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News for and about Mount Vernon Nazarene University's Women's Auxiliary

Spring Retreat 2009

March 20-21

with
Shaunti Feldhahn
and **Kimberly Tharp**

Our Spring Retreat with Amen Sister Girlfriend Holy Water Revival™ was fun-filled, inspiring, and motivating. With 921 ladies, the Silent Auction and Boutique, everyone left in wonderful spirits and with auction or boutique goodies. If you missed, make plans for our March '09 Retreat featuring Kimberly Tharp and Shaunti Feldhahn.

Shaunti conveys eternal, life-changing messages. She began her career as a Wall Street analyst and today is a bestselling author and speaker. Her recent bestsellers, *For Women Only: What*

You Need to Know About the Inner Lives of Men and *For Men Only: A Straightforward Guide to the Inner Lives of Women*, have led to fascinating conversation for men and women around the country! Shaunti lives in Atlanta with her husband and two young children. www.shaunti.com.

Kimberly Tharp, a graduate of Nazarene Theological Seminary, leads worship from a heart that is desperate to know her Maker. Her unique and eclectic love of song

combined with experience makes her a dynamic worship leader. Come hear her powerhouse voice and join in the worship experience with this gifted young woman of God.

Retreat info and driving directions to campus are on our site at www.mvnu.edu/womensaux. Registration info will be mailed January 2009. Just like last spring, this retreat will offer a sign language interpreter.

Silent Auction

... raised \$ 2,512 for '08-09 Student Scholarships

Due to your generosity, we are able to give \$20,000 in Student Scholarships for 2008-09. Please donate quality items, valued at \$25+, to the Silent Auction. Bring items with you to the Retreat. When YOU shop the Silent Auction, you're contributing to needed student scholarships!



Help Area Hotels

Please release rooms early if your group isn't using your reserved rooms. Last year a local hotel was sold out, but ended up with 20 available rooms because reservations were cancelled at the last minute. If you are unable to reserve rooms in Mount Vernon, try calling local hotels for those last-minute availabilities.



New District Reps

A listing of all District Reps can be found on our website at www.mvnu.edu/womensaux.

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Election of Officers 2009-12

The election of officers for 2009-12 will be held on Friday evening of the 2009 Retreat. The results will be announced during the Saturday morning Retreat sessions. All ladies who attend the Retreat are eligible to vote.

Boutique 2009

Please donate items to the Boutique when you come to Retreat (value up to \$25). Items that sell well: baked goods, high-end children's books, large-print books, Christian books, wooden items, Christian CDs, puzzles, handmade crafts (contemporary items ladies like to purchase for themselves or as gifts).

Chapel Sound Project

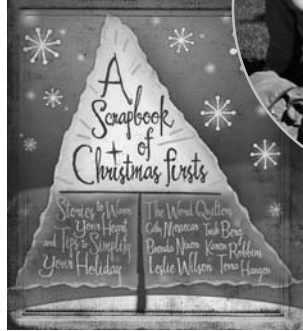
We continue to raise funds to complete this project. Total: \$6,920. We will be receiving funds for this project at the 2009 Retreat.

Must Reads...

A Scrapbook of Christmas Firsts (Leafwood, 2008). Get it now!

Laundry Room Project

We are providing \$2,000 to update the décor of the Laundry Rooms in Pioneer and Galloway Halls. This project is currently in the works and we are pleased to provide a more pleasing atmosphere for the women's residence halls.



Survival Kits

These were a huge success last year. We're making Survival Kits again Saturday, Dec. 6. Order a \$10 kit for any traditional, on-campus student, to be delivered the Saturday prior to the week of final exams.

To help with Survival Kits, contact Kristi Small, klmsmall@yahoo.com, our Women's Auxiliary Main Council vice president and kit coordinator.

CHURCHES and WOMEN'S MINISTRIES: Send \$10 (or more) so kits can be given to students who do not receive one from a purchasing parent.

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Have an announcement, book recommendation, or recipe to share in the next issue of this newsletter? E-mail it now to editor Brenda Nixon at speaker2parents@juno.com.

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22. "But be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only..."
27. "Pure religion and undefiled before our God and Father is this, to visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, (and) to keep oneself unspoiled from the world."
~ASV

JAMES 1: 22 AND 27