

Women's Fall Retreat 2017

Registration Form

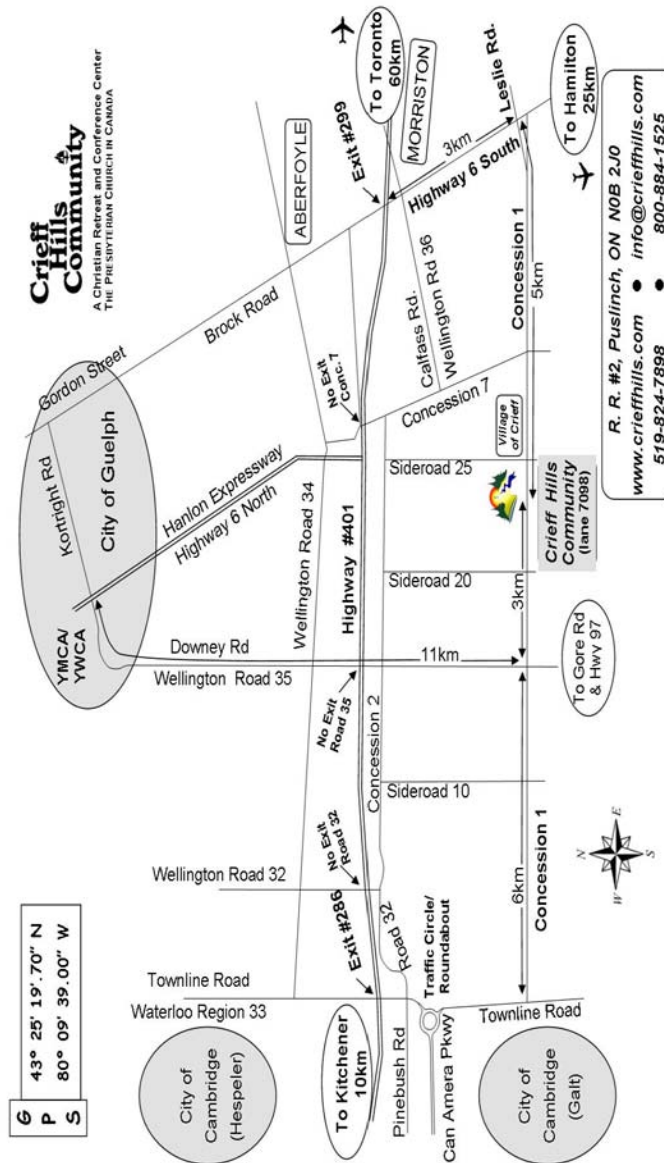
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Meals: Do you have any dietary requirements (i.e. food allergies) we should know about?	
Accommodation: Do you have a physical handicap / special need for which you will require ground floor accommodation?	
Special Request for Single Room (If available, note that an additional fee will apply) - please indicate here:	

Please Register by October 31st

Please mail or fax to - Crieff Hills Conference and Retreat Centre
 7098 Concession 1
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 FAX: (519) 824-7145
 TELEPHONE: 519-824-7898 (1 800-884 -1525)

- Registration Form & Dietary Restrictions
- \$50.00 deposit (non-refundable)

Directions to Crieff Hills Community



This map is also available on our web site.

www.crieffhills.com

*Living a Life
of Prayer*



Photo by Margaret Boyd

**Women's Fall Retreat
November 10th - 12th 2017**

Speaker: Mary Jane Bissett

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Living a Life of Prayer

Prayer can be as simple as 'Thank you God' or it can be much more involved in thought and time. Prayer can happen with folded hands, on bended knee, with your whole body or sitting still.

During our time together, we will explore and share together what prayer is all about and how we pray best. This will be a time to be creative, reflective, open to all around us and responsive to God's presence.

And while this is a time for each one gathered together, it is also important as parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles, and friends of the young to help them strengthen their sense of prayer, while being careful not to stifle their spiritual development. So we will also be looking at families and prayer, and children praying.

Perfect prayer is achieved not with many words but with loving desire... Everything you do can be a prayer.

St. Catherine of Siena

Meet our Speaker—Mary Jane Bissett

Mary Jane has been a diaconal minister of the Presbyterian Church in Canada for 40 years. She was Diaconal Minister of Knox Goderich from 2000-2012, responsible for Christian Education and programming, and continues to live in Goderich. In June of 2016, Mary Jane retired... sort of.

Mary Jane graduated from Ewart College in 1977, and has ministered in local congregations, at the Synod level, and for the Board of World Missions and the WMS. Her work has taken her to Sarnia, Toronto, London, Hamilton, Burlington, & Cambridge as well as Goderich.

"As a Diaconal Minister, I believe strongly in the work and leadership of the laity of the Church. I see the present, as well as the future of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, to be in the development of the gifts of God's Spirit within God's people. My role has been to assist children, youth and adults to discover God, to explore God's Word, to understand who we are as children of God. I believe that it is the responsibility of each one of us to share God's love and message to those around.

As human beings, we are continually growing and developing. I have always had an interest in how we develop spiritually as a part of our growth. I have spent time helping others explore that part of our beings, and over the years I have developed a strong interest in Spirituality Centres."

Leading in Song - Katherine Rochester

Katherine Rochester is the Director of Music at Knox's Galt Presbyterian Church in Cambridge. She also teaches piano and works as an accompanist for singers, choirs and instrumentalists. She and her husband Dave live in Cambridge and have 3 sons and one granddaughter.

She loves to spend her free time reading interesting books and hiking, and dreaming about travelling.

Be sure to bring: Appropriate clothing & footwear for walking, Alarm clock, Flashlight, Bible, Personal items & Medications, Late night snacks & Games.

Weekend Timing

Weekend Begins: Registration will begin at 5:00 pm Friday evening in the Conference Hall (laneway 7098).
* Friday dinner in Maclean Hall will be at 6:00 pm.

Our Days: Begin with breakfast at 8:00 am, Lunch at 12:30 pm, Saturday Dinner at 5:30 pm and planned activities will end by 9:00 pm.

Daily Activities: A blend of sessions, worship, fellowship and relaxation fill the days while at Crieff Hills.

Cost: Includes Accommodation, Meals, Program and Taxes

\$240.00 / person (double accommodation)

\$300.00 / person* (single accommodation)

** Note there is limited single accommodation available*

Commuter Rate: Includes Meals, Program & Taxes
\$175.00 / person for weekend

Accommodation:

Accommodation is in our hotel style lodges. Each room is complete with two beds and a private 3 piece bath.

Linen is supplied. (sheets, pillow, pillow case, blankets, bath towel and face cloth).

Meals:

Meals will be served in Maclean Hall which is a short walk from our accommodation. Meals are served family style. Our chefs strive for excellence in the meals served at Crieff. **If you have special diet needs, we ask you to call the office at least 10 days before the retreat so the chefs can prepare for your dietary requirements.** The Crieff Hills office phone number is 1-800-884-1525.