

## **Women's Ministry Annual Report- 2022**

Thank you to everyone for faithfully joining with us to minister to women in 2022. Each year that I write our annual report, and reflect on the previous year's events, I am always left with the same feeling: gratitude. I am grateful to God for blessing us with a church of faithful leaders and dedicated members. I am grateful for the women of our church who come together to "comfort each other and edify one another" (1 Thessalonians 5:11). I am grateful that so many of you, in so many diverse, unique, and impactful ways, have been a part of Women's Ministry by your willingness to serve other women in the church and in the community. Thank you!

Below is a summary of Women's Ministry events & activities from 2022:

In January of 2022, Women's Ministry held the annual event "Blessing of the Children" in conjunction with Sanctity of Life Sunday (January 23rd). Families and children heard an encouraging message from Annabelle Bewick and several teams were available after the service to pray for families and their children.

On February 19th, 2022, the Women's Ministry joined with men's ministry to host the first Father-Daughter Dance at PCF. Ladies helped plan, setup, bake desserts, and serve at the event. It was a wonderful evening and close to 100 people came to make special memories at the Father-Daughter Dance.

In May of 2022, Jodi Hokenson shared a Mother's Day message entitled "Who is My Mother?" and encouraged us to act justly, love mercy, and to walk humbly with the Lord our God.

In August 2022, the Women's Ministry hosted our annual event "Under the Pavilion" in the gym at PCF. The theme for this day was "the fruits of the Spirit". Erin Brotka, Jess Wypij and Molly Bonow each spoke on three different fruits of the Spirit. Between 50-60 women attended.

On December 3rd, the Women's Ministry held our annual Christmas Brunch in the gym at PCF. The theme was "Silent Night, Holy Night". Jodi Hokenson shared a message, and over 60 women enjoyed a time of fellowship and encouragement.

Thank you to Jodi Hokenson, Kathy Wypij and Valerie Prutsman for serving as leaders with me on the Women's Ministry team. We look forward to the good things God will accomplish in 2023!

Respectfully submitted,

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