

CREATING JOY!

UU Women's Connection Lake Geneva Fall Retreat November 11-13, 2005

It is with particular happiness that the UU Women's Connection (formerly CMwD – UUWF) announces the theme of the Lake Geneva Fall Retreat, *CREATING JOY!* The Congregational Church of Woodstock planning committee has signed keynote speaker, Meg Barnhouse, a hilarious, creative and insightful speaker, singer/songwriter and humorist. Meg is a UU minister, chaplain, pastoral counselor, author and commentator to North Carolina Public Radio's "Weekend All things Considered." Her books, *The Best of Radio Free Bubba* and *Waking Up the Karma Fairy*, and CD, "July Blue," a mix of original songs and stories are all available through web sources and during the retreat weekend.



This Women's Connection weekend at the beautiful campus of George Williams College on Lake Geneva promises many excellent workshop selections around the theme of creating joyful lives in diverse and creative ways. Some examples are aromatherapy, drumming, ecstatic dance, drama, choir singing, body care makeovers, creative writing, napping with Sara and much, much more.

Other activities include a chocolate fondue reception, performance on Saturday evening of Woodstock's talented pop music group *Jeweled Ice*, book exchange and exciting expansion of vendors. On-going craft projects will be available during the weekend.

If you have never attended the Lake Geneva fall retreat be one of the first five early registrants to receive a waived registration grant.

Watch your local church mail for flyer and brochure or contact Cynthia Gary, planning committee chair at (815) 788-9331 or e-mail: cnyth@sbcglobal.net for further information about registration. Brochure mailing is scheduled for mid-August. **See you at Williams Bay, Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, November 11-13, 2005.**