Greetings from the MBA Ladies Retreat Officers,

As we move towards the end of the year, the MBA Ladies Board and I can't help but reflect on how wonderful our 2023 retreat was. While a great venue and terrific speaker are important, what really makes the ladies retreat is you! Women coming together to support and encourage each other from God's Word while having great speaker sessions are just a few of the highlights from my experience with ladies' retreats.

The officers and I are busy making plans for our 2024 retreat in April. Enclosed with this letter you will find several Save the Date cards as we eagerly anticipate our guest speaker, Amy Herbster. We will be focusing our time together on the importance of looking to Christ in our struggles. It is because of this desire that our theme for the April 12-13th retreat is **"Thinking Heavenward"** with a reminder to *"Set your mind on things that are above, not on things that are on earth."* Colossians 3:2

The other officers and I encourage you to share these cards among your church as well as mail them to your tribe of gal pals inviting them to the retreat too. Information on the retreat will be regularly updated on the MBA's website as well as Facebook. If you have any need to contact us, the officers can be reached at mbaladiesfellowship@gmail.com.

We look forward to seeing you in April in St. Cloud!

In Christ's Service. Janae Janis

President, MBA Ladies Retreat First Baptist Church, St. Francis

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MBA LADIES RETREAT APRIL 12 & 13, 2024 WITH AMY HERBSTER