## A Gospel Gathering: When the Gospel Meets Real Life Women's Event

## Mission:

- To provide women with a greater understanding of the gospel for salvation and sanctification and its implications for daily life.
- To teach and warn women of false gospels that are common in our culture (Gal. 1).
- To provide compelling testimonies of the all-sufficiency of Christ through the power of the gospel.
- To consider how the gospel motivates us to strive for faith and obedience in our personal lives.

## **Program Elements:**

- Saturday event from 8:30 a.m.–3 p.m.
- Intergenerational: Speakers and panel members represented all age groups.
- Box lunch provided.
- All speakers were church members so event budget was low—\$15 ticket cost.
- Worship team led throughout the day.
- Two main speakers (forty-five minutes each).
  - Morning speaker explained what is the gospel and how to identify false gospels.
  - Afternoon speaker addressed how these truths work out in the daily realities of life.
- Each woman choose two breakouts to attend.

## **Breakout Sessions/Panel Discussions:**

- Panel members were coached and trained in advance (three per panel, plus a moderator).
- Panels spoke to specific topics using questions that exalted the gospel:
  - The Gospel in Marriage
  - The Gospel in the Workplace
  - The Gospel in Loss/Grief
  - The Gospel and Athletics/Physical Fitness
  - The Gospel in Parenting

- The Gospel in SinglenessHow to Become a Student of God's Word

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