

Connect365 Calendar of Events

2011

- *Ladies' Night Out @ Anzi Pizza N Pasta*
1816 Main Street, Locust
Monday, January 31st @ 7pm
- *Ladies' Night Out @ Blue Bay Seafood Rest.*
1901 E. Main Street, Albemarle
Monday, April 11th @ 7pm
- *Ladies' Getaway to Gatlinburg, TN*
Friday - Sunday, June 24th-26th
Leaving Church @ 9am
- *Ladies' Night Out @ Mazatlan Mexican Rest.*
1900 Hilco Street, Albemarle
(behind Yadkin Valley Restaurant)
Monday, September 19th @ 7pm

Contact:

Leader/Director - Linda Rakowski

WM's Board Members:

*Julia Biles
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Our ministry statement is: Connect, Belong, Grow, Pass It On.

WHY DO WE HAVE A WOMEN'S MINISTRY?

Because:

We want to **connect** with you and connect you with other women in our church family.

We want to **belong** to a group of Godly women hungry for God's word and direction.

We want to **grow** in God's word and humble to His will for our life.

We want to take the fire that burns within us for our Heavenly Father and **pass it on** to every person we meet.



One Hour With Him

(Ladies' Intercessory Prayer)

We meet every **Thursday morning @ 10am** in the **Sanctuary**. Join us as we pray for our church, our families, and our nation.

Ladies' Bible Study

This is a wonderful time of learning how to live under God's authority. We will meet every **3rd Monday @ 7pm** at the home of Sheila Holland (433 Lindsey Lane, Oakboro) with leader Linda Rakowski.. **January 17th, February 21st, March 21st, April 18th, May 16th, June 20th, October 17th, and November 21st.**

The "Home Sweet Home" Society

Learn to make delicious meals, budget, decorating, and much more. Join us **once a month on a Monday @ 10am** right here at First Assembly in Room 99. This is a great time of fellowship and also re-discover the art of home-making. For more information, contact Ashley Braswell at 704.221.6174. **January 10th, February 7th, March 7th, April 4th, May, 2nd, August 1st, September 12th, October 3rd, November 14th, and December 5th.**

LunchBunch With Char

The **4th Tuesday** of the month @ **11:30am** at **Zaxby's Restaurant**. **January 25th, February 22nd, March 22nd, April 26th, May 24th, June 28th, September 27th, October 25th, and November 22nd.** Enjoy a wonderful lunch and at the same time get to know more about each other.

This is a great way to form new friendships.

Coffee Connect

Saturdays, February 19th and May 14th @ 10am in **Rooms 101/102**. This is a place for newcomers and other ladies to connect with one another over a cup of coffee & breakfast and enjoy a wonderful time of fellowship.

(Childcare Provided with pre-sign-up)

Women's Brunch

Join us on **Saturday, March 26th @ 10am** in the **Youth Room** for a time of fun, food, fellowship, and a spring fashion show.

(Childcare Provided)

Missions

We support 2 projects throughout the year:

- 1.) The Pregnancy Resource Center here in Stanly County.
- 2.) "Touch The World" which is sponsored by our North Carolina District Office with a different foreign recipient each year as well as providing household goods for our NC Missionaries.

This support is accomplished three ways:

- 1.) By giving regularly to "Touch The World" in the offering.
- 2.) Bake Sales - from which all proceeds go directly to missions. **Dates: Sundays, February 6th, May 1st, and August 14th after the morning service.**
- 3.) By helping with the 2011 "Touch The World" project which we will kick off in January called "Sole Mission". This will provide shoes to Rural America. The slogan for this mission project is "From the Soles of their Feet to the Souls of their Hearts."