



Fountain Women for Christ

March 2021 Happenings

It is the season of Lent: a time of reflection, of meditation, and a deliberate time of drawing closer to God. Take time throughout each day to revel in God's amazing grace, His perfect provision, and His everlasting love for you.

"Yet the Lord longs to be gracious to you;

He rises to show you compassion.

For the Lord is a God of justice.

Blessed are all who wait for Him!" (Isaiah 30:18)

This month we are so excited to introduce our new Fountain Women's Prayer Team and some new Spring Bible studies that are coming your way. Please check out our March activities and events and join us in fellowshiping and growing together in our faith.

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Daylight Savings begins on Sunday, March 14th...
...It's time to Spring Ahead!

FOUNTAIN WOMEN'S PRAYER TEAM

In March, the new Fountain Women's Prayer ministry will be starting up. Our mission is to walk through life and support our women in prayer. You can reach out in two ways:

- **Anytime** during the week by [email](#). Your request will be sent to all the members of the prayer team for prayer. Please indicate in your email if privacy or anonymity is desired.
- **On Sundays in between services**, a member of the prayer team will be available to pray with you. Meet them at the Women's table at the back of the Worship Center.




If you are interested in joining the prayer team, please contact our Prayer Team Coordinator, [Natalie](#) for more information.

WHERE MOMS CONNECT



Are you a mom? If so, we would love to have you join us at Where Moms Connect—a Bible-based program for moms of all ages with kids in all stages. This month, because of Spring Break, we will only be meeting once, on **Wednesday, March 10th from 9-11am in the Worship Center**. Join us as we fellowship, share in a lesson, encourage, and pray for one another. This month's topic is **"Lady, Do You Know Where You're Going"** focusing on parenting with a purpose. Childcare is provided for free; however, you do need to sign up prior to each session so we have the right number of childcare providers. **Links to the childcare form will be made available on March 7.** We will have a supervised room for school-aged children to work on school assignments as needed. For more information, contact [Sandi](#).

 **Sign Up for Childcare: [Moms Connect March 10](#)**
(Must sign up for childcare prior to each session.)

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NEW SPRING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES



In addition to our currently on-going Bible studies, we have several new studies that will be starting up in March, both in person and via ZOOM. As we continue to streamline our Bible study signup process, we will have a single online registration link and QR code for each semester. All the Bible study offerings for the semester will be listed on the form and you just mark the classes you want to take. You will be able to pay for your books online or in class. **Use the “Register Here” or QR Code below to sign up for any of our Bible studies.** Once you click the link and the registration form comes up, you’ll be able to pick which study(ies) you are signing up for.

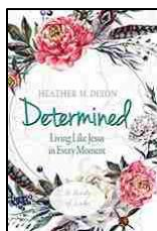


Register Here: [Women’s Bible Study](#)

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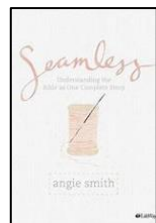


Mondays, 1-2:45pm via ZOOM. “Determined: Living Like Jesus in Every Moment” by Heather Dixon.



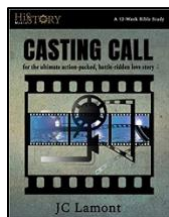
Imagine waking up every single day convinced that the 24-hours ahead of you are a precious gift to be used wisely. In this study of Luke, we will follow the life and ministry of Jesus as we consider choices He made on His way to the cross. We’ll intimately connect with a Savior who remained laser-focused on His mission to love the world. In return, we’ll receive a model for intentional living to help us live each day to the fullest and make a difference for God’s Kingdom. Led by Connie, this study **begins on March 29 and runs through mid-May**. Cost: \$12.50. You can pick up your book at the Fountain campus on Monday-Thursday between 9am-1pm.

Wednesdays, 6-8pm via ZOOM, “Seamless: Understanding the Bible as One Complete Story” by Angie Smith.



In this 7-session study you will understand the Bible as a whole as you change the way you look at Scripture; connect with people, places, and promises of God’s Word in a fresh way; gain clarity and confidence in your understanding of Scripture; and discover a biblical context that reshapes and brings to life stories from the Old and New Testaments. Led by Mindy, this study **begins on March 31 and runs through mid-May**. Cost: \$14. You will be able to pick up your book at the Fountain campus on Monday-Thursday between 9am-1pm.

Thursdays, 6-8pm in Worship Center and Ark#3. “Casting Call” by J.C. Lamont. A unique Bible study written in screenplay form, *Casting Call: For the Ultimate Action-packed, Battle-ridden Love Story* takes a cinematic look at the supernatural war that runs from Genesis through Revelation. Each participant is a cast member as redemptive history—including the entire church age—unfolds in eight sessions. By teaching all of God’s redemptive plan, *Casting Call* equips participants to formulate a Biblical worldview, defend themselves (and their families) from attacks against their faith, and discover the role they play in God’s story. Led by Jai, this study **begins on March 11** and runs through mid-May. Cost: \$15.



BUNCO NIGHT

Do you enjoy fun and games, fellowship, and a lot of laughter? Then join us on Friday, **March 5th from 6:30-8:30pm in the Fountain Worship Center** for a wild and wacky evening of BUNCO! Don't worry if you've never played before, it's an easy dice game. Each person will receive their own dice to use throughout the evening. The theme for the evening is "Saint Patrick's Day," so wear **GREEN!** Please bring a wrapped gift valued no more than \$5 to be used for prizes at the end of the evening—everyone gets one! Bring a friend! Optional: Bring individually wrapped snacks to share. Childcare costs \$5 per child and must be signed up in advance.



 **Sign Up Here:** [Bunco March 5](#)


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MENTOR TRAINING



We are excited to be starting a women's **Mentor Match Program** later this semester. Mary Fisher and Deborah (Deb) Webb will be the Fountain Mentor-Match Program Co- Coordinators. The basic purpose of this mentor program is to provide spiritual growth through friendship. For anyone who may be interested in becoming a Mentor, Susan Hankins (from Navigators) will be conducting **Mentor Training on Saturday, March 6th at the Fountain Campus from 8:30am to 12:30pm**. Attending training is not a commitment to mentor; however, **attendance is required to be considered for the mentor role in the Mentor Match program**. COVID considerations: while the training is conducted in-person, the mentor relationship may be carried out virtually during the pandemic. **Cost is free**. Refreshments and all materials will be provided. Childcare is NOT available for this training.

 **Register Here:** [Mentor Training](#)

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FOR CRAFTERS & SCRAPPERS

Like crafts, like fellowship? Come join our Crafters & Scrappers Club **on Friday, March 12 from 9-11am in the Worship Center**. We will be offering three different "stations." You can choose to do one activity the whole time; or can choose to do two different things in one-hour segments. Cost for the Craft is \$5 (to be paid the day of the craft to Mindy). There will be crafts for school-aged children to work on at no additional cost. Childcare is available for babies through age 4. Cost of childcare is \$5 per child and must be registered and paid in advance. This month's projects are:

- **Craft:** Felt wreath or banner
- **Kids Craft:** Cross suncatchers
- **Crocheting:** Double crochet to make a simple hat
- **Scrapping:** Scrappers are encouraged to bring their own projects.

Contact [Mindy](#) for more information.

 **Sign Up Here:** [Crafters March 12](#)

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FOR MILITARY SPOUSES GROUP



Our FOR Military Spouses Group is for spouses of current or retired Active Duty, Guard, and Reserve Service members. Contact [Jodi](#) for more information on any of our Military Spouses Group activities. Please invite another military spouse to join in one or both of our March activities.

- **Spouses' Night Out.** Join us on **Thursday, March 4th from 6:30-8:30pm at Natasha Gorham's Home.** Sally Nusbaum will be teaching us how to make our own bath bombs! You will leave with three or four of your own creation! Bring an appetizer or dessert to share, and don't forget to invite a military spouse friend! All supplies will be provided at the event, including some essential oils, but feel free to bring your favorite scents. Cost: \$7.00 paid directly to Jodi at time of event. Childcare is not available.

✚ Sign Up Here: [Spouses Night March 4](#)

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- **Military Spouses Fellowship Night.** Bring a military spouse and join us on **Thursday, March 18th from 6:30-8:30pm in the Fountain Worship Center** for "Tools and Resources, Part II". Enjoy a laid-back fellowship evening as we review multiple websites, apps, and other resources that help us grow in our walk. Come with all your tips, tools, and favorite resources to share; let's learn from each other! **Childcare is available with RSVP** by Tuesday, March 16.

✚ Sign Up Here: [Spouses Fellowship March 18](#)

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FOUNTAIN WOMEN'S PICTORIAL DIRECTORY



Don't be left out! Our Fountain Women's Pictorial Directory (hard- and soft-copy) is here and is continually being updated. Can't remember a name or place a face? This directory is a great way for our women to get to know each other better and keep in contact. Submission forms are available at the Women's Table at the back of the Worship Center and can be turned into the Red Box on the Women's Ministry table at the back of the Worship Center or sent to Nicole. You can send her a digital headshot photo (plain background) of yourself to go along with your form, or we can take your picture at any of our events. If you have your own business and would like to advertise, contact [Nicole](#) for more information. Updated softcopy directories will be attached to the Monthly Happenings newsletters.



Don't miss out on IF:Gathering 2021 on Friday, April 16 (5:30-9:00pm) and Saturday, April 17 (8am-noon) at the 8th Street Campus. This year's theme is "EVEN IF...Even If the Worst Happens, We Won't Lose Hope!" We'll have amazing speakers, worship, fellowship, and more. Stay tuned for more information.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

God has given each of us a unique set of talents and gifts to use for His glory. We are all part of ONE body, and we can each play an important role in His Kingdom. If you are interested in helping in any of the following areas, please contact [Sandi](#) or the point of contact listed below.



Prayer Team Members. Do you have the gift of intercessory prayer? Do you enjoy praying for others? Contact [Natalie](#) if you're interested.

Volunteer Childcare Workers. We are looking for a few women who would like to volunteer to do childcare for 2 1/2 hours once or twice a month so women with children can participate in various activities. All childcare volunteers must consent to a routine background check. Some events include:

- **Monthly FOR Crafters & Scrappers meetings**
 - Meets 2nd Friday morning each month from 9-11am (would need to stay 15 minutes before and after)
 - Looking for one or two volunteers to work with babies through age 4 (*school-aged kids have their own crafting event*).
- **Monthly BUNCO Game Nights**
 - Meets 1st Friday night of each month from 6-8pm (would need to stay 15 minutes before and after)
 - Looking for one or two additional volunteers to serve as backup if we have a lot of kids needing childcare. Childcare is provided for babies through 5th grade.

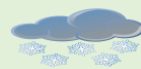
Military Mentor Spouses. Current or former military spouses that want to walk alongside our spouses as they navigate the military lifestyle. Must love Jesus. If interested, please contact [Jodi](#) for details.

Like to Bake or Cook? We can always use someone who enjoys baking and/or cooking to help out with special events. If this is something you enjoy, contact Sandi or a member of the Women's Leadership Team and let them know.

Meal Train Volunteers. We are always in need of women who would be willing to bless others in our church with a meal to encourage and help them out. Typical reasons include new baby, hospital stay/surgery recovery, death in the family, etc. Contact our Meal Train Coordinator [Kerriann](#) to volunteer.

Helpers for Special Events. We're always looking for ladies who like to decorate, create centerpieces, setups and cleanups, etc.

In Christ,
Sandi Leaf
Fountain Women's Ministry Director



INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

If Fountain-Fort Carson District (D-8) has a
2-HOUR DELAY due to inclement weather, then
ALL MORNING activities are cancelled.

If Fountain-Fort Carson District has a SNOW DAY,
then ALL church activities are cancelled.