

## When

Friday-Sunday April 20-22  
First activity starts at 6:30 pm  
(Dinner at Big Cup Eatery in Glen Rose)  
Last activity is lunch on Sunday

## Where

Riverbend Retreat Center in Glen Rose

## Who

Ladies (18 & up)  
Nursing moms may bring their babies.  
Childcare provided.

## How Much

\$140 by March 25 or \$150 by April 8  
Includes lodging Friday & Saturday plus 5 meals  
(3 on Saturday & 2 on Sunday)  
Scholarships available.

## Registration

At the table in the back of the sanctuary or mail to:  
Community Bible Church,  
2301 Texas Dr, Irving, TX 75062  
Registration Deadline is Sunday, April 2

## What to Bring

Bible, pen, journal or notebook, flashlight, insect repellent,  
games, cards, casual clothes, comfy shoes, light jacket or  
sweater, medications, umbrella, snack to share, and an  
object that brings you joy

## Friday

Dinner  
Icebreaker  
Share an item that brings you joy  
Small Group Discussion

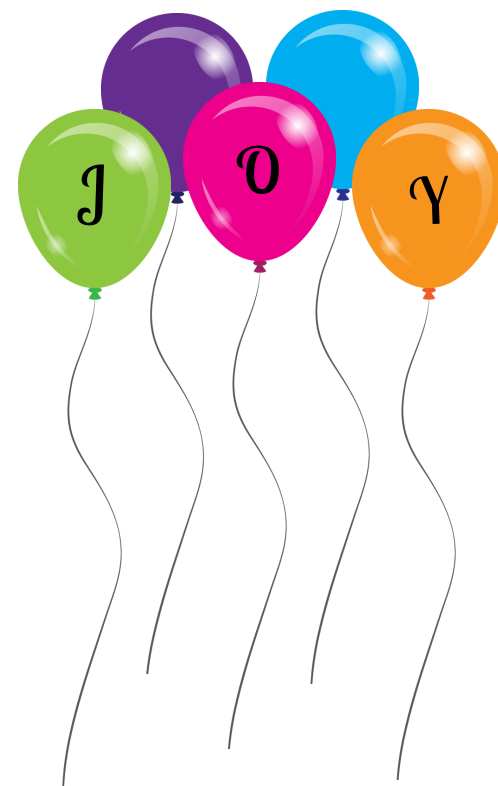
## Saturday

Breakfast  
Personal Quiet Time  
Worship & Teaching  
Small Group Discussion  
Lunch  
Free Time  
Dinner  
Worship & Break Out Sessions  
Small Group Discussion  
Fellowship

## Sunday

Breakfast  
Personal Quiet Time  
Worship & Teaching  
Small Group Discussion  
Worship & Sharing  
Lunch

# Abiding In Joy



**CBC Ladies'**  
**Spring Retreat**  
**April 20-22, 2018**

## Our Speakers



**Betsy Strauss** | As a full time mother of three, blogger, and passionate educator, Betsy loves to contemplate and impart ideas - truths that ultimately find their source in our Creator. Her

passion for reading and learning, motivated by a great curiosity about God's world, has inspired her to be creative (as a writer, photographer, and digital designer) and to teach (teaching her kids, speaking at homeschool conferences, and leading discussions).

She and her husband, Jason, love to encourage families in their walk with the Lord as they tutor classes of students and host music lessons throughout the week in their home.

While Betsy loves babies the most, she has enjoyed teaching all ages for many years to think deeply and imaginatively about God's truth in His Word and in His world.



**Kim Strauss** | After more than 25 years as a full time homemaker, mother, children's bible teacher, and women's counselor, Kim joined her husband Glenn in full time missions in January

2005. She has served in various leadership and support roles both at MercyShips and in their church in Tyler, Texas. She especially loves to cook with her five grandchildren and garden with her husband.

Kim and Glenn continue to have opportunities for discipling. They have led a fellowship group in their home for many years. Many couples have sought them out as a last resort for marriage counseling, providing tremendous opportunities for transforming lives. Besides being a trained educator of the deaf, and a children's art teacher, she has loved teaching the truths of scripture through story and to encourage women of every age to love and pursue God's truth's in His Word.



### Joy

Count it all joy. . .

James 1:2a

### Saturday Morning Session

Finding Joy

### Saturday Evening

### Break Out Sessions

Overcoming Joy Robbers

### Sunday Morning Session

Abiding in Joy



## Saturday Night Fellowship

We are still making plans for a Saturday night fun.



### Free Time Options

Hiking, Ping Pong, Zip-line,  
Horseshoes, Frisbee Golf,  
Shopping in Glen Rose, Fossil Hunting,  
Rocking on the Porch,  
Fellowship with Friends