

MINISTRY CHEF 2012

Our Aim, Mission and Purpose for the next 2 years of our Church cycle is to MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

Our initiative and programs are geared to achieve this outcome. The CookFest was suggested by one of our team members who enjoys cooking, this was whole heartedly accepted and endorsed by the rest of the team. The objective of the CookFest was to stock a freezer with ready to serve meals to be distributed to people who are in difficult circumstances - be it hospitalisation of a family member, new baby in the home, death in the family, illness or financial difficulties.

We planned, promoted and 15 of us gathered on Sunday from 2 pm - 5 pm to join in the "Ministry Chef 2012" competition. The group was divided into teams of 2. They chose a dish to make from a selection of 4 dishes, namely: Pumpkin Soup, Vegetable Curry, Roasted Vegetable Lasagne and Lentil Rissoles. They were provided with a basic recipe and 1 hour was given

for the dish to be completed. As the clock struck, teams raced over to the set-up shop to gather their ingredients and got cooking. There was lots of chatter and laughter. At the end of the hour, teams had to plate their dish and present it to 2 judges. The teams were judged on presentation and taste. Everyone had a great time.

Participants ages ranged from 9 - 60+. Half of the participants were youth, who really got into the competition. It was very encouraging to hear the youth suggest that the CookFest should be repeated regularly. I liked that!!!!

We now have a freezer full of ready to deliver meals to people who find themselves in difficult circumstances.

Beryl Landers
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GIGI - A New Magazine For Young Girls



GIGI Gorgeous In God's Image

GIGI is a 100 page Christian magazine focusing on every day struggles that girls are facing today. It's aimed at young women aged 13+. An age we may see as young, but in reality it's when womanhood begins. GIGI has the stories of real girls that have been through tough, hurtful experiences and have had to make some life changing decisions.

It also has some exciting sections, covering fashion tips, makeup advice, yummy recipes, beauty guidelines and fun quizzes.

GIGI is the magazine for every young woman that wants to grow spiritually whilst learning new and exciting things through the great articles.

We hope you enjoy reading GIGI as much as we've enjoyed putting it together!

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We are here to help
women reach their
potential!

WOULD YOU KNOW JESUS

I have often wondered, and I ask you now today: "Would you know your Saviour Jesus, if today He passed your way?"

He may not be dressed in jacket and tie, as some of your may suppose. He may be a beggar, a doctor, a nurse or even a child, who knows?

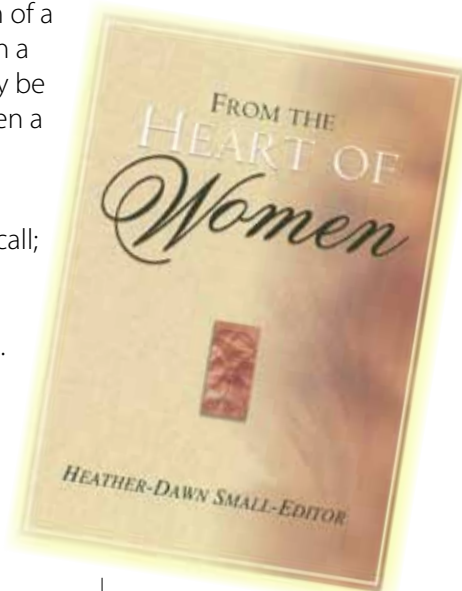
He may be in the form of a stranger or someone that you may know. I wonder if you'd be too busy to even say: "Hello - How are you? Hope you enjoy your day".
Again, I stop to ask: "Would you know your Jesus, if today your way He passed?"

He may be in the form of a mother or father, or even a sister or brother. He may be the driver of a bus or even a bus conductor.

He may be the wrong number in a telephone call; He may own a fruit and vegetable stall. He may be short. He may be tall. Would you know your Jesus?

Now think carefully, make sure it's crystal clear. Would you know your Jesus if He were standing here?

Lauren Sylvester, Trinidad



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