# Soaring For the Kingdom 2011 Conference

# LEADING WITH IMPACT

Isaiah 40:31

November 10 - 12, 2011

Holiday Inn

3405 Algonquin Road Rolling Meadows, IL

Women In Ministry & Business Alliance
A Division of Women Of Valor Ministry

Women in Ministry and Business Alliance P. O. Box 401 Hazel Crest, IL 60429



# **Special Invitation**

I would like to invite you and your teen daughters (12-17) to our 2011 Conference, hosted by the Women in Ministry and Business Alliance (WIMBA). Our theme is Soaring for the Kingdom: Leading With Impact. Isaiah 40:31 declares that those who hope or trust in the Lord will soar on wings like eagles. Eagles are unwearied in their flight even though they fly high and don't rest for long periods of time and neither do they faint.

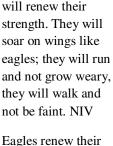
Jesus led with impact. Jesus always left a lasting impression on everyone who came in contact with him. Leading with impact is the power to make a strong, immediate impression. Leaders are supposed to be effective and effect the people they lead. If you have a desire to be a more impactful leader then you need to come, hear and meet our great speakers. If you want your daughter to learn how to be an impactful leader and become more confident then bring her with you. We will have workshops designed just for teens.

The guiding principle of this conference will be to equip, enhance, and promote the overall level of readiness of Christian women who are Ministers of the Gospel, Ministry leaders and Business owners. This conference will be organized around four thematic tracks which represent varied ways in which Christian women can use kingdom principles to SOAR in their ministry or business.

Get ready to SOAR! Don't wait register today.

I am excitedly looking forward to seeing you at this year's conference.

In His Care,



<sup>31</sup> but those who

hope in the LORD

Eagles renew their strength by changing their feathers.



Eagles have long wings by which means they fly with great swiftness.

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Joyce Calvin
Pastor/President

# **Conference Schedule**

## Thursday, November 10, 2011

3:00 PM - 7:00P M Hotel Check-in/Registration

5:00 PM Dinner on your own

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Evening Service

Guest Speaker: Dr. Debora Hooper

Worship in Dance: Cynthia Albritten

9:00 PM - 10:00 PM VIP Reception

## Friday, November 11, 2011

6:00 AM - 8:00 AM Prayer/Prophetic Impartation

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM Revive, Refresh, and Re-Energize with Betty MAC

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM Breakfast 8:00 AM -12:00 PM Registration

9:00 AM - 10:15 AM Opening Plenary - Speaker Pastor Joyce Calvin

Topic: It's All About Collaboration

10:15 AM - 10:30 AM Break

10:30 AM - 12:00 PM Workshop Session I

12:00 PM - 1:30 PM Lunch with Table Topics

1:30 PM - 3:00 PM Workshop Session II

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM Networking Reception

5:00 PM Dinner on your own
7:00 PM Prophetic Importation

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9:00 PM Called To Serve The Woman of God

## Saturday, November 12, 2011

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM Revive, Refresh, and Re-Energize with Betty MAC

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM Breakfast

9:00 AM - 10:30 AM Workshop Session III

10:30 AM - 10:45 AM Break

10:45 AM - 12:15 PM Workshop Session IV

12:15 PM - 1:30 PM Lunch

1:30 P M - 3:00 PM Workshop Session V

3:00 PM - 3:30 PM Closing Session

3:30 PM Conference Ends

# **Pastor Joyce Calvin**



Joyce Calvin a survivor of domestic violence is an author, speaker, teacher and an ordained minister who has more than thirty years of experience speaking at workshops, seminars, conferences, and retreats throughout the United States. She is the founder and president of the Women of Valor Ministry, a non-profit organization dedicated to encouraging, empowering, and equipping women to develop their full potential in Christ; and Women in Ministry & Business Alliance (WIMBA), a coalition of Christian women who are ministers of the Gospel, ministry leaders and business owners dedicated to empowering other Christian women leaders through kingdom principles. Joyce is passionate about helping women reach their goals. She has mentored numerous women, helping them to develop their spiritual gifts, find and pursue their purpose, and embrace their destiny.

Joyce has a Bachelor of Science Degree in Psychology from the University of Southern Mississippi and a Masters of Science Degree in Adult Education from Northern Illinois University.

# Dr. Debora Hooper



Rev. Dr. Debora C. Hooper is a unique gift to the Body of Christ, with a unique background. Unlike most preachers, this preacher hails straight from the hip-hop world! Formerly known as M.C. Debbie D, Dr. Hooper is one of the world's first female rappers from the Bronx, New York. To her credit, she has recorded several rap albums, included in the No. 1 hip-hop book, *Yes, Yes Yall!* and is featured with Us Girls in the 1984 hip-hop movie, *Beat Street*, produced by actor and singer, Harry Belafonte.

At the age of 25, the entertainment world became a dark, complex place for Dr. Hooper and she sensed a need for a complete change in her life. Surrendering her rap career, she gave her life to the Lord Jesus Christ and committed herself to the work of the ministry. Although Dr. Hooper holds one secular degree, she has also earned

five theological degrees (all summa cum laude) including her Doctorate in Ministry, which she received from The Hugee Theological Institute where she began as a student and then matriculated to a Theological Professor, specializing in Greek New Testament.

Over the last two decades, Dr. Hooper has used her training to become a prolific ordained evangelist who travels worldwide, preaching and teaching the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Throughout her career, she has ministered in both local churches and prominent national platforms with a strong emphasis on leadership, youth, and women issues.

For over twenty years, Dr. Hooper has received a tremendous amount of ministerial experience and is now utilizing it to help aspiring pastors and ministers to excel in ministry. To strengthen her endeavor, she has published her first book, *Hooper's Evangelist & Minister's Handbook (Everything You Need To Know Before You Go)*, which addresses practical and relevant areas of ministry for those seeking serious clergy development.

# **Patricia Haley-Glass**

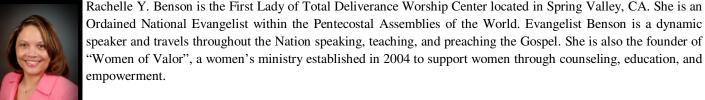


Patricia Haley-Glass is the award-winning, national bestselling author of eight faith-based novels. Her latest titles, *Chosen, Destined*, and *Broken* (2011) depict a modern-day adaptation of the dramas behind Kings David, Solomon, and God's inescapable calling. The trailblazing faith-based author is also a project manager with an engineering degree from Stanford University and a M.B.A. from the University of Chicago. In her most recent role she managed teams based in North America, Asia, Australia, and Europe. She is a born again believer and a member of Delta Sigma Theta Public Service Sorority.

Patricia has been married to her soul mate nearly twelve years, and they live with their daughter in Illinois. Armed with finance and math as her passion and writing as her gift, Patricia understands her purpose as an

encourager and is committed to inspiring others through motivational speaking, one-on-one mentoring, leading workshops, and of course conveying messages of hope, redemption, and forgiveness in her books. To God be the glory is her motto. Visit her on www.patriciahaley.com or <a href="mailto:phg@patriciahaley.com">phg@patriciahaley.com</a>.

# 1<sup>st</sup> Lady Rachelle Benson



First Lady Benson is also the Executive Director of a non-profit organization called Stepping Higher, Inc. First Lady Benson is a dedicated professional with over 20 years of experience within the Human Services field. She is experienced in overseeing, directing, managing, and supervising diverse populations and economically challenged

individuals. Rachelle also has extensive experience with Welfare-to-Work programs, Community Care Licensed programs, case management, career development, and is highly experienced in working with individuals with disabilities.

Rachelle holds a Master's Degree in Human Resources Management and a Bachelor's Degree in Behavioral Science.

## Victoria Knox



Starting with just a few dollars from her severance check, Victoria Knox began VJS Enterprises with a mission to help entrepreneurs tap their passion and trail-blaze their own way. Today she <a href="helps hundreds">helps hundreds</a> as a business development strategist, inspiring and informative speaker, instructor, media expert, business coach and founder of VJS Enterprises, a business development consultancy. She is the executive producer of the Annual VJS Enterprises Entrepreneur Expo and other programs that provide relevant resources for today's business minds.

In August 2010, Victoria received the 2010 <u>Urban Business Roundtable Top 40 Game Changers Award</u> (Ariel Investments, Black Enterprise, WVON Radio). ). "The Urban Business Roundtable honors the most promising young talents, executives, and entrepreneurs in the third largest city in the country (Chicago). The awards

program selects 40 Chicagoans who have excelled in their fields by evaluating them on a number of criteria including: vision, leadership, strategies for growth, innovation, achievement, community involvement, and impact." (Alfred A. Edmond Jr., Vice President, Black Enterprise). As an instructor for the <u>Chicago Urban League nextSTEP Entrepreneur Program</u> Victoria helps more than 100 entrepreneurs and potential entrepreneurs to think practically about business ventures and strategies for growth. "Victoria's classes are the highest attended and rated in the program," said Gus Tucker, Director of Entrepreneurship Programs. She is also the winner of the 2010 Self-Employment Expo Build Your Business Challenge.

Victoria holds a BA in Communications and minor in Business Management from Governors State University and Columbia College - Chicago, nonprofit certificates and Personal Development Coach Certification from Compass Life and Business Designs.

# **Prophetess Ingra Cooper**

Ingra Cooper is a teacher, speaker, and lecturer who flows in the ministry gifts of prophetess and evangelist. She ministers boldly and powerfully to the body of Christ. Ingra is also uniquely anointed to minister to the youth of today. She has been ministering God's word for over 20 years. God has provided a perfect balance in her ministry.

From her youth Ingra has had a special relationship with the Lord. God would reveal Himself to her in dreams and visions. In July of 1987 while preparing for college, God called Ingra to the ministry.

In January 2006, Called, Anointed and Appointed International Ministries (CAAIM) were birthed forth from Minister Cooper's passionate desire to educate the body of Christ on the prophetic, the office of the prophet and its end time importance. CAAIM is also dedicated to uniting the entire body of Christ, creating one international community of believers in Jesus Christ!

# **Prophetess Frances Davis**



Frances Davis is president and CEO of Life Impartation Ministries, Inc. She also is senior director for Camp David, a transitional home that offers spiritual, emotional and physical healing and restoration to women and children suffering from domestic violence.

An ordained prophet and minister, she serves Valley Kingdom Ministries International as a teacher and preacher. Frances has been in Christian ministry for more than 25 years, focusing on areas that help to develop and train individuals to discern the voice of God. She has traveled extensively to minister and develop prophetic teams and deliverance ministries.

Frances sits on the boards of Kingdom Coalition, Peru, Illinois; One Voice in Unity Ministries, Inc., Forest Park, Illinois; Healing Place Ministries: A Heart to Serve; Chicago, Illinois and Restoration Life Ministries, Dolton, Illinois.

# **Kathy McClure**



Kathy McClure is the principal officer of Kathy McClure Ministries, a motivational speaking enterprise. Her company's purpose is to motivate listeners to go beyond their expectations and reach their God-given potential. Out of her desire to see others succeed and share their stories of success, she launched McClure Publishing where she serves as president. This Christian publishing house assists aspiring authors to publish their fictional and non-fictional work.

Ordained a minister at Greater Mount Carmel Missionary Baptist Church, Kathy is teacher certified at Valley Kingdom Ministry International.

Kathy attended the University of Chicago (U of C) and the YMCA Community College where she studied architecture, computer science, legal transcription and legal terminology. For the past 20 years, she has been on the administrative staff at one of the largest law firms in the world.

# Veronica Flournoy



Veronica serves as armor bearer to leadership teacher, Pam Ross. She walks in great wisdom as she balances her ministry to her leader and her ministry to her family.

Veronica also maintains full-time employment, representing Kingdom values in her workplace. She is a prophetic dreamer and a global intercessor.

# Lolita Westbrook



Lolita is the CEO of the First Fruit Print and Design Company and has been a Freelance Designer since 2002 for various Churches, individuals and not for profit organizations. In her spare time she makes custom handmade journals.

A member of Family Christian Center, Lolita is an integral part of her church's media ministry as a camera operator.

Lolita earned her undergraduate degree from American Academy of Art in Graphic Design, a BA from Chicago

State University, and is presently working on an MFA from the Academy of Art University.

She currently works as a Graphic Designer at UMI in the Creative Services Department.

## **Pam Ross**

Pam Ross is executive director of leadership development for Family Christian Center, FCC, in Munster, Ind., a non-denominational, culturally diverse church of more than 12,000 congregants. Pam teaches leadership courses at FCC's Christian Education Department and at Cross Bible College.

A celebrated speaker and trainer, Pam is often in demand to speak regionally in both Christian and corporate arenas. In 2009, she launched Kingdom Leadership Development, Inc. This enterprise is dedicated to helping leaders perform at their highest level for the service of man and glory of God.

Pam recently authored her first book, Serving in Ministry and Still Loving God, A Survival Guide for Kingdom Leaders. Her weekly blog, "Mentoring Moments," provides emerging Christian leaders with insights, wisdom and encouragement to face the challenges, needs and questions of a post-modern culture.

## **Pastor Nakia Hall**



Pastor Nakia Hall is a wife and mother of four children. She and her husband are pastors of Overflowing Well Ministries Church, while she also takes the post of President of the ministry's non-profit outreach division, "Serve...Give...Meet the Need". She is an author of an inspirational book entitled, "Sitting at His Feet: When Standing Isn't Enough", an informative and encouraging guide to spiritual devotion.

Pastor Nakia believes in the power of faith and stands on the importance of believing that God keeps His promises. She also believes in the value of hard work, determination, and operating with great expectations in anticipation of the abundant life promised to us by our Lord and Savior. She puts this belief to work when she operates as a spiritual counselor and teacher. She is currently a college professor of Psychology, a member of her

local school board, and is pursuing an Education doctoral degree in Ethical Leadership. In her free time she enjoys spending time with family and friends, as well as reading.

Nakia holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education from Northern Arizona University and a Masters of Arts degree in Professional Counseling from Olivet Nazarene University.

# **Evangelist Bernadette Hanson**



Bernadette Hanson is an ordained Evangelist, a Mother, Grandmother and a Sunday School Teacher. She is also a Psalmist, song writer, singer and author of two prophetic devotionals, "30 Days with Jesus" and "30 More days with Jesus".

Evangelist Hanson loves to minister through teaching and speaking and is active in women's seminars and workshops. She started Beauty for Ashes Ministry because of her passion to reach the wounded, especially domestic violence survivors, through awareness teaching, seminars and workshops. The ministry offers services through speaking, training, coaching and empowerment through belief in God's promises.

Bernadette holds degrees in Nursing and Psychology and is currently training to be a Life Coach. She lives in Chicago, Illinois and is active in various outreach ministries in her home church, New Life. She can be contacted at bhanson025@yahoo.com.

## **Erricka Coleman**



Erricka Coleman believes that "What lies behind us and What lies before us are TINY matters compared to What lies WITHIN us" especially when we hide his word in our hearts".

She is the Director of Marketing and PR Services for ASWG Enterprises. Her experience as a brand builder allowed her to identify and develop her gifts of discernment and influence. Erricka uses those gifts to assist others in creating brand identities and marketing plans to grow and maintain market share in a variety of arenas. These include business as well as ministry endeavors.

Erricka is the organizer of "Going, Going Gone" a weight management group; coordinates an on line Daniel Fast support group and is the owner/operator of Quality Ingredients a dessert design firm. Quality Ingredients specializes in unique vegan dessert creations. She also reinvests in the community through her work with the Gary Branch of the NAACP"s Act-So program as one of the co-chairpersons.

# **Bridget VanHolland-Williams**



Bridget VanHolland-Williams is an innovative and strategic visionary. She is passionate about educating and empowering others to walk in their purpose, and live their dreams.

Bridget obtained her bachelor's degree in general studies, with a focus in communications, sociology and labor relations from Indiana University Northwest. Bridget obtained her MBA from National Louis University and currently is pursuing her doctorate degree in Organizational Leadership and Management from the University of Phoenix. Bridget's occupational background consists of ten years in advertising, ten years in human resources and seven years in education. She currently teaches human resources management and general studies courses for various Universities.

Bridget sits on the board of directors for the NWI Society of Human Resource Management as Education Chair; advisory board of directors for the NWI Lupus Foundation as HR Governance; Associate Director for the NWI National Association of Investors Corporation and Merrillville Ambassador for the Merrillville Chamber of Commerce. Recently Bridget took the leap of faith and ignited Divine Vision LLC. Her mission is to provide business, career, and academic development services; while empowering and coaching others to reach their potential.

## Carol Cozzi Johnson



Carol Cozzi Johnson has been an Independent Beauty Consultant with Mary Kay Cosmetics, Inc. since 2003. Carol also teaches professional image consulting and color draping based on the book, "Color Me Beautiful." In December 2008, Carol was downsized from her position as an editor for the CCH Pension Plan Guide and decided to pursue Mary Kay full-time.

She was admitted to the Illinois State Bar in 1994 and subsequently specialized in employee benefits law. She is active in many business networking groups and is an Ambassador of the Carol Stream Chamber of Commerce in Carol Stream, IL. She was honored in 2010 by the Dynamic Professional Women's Network by receiving its

first "Dynamic Philanthropic Award."

Carol loves to write and has been blessed with the gift of teaching. She has developed and taught such topics as: "Standing Firm"; the "Positive One Another's"; and the Five Love Languages of "Children," "Teens" and "Married Couples." She has also taught women's studies on prayer and many other topics and has worked with children from birth through eighth grade.

# **Alma Davey**



Alma Davey has served as a board member for the Women of Valor Ministry since it's inception in the year 2000. During her tenure with the ministry she has used her gifts and talents as editor of the ministry's newsletter, speaker, facilitator, and praise and worship leader.

Alma is a vocalist and an inspired writer of poems and inspirational articles. She has served as a writer for the Cross & Crown Newsletter of the Apostolic Church of God in Chicago, Illinois where she is a member. The completion of her first Christian fiction novel is in progress.

Alma has earned a Bachelor of Arts degree from DePaul University and a diploma in Sales and Marketing from Robert Morris College.

# **Cynthia Albritten**



Cynthia Albritten was born in Chicago, Illinois. Her ministry of dance began in 1999 under the leadership of Sabrina Woods. She became the assistant dance leader of the Spirit of David Dance Ministry and was later asked to lead the ministry. Currently, she is a part of the Fresh Oil Liturgical Dance Ministry and Pastoral Care Ministry at Salem Baptist Church.

Cynthia is a Veteran of the United States Army as well as Operation Desert Storm. While serving in the military overseas (Frankfurt, Germany), she was a part of the dance troupe, Official Business. The name was later changed to United Nations of Dance. During her years of study at CSU, she was a part of Danceworks. She has experience in leadership, dance, and choreography. She has also participated in various classes to include: ballet, jazz,

African, tap, modern, lyrical, gymnastics, banners and flags.

Cynthia loves to worship the Lord and desires to praise Him through dance. He has turned her mourning into dancing. She wants to share with as many people as possible what God has graciously blessed her with. Therefore, she continues to seek out opportunities to gain more knowledge and understanding of God's word; also how God uses dance for His glory. She is a part of the National Liturgical Dance Network. Cynthia graduated from the Eagles International Training Institute which equips dance ministry leaders as well as allows them to become licensed ministers of dance.

Cynthia received a Bachelor and Masters Degree in Criminal Justice from Chicago State University.

# **Barbara Elizey**



Evangelist Barbara A. Ellzey was ordained under the P.A.W., Inc. and serves as a Senior Elder under the pastorate of Bishop Horace E. Smith, M.D., at the Apostolic Faith Church in Chicago, IL. She has also served as Adult Sunday School Teacher, retreat speaker and workshop presenter for the Women's group, advisory board committee member to the Ministerial Alliance, speaker and presenter for the Youth Ministry, speaker for the Senior's Ministry, speaker and presenter for the Prison Ministry and is presently the Director of AFC Prayer Ministries, Director of Faith Works Broadcast Prayer Ministries, and Chaplain of Kenwood Nursing Home.

She attended Aenon Bible College and is a graduate of Roosevelt University. Evangelist Ellzey is the Founder and Executive Director of REACH Leadership Program for Girls, a premier Chicago mentoring program that Educates, Empowers and Exposes young girls ages 7 to 18. She was featured on Lite FM 93.9 as the "Woman of the Week" and in FirstBusinessNews.Com for the amazing work she is doing with the young ladies in the Chicagoland and surrounding suburban area.

An author she has written "Face to Face Becoming Whole and Regaining Custody of Yourself "and "Ten Keys to Ignite Your Passion to Pursue God."

## Dr. Sandra Smith



Dr. Sandra Smith is President and Chief Executive Officer of Rhema Word Ministries located in Chicago, Illinois. This ministry was founded in response to God's call in September 2007.

A retired high school administrator and educational consultant, she was formerly the Principal of Hyde Park Academy High School in Chicago, Illinois. Dr. Smith is an ordained minister, and is committed to serving as a mentor and leader.

Professionally, she holds a Bachelor of Science in Education from Chicago State College, a Master of Arts from DePaul University in Educational Administration and Supervision, a Master of Arts in Theological Studies and a Doctor of Ministry, both from McCormick Theological Seminary.

Dr. Smith has pursued her calling and has been commissioned to preach and teach the Word of God. She is ordained and an Associate Minister of the Apostolic Church of God, where Dr. Byron T. Brazier is the Pastor and Bishop Arthur M. Brazier is Pastor, Emeritus.

# **Betty M. Smith**

Betty M. Smith is an Indiana native and graduate of Northeastern Illinois University in Chicago. For 28 years she was employed by Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Chicago where she created many programs for youth and women in recovery. Betty began her television career in Chicago where she hosted a fitness and talk show. She was an aerobics instructor and trainer in her "Stretchnastics" fitness studio. In 1998 Betty married Rev Mark M. Smith and moved to Canton.

In 1999 she founded Multi-Development Services of Stark County, a not-for-profit social service agency. She also created Canton Idol, Downtown NU-Zone Festivals, Golden Dove Awards and Gospel Joins Symphony. She retired as Executive Director in September, 2009.

For the past ten years she has been the host of "On Track with Betty Mac", channel 11, Canton City Schools TV. In 2008 and 2009 she was the Chairman of the Pro Football Hall of Fame Enshrinement Festival's Fashion Show; she serves on the Board of Directors for Canton Symphony Orchestra; a graduate of the 19th class of Leadership Stark County and serves on the Professional Advisory Committee for Malone University. In her 11 years in Canton Betty has served on numerous committees and boards. She enjoys walking and music.

Betty is the author of "Man with a Vision, Bishop Arthur M. Brazier" and "Unexpected Blessings in the Midst of my Pain.

# **Kimberly Simmons**



Kimberly Simmons is the founder of Outreach Ministry Beacon in the Storms of Life (Bits of Life). She is an ordained minister and serves as the Pastor of Ministry Development at the Nehemiah Christian Center Ministries.

Kimberly is passionate about helping leaders in ministry, who have been wounded and struggling to overcome issues of the heart, to minister more effectively.

She has taught bible classes and Sunday school for both adults and children.

Kimberly loves teaching and studying God's word and has received a number of certificates in Evangelism training, Healing and Deliverance, Teacher training and many more.

# **Registration Form**

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**Hotel Information: - Rate: \$89.00** per night enter code **AWR** The hotel is conveniently located where I-90 Holiday Inn

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and I-53 meet and is near the Chicago O'Hare International Airport (ORD).

**Note:** Make your reservations directly with the

hotel and Enter Code #: AWR

# **Workshop Selection Sheet**

## Friday 11/11/2011

## Session I - 10:30 Am - 12:00 PM

- □ 01 **Ministry Etiquette, Do's & Don'ts** Presenter Dr. Debora Hooper
  Ever wondered what to wear, what to pack, where to sit, whether or not to call a prayer line, or what to charge for an honorarium? This workshop will answer all these questions and so much more so that you will be armed with the tools and tips you will need in order to carry out your assignment.
- □ 02 **A Fine Line: Striking a Balance with Your Ministry and Your Business** *Presenter Patricia Haley-Glass* Everyone has a calling, a purpose, and a reason for being alive on earth at this precise moment. As women, we can often find ourselves juggling multiple commitments, family, church, and business, feeling overwhelmed and possibly losing the zeal for fulfilling our true callings. God armed you with many gifts, talents, interests, and passion to work in harmony, not in conflict. Success comes when we strike the right balance. Come and discover/confirm yours.
- □ 03 **Discovering Your Power in the Prophetic/with activations** *Presenter Prophetess Frances Davis*This session will identify the dimensions of the prophetic each person possesses. You will learn about the biblical purpose for our prophetic grace that strengthens the believers confidence for daily application of faith synchronized walks with Holy Spirit.
- Good to GREAT...And Then Some Presenter Nakia Hall

  It's been time...its overdue time...it is definitely time to move from good to GREAT! We mean well. We start off with good thoughts and strong goals, but we sometimes let our expectations fall by the wayside and get choked up by the cares of this world. If this sounds like your world, then this workshop is for you! Learn how to turn your good into GREAT...and then some! If you know that it's time to make some positive changes and put some fire under those coals...FOR GOOD...you don't want to miss this.

#### Session II - 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM

need more than one Bio).

□ 05 **Desperate Housewives** - Presenter 1st Lady Rachelle Benson

As women in Ministry and also business professionals, we often struggle to find a balance between home, our business profession, and our spiritual commitment to the work of the Lord. In our quest to find balance we become "Desperate Housewives", needing to make critical decisions in our life to accomplish harmony and peace of mind. Desperate women must take desperate measures in prioritizing their individual life and deal with challenges strategically. Understanding God's Plan in our life will allow us to grow in Grace and Knowledge (2 Peter 3:18). Areas of discussion within this presentation: Accepting Change, Crisis Management, Emotional Balance, Dealing with Difficult People, What About My House?, Power of Words, and Taking Care of YOU!

- □ O6 Creating an Effective BIO for Ministry/Business Presenter Alma Davey
  Putting your life and credentials into a few short paragraphs can be challenging. Whether you're in ministry or have a
  business; you need a Bio that introduces you; something that distinguishes you from others with similar backgrounds
  or businesses. This workshop is designed to help you create a short Bio or revise your Biography into a shorter
  version. You will learn how: 1) to create a bio for the first time; 2) to use your full biography to create a bio (short
  version) 3) to toot your own horn without bragging; and 4) to diversify your bio for the diversity in you (you might
- Giving Birth to Your Dream Presenter Pastor Joyce Calvin
  Giving birth to your dream involves many long hours of intense labor. Countless doctors, nurses and midwives have said to many mothers during their last stage of labor, "Mother, I see the head, push!" This workshop will focus on helping you to push out the dream that you are pregnant with so that you can give birth to a healthy dream.
- □ 08 "You Have a Friend Request" Social Networking Presenter Erricka Coleman

  Using Facebook, Linked In, and Twitter to Grow, Diversify and Expand your Ministry, Mission and or Business.

  With billions of DAILY users worldwide, these relatively new networking applications have created a phenomenal platform for businesses, ministries and organizations. There is exponential value in using these mediums to reach hundreds of thousands of people. In this workshop you will learn: 1) the difference between the three and why you should or should not subscribe; 2) how to create accounts in each medium; 3) how to link them not only to each other but also to your existing websites; 4) receive suggestions on how to notify followers/members about the creation of the pages; and learn the best ways to use the mediums for your gain and tricks of the trade.

# **Workshop Selection Sheet**

# Saturday 11/12/2011

#### Session III - 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM

- □ 09 **Girl, Man Your Business!** Presenter Victoria Knox
  - Act like a lady, think like a savvy business woman! This session will guide female entrepreneurs through the process of tapping the inner man (spiritually and naturally) so that they can excel on the playing field of business. Time to put your full armor on!
- $\ \square \ 10$  Writing/Publishing/Distribution/ePub Presenter Kathy McClure
  - This workshop is designed with Authors in mind. If you want to know more about making a career out of writing; and if you want to know about getting your book/s front and center of major wholesalers, then this is the class you want to attend. We will discuss the difference between *distribution vs. wholesale*. Who is the man in the middle? What about Uncle Sam when it comes to books? How to create books for all Androids/apps?
- □ 11 **The Power of Dreams** *Presenter Prophetess Ingra Cooper*Psalm 16:7 indicates that God chooses to communicate with us through our dreams. He guides and counsels us through our dreams. Dreams can release divine creativity. Many discoveries and inventions have come through dreams. This workshop will teach you how to understand your dreams so your creativity can be released through vour ministry or business.
- □ 12 **Projecting the Right Image** Presenter Carol Cozzi Johnson
  - Projecting the right business or ministry image is important. This workshop will help you identify your color season?-Winter, Spring, Summer or Fall? Individual models will be used to demonstrate color draping techniques from *Color Me Beautiful* to help you select your clothing in the colors that will help you be your most attractive. What's more-you will discover how to maximize your wardrobe with minimal expense for a professional look and how to select the style of clothing to complement your body type. And that's not all! You will also learn how to select jewelry to complement your face shape and how to make quick make-up application techniques tailored for your face shape and lifestyle.

#### Session IV - 10:45 AM - 12:15 PM

- □ 13 **LIFE PLAN Do You Have One?** Presenter Bridget Williams
  - Are you sick and tired of being stuck, rejected in the areas of business and employment? Can't seem to find your way and unsure of where you're headed or how to get there? Attending school because you're unemployed and not sure what direction to go into? Coach Bridget will provide you with insights that will provide inroads to your harvest. She will provide resources that will take that skewed vision and assist you in creating a clear vision. Let's take steps to experience an overflow of the good life that God has designed for you.
- □ 14 Christianity is a Team Sport Presenter Pam Ross
  - This workshop will explore the biblical foundations of teams and team building. You will gain practical knowledge on adding people to your team and team to your people from a proven leader who has built and led teams of hundreds of people in both a church and corporate non-profit environment.
- □ 15 **Writing for the Kingdom** Presenter Bernadette Hanson
  - Bringing the book that God put in your heart to life. We will discuss ways to identify your personal writing style and process, and writing topics (write what you know). This workshop will also help you to know the purpose for your book, why your book is important (why people need to read your book), who is your target audience, and the basic steps from pondering to product.
- □ 16 **Branding Yourself Effectively** Presenter Lolita Westbrook
  - Your personal brand is what other people think about you when they hear your name. Branding yourself is very important for your ministry and or business because it can open doors for you, and create a lasting impression. By developing your own brand, you will have control over people's initial perception. If you don't brand yourself, some one else will, and the outcome might not be in your favor. In this workshop you will discover why branding yourself is important and how to promote yourself as an asset and expert in your field. We will also discuss the value of using a graphic designer in helping you to develop your brand.

# **Workshop Selection Sheet**

## Saturday 11/12/2011

#### Session V - 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM

- □ 17 **Your Spiritual Discernment/with activations -** *Presenter Prophetess Frances Davis*This workshop will explore the difference between the spirit of discernment and the gift of discernment. From this workshop you will understand the purpose and functionality of Holy Spirit revealed as the Spirit of Truth. We will also use biblical parallels to reveal the strategy of identifying spirits, angels and human spirits.
- Denial, Discipline and Devotion: The Guide to the 21 Day Daniel Fast Presenter Erricka Coleman So we fasted and petitioned our God about this, and he answered our prayer. ~ Ezra 8:23.... What are you believing God for? Many of the Daniel Fast materials and books focus on the food and recipes that allow you to 'avoid' the true purpose of the fast. In this workshop you will: 1) learn the true meaning of Denial, 2) receive guidelines for the Discipline required to make manifest your petitions, 3) learn how to set up a Devotion Guide and 4) receive an invitation to join our online community and morning prayer conference line.
- □ 19 Let's Get To the Heart of the Matter Presenter Kimberly Simmons

  Many ministry leaders have been wounded in the fight and have become the "walking wounded". In this

  workshop we will explore ways to help you make peace with your past, and forgive the people who hurt you.

  Jesus can and will help you deal with the issues of your heart so that you can become a more effective minister
  and/or leader.
- □ 20 **Defeating the Giants** *Presenter Dr. Sandra Smith*God has given you a vision of what He wants you to do but every time you set out to do it you get stuck and the spirit of defeat sets in. Are you tired of being defeated by the giants of unbelief, hopelessness, despair, rejection, and not enough money? This workshop will give you tactics and strategies of how you can successfully defeat those giants that oppose you.

# **Special Sessions**

#### Revive, Refresh, & Re-Energize With Betty MAC

Presenter Betty M. Smith

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Join "Betty Mac" in an early morning "Stretch and Tone" exercise workout. You will feel revived, refreshed and re-energize yourself for the day's activities. Don't worry – you will not be sweating with this particular workout but you will reap benefits. For more than 30 years, Betty Mac has been helping men and

women live a healthy lifestyle through her dynamic stretches and motivational talks.

Friday & Saturday 7:00 AM - 8:00 AM

#### Called to Serve the Woman of God?

Presenter Veronica Flournov

Are you being called to serve or minister to the Woman of God? Want to know what is required of you to be her armor bearer? This informative and intimate setting will help you to serve in excellence. It will also help you to understand the various roles attached to your assignment such as intercessor, watchman, and the level of commitment needed.

Friday - 11/11/11 @ 9:00 PM

#### **Prophetic Impartation**

Presenter Prophetess Frances Davis

These sessions are intended for the release of God's prophetic purpose and destiny for conference participants. Within the predetermined and assigned time slots each person will receive a prophetic word imparting spiritual gifts intended to excel participants to their destiny within the Kingdom of God. Prophecies will be released by a prophetic team.

 Thursday - 11/10/11
 Friday - 11/11/11

 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM
 6:00 AM - 7:00 AM

 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM
 12:30 PM - 5:00 PM

 Saturday - 11/12/11
 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

 7:00 AM - 8:00 AM
 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

## **Retail Therapy - Woodfield Mall**

Don't forget to take time for some retail therapy at the biggest and best place to shop in all of Chicagoland. It has the finest collection of department stores and specialty shops in the Great Lakes region including Nordstrom, Macy's, Lord & Taylor, JC Penney, Sears and nearly 300 stores. The hotel provides shuttle service to and from the Mall.

# **Teen Workshop Topics**

## Friday 11/11/2011

## Session I - 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

□ 01 **My Body, His Temple** - *Presenter Cynthia Albritten* 

Your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit. This interactive workshop will teach you how to glorify God using your whole Mind, Body, and Soul. *1 Corinthians* 6:19-20 (45 minutes)

□ 02 Make a Good First Impression - Presenter Barbara Ellzey

Want to stand out from the crowd? Want to make a great first impression? Come learn how to present yourself with impact. You've heard it a thousand times, "You never get a second chance to make a first impression." And for the most part, that's true. An appropriate appearance demonstrates respect for yourself as well as others. This workshop will help you learn what's right for you?

(45 minutes)

#### Session II - 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM

□ 03 **The power of Journaling** - Presenter Bethany Banks

So what is the point of journaling? Keeping a personal journal is a great way to learn about yourself when you write down your thoughts. You will learn how to journal but also how to turn your journal thoughts into a book.

(45 minutes)

□ 04 **Everyday Leadership**- Presenter Ebonie Kelley

We've all heard that some people are "born leaders". In this workshop, we'll look at how we can use positivity, ethics and knowledge to make ourselves into leaders on a daily basis. We've all learned of amazing people who have changed the world with their ideas. How can we aspire to be like them when our lives seem so much smaller? In this workshop, we'll explore how simple, everyday choices can make you a leader in your family, your school and your community, and put you on a path towards a meaningful and significant life. (45 minutes)

# **Special Sessions**

## **Girls Rock Slumber Party**

Plan on having a fun filled night of pizza, laughter, games, sharing and more.

Friday - 11/11/11 9:00 PM

## **Volley Ball Game/Video Arcade**

You can either play a game of volley ball or visit the video arcade room and play video games.

Friday - 11/11/11 3:00 PM

## **Movie Night**

Come, kick back enjoy a movie and meet new friends. Snack on popcorn, chips and more!

> Thursday - 11/10/11 9:00 PM

## Spa Time

Take time to pamper yourself. Go for a swim, sit in the whirlpool or sauna or work-out in the Health and Fitness Center.

Friday - 11/11/11 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

# **Teen Workshop Topics**

## Saturday 11/12/2011

## Session III - 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM

□ 05 **Fearlessly Girl** - Presenter Pam Ross & PamFam

This workshop will help you discover your inner power, self-worth and how to understand your feelings, emotions, thoughts and changing bodies. You will also learn how to stand up to mean girls, 'friendamies' and peer pressure and make positive choices regarding friends, sex, drugs and other major decisions. (45 minutes)

□ 06 Finding Your SPARK and Becoming Swaggerific- Presenter Nakia Hall

A SPARK is something you're excited about and something that brings out your talents! This workshop will focus on how teens can find their spark, how they can use it in their lives, and express it to others. (45 minutes)

#### Session IV - 10:45 AM - 12:15 PM

□ 07 **Learning to Care for Others** - Presenter Erricka Coleman

This workshop will not only help you understand the importance of helping the hurting, hopeless or homeless in the USA. It will provide ways individuals and groups can get involved in helping these people. While specifically focusing on rescue missions, there will be opportunities to adapt the concepts presented in this seminar to other ministries. You will be challenged to seek out opportunities to minister to the hurting, hopeless or homeless.

(45 minutes)

□ 08 **Do You Understand the Words that are Coming Out of My Mouth!** - *Presenter Kathy McClure*Have you ever heard someone preaching, teaching or making a speech and thinking to yourself what in the world are they talking about? Being able to speak effectively in public is a key skill all leaders need to develop and possess. This interactive workshop will help you become a more impactful speaker and provide you with the basics of effective public speaking.

(45 minutes)

#### Session V - 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM

□ 09 **Being a Boss and Getting Young Money!** - Presenter Bethany Banks

Gone are the days of waiting until after college degrees to Be a Boss and get money. Entrepreneurial acumen can come at an early age. Picasso once said "every child is an artist. But the problem is how to remain an artist once we grow up. This workshop will Inspire you to tap into your creative side and explore ways you can become an entrepreneur and make money now, while doing the things you love. (90 minutes)

## **PamFam**



Imani, Nia and Zoe Ross, also known as the "PamFam," are the daughters of leadership teacher, Pam Ross and her husband Ray. They are 18, 16 and 14 respectively.

The girls have been students of the Bible their entire lives and laughingly admit, "Our life is a leader-ship lesson." Imani, Nia and Zoe all serve in their local church. They are known for their fun, and

creative teaching style.

# **Bethany Banks**



Bethany Banks is a licensed Cosmetology Instructor previously working in Cosmetology schools as well as salons of multi-cultural and ethnic backgrounds. She is currently employed at Avlon Industries, one of the beauty industries leading hair care companies, working in Research and Development of major product lines.

Bethany also has a heart after God for the Spiritual Growth and Development of Gods people. She currently serves at Agape Church and Ministries in Chicago, IL as one of the Praise and Worship leaders,

Sunday School Teacher, Women's Ministry Co-Captain and Co-captain of both Youth and Marriage Ministry with her husband Minister Charlie Banks.

Bethany not only has a heart to beautify the outer man, but to spiritually beautify and minister to God's people for the purpose of Kingdom Building. Her focus is: And *whatever* you do in word or deed, *do* all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through Him (Colossians 3:17).

# **Ebonie Kelley**



Ebonie Kelley is a highly skilled Customer Operations Manager with a cross-functional background in Business Administration and Project Management. Her leadership skills are dynamic; she has affectively developed other Leaders to efficiently become Operations Managers.

Ebonie's willingness to help others; has caused her to be an effective mentor to the youth at T.F. North High School in Calumet City and mentoring has opened doors for her to expand to T.F. South High

School in September 2011. She volunteers and sits on the Residential Council Board and Newsletter committee at Bickerdike Redevelopment Corporation. She has also written her first article in the July 2011 Newsletter which consisted of an interview with Mr. Darnell Bonds, Bickerdike's Director of Property Management.

Ebonie has her Associates Degree from Robert Morris University in Business. She is currently attending DePaul University majoring in Communications and Media for her Bachelor's Degree. Enrolled at Computer Training Source School she will become certified in 2010 Microsoft Office Suite (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Access and Outlook). After completing all courses at CTS, it will transition her in obtaining her certification in Project Management from the Project Management Institute in January 2012. She is affluent in Quick Books, HTML, and Dreamweaver.

She attends Valley Kingdom Ministries International where Apostle H. Daniel Wilson is the lead Pastor with Pastor Beverly LaJoice Wilson. She serves on the Mountain of Education Ministry, the Mountain of Family (unmarried and children's) Ministry and the Mountain of Media Ministries. If you are interested in contacting Ebonie, send your email to eboniekelley@gmail.com; or you can reach her on any of these social networks; LinkedIn, Face book and Twitter.

# **Teen Conference Schedule**

# Thursday, November 10, 2011

3:00 PM - 7:00P M Hotel Check-in/Registration

5:00 PM Dinner on your own

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Evening Service

Guest Speaker: Dr. Debora Hooper

Worship in Dance: Cynthia Albritten

9:00 PM Movie & Fireside Chat

## Friday, November 11, 2011

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM Breakfast

8:00 AM -12:00 PM Registration

9:00 AM - 10:15 AM Spa Time

10:15 AM - 10:30 AM Break

10:30 AM - 12:00 PM Workshop Session I

12:00 PM - 1:30 PM Lunch

1:30 PM - 3:00 PM Workshop Session II

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM Volley Ball/Video Arcade

5:00 PM Dinner on your own

9:00 PM Girls Rock Slumber Party

# Saturday, November 12, 2011

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM Breakfast

9:00 AM - 10:30 AM Workshop Session III

10:30 AM - 10:45 AM Break

10:45 AM - 12:15 PM Workshop Session IV

12:15 PM - 1:30 PM Lunch

1:30 P M - 3:00 PM Workshop Session V

3:00 PM - 3:30 PM Closing Session

3:30 PM Conference Ends

# **Sponsoring Opportunities**

Partner - \$2,000 donation	Advisor - \$1,000 donation						
One whole page ad in the Conference Program	• One ½ half-page ad in the Conference Program						
• Six (6) tickets to the Conference or sponsor (6) single mothers	Four (4) tickets to the Conference or sponsor (4) single mothers						
<ul> <li>VIP seating and invitation to VIP reception</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>VIP seating and invitation to VIP reception</li> </ul>						
Advocate - \$500 Donation	Supporter - \$250 Donation						
• ½ -page ad in Program (business card size)	<ul> <li>Company name/logo listed in event program</li> </ul>						
• Three (3) tickets to the Conference or sponsor (3) single mothers	• Two (2) tickets to the Conference or sponsor (2) single mothers						
Table space to display marketing materials	Table space to display marketing materials						
• VIP seating and invitation to VIP reception	• VIP seating and invitation to VIP reception						
Friend - \$100 Donation							
Company name/logo listed in event program							
• One (1) ticket to the Conference or sponsor (1) single mother							
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for art and text for the program book is September 15, 2011. Food, venue and other sponsorships are available.

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# **Conference Vendor Information**

Vendor hours during the Conference: Friday - 8:00 am - 10:00 pm Saturday - 8:00 am - 2:00 pm

The vendor fee includes access to a six foot table for the entire conference and two chairs and table covering. The conference vendor fee is: \$50.00 per table (non-members) \$30.00 per table (WIMBA members)

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**Note:** The vendor room will be closed during workshop and service times.

**Vendor Application Deadline is: August 31, 2011.** Be sure to print your confirmation page as you may be required to show this page at Registration.

For additional information contact Mischelle Pittman-Henry (219) 230-6244 or vendor application form visit our website: <a href="http://www.womenofvalorministry.org/soaring\_for\_the\_kingdom\_conference0.aspx">http://www.womenofvalorministry.org/soaring\_for\_the\_kingdom\_conference0.aspx</a>

## **Ways to Register:**

Online: www.womenofvalorministry.org

Phone: (773) 675-2048 Fax: (201) 645-8840

<u>Conference early registration fee is: \$50.00 per person</u> and the *deadline* is <u>September 30, 2011</u> Ladies bring your 12-17 year old daughters. Registration after September 30, 2011 will be \$75.00

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