

Women Transcending Boundaries

Monthly Newsletter

Bringing women of faith together after 9/11



JANUARY 2019

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NEXT MEETING: "World Harmony Event," February 4th, 2019

"WE ARE FAMILY"



WORLD HARMONY DAY



WORLD INTERFAITH HARMONY ASSEMBLY

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2019 6:30-8:00

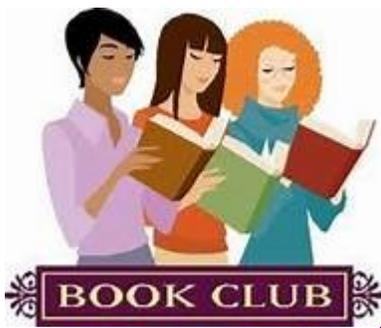
Reception Following

SOUTHERN MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

3143 MIDLAND AVE., SYRACUSE

Plenty of free parking available.

(Note that Missionary Baptist is a different denomination than Southern Baptist. Individual Baptist congregations are self-governing, but their names indicate their affiliation. For example, Missionary Baptist churches are traditionally black churches, and Southern Baptist churches are traditionally white churches.)



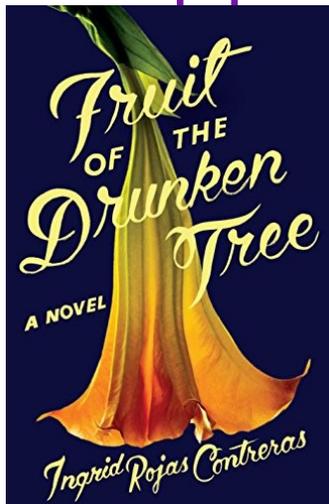
BOOK CLUB

Monday, January 28th, 2019

7:00-9:00 pm

Host Bunny Hannum

(Call Jennifer at 315-633-2817 for address and directions.)



Fruit of the Drunken Tree

—Ingrid Rojas Contreras

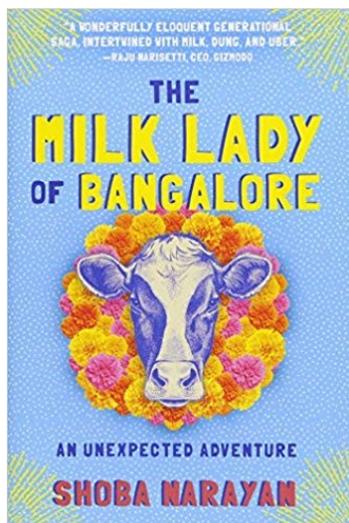
The perils of day-to-day existence in late-20th-century Colombia—a time of drug lords, guerrillas, kidnappings, and car bombs—are glimpsed through the eyes of a child and her family's teenage maid, whose relationship exposes two facets of the class divide. Chula Santiago and her family's maid, Petrona, slowly build a friendship fraught with both types of surprises. Told with suspense and mystical lyricism in the vein of Gabriel García Márquez and Isabel Allende.

BOOK CLUB

Monday, February 25: *The Milk Lady of Bangalore: An Unexpected Adventure* by Shoba Narayan (Non-fiction)

7:00-9:00 pm

(Call Jennifer Crittenden for details: 315-633-2817)



Narayan weaves a magical spell of India, cows, traditions and change into a single tale. India itself contains layer upon layer of myth and legend, rich fodder for any writer to pick through and the author takes full advantage of her source material while drawing characters very much of the present day. A beautiful story, beautifully told!

For your convenience, here is the planned book list for our WTB Book Club, February-June, 2019. You may join any time and come as you are able. Print and Save!

WTB BOOK LIST FEBRUARY—JUNE, 2019

February 25: *The Milk Lady of Bangalore* by Shoba Narawan (Non-fiction)

March 25 *The Reluctant Fundamentalist* by Hamid Mohsin 9/11 (Fiction)

April 22 *The Monk of Mokha* by Dave Eggers 16/9 (Non-fiction)

May 20 *God's Hotel: a Doctor, a Hospital, and a Pilgrimage to the Heart of Medicine* by Victoria Sweet 8/2 (Non-fiction)

June 26 *Butterfly Mosque: a Young American Woman's Journey to Love and Islam* by Willow Wilson 4/5 (Non-fiction)

(PLEASE NOTE: The May date has been changed
From May 27th to May 20th due to Memorial Day.)



INTERFAITH WORKS NEWS!

Please check out all the happenings and opportunities to donate (time and 2019 calendars for new immigrants!), participate and learn: <https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0/#search/Interfaith+Works/FMfcgxvzLhdxvPfvvBdplIWKLbJgrbSB>



TRAVEL AUCTION--- JANUARY 10-11-12 & 18-19



TEL-AUC ---APRIL 25-26-27 & MAY 2-3-4

Both Auctions--Early shift--5:30-8-30 Late shift===8-11

Dinner is served for both sifts both auctions.

For both auctions, anyone who wants to work email me at Sisz@twcny.rr.com or call -315-446-8885.

It's late for Travel but there are always openings on the Phone bank for the late shift. For Tel-Auc they start putting together the phone bank by the beginning of April. The March newsletter will have more information for Tel-Auc

Wishing you a very Merry Xmas & a healthy, happy New Year!

Sis Zucker



Schmai: January 22nd, 2019

Experience the mouthwatering flavors of fresh Middle Eastern,
Greek, and vegetarian dishes

LUNCH! 1:00 pm

Munjed's Middle Eastern Café
505 Westcott St., Syracuse
315-425-0366



*“Women are the
real architects
of society.”*

HARRIET BEECHER STOWE

COUNCIL MEETING:

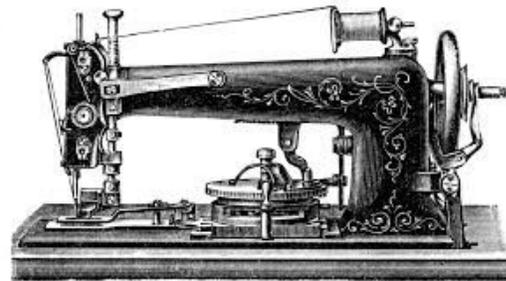
Monday, January 14, 7:00 p.m.

Place: Sue Savion's home
107 Humbert Ave.
Syracuse, New York

MAKE A DIFFERENCE
about something other than
YOURSELVES.

– Toni Morrison

The second session of sewing class is coming to an end on January 10th, when portable sewing machines will be distributed to the participants. Jennifer is all set for this giveaway. However, more machines are needed for the March and May giveaways. Your donations will be greatly appreciated!



—Jennifer Crittenden

PS Jennifer would like to let you know that, if you are interested in her Fig, Date, and Raisin Tapioca Pudding, give her a call at 315-633-2817.

Here is Sue Savion's recipe for BASSELACKIE COOKIES, a popular Christmas cookie from her Swiss-German heritage:

HEAT: 2 cups honey

1/2 cup lard

1 cup wine

2 1/2 cups coconut

ADD:

2 heaping tbs. cocoa

1 pinch ground cloves

1 pinch all-spice

2 tbs. cinnamon

1/2 tsp. nutmeg

BEAT WELL

ADD: 2 cups sugar

1/2 lb. citron (ground)

1 lemon rind (grated) and juice

1 1/2 cups nuts (chopped)

SIFT: 4 1/2 c. flour

2 tsp. baking powder

2 tsp. baking soda

Add flour to rest of ingredients; mix well. Let set in refrigerator overnight. Roll out on floured surface—not too thin; cut into desired shapes.

Bake at 350 degrees; take out when they look done. If baked too long, they get too hard. Cool and ice and sprinkle with decorations, if desired.

ICING: Mix powdered sugar and water to thin icing. Ice cookies and let icing dry. Place cookies in air-tight container. Let them age for a week or so. They will last a long time. You may want to cut the recipe in half, as this recipe produces a lot of cookies.

