

## Registration Reminders

- REGISTER EARLY! Early registrations received by February 16, 2018, will be entered into a drawing for free registration to the 2019 Women's Conference.
- Detach and send the registration form along with your U.S. check (no money orders) payable to Cornerstone URC, and mail to:  
Attn: Women's Conference  
Cornerstone URC  
6442 36th Avenue  
Hudsonville, MI 49426
- Extra brochures can be printed from the church website at [www.cornerstoneurc.com](http://www.cornerstoneurc.com). You can fill out the registration form online, print it off, and mail with check.
- No children except for nursing infants.
- All meals before or after the scheduled conference times are attendee's own responsibility.
- Reformation Heritage Books plans to host a book table featuring a variety of authors throughout the conference. RHB accepts credit card transactions but requests payment in U.S. funds only.

## Cost and Payment

This year's conference price is **\$25.00** U.S. per person and includes refreshments on Friday evening and breakfast and lunch on Saturday. We are not offering a split fee for those who can attend only a portion of the conference. No refunds are possible. Registration fees and forms must be received by March 2, 2018.

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## Directions

### *From the East:*

Follow I-196 West to the Chicago Drive/M-121 exit 69B. Take Chicago Drive about 3.5 miles to Port Sheldon Street. Turn right onto Port Sheldon and follow for about 2 miles. Turn left onto 36th Avenue. Church is located on the left.

### *From the West:*

Follow I-196 East to the 32nd Avenue exit 62. Turn left onto 32nd Avenue and stay straight to go onto Balsam Drive. Balsam Drive turns into 28th Avenue. Turn left onto Port Sheldon Street. Turn left onto 36th Avenue. Church is located on the left.

## Accommodations

If you are traveling from out of town and wish to find lodging nearby, we recommend Comfort Suites, Grandville, phone 616-667-0733, \$98.99/night. Rooms are registered under Cornerstone URC Women's Conference.

## Schedule\*

### Friday, March 16

6:30 - 7:00 p.m. Registration  
7:00 - 7:15 p.m. Welcome/Singing  
7:15 - 8:15 p.m. Session 1 - Sarah Iwill  
8:15 p.m. Closing & Fellowship

### Saturday, March 17

8:00 - 9:00 a.m. Breakfast  
9:10 - 9:30 a.m. Opening/Singing  
9:30 - 10:30 a.m. Session 2 - Sarah Iwill  
10:30 - 10:45 a.m. Break  
10:45 - 11:45 a.m. Workshop  
- Pastor Bob Van Manen  
12:00 - 1:00 p.m. Lunch  
1:00 - 1:15 p.m. Singing  
1:15 - 2:30 p.m. Session 3 - Sarah Iwill  
2:30 p.m. Closing

\*Schedule subject to change without prior notice.

## Cornerstone United Reformed Church 22nd Annual Women's Conference



## *There Is A Redeemer*

Main Speaker  
*Sarah Iwill*

Workshop Leader  
*Pastor Bob Van Manen*

Friday, March 16 & Saturday, March 17, 2018  
Cornerstone URC, Hudsonville, MI

# *Sarah Ivill:* *There Is A Redeemer*

## **Session 1: Tumultuous Roads (Ruth 1)**

Since God often uses suffering in order to move His redemptive purposes forward, return people to faithfulness towards Him and bring the fullness of blessings to His people, we can confidently turn to God in every circumstance of our lives, especially times of suffering, in order to display His glory of bringing fullness from famine. We will then learn to give thanks in all circumstances, find rest in the Lord rather than in the things of this world, and uphold those in our lives with fledgling faith by sharing the love of Christ with them and the promises of His covenant.

## **Session 2: Tremendous Rewards (Ruth 2)**

God doesn't just display His covenantal love through the lives of Ruth and Boaz, He also displays His covenantal love through the lives of all His children. Therefore, we can display God's covenantal love by being thankful in all situations, addressing others in love, caring for those in need, and sharing the gospel with those around us.

## **Session 3: True Rest (Ruth 3-4)**

God often reveals His lovingkindness, graciousness, protection and provision through our circumstances, just as He does through Boaz's response to Ruth and Naomi. In light of such grace, we should reflect His love, protection and provision in our responses to others in need. Furthermore, we should learn to rest in Christ our Redeemer during times of waiting in our lives by worshiping God, accepting His plan and timing, inviting Him to be Lord of our situation, and trusting Him with the outcome.

## **Workshop**

Rev. Bob Van Manen, pastor of Little Farms Chapel in Marne, MI, will be leading Saturday's workshop. As has become customary, he plans to unveil the truths about a lesser known woman in the Bible who is strong in faith and character.

## **About Sarah Ivill**



Sarah Ivill (BA, University of Georgia; ThM, Dallas Theological Seminary) has been leading, teaching or writing women's Bible studies since

she was eighteen. She has served at the Howard G. Hendricks Center for Christian Leadership, in Bible Study Fellowship, and as Director of Women's Ministry in the church, among other leadership positions. Sarah is the author of *Hebrews: His Hope, An Anchor for Our Souls*; *Revelation: Let the One Who Is Thirsty Come*; *Judges & Ruth: There Is A Redeemer*; *1 Peter*, *2 Peter*, and *Jude: Steadfast in the Faith*; and *The Covenantal Life: Appreciating the Beauty of Theology and Community*. Presently a stay-at-home mom, she continues writing and teaching Reformed Bible studies for women. A member of Christ Covenant Church (PCA), Sarah lives with her husband and four children in Matthews, North Carolina.

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