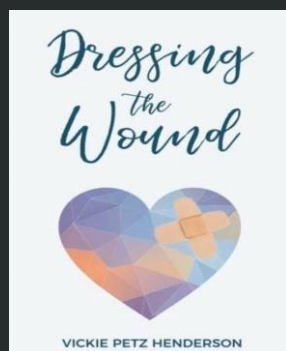
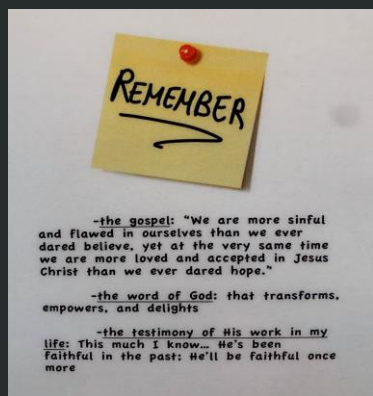


## Spring 2020 newsletter



# Women's Ministries at First Baptist Narragansett

When I sat to write this edition of the WMT newsletter, I read over the previous one. Here's some lines from that edition:

*"With all the headlines and happenings, it's enough to make your head spin, and I predict it will get worse. What is your best strategy to stop from spinning out of control? to thrive rather than just survive? Ideas -- Having gratitude for all things and not just the wonderful moments... Being aware of my choices, intentional and daily... The power of journaling and how it adds to your focus. Write it down!... Acknowledging that He has a plan, helps us to avoid the things that make our heads spin. In our Sunday School class, we talked about praying for His will and not what we think/decide it should be. I will admit that I am not disappointed in the grace and strength given to me to build my reliance on Him rather than the craziness".*

Pretty wow right? Now, being in the middle of this global pandemic, I searched for words of encouragement to share. There are so many great articles, facebook posts, etc that are truly exceptional. Thus, I thought that it might be a great time to look back over our previous year when 'hope' was the theme.

Our year's theme verse was from Hebrews 6:17-19  
*(Assignment #1 -- look up the verses/write them down)*

We started in the Fall/2018 with Hope from the past. Ricki Kraines spoke about remembering *(35 mins)* --

- The gospel (acknowledging our sinfulness, yet being more loved and accepted on Christ that we ever dared hope)
- The word of God (that transforms, empowers, and delights)
- The testimony of His work in my life (He's been faithful in the past; He'll be faithful once more)

Our soup night speaker was Lori Roeleveld tackled the topic, "What we need to forget to live well right now"...she helped us see our way through current events and the hope we have as we sift through them *(27 mins)*

Our spring seminar was called: "Hope: Passport to the Future". Dr. Vicki Petz Henderson so graciously shared her heart as she walked us through her topic. *(in 3 sessions/103 minutes)*. Vickie's key verse – Isaiah 41:19...*Assignment #2 (look it up/write it down)*

*Assignment #3 --Take some of the time you've been given to re-visit each speaker (or hear them for the first time if you missed out).*

Link to each speaker through our Facebook page:

<https://www.fbcnarr.com/recording-of-guest-speakers/>

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Please let us know if you need anything or how we can pray for you and your family

## [As for this Spring's Event \(if we can\)](#)

- **Girls' Night Out!!**
- Friday, May 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM
- Plan to join us for a great evening as we enjoy:
  - Yummy dessert and coffee bar
  - Presentation by Lori Roeleveld on her latest research into the topic of *"Invisible Women"*

Hmm, ever feel invisible? Don't miss this great evening. Will keep you posted with details if it's a 'GO'

## ONGOING BIBLE STUDIES—currently on hold

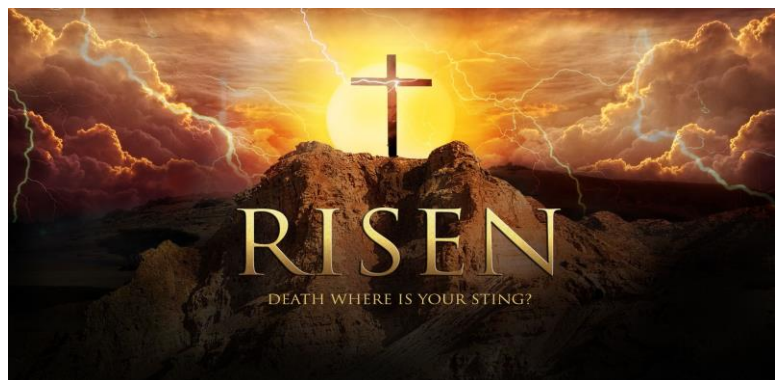
Same for BOOK CLUB\* and C4C sewing group

\*Our current Book Club book –

*"Where the Crawdads Sing"* by Delia Owens

*"The Kitchen House"* by Kathleen Grissom

...not sure when we will get to meet/discuss; but be thinking about our question for each book: *"If you are engaged in a conversation about the book, how can you inject Biblical truth into the conversation?"*



**Happy Easter....He is still on the throne**

