

2019 Southern California/Arizona



50th Anniversary

Women's Retreat

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November 1-3, 2019

Calvary Chapel Conference Center

JOIN US FOR A GREAT WEEKEND CELEBRATION OF FUN, FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP!

English Speaker: Maureen Schaffer

Theme: "Faithful & True All the Way Through"

Spanish Speaker: Alfonso & Maria Ramirez

Theme: "Escoge el Gozo cuando la Felicidad no es suficiente"
(Choose Joy When Happiness is Not Enough)

Missions Speaker: Tim & Janine Lansing, Urban Hope LA

REGISTRATION-- The total cost of the Women's Retreat is \$190. To reserve your place for the retreat, you will need to turn in the Registration Form (including roommate requests) and a deposit of \$75 to your Church Retreat Coordinator starting August 1st. ALL MONIES MUST BE IN BY OCTOBER 7TH (\$115 or any remaining balance). NO MONIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AT RETREAT.

Roommates: The Retreat Committee reserves the right to arrange roommates to fulfill the 6 person per room requirement, while attempting to honor your request.

Cancellations: All registration fees are transferable BUT NOT REFUNDABLE.

Scholarship Drawing: This year we will have several lovely baskets for a prize drawing with all monies going into our District Scholarship Fund for the 2020 Retreat

Registration Form

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RETURN WITH \$75.00 DEPOSIT---TOTAL COST \$190.00 (+\$5.00 for Shirt)

Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____
Church: _____

I will attend:
_____ English Sessions _____ Spanish Sessions

Please check all that apply
I need a vegetarian diet _____ I have a special physical need _____ This is my FIRST retreat _____
I have attended _____ retreats over the last 50 years
I need a SMALL, MEDIUM, LARGE, X-LARGE, XX-LARGE size for Anniversary T-Shirt (your cost is \$5.00)

Other comments, including roommate requests:

PLEASE BRING ANY PAST RETREAT MEMORABILIA (PROGRAMS, PICTURES, ETC) WITH YOU TO SHARE FOR THE WEEKEND. THANK YOU!





Alfonso y Maria Ramirez

Alfonso es Pastor sirviendo con su esposa 46 años en la iglesia. Recibieron al Señor en 1972 y en 1973 ingresaron en Grace Bible Institute en Long Beach. Dios también les ha permitido servir en misiones que ha sido de gran bendición para ellos. Tienen cinco hijos y 11 nietos. Agradecen tanto el privilegio de servir y así haber tenido oportunidad de conocer la preciosa familia de Dios dondequiera que Dios los ha puesto

Maureen Schaffer

I grew up in La Mirada, California with seven older brothers and no sisters. At the age of 16, while reading the bible, I was born again, NEVER to be the same. Growing up with an alcoholic mother, I learned to value the companionship and comfort of the Holy Spirit. I graduated from San Diego State University and became a Programmer Analyst. I then married and became a full time stay-at-home mom. I have four children, two girls and two boys from age 20 to 27. My children have been home schooled as well as attended public and private schools. I enjoy my granddaughter. I currently teach English to speakers of other languages. I am also a certified Zumba Instructor. I play guitar and ukulele. I love leading worship and writing kids' praise songs!



In September of 2012, I was diagnosed with a rare salivary gland cancer. This cancer is chemotherapy resistant and almost certainly takes the life of those diagnosed with it eventually. It is slow growing but relentless. In July of 2016 I was given the diagnosis that I have stage 4 progressive metastatic cancer with four tumors in my lungs. I am currently in a medical trial in South Carolina using immunotherapy. I travel every 28 days for an infusion of two medications. We are hoping this treatment will keep the cancer at bay.

My husband has pastored First Love Calvary Chapel in Whittier for over 29 years. My children have gone through some major struggles in their teen/young adult years but I have seen the faithfulness of God through prayer, bringing them out and into a safe place with Christ.

I have recorded a Worship CD, multiple study guides and a few devotional books available on Amazon. I am grateful to know Christ as Lord and Savior and desire that you would progress in your walk with Him and have greater joy in your faith.



Tim & Janine Lansing

We have grown up in the Los Angeles area and are natives of California. They have been married for 15yrs and have the privilege of raising four wonderful kids: Wesley (11), Tyler (9), Rylee (7) and Hannah (5). Janine, from an early age, grew up learning to serve and minister at a local Christian camp in Southern California. She was also active in mission trips during her college years and served as an Operation Barnabas Leader in 2003. Tim has served with Operation Barnabas as a student and a leader and was the Director of the LIBERTY Ministry Team in Southern California for 5yrs during his college years. They now are actively involved in the start-up of the Urban Hope Training Center in Los Angeles under the direction of CE National. They believe that now, more than ever, the church needs to be trained in how to reach people for Christ and the large cities are an excellent area to learn how to do that.

THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW FOR RETREAT 2019:

The cost for Retreat this year is **\$190.00 based on 6 ladies per room.**

We are also offering Anniversary T-Shirts at a cost of \$5.00 per shirt (see Registration Form).

There is a \$75.00 deposit due with your Registration Form.

The remaining balance of \$115.00 per registrant is due to your Church Registrar by October 7, 2019.

Rooms will be 6 ladies per room. We do have a few rooms for ladies with special physical needs and those will be issued on a first come, first served basis. Please make sure that you indicate this need on your registration form. Also, Calvary Chapel is no longer able to provide individual special meal requests but is offering a Vegetarian diet, if needed. This should also be indicated on the registration form. They can also accommodate refrigeration if there are special foods any attendee needs to bring for themselves. **IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT IF YOU HAVE A SPECIAL DIETARY NEED THAT YOU LET US KNOW AS SOON AS POSSIBLE SO THAT NECESSARY DETAILS CAN BE WORKED OUT PRIOR TO ARRIVAL AT RETREAT.** **Very important -- We must take care of it before we get there. Thank you.**

We have guaranteed 184 participants for this year's Anniversary Retreat. Calvary advises that they will be at capacity for this weekend so we will not be able to obtain any additional rooms. We encourage you to get your registration in earlier, rather than later. Because of our commitment to Calvary Chapel and their policies, once a registration form and deposit is received, there are NO REFUNDS. If you need to cancel, the registration will be TRANSFERABLE, BUT NOT REFUNDABLE and will need to be paid in full.

This year we will have a 2020 Scholarship Fundraiser. You will be able to participate in a drawing throughout the weekend for various wonderful baskets being donated by some of our churches. All proceeds will be used to provide Scholarships for the 2020 Retreat. You may purchase tickets for the drawings at the Registration Table (\$1.00 each/6 for \$5.00).

Our Missions Emphasis this year will be Tim & Janine Lansing/Urban Hope LA. We will be taking an offering for the support/ministry of Tim, Janine and Urban Hope LA.

Please note that YOU are responsible for your own room key. **There is a \$10.00 charge for each unreturned key.** This will be due by YOU before YOU leave the Retreat on Sunday. We encourage you to keep track of your key.

You are invited to enjoy the natural hot springs on the facility. A one-piece bathing suit is required or a coverup is to be worn. You may want to bring your own beach towel to use at the hot springs.

The Springs of Life Bookstore, located near our entrance, is stocked with Bibles in multiple translations, books and commentaries written by well-known authors and pastors, coffee mugs, and home décor, all priced competitively.

Known for its handcrafted beverages, The Overflowing Cup Coffee Shop has a wide variety of drinks, snacks, and apparel for purchase. A stage is also available for concerts and special events. The OFC's infamous chai is a must-have while you are here.

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******ENGLISH LADIES: FOR SATURDAY NIGHT DINNER WE ARE ASKING YOU TO DRESS IN BLACK, GOLD AND/OR WHITE******