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Free Methodist Southern Michigan Conference

Retreat for Women & Teen Girls
October 5-6, 2012



Pack your sweats & sneakers for:

- Saturday morning ZUMBA
- A jog around the campus or walk in the gym

TRY YOUR HAND AT



Learn more about the game at www.usapa.org/

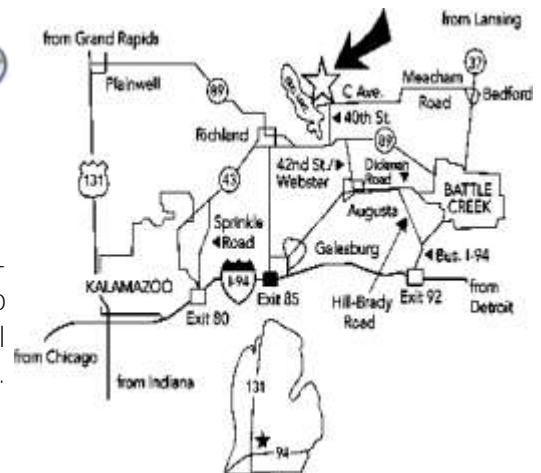
Silent Auction

If you have new items, handmade items, or delicious baked goods, bring them for the silent auction! Just drop the items off when you get here, and we'll do the rest. Proceeds benefit this year's missions project. And, don't forget to bring some extra cash—there may be something YOU want to bid on!



How to Find Gull Lake Ministries:

Gull Lake is located at 1988 Midlake Drive, Hickory Corners MI 49060. For directions, log onto www.somiretreat.org, and click the link for Gull Lake Ministries, or call toll-free at 1-800-350-2442.



GROUP IDEAS:

- Have your group do a study in the weeks leading up to Retreat on one of Carla's books.
- Have bake sales, spa nights, or other fundraisers to raise money for Retreat registrations & scholarships to offer your ladies!
- Bring board games, home spa treatments, a boombox & cd's, crafts, and snacks to Retreat!
- Have t-shirts made to wear at Retreat!

Find us online at www.somiretreat.org!



This year's keynote speaker:

CARLA MCDUGAL is founder of *Reflective Life Ministries* headquartered in the Houston, Texas area. Her true passion for her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, shines brightly, whether she is speaking or writing. She shares experiences from her own life to encourage women to live every day for Him. God sends Carla around the world to speak to women from all walks of life—those living in the best of circumstances to those who have hit rock bottom. A yearly event called Share Fair started in 2007. Carla brings together women who desire new ideas for their women's ministries as well as women who want help in starting a ministry. Different speakers share their enthusiasm and ideas for women helping women. In 2010, Carla's book, *Reflecting Him: Living for Jesus and Loving It*, a 10-week study that encourages you to open your eyes to God's daily life lessons, was published along with a CD of original songs and a full length movie that shows how lives are changed when God's truths are revealed. In 2011, the *Reflecting Him Video Teaching Series* was released. Churches throughout Texas and the world are studying *Reflecting Him*. You can learn more about RLM at www.reflectivelifeministries.org.



This retreat is a ministry of the Free Methodist Southern Michigan Conference, open to teen girls and women of all ages, shapes, sizes, colors, and backgrounds! Please bring a friend or group, and expect a blessing through this time spent focusing on God and His WONDERFUL creations!

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS*:

Friday, October 5

3pm	Registration
4pm	Rooms Available
4-6pm	Activities for all ages! (bring extra cash in case you want to participate in a craft or pontoon ride)
6pm	Dinner line opens
7:30pm	Round Up 1 (main session)
9pm	Free time

(If you would like a campfire for a fee, please contact Gull Lake in advance to make arrangements at 800-350-2442)

Saturday, October 6

7am	Exercise
8am	Devotions & prayer
8:15am	Breakfast line opens
9:30am	Round Up 2
10:45am	Free time
11:15am	1st Breakout Session
12pm	Lunch line opens
1pm	Free time
1:15pm	Silent Auction Closes!
1:30pm	2nd Breakout Session
2:30pm	Round Up 3
4pm	Dismissal

*Schedule subject to change.

And I will give you treasures hidden in the darkness--secret riches. I will do this so you may know that I am the Lord, the God of Israel, the one who calls you by name.
Isaiah 45:3 (NLT)



PAY AS YOU GO

Need a layaway plan for your registration cost? Contact our registration secretary for a convenient payment plan! Contact info is at the bottom of the registration form.

STEP 1 (Please print)

Name _____
Address _____
City/ State/ Zip _____
Phone _____ E-mail _____
Home Church _____

Is this your first time attending our retreat? [] Yes [] No

Age Category: [] 19 & Under [] 20-30 [] 31-50 [] 51-70 [] 71 & up

[] I'm available to help as a hostess/greeter. Please call me.

It can refresh and relax us to be away from the telephone, the cry of a baby, the tug of a toddler or the demands of a child. Your little ones are precious, and we'd love to meet them, but not at Retreat. Please come! You'll be a better mom for it, but make other arrangements for your little ones.

Please let us know if you are bringing a nursing baby under the age of one by checking this box.

STEP 2 Accommodations filled according to group size and on a first-come/first-served basis.
All rooms based on double occupancy & include linens.

***Registration is (per person) \$102.00 if postmarked by September 4, 2012, OR \$112.00 after September 4, 2012 and includes:**

1-night lodging, break-out session options, main speaker sessions, 3 buffet meals, & Friday afternoon activities.

Indicate your first (1) and second (2) choice in accommodations:

- [] **PLAN A** Condo-style unit (for groups of 8 or more; private bath in each room)
[] **PLAN B** Fellowship Center (hotel room accommodations)
[] **PLAN C** Cottage (groups of 4-12; shared bath)
[] **PLAN D** **\$30**
Friday Only (dinner & activities—EXCLUDES LODGING)
[] **PLAN E** **\$40**
Saturday Only (meals and activities—EXCLUDES LODGING)
[] **EXTRA Option** **\$45**
Stay an extra night (Saturday night—LODGING ONLY)

List name of preferred roommate/group (if any): _____

[] Need a handicapped-accessible room (LIMITED AVAILABILITY).

STEP 3 Mail this form with your payment (money order or check) to:

PHYLLIS GREGG, 11830 DEVEREAUX RD, PARMA MI 49269

Make checks payable to SO MI Retreat. Your paid registration reserves your place at retreat. **NO REFUNDS**—please find someone to replace you if you cannot attend.

Questions? Contact:

PHYLLIS AT (517) 629-8346, (517) 812-17-18, OR PHYLLISMGREGG@AOL.COM

JUDY AT (517) 263-7373, (517) 403-4820, OR DELORIA1@COMCAST.NET

Website: www.somiretreat.org



**SOUTHERN MICHIGAN
WOMEN'S RETREAT**
October 5 & 6, 2012

Conditions of the contract:

- **Minimum deposit of \$25.00**
- **A monthly payment of at least \$20.00 received by the 30th of each month**
- **This will lock in the \$102.00 registration fee**
- **The entire amount must be received before September 4, 2012 or you will progress to the cost of \$112.00.**
- **The first payment must be accompanied by a completed registration form.**

Return this completed agreement along with your first payment of \$25.00 and a completed registration to:

**Phyllis M. Gregg
11830 Devereaux Rd.
Parma, MI 49269
Phone: 517-812-1718**

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Address: _____ **City & State:** _____

Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Deposit: _____

- I agree to pay at least \$20.00 per month until the entire amount has been paid.**
- I understand that the entire amount must be received by September 4, 2012 or it will cost \$112.**
- I understand that an E-Mail Address will be used for my receipt of payment.**
- I understand that all payments received are non-refundable but can be transferred to another person if I am unable to come.**

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____