



# UNITY WOMEN'S MINISTRY



## Connecting & Growing in Faith Together

It's the time of year when the beauty of God's creation really shines and brings so much joy. Fall is also a reminder that Thanksgiving and Christmas are not too far away and that our schedules are about to get even busier somehow. Take your time looking through the upcoming events to add time for Unity Women to connect and grow together to your calendars!

**Please stop by the Women's Ministry table in the Fellowship Mall for more details and sign-up information closer to each event!**

## FALL EVENTS 2025

### October

**10/1:** Begin reading the New Testament with The Bible Recap (ends 12/31- join anytime!)

**10/11:** Shine Bright and Write at 10 AM in the Grief Share Room

**10/11:** Meeting for Leaders Who Minister to Women at Awaken Coffee, 10 to 11 AM

**10/13:** Women's Ministry (WAC) at 6 PM in Room 119A hosts Alex Awtery- missionary to Bulgaria with Intervarsity Fellowship

**10/24-25** Renew Her Women's Conference in New Bern

### November

**11/3:** Christmas Craft Night from 6:30 to 7:45 PM in the Grief Share Room

**11/8:** Shine Bright and Write at 10 AM in the Grief Share Room

**11/8:** Leader Interest Meeting and Workshop from 11 AM to 1PM in the Family Life Center

**11/10:** Women's Ministry (WAC) at 6 PM in Room 119A

**11/14:** Cake decorating with Sheri from 9 AM to noon

**11/17:** Cake decorating with Sheri from 9 AM to noon

### December

**12/1:** Christmas Craft Night from 6:30 to 7:45 PM in the Grief Share Room

**12/6:** Women's Ministry (WAC) brunch at G&K Cafe

**12/6:** Brunch in Bethlehem hosted by Accessible Disciples, 10 AM to 12:30 PM, **Volunteers needed!**

**12/12-13:** Harvest Home trip

**12/13:** Shine Bright and Write at 10 AM in the Grief Share Room



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## The Bible Recap



Join us in reading the New Testament together! The Bible Recap New Testament reading plan runs from **10/1 to 12/31**. Feel free to jump in at any time. Terri will have a LifeGroup on Sundays at 9 AM for those who are reading through the New Testament and want to join a group for discussion and encouragement. She is also willing to offer a Zoom discussion time on a weeknight. Email her if you are interested.

**Contact:** Terri DeCresie [terri@unityfwb.org](mailto:terri@unityfwb.org)

## Women's Ministry (WAC)

This LifeGroup focuses on missions and other projects that support the FWB denomination. Meetings are the **2nd Monday each month at 6 PM in Room 119A**. Anyone is welcome to attend. (Also, the National Women's Ministry also has a podcast called, **As You Go**.)

**Contact:** Nelda Highsmith [hi-marnel@juno.com](mailto:hi-marnel@juno.com)



## Harvest Home Trip



Harvest Child Care is a licensed, faith-based children's home located in Duffield, Virginia. Each year, our Women's Ministry (WAC) group buys presents for one or more of the children. They set up a fully decorated tree and enjoy watching their sponsored child open their gifts. Come celebrate Christmas at Harvest Home with us! The trip is **December 12-13**.

**Contact:** Nelda Highsmith [hi-marnel@juno.com](mailto:hi-marnel@juno.com) or Teri Pritchard [terigp@yahoo.com](mailto:terigp@yahoo.com)

## Shine Bright and Write

Shine Bright and Write is an event organized by Victorious Living Ministries to facilitate a prison correspondence outreach program. Volunteers write letters to people who are incarcerated, offering encouragement, hope, and spiritual guidance. Come join us the **2nd Saturday of each month at 10 AM** in the Grief Share Room! See calendar for dates.

**Contact:** Cindy Walters [cjwalters1954@gmail.com](mailto:cjwalters1954@gmail.com)



## Renew Her Conference



New Life Church in New Bern is hosting a women's retreat on **October 24-25**. The cost is \$45, which includes 2 meals and services. You can sign up and pay on the app or on the clipboard at the Women's Ministry table. If you would like to ride in the church van, please indicate that on the clipboard at the table.

**Contact:** Terri DeCresie or anyone at the Women's Ministry table

## Leader Interest Meeting and Workshop

Have you felt God tugging on your heart and asking you to lead a group? Have you had the opportunity to lead someone to Christ, but are not sure you know what to say? This workshop is designed for you! Come and join us to hear from women who have led small groups or have discipled one-on-one and are willing to share what they have learned. Sign up on the app or on the clipboard at the Women's Ministry table. Join us **Saturday, 11/8, from 11 AM to 1 PM**.

Lunch will be provided.

**Contact:** Terri DeCresie or anyone at the Women's Ministry table





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## Meeting for Leaders Who Minister to Women



This meeting is open to anyone who leads a group of women, middle school and up, and is an opportunity to share what your ministry looks like, to hear from and support others, and to see the big picture of what is offered to women at Unity. It will be held **Saturday, October 11 from 10 to 11 AM, at Awaken Coffee**  
Contact: Terri DeCresie or anyone at the Women's Ministry table

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## Christmas Craft Nights



We are offering two craft nights that are free of charge.  
The time aligns with Trail Life, from 6:30 to 7:45 PM.

**Monday, November 3**, participants will learn how to cross-stitch and make an ornament with a symbol of the Christian faith (crismon).

**Monday, December 1**, participants will make gift tags out of paper. These nights will be low-stress opportunities to create and to socialize.

Contact: Terri DeCresie or anyone at the Women's Ministry table



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## Cake Decorating



Participants will learn how to make a snowman cake topping out of buttercream icing placed over an ice cream cone. Sheri will have an example for you to see, so stop by the Women's Ministry table to see it and sign up for one of the two times: **November 14 or 17 from 9 AM to Noon**

Contact: Sheri Camp 252-341-2554

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## Brunch in Bethlehem

Join us for a festive community event created especially for individuals with special needs and their families at Unity Church **Saturday, December 6 from 10 AM to 12:30 PM**. Enjoy a warm brunch together while stepping back in time to experience life in Bethlehem at the time of Jesus's birth. Through themed activity stations, sensory friendly crafts and games, costumes, and interactive experiences, families can celebrate the Christmas story in a joyful, welcoming environment!

**We need volunteers to make this special event a success!**

Contact: Julie Brickhouse [jbrickhouse692@gmail.com](mailto:jbrickhouse692@gmail.com)



**Stay tuned – we are busy planning for 2026!  
Be on the lookout for the another Newsletter in January!**

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## Connect and Grow

Our goal is that these Women's Ministry events will help you connect with other believers and grow closer to the Lord! For more details or suggestions, contact Terri DeCresie, the Women's Ministry Coordinator, at [terri@unityfwb.org](mailto:terri@unityfwb.org)

