

Woman to Woman Mentoring Ministry

The Woman to Woman Mentoring Ministry is an organized program to help build Christian relationships among the women of our congregation at Sylvan Hills.

MISSION STATEMENT: To give the women of Sylvan Hills Church of Christ the opportunity to experience joy and growth in their Christian lives by participating in one-on-one supporting and encouraging mentoring friendships. A mentor will be a woman who is a practicing Christian, regularly attends services at Sylvan Hills, and has the desire to let her life be an example and godly role model. A mentee will be an attendee of Sylvan Hills who is younger in her walk with the Lord. Women of all ages are welcome. The foundational scriptures are Titus 2:3-5 and Psalm 145:4 where we are told to teach and guide the next generation of Christian women in how to live the life of a godly woman.

The Mentoring Ministry holds 2 orientation coffees a year--one in March and one in October. These coffees are held in homes and give interested women the opportunity to learn about the ministry, to hear testimony from existing relationships, and to decide whether to participate as a mentor or mentee. The ministry team leaders meet the following day to pray for the participants as matches are made. Mentors and mentees stay in a relationship for 5 months and are assigned prayer warriors to pray for and with them. Mentors and mentees learn of their match on Kick-Off Night the next week. At the Kick-Off time is spent in training, sharing personal information and goals for their relationship, and planning their first get together. A Half-time Refresher is held for all mentors after 2 months. A Celebration Potluck takes place at the end of the 5 month period, then the process is repeated. Mentors and mentees can remain in relationship for 2 terms.

(NOTE: The Woman to Woman Mentoring Ministry has involved 96 different women since its inception in July of 2006. It is a ministry of the Lord.)

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