

## Meet the teachers:

**Charlene Brock** grew up in New Haven, Connecticut. She graduated from Cornell University and came to Philadelphia in 1974 to attend what was then The Medical College of Pennsylvania. She practices general pediatrics as a physician at St. Chris Care at Falls Center. Charlene has been married to Geoff for 34 years, and they have attended Pilgrim Church for 28 years. They have 3 sons, aged 29, 26, and 24, and a daughter who is 18. Charlene has been involved in the nursery ministry and women's ministry at Pilgrim, and currently is a member of the Christian Medical Association through which she mentors female medical students at Drexel Univ. College of Medicine. She enjoys meeting with other women for book studies, prayer, and encouragement and firmly believes that laughter is the best medicine.

**Carol Cipriani** was born in Philadelphia. She teaches fifth grade special education in Great Valley School District. She graduated from the University of Delaware in 2008 where she was actively involved with ministry through InterVarsity Christian Fellowship. Since then she has become a member of Pilgrim church and has been involved in small group, book club, and women's ministry. Carol loves reading, baking, crafting, and helping others develop their own creativity.

**Grace Heywood** resides in Roxborough and has been a member of Pilgrim Church for 20 years. She has served in many capacities; from greeting on Sunday mornings, to setting up the coffee for fellowship, to teaching, sharing and encouraging. Grace has worked for the past 11 years at the Senior Network located in Roxborough Memorial Hospital. She loves her job and the opportunity it affords her to reach out to others and touch so many lives.

**Marilyn Heywood (a.k.a. Mar)** has lived in Roxborough all her life except for the first year of her marriage to Bob, when they did 8 months in North Dakota and then 5 months in Guam. The Heywoods have 3 adult children and 3 grandchildren and have been married just about 39 years. Most of her days now, are spent at PCOM where she is the Internship Coordinator...basically becoming the 2nd mom to 30 new Interns each year. She sings on the Worship team at Pilgrim... which is one of her passions -"Worshipping God In Spirit and in Truth" and leading others to do the same. "I love to sew when I have the opportunity. I think we all want to make a difference in this world or even our homes and being creative, whether cooking, crafting or serving someone else is one of the ways we find that fulfillment especially as women." But, sometimes, like Mary, we just want to sit at the feet of Jesus and listen."

**Mary Krispin** is a twin and she and her sister, Marilyn were born March 8, 1939 and lived on a farm in Towanda, a small town in Northeast Pennsylvania. She is the wife of Bill Krispin, a former pastor, educator, and an encourager to those of the next generations of leaders in the work of God's Kingdom building. She is mother of five children, three daughters and two sons and is Grandmother of soon to be 13 grandchildren. Mary is a retired nurse, working 19 years at Roxborough Memorial Hospital as a part time staff nurse. She is a cancer survivor, diagnosed and treated for breast cancer in 1988. Mary has taught preschool bible clubs and woman's bible studies and Sunday School classes. My heart is for the Lord to use me to encourage others and to be a faithful woman of prayer. Psalm 135:13 "Your name, O Lord endures forever, your renown, O Lord through all generations"

**Vicky Maienshein** was born and raised in Philadelphia. She has been married for 26 years to Jeff, an elder at Pilgrim Church, where they have been members for 8 years. They have two sons, Andrew and Daniel, 20 and 14, respectively. Vicky works as a Kindergarten Teacher Aide at Phil-Mont Christian Academy and has been involved in the ministry at PMCA, as a parent, for over 15 years. Vicky holds a certificate degree from CCEF at Westminster Seminary in Biblical Counseling. She has been involved with Women's Ministry for 25 years, mentoring women and organizing various events for them. Vicky especially loves counseling and teaching other women, with the desire "to see them grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be the glory both now and forever." 2Peter 3:18

**Cathy Sawyer** is a native of Philadelphia. She is married to Ken for 28 years and they have two sons. Cathy is a member of Pilgrim Church for the past 7 years where she is also employed as the church administrator. She is involved with the nursery ministry and also serves in various areas of the women's ministry. Cathy enjoys traveling with her family, reading, cooking, trying new recipes; and strives to make her home a pleasant and loving environment.

**Shirley Weigand** was born in West Virginia and moved to Pennsylvania when she was 5 years old. She has been married to Ray for 47 years and they have 4 children and 8 grandchildren. Shirley has been a member of Pilgrim Church for 22 years and was involved in teaching Sunday School classes, helping with the youth group and more recently enjoys serving in the nursing home ministries. Retired for the past 4 years, she presently volunteers at the local Food Bank. She loves knitting, crocheting and going to the movies with Ray. Shirley believes that everybody needs a hug because it is one way to feel God's love.

# "UNFADING BEAUTY" A Titus 2 Woman

## WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Saturday, March 17, 2012

8:30 AM - 1:00 PM

*"Likewise, teach the older women to be reverent  
in the way they live,*

*not to be slanderers or addicted to much wine,*

*but to teach what is good.*

*Then they can urge the younger women*

*to love their husbands and children, to be self-controlled*

*and pure, to be busy at home, to be kind,*

*and to be subject to their husbands,*

*so that no one will malign the word of God."*

*Titus 2:3-5*

**Pilgrim Church**  
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**A**s women, how can we glorify Christ in our family, church, workplace and community? In Titus 2, we are instructed to be reverent in how we live, to speak truthfully, to be sober and to teach the things that are good. We are encouraged to love our husbands and to be subject to them, to love our children, to be self controlled, pure, busy at home and kind. So that no one will malign the word of God.

**What does all this mean?**

**Does God really expect us to live this way?**

**How does what we think and the teaching of sound doctrine affect the way that we act, and the things that we do and say?**

*If you are an older woman and would like to cultivate relationships with younger women that will encourage them in godly living-*

*-If you are married and want to love your husband as God intended and if you have children and you want to love and nurture them as God instructs us to-*

*-If you want to find contentment and joy in being busy at home and showing kindness-*

*-If you want to learn how to be more self-controlled and sexually pure-*

*Join us at this conference as we hear sound doctrine and take God at His word. We will be challenged to live as a woman of God, with an "Unfading Beauty," that will attract others because of who we are in Christ.*

## Conference Agenda

8:30-9:30am

**\*Full breakfast and registration**

10:00-12:30pm

**\*Four Teaching Workshops**

12:30-1:00pm

**\*Large Group Sharing Time**

### **Workshop 1.**

#### **"Older Women Teach What is Good"**

Teachers: Grace Heywood  
Mary Krispin

### **Workshop 2.**

#### **"Love your Husbands and Children"**

Teachers: Maryilyn Heywood  
Vicky Maienshein

### **Workshop 3.**

#### **"To be Busy at Home and Kind"**

Teachers: Cathy Sawyer  
Shirley Weigand

### **Workshop 4.**

#### **"To be Self-controlled and Pure"**

Teachers: Charlene Brock  
Carol Cipriani

Registration Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_  
Home Church \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

Please choose **two workshops** to attend:

\_\_\_\_\_ "Older women teach what is good"  
\_\_\_\_\_ "Loving your husband and children"  
\_\_\_\_\_ "To be busy at home and kind"  
\_\_\_\_\_ "To be self-controlled and pure"

Registration Fee \$10.00

Full buffet breakfast is included in registration fee.

Scholarship request: \_\_\_\_\_

• Please indicate amount desired and our conference registrar, Elizabeth Portnoy, will contact you regarding the availability of funds.

• **Registration deadline:**

**March 10, 2012**

• Please make checks payable to Pilgrim Church and note "Women's conference" in the memo line. You may mail the registration form and check to:

**Pilgrim Church**  
**Attention: Women's Conference**  
**P.O. Box 35184**  
**Philadelphia, PA 19128.**

You may also drop your registration form in the box marked "Women's Conference," in the back of the sanctuary.

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