

Welcome to the

Jesus IS Here!

Retreat for Women in Essex County

You will Experience Jesus here and leave knowing

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Featuring

Dynamic Bible Teacher

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Women's Bible Study every Thursday @ 7pm

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Retreat Schedule

- 8:30 Registration
- 9:00 Introductions
- 9:30 Jesus is Here Topical Teaching
- 11:30 Lunch (1 hour)
- 12:30 Wader's Workshops
- 1:30 Shema Ishshah Yapourdee
- 3:00 Dismissed for Biblical Problem Solving

*Keep Jesus with you
wherever you are spurring
others to love and good deeds!*

A Prayer on Fire!

When we become a Christian we are endowed with the presence of God. He brings with Him an all-consuming fire designed to devour our very souls. It is our duty to transfer this Fire or the presence of God into our soul. Prayer is that way! When we pray we are connecting to the Fire. Praying is about connecting our soul with this all-consuming fire!

The way we pray makes a different type of fire within us. These three styles of prayer use three different sources fueling three different fires.

1. The Kindling Prayer
2. The Flameless Prayer
3. The Burning Bush Prayer

Let's get into the Word to find out what fuels these different fires and how prayer can change the source.

Kindling Prayers Make Weak Fires!

In the beginning our prayer looks more like kindling so our fire is weak and burns out often. A kindling prayer is prayer filled with worldly wants that don't last. Every Christian begins with this weak Fire because the source of this fire is our own will! Kindling prayers make a weak fire therefore a weak soul. How can we recognize this? *Let's study God's Word*

2 Timothy 3:7; Psalm 78:56; Psalm 106:14; 1 Corinthians 10:6; James 4:2-3; Proverbs 10:19; Proverbs 29:20

Fear not, kindling still makes a fire even though it is weak and hungry. We will eventually get tired of feeding these fires over again and begin praying for a more consuming fire. The good news is our soul and His Fire are licking at each other and it is time to stop using kindling to build our fire but how? Ecclesiastes 5:2; Exodus 18:19

Flameless Prayers Make Embers!

As we refuse to pray kindling prayers our prayer becomes flameless resulting in red hot embers ready to spark at any time. A flameless prayer is filled with whining and joy! Scripture is fast becoming the fuel that keeps these sparking embers hot even to our very soul. Flameless prayer makes sparking embers and those embers jump into our soul. How can we recognize this? *Let's study God's Word*

Matthew 6:21; Romans 12:2; Psalm 51:10; Psalm 37:4; Proverbs 3:5-6; Jeremiah 29:11; Romans 8:18-39

While the embers are heating our soul we are learning, transforming and beginning to think a lot like Jesus. The great news is our soul and His fire is becoming connected with these embers nonetheless we need some flame in our prayers but how? 1 Corinthians 2:13-16; Isaiah 40:13

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Burning Bush Prayers Make a Bonfire!

Our red-hot embers will eventually spark burning bush prayers. These prayers are filled with compassion and holy fire. God's will is the source of this fire! Burning bush fires make a bonfire consuming our whole soul. How can we recognize this? *Let's study God's Word*

1 Chronicles 16:11; Genesis 18:27; Isaiah 1:18; Joshua 1:8; Romans 10:17; Revelation 1:3; Psalm 91:1

Walking in the will of God will keep this fire consuming us. The good news is our soul and His Fire are now one. We have His mind and pray His will. His face is always before us and we seek it day and night. We are consumed by this fire with no way out but up!

Conclusion

Praying is about connecting our soul with God's all-consuming fire! We need to have each one of these types of fires burning in us to understand the difference between self-contained fires and God contained fires. The kindling prayer, the flameless prayer and the burning bush prayer are in us all every day. Our prayer life changes with each one of these types and becomes fueled by God's will rather than our own. When our soul and God's fire become one there will be no stopping us!

The Reward for Praying

Being in the will of God is a command (1 Thessalonians 5:16-18) so what will we get if we obey His commands? Revelations 22:14

Action Plan

Prayer is a powerful weapon to change us. Over the next couple of months we are going to discover what God actually wants us to pray about and create a testimony book or box. If you are not a prayer warrior then get in the habit of doing it on a timetable. Set your smarty pants phone to remind you when to pray and what the topic is. When you have these under control allow God, in your secret place, to transform your prayers into something new, something ferocious, and something passionate. This may very well be out of your own frustration but it works nonetheless. Now watch God work and document it!

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Wader's Workshops



The Wader's Workshops are designed to give you enough information about Jesus, you and/or the world to bring you dangerously close to the deep but still far enough away that you cannot reach it without taking a swim. Once you begin to wade you will get used to the water and hopefully your desire to swim into the deep grows and you will wade deeper and deeper until you can dive into the deep without abandon.

Let us begin our wade!

My Ears are Burning

What are your ears burning to hear?

2 Timothy 4:3-4

We have just discussed transferring the Fire into our soul so that we burn to be more like Jesus. This workshop is designed to give you a little insight into how much Fire we have actually transferred during our secret time with Jesus. There is no better way to gauge that than our instant reaction to Scripture!

When Kathleen reads these 5 verses you are to write down your first reaction. Do not think about it just write.

Verse 1:

Verse 2:

Verse 3:

Verse 4:

Verse 5:

Our first reaction to the Word of God is a very telling gauge regarding how much Spiritual Fire has transferred to our soul.

When you are in your secret place with Jesus over the next couple of month's ask Him to make the transfer especially when you have a soul reaction. It may start by Him asking you to search for the truth. He will bring books, people, a time of reflection, a verse or any other means you need to make the connection. Follow Him into the secret place and stay with Him there so you will be under His protection when the dessert comes. Set your ears to hear the truth and you will do just fine.

Thank you for coming to the

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We want you to experience Jesus in a new way and
leave today knowing Him better.

Bi- Monthly
Gatherings
9:00am to 3:00pm
Bring your own lunch

@ Hillman United Church,
Leamington, Ontario
Registration begins at
8:30am

Saturday, July 30, Topic: Enjoyment Mother/Daughter Picnic
Saturday, September 24, Topic: Fruit
Saturday, November 19, Topic: Women of God

TO REGISTER AT ANYTIME FOR THESE ***NO COST*** ENCOUNTERS
WITH JESUS

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