

THE PURPOSE OF TITUS 2 DISCIPLESHIP (T2D)

The purpose of Titus 2 Discipleship is for spiritually mature women to share the gospel and their lives (1 Thessalonians 2:7-8) with younger women in order to encourage and equip them to think biblically and live covenantally through an understanding of biblical principles of womanhood, thus glorifying God. This purpose is realized as women:

- Learn to think biblically about all of life, including sexuality.
- Seek to bring their lives under the authority of God's word.
- Apply biblical principles to relationships and circumstances
- Establish covenant relationships with other women.
- Become equipped to spiritually mother other women and girls.
- Grow in their love for and service to the church.
- Cultivate a life-giving culture in the church where women share the gospel and their lives with one another.

Our Titus 2 leaders are called "Spiritual Mothers" because this is a nurturing ministry - not just another Bible study. By definition, a "Spiritual Mother" *is a woman of faith and spiritual maturity who enters into a nurturing relationship with a younger woman in order to encourage and equip her to live for God's glory.* This will be a small group ministry with 7-9 women in each group and led by a pair of Spiritual Mothers. Our Spiritual Mother teams are:

*Audrey Beam and Paula Salmonson
Melissa Joy Hamelau
Wendy Willis and Laura Capps
Denise Smith and Shelly King
Cindy Simmons and Koren Austin*

IMPORTANT DETAILS

- There will be morning and evening groups.
- Groups will meet 1-2 times per month for 12 months. Usually we have a kick-off brunch in January where the individuals can meet their Spiritual Mothers. However, due to the regulations and concerns about COVID, we are postponing that for 2021. Your Spiritual Mothers will be in touch with you concerning when you will meet. The actual discipleship begins in February.
- Women will commit to 12 months of discipleship. Your commitment will run from February 2021 through January 2022.
- On Monday, December 7th, you will be able to go to the Women's Ministry page and sign up for the time that best fits your schedule. After you sign up, you will receive a confirmation email with additional details.
- Women will sign up for a time that is convenient with their schedule.
- The curriculum for 2021 is the book *Divine Design 101* by Nancy DeMoss Wolgemuth and also how various women of the Bible serve as life-giving role models.
- Be prepared to discuss chapter one at your first meeting in February.
- Go to www.truewoman101.com to view weekly and supplemental videos for each chapter.
- This is for women of *all* ages!! This is a two-way relational discipleship where both younger and older women come together for encouragement, modeling of godly behavior, and equipping.