



Tapestry Newsletter

Women's Ministry

God's Arm Is Not Too Short!



Moses faced an impossible situation. God had promised provision but Moses asked 'how?'. He saw no solution, no possible way that God could fulfill His promise. God's answer makes me smile...

Numbers 11:23 "The Lord answered Moses, 'Is the Lord's arm too short?' You will now see whether or not what I say will come true for you."

How funny to think of God's arm being too short. Yet, we often live day to day as if that is what we believe. Like Moses, we encounter difficult circumstances and begin to wonder how God can possibly rescue us. We see no solution. We see disaster looming ahead of us.

The Lord wanted Moses to know that He, the Lord, is capable of doing all He promised; to know that He is fully able to reach out to us in times of great need. God challenges Moses with a question of His own. He wants Moses to take a step back and consider what he knows about who God is in

all His power and glory. He asks, "Is the Lord's arm too short?"

Hallelujah, the answer is NO! His arm always reaches us - bringing His power and His presence. Study the names of God, get to know Him intimately. So the next time you face hardship, you can confidently declare that the arm of El Elyon (the Lord Most High), Elohim (Creator), Adonai (Master), El Olam (the Everlasting God), El Roi (God who sees), El Shaddai (the All Sufficient One), His arm is NOT too short!

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UPCOMING EVENTS!

- ☉ January —Heart to Heart Bible Study
- ☉ February 21 —Third Tuesday with Friends "Chocolate and Friends"
- ☉ February Bible Studies
- ☉ April 20-21: In-House Retreat

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Third Tuesday with Friends February 21, 2012



This month is...

"Chocolate and Friends"

Chocolate and Friendships—Two of my favorite subjects! These days you can buy chocolate in many, many different forms, blended flavors, and packaging. Our friendships also come in many different forms, flavors, and packaging. But there are certain ingredients that make for the healthiest friendships. Are you aware of them? Do you use them all? Come and connect to old and new friends at our Third Tuesday with...wait for it... yes—Friends!



Winter Bible Studies for Women



January "Heart to Heart" was wonderful! We had an amazing time hearing the 'heart to heart' testimonies of what God has done in the lives of a few of our women! Words on Hope, Faith, Trust and Delighting in the Lord. God was faithful each week to show Himself and the power of His love.

February-March

Thursday Evenings: "Free to Forgive" This six week study will meet in the House Annex Thursday evenings 7-8:30 pm beginning February 2nd. Cost is \$10.00 per book. Led by Debbie Walker. Stop by our table and sign up!

Friday Mornings: "The Virtuous Woman: Shattering the Superwoman Myth" by Vicki Courtney. This six week study will meet Friday Mornings in the Fellowship Hall 9:30-11 am beginning February 3rd. Childcare provided, but please let the office know how many children you are bringing. Cost is \$10.00 per book. Led by Beth Johnson. Stop by our table and sign up!

These will be followed by our "Simple Truths: For When Life Gets Complicated" study taught by Shellynne Wucher in late March-early May.

Knit/Crochet a Square

So many of you have been diligently making squares that we are going to have our hands full packing them to send overseas. A wonderful dilemma for us! In March we hope to send the squares we've made to the orphans in South Africa!



Please bring your squares either to one of the upcoming Third Tuesday with Friends OR bring them to our table in the Worship Center Mall. If no one is at the table, just leave them there. If it is a huge amount, please leave them under the table. We will pick them up.

Save the date! April 20-21st In-House Retreat with guest speaker Nicole White. "From Disappointed to Appointed" More details next month.

February Ministry Highlight:

Senior Center Ministry:

Did you know?

Believing in the power of God's Word to encourage the seniors in our community, every Sunday we offer a 9:00 am Bible Study class at both the Pflugerville Care Center and the Assisted Living Center. And at 10:45 am a class is held at the Pflugerville Rehabilitation and Nursing Center.

Did you know?

In order to bring the joy of worship to the local Care Centers, we currently offer Worship times at three locations.

On the 3rd Sunday of each month the halls of the Pflugerville Care Center, Pflugerville Nursing/Rehab Center, and Parmer Woods HC Alzheimer Unit ring out with songs of praise and the message of God's love. And the same happens on the 2nd and 4th Sundays at Park Bend Health Center. At a time in

the resident's lives when it is so important that they know they are not forgotten and that they are loved beyond measure, our church reaches out to them.

Did you know?

You can help! First, PRAY for those involved in the ministry. While it is a rewarding ministry, due to being out in the community, it can be lonely. Many of them serve alone, some have been doing so for many years, all of them need to know we are praying. Second, CONSIDER giving an hour now and then on a Sunday afternoon to come to one of the worship times. Your Sunday School class may already be assigned a day. Do you know when it is? Check out the church website for complete details on times and locations. Third, ENCOURAGE those serving in the Senior Center Ministry Bible studies and Worship services. Don't know who they are? Check with the church office.