



September 15-17, 2023

Join us for our popular

Fall Women's Weekend at Sandy Cove!

Speakers Sharon Jaynes and Gwen Smith will lead you through this memorable weekend of fellowship, worship, and friendship.

Pricing
Starting at \$259 per person/4 to a room.
3 per room/\$289.00 each,
2 per room/\$359.00 each.
Price includes 6 meals, 2 nights lodging and all indoor and outdoor activities.
There is also an opportunity on the website to pay to arrive a day earlier.

Experience the Majestic in the Mundane

Do you long to experience God's presence on a daily basis? Does your everyday life get in the way of your spiritual life? If so, this retreat is for you! Experiencing more in your relationship with Jesus doesn't mean doing more. We'll learn how to erase the line between our spiritual life and our daily life so that all of life becomes an act of worship.

Sometimes you might ask God what He wants from you, but He wants You to know what He wants FOR you. Moments of sudden glory when you experience His presence and detect His fingerprints on your ordinary days.

"He has prepared for you an abiding dwelling with Himself, where your whole life and every moment of it might be spent, where the world of your daily life might be done, and where all the while you might be enjoying unbroken communion with Himself." –Andres Murray

In Him we live and move and have our being. (Acts 17:28)

Sessions include:

- Recognizing God's Passionate Pursuit
- Joining God in Continual Conversation
- God's Design for Romance, Marriage, and Sexual Intimacy
- Trusting God in Tough Times
- Grasping a Greater-Than Grace
- Balancing the Beauty and the Blah

This would be an awesome opportunity to bring a woman/women you care about to hear what these young Christian speakers have to say and experience how it could impact their lives. We expect to have a blessed and memorable weekend together.

<https://www.sandycove.org>

Phone Toll Free 800-234-2683

Please register online as soon as possible. If you have trouble logging in or need help, please contact Debbie Kiser. We will be taking the church van if you would like to ride with the 'group'.



Featured Speaker: Sharon Jaynes

Sharon Jaynes has been encouraging women through ministry for over twenty-five years. From the time she met Christ as a teenager, she fell in love with God's Word and has had a passion to equip women to live fully and free. She encourages and empowers women to walk in courage and confidence as they grasp their true identity as a child of God and a co-heir with Christ. For ten years Sharon served as Vice President of Proverbs 31 Ministries and co-host for their daily radio feature. She is the author of 25 books including *Never Less Than: Living Empowered, Esteemed, and Equipped When the World Tells You Otherwise*, and *When You Don't Like Your Story: What if Your Worst Chapters Could Become Your Greatest Victories*.

Sharon is a frequent guest on radio and television programs such as *Revive Our Hearts* with Nancy Leigh DeMoss, *Family Life Today*, and *Focus on the Family*. She is the co-founder of *Girlfriends in God, Inc.*, a non-denominational ministry that crosses generational, denominational, and racial boundaries to bring the Body of Christ together as believers. She, along with her ministry partners provide daily devotions to women (and a few men) all around the world.

NOTE FROM SHARON:

That was the official bio, and honestly, it makes me sound a lot more studious and accomplished than I really am. So let me tell you what you really need to know. I'm just a simple gal raised in eastern North Carolina who loves the beach, drinks too much sweet tea and is still crazy about her husband after thirty-nine years. If there was ever a situation where I had to run for my life, I'd just plan on meeting Jesus because I wouldn't get very far. The treadmill is becoming my new friend, but we're not all that chummy yet. I have one grown son that lives 767.5 miles away (yes, I've counted them). Being his mom has been one of the greatest joys of my life, but he grew up without my permission. Seriously, he is a creative whipper-snapper whom God has used to teach me many life lessons. In 2019, Steven married precious Emily, and I finally have my daughter! When I write my blogs, women always say, "how did you know exactly what I am going through." My answer is always the same, "because I'm going through the very same stuff you are." I don't have it altogether and I certainly don't have all the answers. But I do know the One Who does, and there's nothing I love better than grabbing hold of a sister's hand and learning how to live fully and free in Christ together.



Gwen Smith

is the author of several books including *I Want It ALL* and *Broken Into Beautiful* and is a cofounder of *Girlfriends in God*. She loves to speak, lead worship, and eat potato chips at women's events all over. As the host of the popular [GRACEOLOGIE podcast](#), Gwen shares fun, faith-focused, grace-filled interview-style conversations filled with practical tips and honest discussions to encourage women in meaningful ways to *live out* and *lean on* the grace of Jesus in the midst of cluttered, messy days.

She and her husband, Brad, live in North Carolina and have three grown children who keep them on their toes and on their knees. Her passion is to help women know and trust God more, and she'd love to connect with you at [GwenSmith.net](#). You can also find her on Instagram and FB @GwenSmithMusic.