



The Harvest is Abundant

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Abundant Harvest in 2026!



Judy Graham

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For the last two months, I have been praying for a word of encouragement from the Lord. One morning this thought came from the Holy Spirit..."AN ABUNDANT HARVEST IN 2026?" This ministry was officially birthed in 1999 with a theme Scripture of Luke 4:18-19. From this scripture we knew that the Spirit of the Lord was upon Celebration Women's Ministry with a three-part focus of Salvation, Healing and Equipping of women "for such a time as this".

Through the last 27 years we have seen Jesus do many miracles in women's lives. He is still in the business of bringing women to a personal relationship with Him, healing their spirits and souls from woundedness, healing their physical bodies, and freeing their minds from the deception of the enemy. Lastly, they are being equipped with His Spirit and the Word of God so they can be all God created them to be. This has been a good harvest for the Kingdom.

Now, because we have planted seeds through the years, we have watered the seeds with prayers, and it is now time to see a greater harvest planned by Jesus for the ministry.

The same thing is true in your life, too. Just as you have followed the leading of the Holy Spirit through the years, this scripture for Paul in 1 Corinthians 3:6-8 NIV applies to all of us. In the Church at Corinth, there was quarreling among the members about which leader to follow. Paul responded to them with the following admonition:

"I planted the seed, Apollos watered it, but God has been making it grow. So neither the one who plants nor the one who waters is anything, but only God, who makes things grow. The one who plants and the one who waters have one purpose, and they will each be rewarded according to their own labor."

Jesus earlier had said, 'This is what the kingdom of God is like. A man scatters seed on the ground. Night and day, whether he sleeps or gets up, the seed sprouts and grows, though he does not know how.' - Mark 4:26-27.

You have been planting seeds in lives of family, friends and others for years, perhaps watering the seeds others have planted, but God is the one who will make things grow in every situation. It is not the church or the church leaders who make things grow, but only God. We are all of Christ, and Christ is of God. Nothing is impossible with Him. Get ready, our harvest is coming!

With love and anticipation,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Judy".

Register Now for the FREEDOM Conference

Join us and women from around the country (and the world) March 6-7, 2026, at The Woodlands Methodist Church for Celebration's FREEDOM Conference based on 2 Corinthians 3:17, "Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom." This year's theme emerged from a June prayer call, clearly revealing the Lord's direction through prayer.

Guest speakers Stephanie Greenwald, Dr. Kim Maas, and Rev. Dr. Madeline Henners will take us to a deeper place with Jesus, as will Kingdom Come music during our praise and worship time.

Invite a friend, register at www.celebrationministries.org/nc26, and make your hotel reservations now!

Testimonies from 2025 National Conference

"Speaking at the Celebration Women's Ministry National Conference was an unforgettable honor, and I was deeply moved by how powerfully the theme Receive came to life throughout our time together. From the very beginning, there was a sense of expectancy in the room—women arriving with hearts open to what the Lord might pour into them. I was touched by so many conversations, by the stories shared with raw vulnerability, and by the beautiful moments of connection with women who said they were finally ready to release the weight they'd been carrying and let God take the lead. It was humbling to witness the Spirit at work, gently restoring hope, offering healing, and knitting hearts together in sacred community. I left with my own heart full, reminded once again that when we come ready to receive, God is always ready to meet us there." - Dianne Burnett

The music was absolutely awesome! What a blessing we've received thru their music. - Dolores

Thank you for the gift of this conference. - Susan

It was very powerful. - Anita

Jesus took a weight off my shoulders. I am letting go of that little girl who has kept me from growing up. - Dee

Wonderful conference. The praise band and music was WOW!! Very inspiring. - Dorothy

Register Now!

Freedom

Celebration National Conference 2026

New Location!

The Woodlands Methodist Church
The Woodlands, TX

Friday & Saturday
March 6 & 7, 2026

Keynote: Stephanie Greenwald
Dr. Kim Maas
Rev. Dr. Madeline Henners
Be on the lookout for more details!



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YES, I WILL ATTEND NATIONAL CONFERENCE 2026

Adult Registration **\$130** includes lunch on Friday.

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Please make check payable to:
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Check # _____ Amount enclosed \$ _____
Mail form to: Margie Filer
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QUESTIONS?

Contact our VP of Conference, Sheila Davis

409.363.2372 or conference@celebrationministries.org

LOOKING FORWARD TO OUR CONFERENCE SPEAKERS

Stephanie Greenwald, a native of Overland Park, Kansas, has called Oklahoma home since age 15. She earned her Bachelor of Science degree in psychology from the University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma, and a Master of Leadership degree with a Ministry Focus at Mid-America Christian University. Mrs. Greenwald comes from a family of pastors and felt the call to serve Christ at age 12. Known for her kind-hearted compassion and joy, she is gifted in communicating the Good News through persuasive preaching and Biblical teaching, with an emphasis on meaningful illustrations and passionate delivery.

Now the First Lady of Mid-America Christian University, Stephanie is a sought-after speaker, worship leader, and instructor for the School of Ministry at Mid-America Christian University. Formerly the Associate Pastor at St. Andrew's Community Global Methodist Church in Oklahoma City, Stephanie also served as the Director of Worship at St. Luke's Methodist Church. Greenwald has served on the global legislative council for the Wesleyan Covenant Association and the executive council for the Wesleyan Covenant Association of Oklahoma.



Her husband, Rev. Dr. Phil Greenwald, is the President of Mid-America Christian University in Oklahoma City, and together they have two daughters. Their oldest daughter, Kalli recently married Riley May and will soon be attending Oklahoma State University's College of Osteopathic Medicine. Their younger daughter, Tori is a ministry student at Mid-America Christian University. The Greenwald's enjoy traveling, eating great food, and spending time with their two shih tzus, Millie and Rue. Stephanie is a self-described shoe-a-holic and is a certified kujutsu martial arts instructor and seventh-degree black belt.



Dr. Kim Maas is an international speaker, author, and minister. After a radical encounter with the Holy Spirit on March 22, 1994, Kim left her twenty-two-year nursing career to serve God full-time. Her passion is for people to gain confidence in who God is and what He says so they can move forward. She is called to go into all the world to preach and prophesy the word of God with signs and wonders following, equipping, and educating the body of Christ for local and global Kingdom advancement.

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Kim served as a pastor in the local church for many years before becoming a full-time itinerant minister. She is the president and CEO of Kim Maas Ministries, founder of Women of Our Time, and host of the Move Forward with Dr. Kim Maas, Voice of the Shepherds, and The Muchness Podcast podcasts. She can also be heard on the Move Forward with Dr. Kim Maas TV program on KiTV, and KiTV Africa. Kim is the author of Prophetic Community: God's Call for All to Minister in His Gifts and The Way of the Kingdom: Seizing the Moment for a Great Move of God and Finding Our Muchness: Inheriting Audacious Boldness From Women in the Bible, published by Chosen Books. She has also authored several self-published resources for personal and group studies. Kim is ordained by the Apostolic Network of Global Awakening and Legacy Alliance and Communion, and licensed by her home church, Heart of the City. She earned a Doctorate in Ministry at United Theological Seminary and a Master of Divinity at King's University. Kim and her husband, Mike, live in North Idaho. They have three married children and a growing number of grandchildren.

Rev. Dr. Madeline Henners is an ordained elder in the Mid-Texas Conference of the Global Methodist Church who served pastorally within the local church for thirteen years. She has ministered in a variety of capacities, as both an associate pastor and solo pastor. Her areas of focus in pastoral ministry have included spiritual formation, discipleship, young adult and women's ministry, administrative organization, and preaching and teaching. Madeline enjoys leading others to recognize and hear God's voice and is frequently invited to speak on the power of the Holy Spirit at revivals, retreats, women's conferences, and denominational events around the country.

She teaches in the areas of spiritual formation and field education, directing the Contextual Ministries program with an emphasis on spiritual disciplines, discipleship, accountability, ministerial theology, and the doctrine of God. Madeline also serves as the Director of the Internal Review Board of Human Subject Research for the DMin program. Areas of interest for Madeline include spiritual formation, supernatural ministry, charismatic awakening, and church renewal. She currently serves on the board of Spirit & Truth, having finished her term as their board chair.



In 2007, Madeline married David Henners, an architect from Liverpool, England. Madeline and her husband consider themselves a ministry team, praying with people for healing and deliverance. Together, they enjoy to camp, golf, and travel.

Thank you to our Celebration Partners

As a partner in Celebration, we come to you with a grateful heart. Your faithful support of the ministry has been the lifeblood of the organization.

Through the leading of the Holy Spirit and continued prayer, we have sought to be obedient to the Word and diligent in our stewardship of Celebration.

Thank you for entrusting us to wisely invest your gifts into the spiritual growth and feeding of all those who seek Him.

We pledge to do "our utmost for His highest."

May God continue to bless you through this ministry. You are such a blessing to us.

With love,
Judy and the Celebration Board

Invitation to Partner with us in the New Year.

We are excited to report that we have 4 ladies and more to add from Monrovia, Liberia who will be attending Celebration's FREEDOM NC26 Conference. This reminds us of Isaiah 54:2 "Enlarge the place of your tent" (sphere of influence) going forward in 2026.

You can partner with us by clicking the "donate" button on our website, www.celebrationministries.org. Under "fund" select "partner pledge" from the drop down menu, and then select your desired frequency of giving. Partner gifts start at \$25. Follow the prompts to complete your donation.

If you would prefer to send a check, you may mail your check noting partner pledge to Celebration Women's Ministry, 11762 White Oak Trl, Conroe, TX 77385.

Thank you in advance for joining us in the work Jesus has planned!



HONORING WOMEN

Would you like to honor someone in our next issue?

Your donation to honor these women will pass along the opportunity to make a difference in other women's lives through Celebration.

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CELEBRATION CALENDAR

February

7 Nederland, TX Chapter Meeting
9:30 - 11:00 am | Wesley Methodist Church
Contact Lisa Spalding at 409-728-2706

Valentines Day

March

6 & 7 Celebration National Conference
The Woodlands Methodist Church
celebrationministries.org/NC26

10 Trinity, TX Chapter Meeting
6:00 pm | First Methodist Church of Trinity
Contact Yvonne Hastings at yvlaw@hotmail.com

21 Wisconsin Chapter Meeting
8:30 - 11:00 am |
Contact Karen Neuman at neupine@gmail.com

April

Happy Easter

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