



Light the Way:

Finding and Fulfilling Your Unique Purpose

Women's Day 2015

Good Earth Village, Spring Valley, MN

Saturday, June 27 | 9:00am - 3:30pm

Cost: \$30 per person

*Free Childcare available

Come explore the unique spark God has given you and new ways to share that light and love others. The day includes an inspiring morning keynote session, time to enjoy the beauty of Good Earth Village, a delicious lunch, and afternoon workshops designed to renew your own light. We'll close with worship and communion: sending you home ready to be a bright light to our world!

Afternoon Workshops *(please choose one when you register):*

W-1: Unwrapping Your Gifts: A deeper exploration of our morning session that will include spiritual gifts tool and discussion about using your gifts. Led by our keynote speaker, Pam Avaux.

W-2: Being SALT and Light: Bridging the generations through God's word, prayer, service, spiritual nurture, community and confidentiality. Led by Gretchen Jones and Lisa Anderson, founders of the SALT (Sisters All Learning Together) model Bible study at Church of Hope in West Des Moines, IA.

W-3: In Their Footsteps: What is it like to be a stranger in a strange land? This interactive workshop includes activities that introduce participants to a refugee's reality and includes stories from Rev. Kirsten Fryer about her ministry in Cairo, Egypt.

W-4: Yoga and Meditation: Explore these spiritual practices that help renew and recenter the body, mind and spirit. Led by professional instructor.

W-5: Explore the Village: Guided hike led by Good Earth Village summer staff with built in quiet time for reflection and renewal (bring sturdy shoes).

2015 Women's Day Speakers



Pam Avaux

Morning Keynote: Pam Avaux serves as a Chaplain at Lutheran Church of Hope, one of the largest, fastest growing ELCA churches in the country. Through ministering to others, Pam is motivated by a passion for health and wellness of the mind, body and spirit. She seeks to help others discover their unique (S.H.A.P.E.) spiritual gifts, heart, abilities, passions and experiences and equip others for service in the church, the community and the global world. Pam has extensive training and education in a variety of pastoral, counseling, volunteer and leadership areas.



Kirsten Fryer

Closing Worship: Rev. Kirsten Fryer is an ELCA Missionary, currently serving as pastor of St. Andrew's United Church of Cairo. She also works with StARS (St. Andrew's Refugee Services). StARS is supported by eleven other congregations and worshiping communities who worship in six languages, and serves refugees from many places and countries. Kirsten grew up in Stewartville, MN and attended the UW-Madison, and the Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago.

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The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it. —John 1:5

Tentative Schedule:

9:00am	Registration
9:30am	Morning Session/Keynote
11:45am	Lunch
12:45am	Workshops
2:30pm	Closing Worship
3:30pm	Dismissal/Departure

Registration Information (we offer 3 different ways to register for Women's Day):

- ◇ Online at www.GoodEarthVillage.org
- ◇ Mail the form below to Good Earth Village, 25303 Old Town Drive, Spring Valley, MN 55975
- ◇ Phone: call our office at 507-346-2494.
- ◇ \$30 payment due in-full with registration.
- ◇ Please remember to sign-up for a workshop when you register.



Women's Day 2015 Registration



Name _____ Contact Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Home Congregation/City: _____

Workshop Choice (choose one workshop) _____ (1st choice) _____ (2nd choice)

Registration confirmation will be emailed after registration is received.

Participant email: _____

I will need Free Childcare: No ___ Yes ___ Children's ages: _____

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