Dear Grounded & Growing Women of The Ohio Presbytery,

My name is Rachel Craddock, and it is a true honor to be invited to connect and engage with you for the 2021 Grounded & Growing Women's Seminar: Slowly Unraveled—Changed from the Inside Out on Friday night and Saturday, October 15-16, 2021, at Harvest PCA in Medina, Ohio.

During our time together, we will be thinking biblically about our identity in Christ and learning how to live out our redeemed identity in the context of covenant relationships. This is a topic I am truly passionate about! I have been walking with God for almost twenty years and each day I discover how He is redeeming me from the old self and transforming me into the woman He is making me to be in Christ.

No matter how old you are, if you are a woman in Christ, God is doing a good work in you each day to form you into His image. My hope is that women of all ages would attend this seminar—yes, high school women, college-aged women, single women, young mothers, empty nesters, grandmothers, great-grandmothers, spiritual mothers—I am personally inviting each *and* every one of you.

John Stott says, 'It takes the whole people of God to understand the whole love of God—all the saints together." As women, we need on another on the journey. Certainly, God can work on us separately and individually, however God created us to work out our faith in the context of community—I need you to help me discover and deepen my identity in Christ—we need one another.

I excited to teach this seminar as an alongside learner—God is still teaching me and stretching me in this area, and it is a joy to share with you what I have been learning as I am transformed by His Word and covenant relationships.

If you are traveling, scoop up a friend to come with you to Medina! I am praying our time together will bring renewal though unpacking biblical truths and refreshment from gathering as God's people. See you soon!

Only by His Grace and In His Love, *Rachel Craddock*