CONFERENCE

be fearless
PROVERBS 31:25

Friday, October 26th

6pm: Doors Open

7-10pm: Conference

Saturday, October 27th

7:30am: Doors Open

8:30am-12pm: Conference

LUNCH BREAK*

1:15-4:30pm: Conference

The Summer Savings offer of \$69 tickets (+ \$3 service fee) expired on August 31. The new pricing will be available on September 4. Hopefully the discount will be extended. Please sign up on the G.R.O.W bulletin board if you plan to attend.

* **Box Lunch Available:** Lunch includes deli-style sandwich with lettuce/tomato/condiments on-the-side, chips, pickle, cookie, and bottled water Until Oct 21, 2018 \$12

More details will be available, as we get closer to the conference date. You can see more information about the speakers at EWOMEN.NET

➔ If you are interested in attending this event as a group, please sign up on the sheet on the G.R.O.W. bulletin Board ASAP, so we can purchase tickets and get a number for booking hotel reservations. We currently are holding a few rooms (4 per room) at a local hotel. Total expenses will be determined by number attending. ←



September Birthday Card Shower for our Shut-ins:

September 17

Betty Leatherman
901 Summer Street
Burlington, IA 52601

Fall Festival Kids' Coat Closet The Kids' Coat Closet is a ministry to provide coats free to families in need and is an annual event as part of our Fall Festival. We will be collecting *children's gently used or new coats* beginning on Sunday, October 7 through Sunday, October 28. A bin will be placed in the hall across from the GROW bulletin board for collecting these items. Keep this in mind as you begin cleaning out your children's closets. If you would like to help with this project in preparation for and during the Fall Festival, please let a member of the GROW planning team know.

Connie Maxwell Marie Younts Home For the past several years we have partnered with the Marie Younts Home in Mauldin that is part of the Connie Maxwell Children's Home. The MYH houses teenage girls, and we go quarterly to celebrate the girls' birthdays and help at Christmas by providing gifts for the girls. This year's Christmas plans have not been finalized, so look for updated information in upcoming newsletters, announcements and the GROW bulletin board.

Mentoring Program GROW has an ongoing mentoring program open to anyone needing an avenue to connect with other ladies within the church, ladies new to the faith, ladies going through difficult things, ladies who want to go deeper in God's Word, or those needing a godly influence and accountability. Caring for someone with Alzheimer's disease, other types of dementia, physical and health conditions, or aging parents impacts every aspect of your daily life. We have mentors who can help you on your caregiving journey. Our mentoring team members are Donna Britt, Anne Carver, Lynn Ellis, Carol Harvey, Francis Riley and Ann Shockley. If you are interested in or need help, see one of the ladies on our mentoring team.

GROW Planning Team: Jean Blackwell, Donna Britt, Anne Carver, Pat Edge, Lynn Ellis, Carol Harvey, Emogene Mann, and Ann Shockley. The team invites anyone interested to join us as we plan ways to reach all women. If you would like to be a part of the GROW team, please let one of the above members know.

The GROW bulletin board is located in the hall leading to the Family Life Center. Check it regularly for "Sign-up" Sheets and other information.
