

# Upcoming Events

Register for these events at <https://www.ibcwg.org/women> or by contacting the following:

## Women's Bible Studies

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## Special Events

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Save these Dates:

Ladies Christmas Tea

December 2, 2023, 10:30 AM

Mother-Daughter Celebration Banquet

May 17, 2024 6:30 PM

TEA CANCELED

Watch for details of these and other possible events in the church bulletin, the IBC women's calendar, bulletin boards, digital slides, and online at:

<http://www.ibcwg.org/women> or on Facebook  
<https://www.facebook.com/IBCMARTINSBURG>.

# Women's Ministry Committee

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# Women's Ministries


at IBC


2023—2024

*In your hearts  
set apart  
Christ as Lord.  
1 Peter 3: 15a*

# Purpose of IBC Women's Ministry

 Present the gospel of Jesus Christ and its liberating and transforming power

 Promote spiritual growth and worship through prayer and the study of Scripture

 Provide fellowship, encouragement and support to women in all stages of life

*For help implementing new ideas for ministries or an outreach that the Lord lays on your heart or if you wish to teach a Bible class, contact any of the committee members on the reverse.*



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# Three Branches of IBC Women's Ministry

## 1. Bible Studies:

This is the central branch of the Women's Ministry organizational tree and the basis of IBC's ministry to women. Bible study topics offered are presented through relational and expository teaching and range from video presentations to inductive studies. Studies are usually offered three times a year: fall, winter, and summer.

## 2. Nurturing Women:

This branch of the Women's Ministry organizational tree exists to help meet the practical needs of women. It's goal is to offer a variety of ongoing enrichment activities such as:

Create, Sew and Share: Women use their God given talents to bless IBC and the Martinsburg community with useful gifts sewn with love. All willing hands age 10 and up welcome. No previous experience necessary, but all skill levels are welcome.

Mom's CAFÉ: is a ministry to mothers of children ages birth to kindergarten and is designed to give encouragement, support, and hope. Its motto is "Come and Feel Encouraged." They usually meet the first Monday of the month. (Childcare provided.)

Mom's HOPE (Hear, Observe, Participate, Encourage): This ministry is for any mom who has at least one child above kindergarten age. It is a time for connecting with other moms in their season of life and for Bible study assisting in the growth of their personal relationship with Christ. They usually meet the second Friday of the month. (Childcare available.)

Secret Sisters: It's wonderful to have someone that prays for you daily and is there to send you encouraging notes or small gifts. Have fun getting to know your secret sister and being the instrument that God has placed in this person's life to give them the encouragement they need right when they need it.

Walking with Grace Mentorship: We are all sisters in Christ. Would you like a sister to walk with in grace? Would you like to be a sister to a woman who wants to walk in grace? Mentors receive free training.

## 3. Special Events:

Special Events is a branch of the Women's Ministry that oversees and encourages participation in events such as the following:

Mother's Day Celebration: A celebration of mothers/ daughters is planned annually for the first or second weekend in May. Activities generally include special music, skits, door prizes, spiritual challenges and a delicious meal.

Ladies' Retreats: Retreats are planned in conjunction with the all-church calendar. Retreats offer women time to come away to a quiet place and be refreshed spiritually, deepen friendships, and relax.

Conferences: There are many excellent conferences sponsored by Christian organizations that offer great times of fellowship with other women around God's Word. Volunteers are encouraged to facilitate attendance at these conferences.

Ladies' Night Out: Ladies' Night Out offers an opportunity for a fun, relaxing evening of fellowship with other believers. It is also a great time to invite friends who may have other beliefs. The variety of activities always includes good company and good food.