

## **OWLS: Ordained Women Leading and Serving**

### **Purpose Statement**

#### **Foundational Scripture**

Now Deborah, a prophetess, the wife of Lappidoth, was judging Israel at that time. She used to sit under the palm of Deborah between Ramah and Bethel in the hill country of Ephraim, and the people of Israel came up to her for judgment...Barak said to her, "If you will go with me, I will go, but if you will not go with me, I will not go." And she said, "I will surely go with you."  
- Judges 4:4-5, 8-9a

But as for you, teach what accords with sound doctrine.  
-Titus 2:1

Remember your leaders, those who spoke to you the word of God.  
Consider the outcome of their way of life and imitate their faith.  
-Hebrews 13:7

**Purpose:** OWLS (Ordained Women Leading and Serving) are Gordon-Conwell alumnae who are established leaders in ministry and various areas of pastoral expertise. We seek to:

- Provide relationships designed to support, encourage, and equip each other and Gordon-Conwell women students and recent graduates who are called to ministerial leadership.
- Model a Christ-centered life of prayer, teaching and worship in accordance with sound doctrine.

**Plan:** To connect with women students and recent graduates who are considering a variety of ministry callings (i.e.: ordained, pastoral, chaplaincy, and those who are uncertain in their call).

To commit to walking alongside, encouraging and equipping each other, and in particular these students and recent graduates as they discern their call in seminary and beyond.

**Participation:** We'd love to have you join us! You can sign up by using the "Sign Me Up" button on the website and we'll be in touch.

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