

CELEBRATE THE GIFTS OF WOMEN

SUNDAY MARCH 8, 2009

CELEBRATING WOMEN DURING
THIS YEAR OF CALVIN'S JUBILEE



Celebrate the Gifts of Women Sunday honors women who contribute their gifts to the church and community, and lifts up issues of women's rights.

March 8, 2009 is Celebrate the Gifts of Women Sunday and International Women's Day. The 2009 celebration also coincides with the 500th birthday of John Calvin, foreparent of the Presbyterian Church. Your congregation or women's group may, however, use this resource on any date that you choose to celebrate women.

The Celebrate the Gifts of Women resource, written by Dale Lindsay Morgan, includes

- a worship service with a call to worship, prayer of confession, assurance of pardon, suggested hymns, scripture and program suggestions;
- a dramatic approach applying Calvin's thoughts to women's leadership in the church today; and
- recommended resources for further study.

The Celebrate the Gifts of Women resource is available as a download from www.pcusa.org/women and from Presbyterian Distribution Service (PDS), 800/524-2612, item 27-501-09-001; free. A limited number of bulletin covers are available from PDS while supplies last; item 27-501-09-002; \$5.00 for a pack of 25. The bulletin cover may also be downloaded from www.pcusa.org/women.