

You are invited to our 2nd Annual Women's Retreat

In the Company of Women: "I love to tell the story"

What and Why: As women, we lead busy lives. It is vital that we set time aside and apart for spiritual refreshment. This women's retreat will focus on the stories of women. Prepare yourselves for a day of wonderful fellowship, good food, new and renewed friendships, and much fun as we share stories and are refreshed in God's presence.

Facilitators: *Rev. Dr Lillian Daniel* is serving as senior minister of First Congregational Church of Glen Ellyn since 2004. She is a prolific writer, co-host of the television series *30 Good Minutes* and a frequent speaker and preacher at churches, schools, and conferences around the country. She is the author of *Tell It Like It Is* and *This Odd and Wondrous Calling: The Public and Private Lives of Two Ministers*, co-authored by Martin B. Copenhagen

Merlyn Lawrence is a Master of Divinity student at Chicago Theological Seminary and a member of First Congregational Church of Glen Ellyn. She is also a licensed clinical social worker with decades of experience working with women. For two years she served as Moderator of the UCC's 26th General Synod presiding at its historic 50th anniversary in 2007. Merlyn is an international speaker, presenter and author on a variety of topics.

Who: Women of all ages and walks of life are invited to attend. Feel free to invite your friends along. Spread the word anyway you can.

When: Saturday, March 3, 2012, 10:30am – 4:00pm.
Registration begins at 10am.

Where: First Congregational Church of Glen Ellyn
535 Forest Avenue, Glen Ellyn, IL 60137. (630) 469-3096

Registration Fee: \$30.00 **RSVP by February 21, 2012**

Scholarships available: Contact Merlyn at merlynlawrence@prodigy.net

Lunch will be served. All participants will receive a copy of the book:
[Tell It Like It Is](#) by Lillian Daniel.

Checks to be made out to "First Congregational Church of Glen Ellyn".
Note "Women's Retreat" in Memo section

**Complete registration form (attached) and send to attention of Merlyn Lawrence,
First Congregational Church of Glen Ellyn or to her at merlynlawrence@prodigy.net**