Standing Strong Mentoring Ministry 2024-2025

NEED TO KNOW

This 10-month program is based on Jesus Christ, His message, and His plan for our lives. Instead of a traditional one-on-one situation, you will be in a group of 5-8 women of various ages. Each group will have one leader.

Each month, you will read and discuss a book that has been prayerfully chosen to help you in your spiritual journey. You will be able to glean knowledge and understanding from women of different ages, backgrounds, and experiences. You will be strengthened and encouraged to grow in your faith as you challenge each other in your journey as Christ-followers.

EXPECTATIONS

- ~ Purchase all book selections for the year by August 12, 2024.
- ~ Attend a commitment dinner on August 12, 2024, 7:00 pm
- ~ **Read each** book and be prepared to share questions and insights with your group.
- Attend a 2-hour monthly meeting with your group. Location, times, and dates will be set as a group, to ensure attendance.
- Attend a monthly peer meeting with one of the women in your group.
 Location, times, and dates will be set by the two who are meeting.
- ~ Attend both the starting and ending Group Retreats
- ~ **Commit** to the Standing Strong Covenant, (<u>see online</u>).

<u>COST</u>

- Application fee: \$65
- Book cost options you choose which option suits your budget.
- You may purchase all books on your own, in hardcopy, audible or digital form.
- You may purchase all books in a bundle from BHBC Media Center for approx. \$80-\$90

TIMELINE:

June 23 June 30 July 21 July 23 July 24 - Jul 30 Aug I Aug I2 Monthly Group Meetings Monthly Peer Meetings

<u>BOOKS FOR THE YEAR</u>

The Real God Abba's Daughter The Battle Plan for Prayer Boundaries Is God Calling Me Defeating the Enemy Giddy-up, Eunice

Applications available online

Informational Meeting, 4:30pm Room 181 Informational Meeting, 6:30pm Room 181 All Applications due with \$65 fee Applications reviewed Groups announced by email/phone Commitment Dinner (Books purchased) To be decided by groups To be decided by participants

Applications for Standing Strong are available <u>at this link</u>

If you need information on either mentoring program, contact one of our leaders: Ginger Anderson - <u>gingera1225@gmail.com</u> CJ Crenshaw – <u>CJCrenshaw@Burnthickory.com</u>

IS THERE A 1: 1 MENTORING PROGRAM?

YES! - Our I: I Mentors work with women who are new Christians, recently baptized, new to BHBC, or generally seeking support and friendship. This 4-6-week program we walk through a "Welcome to the Family" pamphlet, use a Spiritual Journal, and explore BHBC women's ministries. Be on Guard STAND FIRM In the Faith BE COURAGEOUS Be Strong I Corinthians 16:13