

THE WOMEN'S CONFERENCE 2010 AT AMAGI SANSO



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JANUARY 22-24, 2010
FOLLOWING THE JESUS WAY

Living the call to loving God and neighbor

'Following the Jesus Way' is the theme of this year's The Women's Conference and Retreat. Through presentations, discussions and worship we will focus on 'living the call to loving God and neighbor, as seen in early, medieval and modern Christianity.'

Dr. Diana Butler Bass, our facilitator is the author of many books including the recent *A People's History of Christianity*. In her writings Diana explores religion and spirituality in today's world. For more details about Diana as a historian and writer, please see her website: <http://www.dianabutlerbass.com/>



Our aim is to create friendly relaxing atmosphere where we can contemplate the Great Commandment (Matthew 22:36-40) and the

Great Commission (Matthew 28:18-20) emphasizing the experience of Christian women and explore the ways in which Christians lived in the Early, Medieval and Modern eras. We will ask ourselves, how we can embrace this call and lead a life that reflects the way of the Great Commandment in our own time. Opportunities to share and reflect on our experiences of our own calling include workshops in textiles, music, painting, walking, writing, liturgical dance and storytelling as well as enjoying fellowship and fun!

In addition to the main sessions with Diana in the chapel and the various workshops, we also have available throughout the weekend, a Labyrinth which is a replica of the one laid in the floor of Chartres Cathedral in France. It is used as a walking meditation and prayer path. Walking in woods or strolling to the nearby waterfall are also highly recommended. Included in the registration is a trip to the local onsen accessible by shuttle bus or guided hike.

REGISTRATION & CONFERENCE COSTS

EARLY BIRD (if paid before Dec 1)

Y23,000 – shared Japanese style room
Y29,000 - Western style room for 2 with bath

REGULAR (if paid by January 10)

Y25,000 – shared Japanese style room
Y31,000 – Western style room for 2 with bath

LATE (after January 10)

Y29,000 – shared Japanese style room
Y35,000 – Western style room for 2 with bath
This per person fee covers lodging, six meals, conference program, and an onsen visit.

Bring your daughter (14+) at a special rate

Y15,000 – shared Japanese style room
Y21,000 – Western style room for 2 with bath

If you or someone else you know has **financial concerns**, please email us at amagi2010@gmail.com and we will get back to you with information about scholarships. Scholarship priority is given to those in full-time Christian service.

How to Register

1) Payment: Use a FURIKAE available at any post office and send it to the following account:

Acct #: 00240-3-29031

Acct Name: Women's
Conference

Be sure to write your name and address in Roman letters. Please remember to allow 5 to 7 days for the money to reach our treasurer and be recorded.

2) Register online at <http://wocon.net>

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