

# ***SITGM Rooted Retreat***

**Scripture: Therefore, as you have received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.**

**Colossians 2:6-7**

***Theme: Rooted***

## **Feedback:**

- Have a menu to share
- Sign at the driveway to the lodge or to parking in the back. One sign that we can direct the “check-in” “arrival” spot.

## ***SITGM Rooted Retreat External Agenda:***

### **Friday:**

**2:30pm-3:00pm: Arrival**

**5:00pm: Tour**

**6:00pm: Dinner**

**7:00pm: Seeds (Worship, vision & fellowship)**

### **Saturday:**

**8:00am: Walk In Him (Walk in nature together)**

**9:00am: Breakfast**

**10:00am: Built Up (Fellowship & devotional)**

**12:00pm: Lunch**

**1:00pm: Built Up (Fellowship & devotional)**

**3:00pm: Rest (Fellowship & activity)**

**6:00pm: Dinner**

**7:00pm: Built Up (Worship & word)**

## **Sunday:**

**9:00am: Breakfast**

**10:00am: Built Up (Worship & Message & Fellowship)**

**12:00pm: Lunch**

**1:00pm: Group photo**

**1:30pm: Departure**

**12:00pm: Lunch**

**1:30pm: Departure**

## **Need to know:**

### **These leaders are:**

- Widows
- Believers who lead other believers and nonbelievers (We have a woman who is recently widowed and the mom of our staff member who is leading worship, joining us. We also have another woman who is wanting to start a widows ministry but has not been on board yet, joining us.)
- All in different stages of their life, leadership, and grief
- Ages 50-70
- The retreat is October 18th-20th
- There will be about 15 widows
- You will be provided with food, activities, and a place to stay
- Address: You can put in Spring Valley Ranch for Google or Apple Maps

### **Speaker:**

- Arrive by: 6:30pm
- 30-45 minute talk October 19th around 7:15pm
- 30-45 minute message October 20th around 10:15am
- Interactive, incorporate your story
- Sunday: Widows sent off refreshed and sent by God
- Can you please provide us with a biography/photo of yourself sometime this next week so we can introduce you to the ladies?
- Link to Facebook Group: I invited your email to the Facebook group but if you do not see that please let me know.
- Honorarium info/next steps: We will provide an honorarium in the form of a check at the retreat.

# **Send To Spring Valley:**

## ***Retreat***

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***Theme: Rooted***

### **Agenda:**

#### **Friday:**

**12:00pm AMY & MADISON ARRIVE TO SETUP**

**2:30pm-3:00pm: Arrival**

**5:00pm: Tour TOUR WITH Spring Valley**

**6:00pm: Dinner**

**7:00pm: Seeds (Worship, vision & fellowship) BONFIRE**

#### **Saturday:**

**8:00am: Walk In Him (Walk in nature together)**

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**1:30pm: Built Up (Fellowship & devotional)**

**3:00pm: Rest (Fellowship & activity) BOUQUET MAKING**

**6:00pm: Dinner**

**7:00pm: Built Up (Worship & word)**

**8:00pm: Rest (Fellowship & activity) MOVIE NIGHT**

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**1:30pm: Deparcher**

**AMY & MADISON CLEAN**

## **Confirming Items we Discussed and Questions:**

- We are excited to have Spring Valley give a tour at 5:00pm on Friday. To share your heart for Spring Valley Ministries, your heart for widows, and the opportunity for the leaders to bring the women from their widows ministries back.
- 8x8 stage in front of the barn doors to the bunk room with the barn doors closed (as shown on the layout).
- 4 round tables that seat 6 people, table cloths, and a centerpiece at each (as shown on the layout).
- Sheet hanging from the mantel for the movie night. Can you set up all of the tech needed for the movie night during dinner on Saturday (we can shut the barn doors) or will this take more time to set up?
- Keep the couch/chair seating areas where they are.
- Will there be a keyboard and piano available to utilize during worship?
- Confirming that Spring Valley will be providing skewers for bonfire and setup of bonfire, water bottles, and coffee in the mornings.
- Can you send us the Wifi information?
- Can you send us the information that you share in orientation, so we can be aware of the info?
- Eat meals in the side room that connects to the kitchen with enough seating for 20 people.
- Can we have seating for downtime available on the deck?

## **Names to know:**

**Amy Woody: Widows Director**

**Madison Fowler: Widows Program Manager**

**(Speaker): Keynote Speaker**

**(Floral Workshop Leaders): Florals Workshop**

**(Worship Leader): Worship**

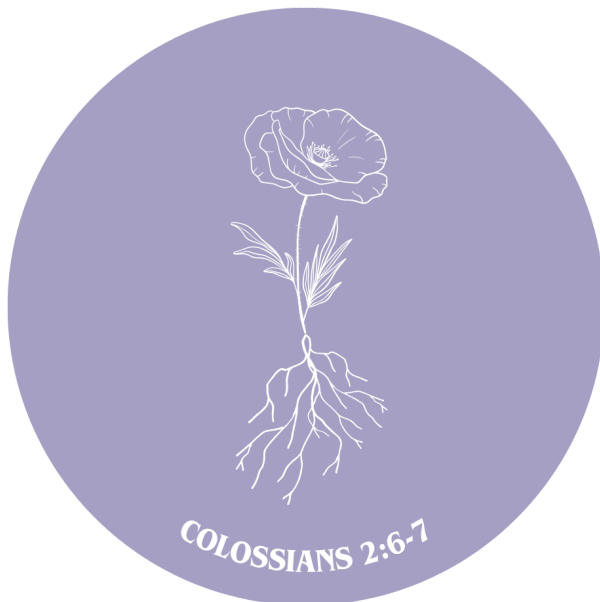
**Elise Harper: SITGM Media**



## Facebook Group (these are the things we posted):

9/18

*Hello everyone! We are so excited that the SITGM Rooted Retreat is just a month away. We will be sending out more information via this group throughout the next month. Here are some sneak peeks of our Rooted Retreat!*



**9/20**

*Below are some key details to know about our retreat:*

- *Address: You can put in Spring Valley Ranch for Google or Apple Maps*
- *Arrival: Friday, October 18th 2:30pm-3:00pm (If you need to arrive later, that is okay because our first activity is not until 5:00pm. We want to give you time to settle in and relax!)*
- *Departure: Sunday, October 20th at 1:30pm*

**9/23**

*Good morning, ladies! Could everyone please send a photo of yourself to me at [madison@sitgm.org](mailto:madison@sitgm.org)?*

**9/27** *Introducing (Speaker):*





*(Speaker bio)*

*Introducing (Floral Workshop Leaders):*

*(Floral Workshop Leaders bio)*



**10/3**

*We are so excited that our SITGM Rooted Retreat is just two weeks away 🎉*





10/4

*Everyone meet (Worship Leaders) who will be joining us and leading through worship at our SITGM Rooted Retreat!*

*(Worship Leaders bio)*



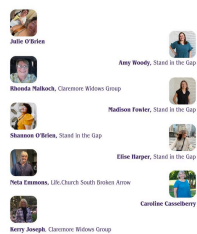
10/7

*We cannot wait to spend time getting to know you all better and leading each other closer to God!*

#### meet the crew



#### meet the crew



**10/11**

*We cannot wait for the SITGM Rooted Retreat, which is just one week away! 🎉*



**10/11**

*We are excited for us all to get to know each other more at the SITGM Rooted Retreat!  
Here are our room assignments for the weekend.*

### **room assignments**

Sue & Neta  
Robyn & Patricia  
Shannon & Julie  
Kerry & Rhonda  
Jean & Leslee  
Bette & Sherry  
Kelly  
Deanna  
Caroline & Elise  
Amy & Madison

**10/14**

*Address: You can put in Spring Valley Ranch for Google or Apple Maps.*

- Spring Valley Ranch is east of the town of Spavinaw.*
- Follow the signs off the main road.*
- You will go over a single lane bridge.*

**10/14**

We've made it...the SITGM Rooted Retreat is *THIS FRIDAY* 🎉🎉

**!!** Please bring your cutest pajamas because we will be having a movie night!

Here is a peak into what the weekend will look like...

**10/14**

We are going to send you a chapter of scripture a day leading up to the retreat to prepare us all for what God has put on (Speaker's) heart to discuss with us.

**!!** Please come prepared Sunday morning with any two scriptures about two of God's attributes that you cherish.

"Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory in the heavens. Through the praise of children and infants you have established a stronghold against your enemies, to silence the foe and the avenger. When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars, which you have set in place, what is mankind that you are mindful of them, human beings that you care for them? You have made them a little lower than the angels and crowned them with glory and honor. You made them rulers over the works of your hands; you put everything under their feet: all flocks and herds, and the animals of the wild, the birds in the sky, and the fish in the sea, all that swim the paths of the seas. Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!" Psalms 8:1-9 NIV

**10/15**

"The Lord is my light and my salvation— whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life— of whom shall I be afraid? When the wicked advance against me to devour me, it is my enemies and my foes who will stumble and fall. Though an army besiege me, my heart will not fear; though war break out against me, even then I will be confident. One thing I ask from the Lord, this only do I seek: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze on the beauty of the Lord and to seek him in his temple. For in the day of trouble he will keep me safe in his dwelling; he will hide me in the shelter of his sacred tent and set me high upon a rock. Then my head will be exalted above the enemies who surround me; at his sacred tent I will sacrifice with shouts of joy; I will sing and make music to the Lord. Hear my voice when I call, Lord; be merciful to me and answer me. My heart says of you, "Seek his face!" Your face, Lord, I will seek. Do not hide your face from me, do not turn your servant away in anger; you have been my helper. Do not reject me or forsake me, God my Savior. Though my father and mother forsake me, the Lord will receive me. Teach me your way, Lord; lead me in a straight path because of my oppressors. Do not turn me over to the desire of my foes, for false witnesses rise up against me, spouting malicious accusations. I remain confident of this: I will see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living. Wait for the Lord; be strong and take heart and wait for the Lord." Psalms 27:1-14 NIV

10/15

*Here is the weather expected for this week in Eucha! It is looking like lows in the 40s and highs in the 70s Friday through Sunday.*



10/16

*“Surely God is good to Israel, to those who are pure in heart. But as for me, my feet had almost slipped; I had nearly lost my foothold. For I envied the arrogant when I saw the prosperity of the wicked. They have no struggles; their bodies are healthy and strong. They are free from common human burdens; they are not plagued by human ills. Therefore pride is their necklace; they clothe themselves with violence. From their callous hearts comes iniquity; their evil imaginations have no limits. They scoff, and speak with malice; with arrogance they threaten oppression. Their mouths lay claim to heaven, and their tongues take possession of the earth. Therefore their people turn to them and drink up waters in abundance. They say, “How would God know? Does the Most High know anything?” This is what the wicked are like— always free of care, they go on amassing wealth. Surely in vain I have kept my heart pure and have washed my hands in innocence. All day long I have been afflicted, and every morning brings new punishments. If I had spoken out like that, I would have betrayed your children. When I tried to understand all this, it troubled me deeply till I entered the sanctuary of God; then I understood their final destiny. Surely you place them on slippery ground; you cast them down to ruin. How suddenly are they destroyed, completely swept away by terrors! They are like a dream when one awakes; when you arise, Lord, you will despise them as fantasies. When my heart was grieved and my spirit embittered, I was senseless and ignorant; I was a brute beast before you. Yet I am always with you; you hold me by my right hand. You guide me with your counsel, and afterward you will take me into glory. Whom have I in heaven but you? And earth has nothing I desire besides you. My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever. Those who are far from you will perish; you destroy all who are unfaithful to you. But as for me, it is good to be near God. I have made the Sovereign Lord my refuge; I will tell of all your deeds.”*

*Psalms 73:1-28 NIV*



10/17

*“Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, To God’s holy people in Ephesus, the faithful in Christ Jesus: Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ. For he chose us in him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. In love he predestined us for adoption to sonship through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will— to the praise of his glorious grace, which he has freely given us in the One he loves. In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God’s grace that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and understanding, he made known to us the mystery of his will according to his good pleasure, which he purposed in Christ, to be put into effect when the times reach their fulfillment—to bring unity to all things in heaven and on earth under Christ. In him we were also chosen, having been predestined according to the plan of him who works out everything in conformity with the purpose of his will, in order that we, who were the first to put our hope in Christ, might be for the praise of his glory. And you also were included in Christ when you heard the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation. When you believed, you were marked in him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit, who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance until the redemption of those who are God’s possession—to the praise of his glory. For this reason, ever since I heard about your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love for all God’s people, I have not stopped giving thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers. I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better. I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people, and his incomparably great power for us who believe. That power is the same as the mighty strength he exerted when he raised Christ from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly realms, far above all rule and authority, power and dominion, and every name that is invoked, not only in the present age but also in the one to come. And God placed all things under his feet and appointed him to be head over everything for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills everything in every way.”*

*Ephesians 1:1-23 NIV*

**10/17**

*We are so excited for the SITGM Rooted Retreat tomorrow 🎉*



**10/17**

*Hey ladies! One more quick reminder as you are finalizing your packing. You may want to throw in a blanket outside. We will be by the fire tomorrow evening, but it is supposed to be a bit chilly in the evening, so you may want one. I know I like to be cozy when I'm sitting outside. Cannot wait to see y'all!*