



# CHRISTCHURCH WOMEN

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## *Upcoming Events*

### WISDOM CIRCLE

#### **International Celebration**

**Thursday, September 19, 6:30 - 8:30 pm**


Celebrate the diversity within our congregation as we enjoy an evening of fellowship, good food and personal reflections from women who are part of our group. Bring an appetizer to share from your background culture.

### THE GATHERING

#### **Savor the Moment: God's Gift of Now**

**Thursday, October 17, 2024 6:30 - 8:30 pm**


This gathering invites women to step away for an evening from the worries of tomorrow and the rush of daily life. Come as you are, leave your to-do lists at the door, and prepare to savor the richness of God's presence and the joy of sisterhood. We'll enjoy savory bites of food and soul-filling wisdom and encouragement from guest speaker Brooke Andrews, a passionate encourager and teacher of God's Word.



### GIRLS NIGHT IN

**Thursday, November 14, 6:30 - 8:30 pm**

Join other women for a relaxed evening of fellowship. Meet some new friends and catch up with old ones. Light appetizers served.  
Hosted by Judy Kohl - 630 S. Green Bay Road, Lake Forest



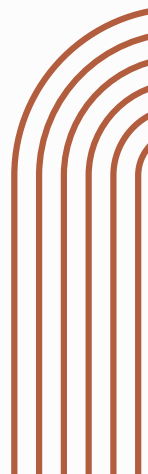
### ADVENT GATHERING

#### **Warmth of Winter: Women's Advent Gathering**

**Tuesday, December 3, 6:30 - 8:00 pm**

*Held at each of our campuses*

Join us for an evening of warmth and sisterhood as we embrace the spirit of Advent. "Warmth of Winter: Women's Advent Gathering" invites you to step away from the holiday hustle and bustle to reflect on the true meaning of the season. This gathering offers a chance to connect with other women, find peace amidst the winter chill, and re-ignite the inner light of hope and joy that defines Advent.



**[CHRISTCHURCHIL.ORG/WOMEN](http://CHRISTCHURCHIL.ORG/WOMEN)**

# Group Opportunities

Women are meeting together throughout each week to study God's word and grow together along their personal faith journey. You will find information about each study on the Christ Church women's page online: [www.christchurchil.org/women](http://www.christchurchil.org/women)

## Creative Occasions

Great conversations happen when you bring women together who are in different seasons of life. Each gathering is different, but always involved creativity and fun. Ra'chael Ward: [rachaelwardr@gmail.com](mailto:rachaelwardr@gmail.com).

## Women of Vernon Hills

Connect with other women from the Vernon Hills Campus on the Third Sunday of each month. Lunch after church at Panera Bread. Melanie Flaming: [melanie.flaming@gmail.com](mailto:melanie.flaming@gmail.com), Kelly Namanja: [kelhanlon@gmail.com](mailto:kelhanlon@gmail.com), Loida Consec: [loidmy@hotmail.com](mailto:loidmy@hotmail.com)

## New Horizons - Widows Leaning In

Coming Together to forge new friendships while supporting and encouraging each other as we navigate a new life landscape. For more information see online or contact Lori Glattly: [lglattly@gmail.com](mailto:lglattly@gmail.com).

## Grief Group

### Fall Session Sept 16 - October 14 // Mondays from 7-8:30 pm

It seems the world wants us to seek closure when we are faced with loss, when what we really need is to welcome our natural and necessary grief. Join others who have experienced the loss of someone dear to them.

## Wisdom Bridge

One to one mentoring gives you the opportunity to sit down with someone who offers a listening ear and shares experiences as you deal with some of life's challenges. This could include support in situations such as addiction, loneliness, mental illness, grief and many more.

Sue Banks: [sueflay60@yahoo.com](mailto:sueflay60@yahoo.com)

## Spiritual Direction

If you are going through a difficult journey of any kind, a care companion will offer you a confidential and nonjudgemental meeting time. Our trained care companions desire to give you a listening presence of emotional and spiritual care. Cost of these sessions will be discussed at your initial meeting. Susan Neaman: [sneaman@christchurchil.org](mailto:sneaman@christchurchil.org).

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