

Announcing the 53rd Annual Women's Inter-Church Retreat

Sponsored by the Women of the First Presbyterian Church, Norristown

When: Friday, April 10, 2026 – Sunday, April 12, 2026

Where: Bird-in-Hand hotel, Lancaster, PA

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Speaker and Topic: Lisa Radcliff - But God (with humor 😊)

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Lisa J. Radcliff is an award-winning author, speaker, and advocate for survivors of sexual abuse. She has written three books: *Hidden with Christ: Breaking Free from the Grip of Your Past*, Lisa's story of overcoming sexual abuse; *A Time to Laugh: My Life Over Fifty*, a lighthearted devotional featuring funny quotes from her grandchildren; and her brand new book, *God is For Me*, a study of God's heart for women in Scripture who have been sexually harmed. [Her books will be available for purchase at the retreat.](#)

The abundant life Lisa has found after abuse has been punctuated with laughter. She loves sharing it with her husband, Doug, their three sons, nine grandchildren, and a special group of friends, the Sisterchicks, who encourage and support one another while laughing through life's ups and downs.

Lisa's favorite phrase in the Bible is "but God." Those two little words change everything. Her life has been a series of "but Gods." She'll share how he has taken her brokenness and turned it to joy and how he'll do the same for you. She looks forward to learning and laughing with you!

Retreat Schedule:

*****All sessions are in the Cardinal Room.*****

Friday, April 10, 2026 7:00 PM–9:00 PM

7:00-7:30 PM	Gather & enjoy music, sandwiches, and other refreshments as we are introduced to our speaker.
7:30-8:00 PM	Get-to-know-you games.
8:00-8:30 PM	Speaker introduction & session highlights.
8:30-? PM	Craft and board games.

Saturday, April 11, 2026 7:30 AM-9:00 PM

7:30-9:00 AM	Breakfast at the hotel restaurant.
9:30 AM-noon Session 1	Music and Announcements Opening prayer. Teaching time.
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4:00-5:30 PM Session 2	Music and Announcements Opening prayer. Teaching time.
5:30-7:00 PM	Dinner at the hotel restaurant.
7:30-8:00 PM	OPTIONAL Love Gift Exchange (see instructions in the What Should I Bring section).
8:00-? PM	Craft and board games. We'll collect prayer requests tonight.

Sunday, April 12, 2026 7:30 AM-11:30 AM

7:30-9:00 AM	Breakfast at the hotel restaurant.
9:30-11:30 AM Session 3	Music and Announcements Opening prayer. Take away from the retreat. Corporate prayer (for prayer requests). Teaching time.

What should I bring:

- Your Bible, a journal or notebook, board games, a bathing suit, and an excitement to dive into God's word.
- Snacks and beverages to share.
 - Please contact Amy Evans for snack coordination: 973-444-1135 or amylynnevans123@gmail.com.

- A LOVE GIFT (optional, you can participate in the love gift exchange or not). It can be anything meaningful to you, valued at roughly \$10-\$15. Please bring it wrapped. No need to state who it's from. The exchange is anonymous.

Things to do:

- Fellowship with Christian women and explore the Word of God.
- Shop, play games, swim, play miniature golf, go on an Amish tour, enjoy Bird in Hand and Kitchen Kettle Villages, etc.