

**Metro St. Louis Interbranch Council: 2025 Spring Luncheon  
Honoring Sheroes and Recognizing Barbara Lackritz Honorees  
Entertainment: Mixed Nuts, a women's a capella quartet**

**Saturday, March 29, 2025, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.**

**Doors open at 10:30 am**

**Catering to You**

**12775 New Halls Ferry Road, Florissant, MO**



**Mushroom herb baked chicken, roast top round of beef *au jus*, salad, red-skin garlic mashers, steamed garlic buttered broccoli, rolls, butter, self-serve lemonade/coffee/iced and hot tea**

**Registration fee: \$40 - includes meal, program, and entertainment**

**50/50 and Lotto raffles will also be held!**

**Registration begins in January 2025**

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**The NEW IBC Fundraising Approach – Tribute Donations to Honor Sheroes**

- ♥ **Why does the IBC need to raise funds?** For IBC operating expenses, and to support the International Relations Lecture Series in collaboration with the Tuesday Women's Association of the Ethical Society.
- ♥ **Our current approach has used raffles.** In the past, each branch donated baskets of items, then we moved to raffling gift cards. We've also done 50-50 and lottery ticket tree raffles, which will continue.
- ♥ **Why do we need a new approach?** We have decided not to hold any more raffles or auctions because none of us wants more stuff. We believe the 50-50 and Lottery Ticket tree raffles are still worthwhile, but they won't raise all the funds we need.
- ♥ **Our New Approach—**We will raise the additional needed funds **by honoring our Sheroes** with direct donations. We hope this becomes a new tradition: honoring important women in our lives, living or in memory, through tribute donations.
- ♥ **Stay Tuned!** More information will be coming in January 2025!

