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A Woman's Heart
 "...doing the will of
 God from the heart"
 Eph 6:6

Is the official newsletter
 published by the Mississippi
 Church of God
 Women's Department

Hello Ladies,

The Bishop and I would like to personally thank all of the ministers and churches for their many gifts and cards during the holiday season. Your kindness and generosity overwhelms us. You have welcomed us with warm hearts and open arms. Please know that your thoughtfulness has not been taken for granted. Our prayer is that God blesses you and your family as much as you have blessed us.

As you start this New Year let us start it with the **I can** attitude. "I can...through Christ." All of us are engaged in Christian work of some form or another. If we are not, why? Are we saying "I can't?" Or, if we are in the already-serving group, are you winning or losing the battle? Are you seeing the results that ought to be? Many times we just settle because we think, "I just can't do anymore." Or do we still have the spiritual strength to face the next challenge with, "I can?" The secret of the "I can" life lies in the two words, "through Christ."

There is the secret of spiritual victory: "through Christ." I heard of an old man who was converted late in life. He was advised to read the four Gospels, Acts, Romans and Philippians. He read until coming to Philippians 4:13, which occurred at the foot of a right-hand page, part of the verse running over to the next page. The old man read, "I can do all things," then he said, "Paul, that's wrong; you've gone a bit too far this time." He read it again: "I can do all things," and again looked up, saying, "No Paul; you're getting conceited." Then he turned over the leaf and found, "through Christ which strengtheneth me." "Ah," he said, "that changes everything. You're right after all!"

Ladies, if you want to start living the "I can" life this year, it's easy; and this is how: I can do all things through Christ when I allow **Him** to do all things **through me**. Yes, let Christ make you victorious women. You can do it!

Be blessed,

Betty

Please remember to send in your report each month and include what's happening at your church. We would love to share your news and pictures with others.

Smoky Mountain Children's Home



Campbell's Labels for Education Program

For many years, the Smoky Mountain Children's Home has benefited from this program. We receive many labels weekly from all around the United States. We then count and sort them to be mailed. Once received, these can be used to order learning materials from a catalog. However, we have used them in the past to obtain a bus and in most recent years a minivan. We are working toward that once again. When we reach the required amount of **1,500,000.00**, we will be able to purchase a new van!

As of 10/14/2010 we have **1,017,010** labels banked.

Over the years, Campbell's has partnered with some wonderful companies and have added their names to their current list of accepted labels.

If you have any questions, please feel free to e-mail us at godom@smch.cc. This e-mail address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it or to check out the current list, please visit www.labelsforeducation.com



You can mail your labels to:

Smoky Mountain Children's Home
PO Box 4391
Sevierville, TN 37864

The Mississippi Ladies have taken the *Open Arms cottage #5* as their project. During the month of December you have raised and sent \$3,000 for a cottage Christmas gift and new flooring in the kitchen and wash room. Thank you for your caring and support. Our next project will be a commercial washer and dryer. Please keep up the good work, "because as you do it unto the least of these, you have done it unto me."



Reminder

Sanctity of Human Life is January 16-19, 2011
Let's remember our Widows in the month of February
Prayer Conference February 3-4, 2011
State Women's Retreat March 25-26, 2011
Pray for our men and women overseas
Please continue to send in your contributions for our Covenant Sister

Ministers' Wives Breakfast

You're invited to a complimentary Ministers' Wives Prayer Breakfast on Friday, February 4, 2011 during the Morning Prayer Conference Service at 10:00 am. Our theme is "**Up with the Chickens**," and our guest speaker will be Loretta Smith. Please mark your calendars for this day and begin making plans to attend this special breakfast. Please RSVP to Betty Mirkovich **no later than January 20, 2011** via email at bmirk@mscog.org or (601) 372-2714.



New Women's Reporting System

This is just a friendly reminder that December 5, 2010 was to be the due date for your first monthly report. If you have any questions or need clarification, please email or call the State Office.

Mississippi Women's Conference March 25-26, 2011

Unveiling the Mask

2 Corinthians 3:16

Guest Speakers/Artist:

Rhonda Brown Blenda Wicker Denise Cheeks Mundy

SCHEDULE

Friday	4:00-6:30	Registration
	6:30	Pre-Service
	7:00	Worship Service
After Service Free Box Meal to go		
Saturday	9:00	Opening Session
	10:30	Worship Service
	12:30	Dismissal



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Name: _____ Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Email Address: _____ Church Name: _____

\$35.00 (with dorm) \$ _____

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