

**Cilly Ponce (704-846-2614)**

Cilly (Charlotte Pineville), librarian of our District Ministries to Women Resource Library, is a gifted communicator and willing to minister on whatever level is needed to help other women discover who they are in Christ. E-mail her at [CillyP@carolina.rr.com](mailto:CillyP@carolina.rr.com)

**Frances Simpson (704-535-7362)**

A gracious, genteel "Southern belle," Frances is a gifted writer and Bible teacher/speaker. She and her preacher-husband, "Dr. Gene," served in the district superintendency for NC for ten years until Dr. Simpson retired in 1996.

**Norma Smith (803-366-4008)**

Editor of our district publications, Norma is also the pastor's wife in Fort Mill, SC. She has a degree in education & is a gifted artist & seamstress. Her involvement in varied ministries has given Norma much to share with other women who are seeking to grow spiritually.

**Cindi Whiteside (919-556-6161)**

Cindi (North Raleigh), a former director of NC IMPACT, sings on the Praise Team & is secretary of the church board at North Raleigh. She enjoys speaking to women, sharing God's Word in a way that is clear, entertaining, and relevant to everyday life. E-mail her at [InHisGrc@earthlink.net](mailto:InHisGrc@earthlink.net).

**Carlyn Wojtal (704-748-4932)**

Pastor's wife at Lincolnton, Carlyn sings with the rich pathos of Kathy Troccoli, only better! She's also an accomplished guitarist. Your ladies, or church family, will love having her come for a concert & to share her testimony.

**Cher Zurlinden (828-776-1688)**

Cher is very involved in ministries at Asheville First where she is the Director of Ministries to Women. She loves teaching the Word and encouraging women in the faith. Cher comes highly recommended as a speaker for women's events.

**Donna Sisk (704-434-6323)**

Donna is NMI president at Kings Mountain and also serves on the District NMI Council. She presented a very inspiring workshop at the 2006 Women of Worth Conference and does "pulpit supply" for her pastor although she emphasizes that she does NOT have a call to preach. Donna is also a beautiful soloist, singing songs that touch the heart.



Speakers  
and/or  
Singers  
for  
Special  
Events



The ladies whose names you will find in this brochure have been speakers and/or singers for a variety of womens' events. Some have been contacted to secure permission to list their name, others I have taken the liberty to list on the basis of what I know about their life and abilities. This helpful tool comes as a decision made by your District Ministries to Women Council. If you have further questions about any of the ladies or if you would like to recommend a special speaker you have heard who is located in or near North Carolina, please contact me by phone (704-543-1010) or e-mail ([barneshome@bellsouth.net](mailto:barneshome@bellsouth.net)).

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**Carol Brennehan (704-846-4593)**

The wife of our district treasurer, Carol was one of our first & most popular workshop presenters. A seamstress, hostess "par excellence," & Sunday School teacher, Carol also led Bible studies for Christian Women's Club for many years.

**Pattie Richmond (803-802-3454)**

Pattie sings with her family in a great group called Southern Revival Ministries and speaks at Christian women's events. A member of Pineville Church, Pattie works at Continental Tire as an Executive Assistant and is a member of Christian Women Speakers. She loves encouraging women on their spiritual journey.

**Cheryl Crane (910-353-1984)**

Cheryl, a pastor's wife (Jacksonville Faith) & elementary school teacher, grew up on the campus of a Christian boarding school and has a rich background in what it means to walk by faith. Cheryl can share from personal experience about being in "God's Waiting Room!"

**Kayleen Daugherty (704-730-8129)**

Pastor's wife (King's Mountain), Kayleen is husband Michael's secretary & home schools daughter, Kristen. Her ability to find great merchandise on a tiny budget is a great blessing personally & to the church. As District Women's Ministries Director, Kayleen loves to share with other women what God is teaching her.

**Janet DeLong (704-636-9105)**

The pastor's wife & Director of Women's Ministries at Salisbury, Janet is also an artist and has her own interior redesign business/ministry, "Uniquely Yours." Need a room in your home or church redesigned on a tiny budget? Plan a ladies' event around this project & invite Janet to give practical suggestions wrapped in spiritual truths!

**Lou Ann Ellis (704-504-5501)**

Retiring as District NMI President in 2007, Lou Ann (Charlotte Pineville) is an outstanding speaker and musician/vocalist. Her preacher-husband is on staff at Pineville and Lou Ann works for a Christian attorney. She & Chuck will also come as a team for Faith Promise or revivals.

**Charlotte Evans (336-375-7496)**

Charlotte, a gifted communicator, is working as a Parish Nurse & has resumed her private practice in counselling. She's also involved in a variety of ministries at Elon PowerLine and her preacher-husband, Doug, is a hospital chaplain. E-mail Charlotte at [opendoornc@aol.com](mailto:opendoornc@aol.com).

**Cindy Humphrey (704-291-9176)**

The pastor's wife at Monroe, Cindy is also her husband's secretary, a devoted mom to daughter, Hannah, and a true prayer warrior. Her sweet, humble spirit is obvious upon first meeting. Cindy is most comfortable sharing devotional thoughts for a ladies' meeting rather than speaking several times in a retreat setting.

**Sissy Austin (828-245-3967)**

Sissy, a pastor's wife, is a true partner in ministry with her husband, Dale, at Forest City. She is the worship leader and is a beautiful, dynamic soloist. Sissy presented a workshop at our 2006 Women Of Worth Conference & had us laughing one minute, weeping the next. Her message of God's power according to His Word and through prayer is one every women's group should hear.

**Teresa Hensley (828-389-4099)**

Teresa is a mom, "grammie," licensed minister & associate pastor along with her husband, Terry, at the Church of the Nazarene in Hayesville. For many years, Teresa has felt a call to be an encourager to pastor's wives but she also has a wonderful message of hope and healing to share with women who need a special touch from the Lord.

