

Nipawin Bible College CM2012 Women's Ministry Mrs. Lorenda Friesen & Mrs. Melisa Willson Winter 2022 2 Credit Hours lorenda@nipawin.org

#### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

Focusing on the Bible passage of Titus 2 which teaches God's design and purposes for women's ministry, this interactive course encourages the student to learn, internalize, and practice His ways as it relates to being a godly woman who is engaged in a lifestyle of ministry. This course will encourage and equip women with the strategy God has given the church for one generation of women to "tell to the coming generation the glorious deeds of the Lord, and His might, and the wonders that He has done" (Psalm 78:4).

#### **COURSE TEXTBOOK**

Hunt, Susan. Spiritual Mothering. Wheaton, IL, Crossway: 1992.

Duncan, J. Ligon and Susan Hunt. *Women's Ministry in the Local Church*. Wheaton, IL, Crossway: 2006.

### THE BIG QUESTION

What is God's plan and desire for women as they minister at home and in the local church?

### **COURSE OBJECTIVES**

- 1. To give the student a steadfast Biblical vision for the life-giving ministry that Titus 2 teaches as it pertains specifically to women.
- 2. To be able to plan and lead a biblically based Bible study, small group and other events for women that intentionally encourage spiritual growth.
- 3. To work towards building meaningful relationships with other women as the sacred responsibility for redeemed daughters.
- 4. To know how to facilitate biblically sound, caring and helpful conversations in regards to a variety of issues women face.

#### **COURSE ASSIGNMENTS**

### **Textbook Reading – 40%**

- Communicate that you have read each of the assigned chapters.
- Write five things you have learned from each chapter AND why they were important.
- Each day the assignment will be worth 10% of the final mark x 4 days (Tuesday through Friday) = 40%

**DUE: See Course Schedule** 

### **Bible Memorization - 15%**

Regarding Titus 2:11-15, the student will:

• Write out the five verses two times each day in a journal. It must be handwritten (not typed or using voice recognition).

**DUE: See Course Schedule** 

## **Encouragement Conversation - 15%**

• The student will have one conversation with either Melisa or Lorenda (preferably Melisa) to **make a connection** and be an encouragement. The student does not need to write anything (unless she wants to come into the conversation with some notes as to which questions she would like to ask). The mark will be given by the instructor based on how well the student was prepared and how well she did with encouragement.

DUE: January 7th, 8:30am

# **Spiritual Mothering Part I - 15%**

• The student will write out an **encouragement** card to a woman of her choosing. This card will include the components of encouragement as discussed in class and a copy of it will be handed in to the instructor.

DUE: January 4th, 5pm

# **Spiritual Mothering Part II - 15%**

• The student will record in her journal a specific action step she is currently taking towards **forgiveness** of someone in her life.

DUE: January 7th, 8:30 am

#### NOTE: THERE IS NO FINAL EXAM FOR THIS COURSE.

Assignments will be due at the beginning of class on the date assigned.

### **ATTENDANCE POLICY:**

• Refer to the NBC Handbook 2021/2022

#### LATE ASSIGNMENT POLICY:

# • Refer to the NBC Handbook 2021/2022

# Reading: 211 pages

# **COURSE OUTLINE**

DATE	TOPIC	READING	ASSIGNMENT
January 3, 2021	Biblical Womanhood The Need for Mentoring The Titus 2 Mandate & Women's Ministry		Memory Verse Assignment Titus 2:11-15
January 4, 2021	Spiritual Mothering - Connections & Conversations Making Connections The Ministry of Encouragement Acceptance & Forgiveness The Ministry of Comfort & Compassion	Women's Ministry in the Local Church (WMLC) Chapters 4-6 (pg 57-98)	Textbook Reading Assignment 1  Memory Verse Assignment Titus 2:11-15  Spiritual Mothering Part I -Encouragement Card (due 5pm)
January 5, 2021	Time Management - Boundaries / Discipline / Staying & Separating Staying Spiritually and Emotionally Healthy	Womens Ministry in the Local Church (WMLC) Chapters 7-9 (pg 99-144)	Textbook Reading Assignment 2 Memory Verse Assignment Titus 2:11-15
January 6, 2021	Biblical Conversations - Applying the Bible to Issues Women Face	Spiritual Mothering (SM) Chapters 5-8 (pg 97-156)	Textbook Reading Assignment 3  Memory Verse Assignment Titus 2:11-15  Women's Ministry Plan (due 5pm)
January 7, 2021	Practical Ministry for Women - How can women with full and busy lives be involved in ministry? Testimonies (Lorenda & Melisa)	Spiritual Mothering (SM) Chapters 9-12 (pg 157-216)  Bonus Reading WMLC (Chap 1-3) OR SM (Chap 1-4)	Textbook Reading Assignment 4  Memory Verse Assignment Titus 2:11-15  Spiritual Mothering Part II -Forgiveness Assignment Encouragement Conversation Assignment  Note: Friday's assignments are due at 8:30am

### **SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY**

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Gallaty, Kandi. Disciple Her. Nashville, TN: B&H Publishing, 2019.

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Wolgemuth, Nancy DeMoss. Adorned. Chicago, IL: Moody Publishers, 2017.