Mission Lamp

SERVE THE LORD WITH GLADNESS

August 2022

Be Kínd

Dear LWML Sisters in Christ,

Be Kind ... we see these words on banners, tee shirts, books, bibs, mugs, and jewelry. The world is heavily marketing the "be kind" idea, but being kind isn't a new concept. God's Word instructs us to *Be KIND to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another as God in Christ forgave you* (Ephesians 4:32). Recently, I stumbled upon a collection of "revenge" stories on Facebook. The worldly stories reminded me how unkind people can be to each other. Yet, while we were yet sinners, God showed his kindness by forgiving each of us.

My world is surrounded by LWML sisters in Christ who Serve the LORD with gladness! (Psalm 100:2). None of us are perfect, but we are forgiven and have an example to follow: For I have given you an example, that you also should do just as I have done to you (John 13:15). We are given the opportunity to "... overcome evil with good" (Romans 12:21b). As sisters in Christ, you have shown me the Lord's kindness many times over, and I pray that I will show that same kindness with you.

The two scripture verses that precede the theme verses for the 2020-2022 biennium are: Let love be genuine. Abhor what is evil; hold fast to what is good. Love one another with brotherly affection. Outdo one another in showing honor (Romans 12:9-10).

In the coming year we will have many opportunities to "Be Kind" to one another as we support each other through prayer and service in prepa-

ration for the 2023 LWML Convention in Milwaukee. Leaders need workers. Both leaders and workers will need to be uplifted and supported by words of encouragement and prayer. Have you filled out your Call for Workers -Volunteer Application? Filling the application out is one way of encouraging the Host Committee by letting them know you will be available to serve as you are able during the convention. Have you shared the convention service opportunities with members of your congregation? Remember, not just women, but men, teens and pastors are needed to help and assist at the convention. Have you added the Host Committee to your prayer list? Offering up prayers on behalf of the committee is greatly appreciated.

The South Wisconsin District has many new pastors, vicars, and other church workers. Another "Be Kind" opportunity is to support our district church workers. Have you checked out the resources on the LWML website for group and zone leaders to support church workers? There are also resources to share with your church workers for their use. Have you shared your love of the LWML with the new pastor or vicar in your church or zone? You will find great ideas to start a conversation about LWML at *Church Workers in Mission - Luther-an Women's Missionary League (lwml.org).*

The LWML SWD Convention 2022 is featured in this Mission Lamp. As we begin the 2022-2024 biennium, there are new mission fields to **Be Kind.....Continued on page 2**

From our District Counselor

Sitting at the feet of Jesus

It is fun when you get together with friends that you haven't seen for a long time. This past June, we had the opportunity to meet in convention for the first time as a district in four years! Perhaps, you saw a friend for the first time in years

It is exciting to catch up on the news of your friend's life. If you are like me, when you get together with a friend, it is like picking up with where you last left off. You might ask, "How is so and so with that problem?" "How did such and such work out?" Your friend might reply, "Oh yeah, that was going on then. I totally forgot about it." Or even better, "God worked that out for me!"

Those conversations make me realize that the things we worry and are anxious about come and go. We get worked up in many things that are temporary, or out of our control, or aren't that big of a deal in the long run, yet our worry, our need for control, and our anxiety can take control of our life.

Read with me what Jesus says to Martha after she complains to Jesus about Mary. But the Lord answered her, Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her (Luke 10:41-42). Martha was worried about the temporary, earthly things that come and go. The chores were there before Jesus came and will be there after Jesus departs to the next house, but Mary sat at the feet of Jesus and heard God's Word.

That is the scary thing about those worries we have. They can distract us from what is truly good and permanent, hearing God's Word. For God's Word is a light in this dark world. It is the message that gives each of you eternal life through Jesus. It brings you to the cross, with all your cares and worries, and shows you that Jesus has taken them all from you on His shoulders.

Our convention shared God's word. We sat at the feet of Jesus with over 300 other women of the district. We caught up with friends that, because of God's Word, we will always have as friends. As we have returned to our churches, societies, groups, and homes, it is my fervent prayer that you continue to do what we did in June, sit at the feet of Jesus and hear His precious, life-giving Word.

Pastor Matthew Gehrke

LWML SWD Sr. Pastoral Counselor



learn about and mission grants to support. Do you have a plan to share the information with your congregation and LWML group? Why not try a new approach — the opportunities are as endless as the creativity shown in the "What's Your 80?" pictures! Have fun as you serve the Lord and "Be Kind." *Therefore, encourage one another and build one another up, just as you are doing* (1 Thessalonians 5:11).

> Serving Christ with you, Cinda Poppe LWML SWD President

Female Church Worker Scholarships awarded for 2022-2023



Julia Baker will be returning to Concordia University Nebraska as a sophomore this fall, majoring in K-12 Education. Growing up in a missionary family in Central Asia, Julia has been heavily involved in service work in the church. Activities in high school and college included translation of English to Kazakh and Kazakh to English, humanitarian aid, teaching guitar, instrumental, and church ministry. Her family's participation in the LWML dates back to her great-grandmother, who was an SWD president, grandmother, and Julia herself having written an essay published in an LWML publication. She will be a wonderful example to her students, showing and living her deep faith and trust in the Lord.

Katarina Hinck will be attending Concordia University Wisconsin as a senior this fall to complete her Early Childhood and Special Education studies. In high school and college she traveled to Ghana, Africa, and Czech Republic on mission trips, as well as participated in music programs, other church activities, sports, and was inducted into the National Honor Society. Most recently she became a member of the Comfort Care Program at CUW, where she works with Zoey Comfort Dog as a handler. Katarina has been aware of the LWML in her church since she was given a Mite Box as a grade-schooler. She will be a blessing to her young students with her compassion and love for the Lord.





Hannah Eatherton is a senior, returning to Concordia University Nebraska this fall. She is majoring in Early Childhood and Elementary Education. Hannah comes from a family of church workers and is looking forward to continue this tradition and opportunity to serve. She has been very involved in church activities as a musician and Sunday School teacher and other leadership roles throughout her high school and college years, including Alumni Assistant, National Honor Society and Dean's List accomplishments. She is acquainted with the LWML through family members and church friends. She is looking forward to complete her Lutheran teacher education and serving her Lord.

Katherine Benes is attending Concordia University Wisconsin as a junior this fall, majoring in Elementary Education. She states she has been blessed by God with a family rooted in the faith as Lutheran schoolteachers. Katherine was very active in high school church and school activities as a musician, VBS volunteer and other volunteer opportunities. She also was a National Honor Society member. She participates in intramural sports at the college level and is also a Special Needs Volunteer and volunteers at the Mail Center. Katherine is very enthusiastic about her future as a Lutheran schoolteacher, sharing the good news with her students.





Rebekah Eatherton will be returning as a newly married

student this fall at Concordia University Nebraska, where she will be majoring in Elementary Education. Rebekah comes from a family of church workers. She is looking forward to her final year in college in order to be fully equipped and prepared for serving the world! She is excited about sharing her faith with her students and helping them learn about God. Rebekah has been involved in many activities in high school and college, including vocal, instrumental, church groups, National Honor Society, Dean's List, and Alumni Assistant. She is excited about continuing her family tradition of church workers.



REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS AUGUST 26.

Please note the address is 625 West Rolling <u>Meadows</u> Drive. The address was initially listed incorrectly as Rolling Hills Drive on the website, Save the Date poster, and Registration Form.

The Fall Retreat committee invites you to gather with us at the 2022 Fall Retreat under the theme Empowered by God's Grace, based on Philippians 4:13, *I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.*

God's grace will be revealed through:

 KAROL SELLE, an educator, editor and graphic design editor. She is employed by the North Wisconsin District as editor of *The Lutheran Witness* supplement and is a substitute teacher for St. Paul Lutheran School in Stevens Point. Her focus will be knowing our God-given gifts and using them to enrich lives

Fall Retreat 2022

September 23 and 24, 2022 Radisson Hotel and Conference Center 625 West Rolling Meadows Drive

Fond Du Lac, WI 54937

- YOU will bless others with your offering for the LCMS Sheboygan County Hispanic Ministry and Gifts from the Heart to Bless the Fondy Food Pantry
- YOU will have the opportunity to create banners for the Hispanic Outreach Ministry
- YOU will have the opportunity to make coloring bookmarks and cards
- YOU will have the opportunity to participate in a servant event that will make cancer care packages for Breast Cancer Awareness Month
- YOU will have the opportunity to paint pumpkins and take them home

Registration forms and posters are available on our district website *lwml-swd.org/events/retreat*.

Get that registration in now! Invite a friend to attend! Continue to pray for this event! Thank you and blessings on the rest of your summer — See you in the fall!

LWML Bookstore News

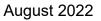


I am taking orders for the LWML SWD Bookstore to be picked up at the 2022 Fall Retreat in Fond du Lac on September 23 and 24.

If you would like to place an order from the store, go to *lwml-swd.org* and print the bookstore order form, fill it out and send it to me with your check made out to LWML SWD by September 1.

If you are unsure what is available, or how to look for items, go to the website *lwml-cph.org* and you will be able to see all the items. If you need help, give me a call at 920-387-3367 or email me at *dkamrath22* @gmail.com, and I will be happy to help you.

Serving the Lord with Gladness, Diane Kamrath





39th Biennial Convention of the LWML South Wisconsin District June 18, 2022 St. Paul Lutheran Church, Grafton, WI *80th Anniversary of LWML*



2022-2024 Executive Committee

Front row, Left to Right: Rev. Lewis R. Polzin, Jr. Pastoral Counselor, Joan Anderson, VP of Gospel Outreach and Christian Life, Claudia Fairfield, VP of Organizational Resources, Wendie Staus, Financial Secretary, Melody Roger, Recording Secretary.

Back row, Left to Right: Jan Koopman, Corresponding Secretary, Jen Olen, VP of Communication, Cinda Poppe, President, Patricia Silah, Treasurer, LuAnn Roman, VP of Special Focus Ministries and Mission Grants, Rev. Matthew Gehrke, Senior Pastoral Counselor.

Thirty-ninth Biennial LWML SWD Convention Offering



I am pleased to announce the total amount of the offering was \$5,611.75. Of that total, 25% (\$1,402.94) went to the Love of Christ Fund and 75% (\$4, 208.81) to Doxology. What an awe-some convention.

Welcome to Wendie Staus, your new elected Financial Secretary. The new receipt voucher is available at *lwml-swd.org* by clicking on the Resource tab and then the Society Helps tab. The receipt voucher will have her mailing address. Wendie is waiting to receive your mite donations.

Again, it was my honor and privilege to serve as your Financial Secretary these last four years.

I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with the power through his Spirit in your inner being (Ephesians 3: 16 NIV).

Marilyn Belter LWML SWD Past Financial Secretary

"Praise God from whom all blessings flow!"

Gifts from the Heart was a tremendous success. The recipients were The Haven of Manitowoc County (a men's homeless shelter) and Safe Harbor of Sheboygan County (domestic abuse center) who were extremely thankful for the donations received. The wish lists included coffee, paper products, cleaning supplies, postage stamps, individual snack items, box meals, soup, baking

supplies and kitchen tools. A total of 2,351 items were donated by our LWML members and guests. Large cases of macaroni and cheese, paper towels, and toilet paper were part of the items donated. We could not have counted and packed up all the donations without the help of the wonderful women and men at St. Paul while the committee attended the convention. A special thank you is extended to the man who volunteered to help deliver items to Safe Harbor.

Monica Jeske, Gifts from the Heart Chairman 2022 SWD Convention

Michael Etheridge, Executive Director of The Haven of Manitowoc County, Monica Jeske, and Vanessa VanderWeele, Volunteer & Community Engagement Coordinator, Safe Harbor of Sheboygan County.





From Wisconsin and Indiana to China and Indonesia, 28 very deserving mission grant proposals were presented to group members and delegates to the 2022 SWD Convention several weeks before the event. Much prayer and deliberation went into deciding which proposals to cast votes for. The decisions were difficult, as all the proposals focused on work which would further the kingdom of God and thus were worthy of being selected to receive funding. After the final vote was cast, 10 proposals were chosen to be fully funded and one grant to be partially funded. The mite goal set by the voting body for the new biennium is an ambitious one, but with God's help, we will fill our Mite Boxes and fulfill these amazing grants. The first two grants have already been paid due to unforeseen circumstances and what a blessing it is. A list of the chosen grants is available on the website. Watch our progress on the mites thermometer as they continue to be funded. Many thanks go to the group members and delegates who prayed and pondered before voting for the grant proposals and to the willing ladies who served as tellers, tallying the 300+ votes to obtain the final results.

Kay Nett

LWML SWD Mission Grant Chairman

2022-2024 Mission Grants

These are the 2022-2024 Mission Grants.

1.	Orphan Grain Train - Wisconsin Branch		
		\$15,000	
2.	In School Counseling for Mental Hea of Students	lth \$10,000	
3.	SWD Church Worker Grant	\$30,000	
4.	Financial Assistance for CTS, Fort Wayne Food and Clothing Co op	\$10,000	
5.	Outreach to Female Inmates	\$15,000	
6.	A Place of Refuge Ministries/House remodel	\$25,000	
7.	Camp LuWiSoMo Camper Scholarsh	nips \$20,000	
8.	Bethany Ev. Lutheran Church Ministr Outreach	ry \$14,000	
9.	A Playground as an Oasis - St Martini/LUMIN	\$15,000	
10.	Care for Clergy Wives - Doxology	\$ 8,000	
11.	SOS Center Designed for Success	\$16,810.91	
Total: \$178.810.91			

LUTHERAN WOMENS MISSIONARY LEAGUE SOUTH WISCONSIN DISTRICT



Pictured is Treasurer Patty Silah with Carol Flanary,incoming CEO at **Lutheran Counseling and Family Services.** They received a check for \$10,000 specifically for their program of "In School Counseling for Mental Health of Students." Their grant application states: "LCFS serves 16 schools in the Greater Milwaukee area, conducting over 4000 treatment sessions annually." And now, you and your generous mite donations, are a part of that.

Orphan Grain Train - Wisconsin Branch received a check of \$15,000 specifically to help with transportation to get all those donations (health and school kits, clothing, food, medical supplies and even bicycles) to where they are needed. This powerful volunteer driven organization receives donations of all kinds and they, in turn, package and send to locations here and around the world. To learn more about them, check the website at <u>ogt.org</u>.

Convention Excitement: Mission Grants Paid!

The first two of the 11 new mission grants have been paid!

A flurry of activity BEFORE convention did not let up AFTER convention. Getting the mite grants ready for delegates to vote on led to a new slate for the 2022-2024 biennium. I was overjoyed to write to 11 grant recipients that SWD is intending to support their mission request (one is partial). With God's blessings and your continued use of the Mite Boxes, we will meet our mite goal of \$205,000 by next convention. Please watch the *lwml-swd.org* website for updates on the progress as well as bulletin-size posters that you can use to spread the news. All of this takes time, so please be patient. We hope, also, to provide some sort of visual for you to use at your group meetings.

Another convention excitement was that we could increase the amount to disburse by \$25,000, above and beyond the 75% of the mite goal. A previous grant recipient returned money that was not used in a timely fashion, so by early July, the first two grants were paid in full. Orphan Grain Train-Wisconsin Branch received \$15,000 for shipping costs, and \$10,000 was received by Lutheran Counseling and Family Services for In-School Counseling for Mental Health of Students. Please pray for the efficient use of these funds and for the blessings that will come from it.

Heart to Heart Sisters of All Nations will be starting to plan for 2023. We welcome new committee members. Contact me to put you in touch with the chairman of the committee, Joanna Ellis.

LuAnn Roman

LWML SWD VP Special Focus Ministries/ Mission Grants

Celebrating LWML's 80th Birthday

When 337 ladies (and a few men) registered for the 2022 LWML SWD convention, most likely one of the last things they ever thought they would do at the convention was DANCE; however, when it's LWML's 80th birthday — you have to celebrate — with music and dancing!

Twice during our long day of conducting the district's work, we had '80s for 80' wiggle breaks — 80 seconds to get up and move our God-given bodies to "Walking on Sunshine" by Katrina and the Waves, a perennial 1980s song.

Fun 80s-style sunglasses were worn, hands were raised in the air, and legs were stretched and kicked in celebration of 80 years of LWML. While sporting special 80s glasses, LWML President Debbie Larson, past LWML President Jan Wendorf, and past LWML SWD president Barb Stringer led others in a conga style dance line! All of this happened while on the TV monitors the district's 80s for 80 slide show played — so many wonderful ideas submitted by individuals, groups and zones in honor of LWML's 80th birthday! Pillowcase dresses sewn, food and hygiene items collected, miles walked, board games played, mites raised — the list goes on and on.

Oh what fun and joy these wiggle/dance breaks gave us! Thank you Lord for giving us the gift of music and dance! Check out the 80s for 80 slide show now posted on our website *lwml-swd.org/events/conventions.*

Thank you! Jennifer Olen LWML SWD VP of Communication *vpcommunication*@*lwml-swd.org*

L to R:Diane Kitzerow, 2022 Convention chairman, Elaine Hull, Jan Wendorf, past LWML president and Debbie Larson, LWML President.



Strengthened through His Spirit



Change of Fiscal Year — Hallelujah!

While many people were upset/bored with all of the bylaw changes, I was extremely happy and thanking God for the votes of the BOD and the votes of the convention delegates to change the fiscal year to ending on March 31 and to make the change effective on March 31, 2022.

For more than 10 years, those who reviewed the LWML SWD financial statements and the records of the treasurer have recommended a change of the fiscal year. Our fiscal year and our biennium have had an ending date of June 30. This created the problem of convention voting in late June regarding what to do about an overage or shortage of mites without knowing what that amount would be. The June 30th year end also created a short period of time for people to submit their expenses for national convention and for the SWD convention so that the expenses of those June conventions third disadvantage was that the newly-elected treasurer had to set up the new budget, the new year, and the new biennium as she started her new role; the newly- elected financial secretary also had to set up new spreadsheets and mite thermometers, etc. Lastly, the distribution of those year-end and biennium financial statements was not efficient or effective as those which were prepared in late July, and there was no meeting at which to distribute them. Also, the review of those statements was done well after the preparation of those statements, and often the new treasurer was involved in the review of statements not prepared by her.

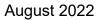
While I was pushing for this change and the Executive Committee was ready to recommend this change effective for March 31, 2024, God provided us with an unprecedented situation. We had a biennium in which two of our 2020 selected grant recipients had to withdraw their grants and a grant from a prior biennium was returned as unused, so on March 31, 2022, we had paid in full all of the viable 2020 grants and had money sitting in our mite account unused!

The end result is that the financial statements which were in the convention manual are the final statements for the period ending March 31, 2022. In the 2024 convention manual (and in every convention manual thereafter) you will have the final reviewed financial statements for the biennium. At the pre-convention BOD meeting we were able to vote to reallocate the returned \$25,000 mite funds to be used toward additional grants selected at the 2022 convention, (and we sent out that \$25,000 to our top two grants in June)! At convention we were able to vote to put our mite overage at March 31, 2022, of \$60.91 to pay additional grants in our SWD grant goal.

When you think about those bylaw changes, can you smile with me and think about the great advantages that came out of some of those changes and praise God for giving us such an unprecedented opportunity to effect this change?

Singing Hallelujah, Patty Silah LWML SWD Treasurer 2020-2024

Serve the LORD with gladness!





Strengthened through His Spirit



The new LWML SWD Young Women Representatives and some of their avid supporters.

Convention 2023 News



Now is the time to sign up to be a volunteer at the convention! All volunteers who serve eight hours **at** the convention will receive a discounted registration rate of \$50 if registered in January. Look for more information in the winter issue of the *Lutheran Woman's Quarterly*.

Please share the Call for Workers form (*lwml-swd.org/events/* other) with family, friends, and congregation members. It may be completed in two ways:

1. Call for Workers link — Volunteer Application Form — this form is to be completed online and submitted to our Personnel Data Management Chairman.

 Call for Workers download format — Volunteer Application Form — this form is to be printed, completed, and mailed to the address on the form.

Serving Him, Anne Hartman,2023 Milwaukee Convention Host Committee Chairman



Above: Joan Anderson and Jen Olen looking for volunteers for the 2023 convention in Milwaukee.

At Left: LWML Executive committee is MKE ready to see you in Milwaukee in June of 2023!



South Wisconsin Missionary Update

There are some exciting things happening with our SWD missionaries! We have a new missionary working with Lutheran Bible Translators. Deanna Gochanour is a young woman from Watertown, who is moving to Ethiopia at the end of July to teach Kindergarten at Bingham Academy. Previously she spent a few months in Ghana with another missionary family, teaching their children. She's been in the U.S. for just a few months this summer, busy catching up with family and fundraising. Watch for her newsletters and keep her in your prayers as she makes this big transition.

Rev. Edward Naumann also has some big news. He and his family came back to the U.S. from Sri Lanka and have been living in Pennsylvania and exploring options for their future. Pasor Naumann recognized a huge demand for teaching and education resources in South Asia, so he and a group of volunteers founded the South Asia Lutheran Mission, or SALM. Their mission statement is "South Asia Lutheran Mission exists to promote education and literacy, through teaching and publishing outstanding resources, with focus on the needs of South Asia." It will be exciting to watch this ministry grow!

Thank the Lord for all our missionaries and the work they do!

Rachel Wegener, Missionary Outreach and Mission Education

Where does Time Go?

Have you ever wondered just where does the time go? My husband and I are retired from the workforce, but we have become what I have termed "on-call grandparents." You know — take the kids to music lessons, sports, and walk the grand dogs; or attend the ball games, transport to golf lessons and walk the grand dogs; or take them shopping for needed sportswear, or to the gym, or — did I say — walk the grand dogs? It is challenging finding downtime these days, especially now that we



"To every *thing there is* a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven:" Ecclesiastes 3:1 (KJV) are planning for the LWML 2023 Convention in Milwaukee! This is a huge project, and it can seem overwhelming, but then, this verse comes to mind: *For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven* (Ecclesiastes 3:1). This is the season of my life right now with everything there is to do! And someday this season will be over and, God willing, I will move on to another one.

Are you making the most of your season in life? We will certainly need your volunteer time at convention next year. Don't forget to join us!

Sandy Krainz, LWML SWD Christian Life Chairman

LWML Gift Planning

But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was, and when he saw him, he had compassion. He went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he set him on his own animal and brought him to an inn and took care of him (Luke 10:33–34).

In response to the lawyer's questions today, Jesus makes it rather plain in this Parable of the Good Samaritan that a life of love is a life of action, not iust emotion. The Samaritan demonstrates this in a powerful way for us. Love moved him to take care of the man who fell into the hands of the beggars. This is what moves the LWML to not just support missions with their mite offerings, but also to find ways to serve alongside our missionaries in our own way to show forth the love of Christ. Your prayerful support of Gifts of Love is also a work of mercy and compassion, for it will aid in applying Christ's mercy to those in need here and throughout the world. Contact us to see how our Gift Planning Counselors can help you with your gift plan. It is not just a gift given in love, but is a gift that is active in showing love and mercy to those in need so that Christ may apply the healing balm of His presence and life to them.

What if I sense a desire to make an estate gift but am unsure about the status of ministries in the future? There are several gift planning tools you can use to construct some level of flexibility to the gift, so that it may be directed appropriately in the future. One of those is a personal endowment fund. You can name a ministry of your choice, and include language, that if that ministry no longer exists, the funds of the endowment be directed to another ministry with parallel purpose.

For help thinking this through, contact us, your LWML Gift Planning Counselors. We can assist you with expressing your faith through your Chris-

Special Funds Committee

Thanks to all of you who visited the Special Funds exhibit at the LWML SWD convention in Grafton in June. If I happened to have stepped away from the exhibit when you were there, I'm glad you were able to pick up some of the literature. If you have any questions, please feel free to give me a call, or you may also contact our representative, Carole von Soosten, at the number listed below.

Here is the latest newsletter from our Gifts of Love planners.

Serving the Lord with Gladness, Judy Paulson LWML SWD Special Funds Chairman *judykay15@gmail.com*

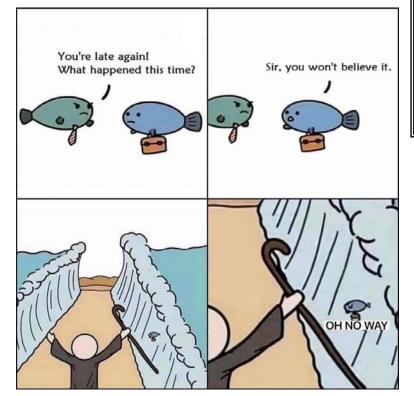
tian Estate Plan. LWML provides free, professional Christian estate planning services. We can be reached at 1-800-741-4138.

Wishing you a year filled with God's love in the gift of our Savior, Jesus Christ.



Your Partners in Him, Linda Gage and Carol von Soosten *carol.vonsoosten*@*lfnd.org*; 800-741-4138; www.lwmlgiftplan.org

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August 20, 2022	EC Meeting	vpgospeloutreach@lwml-swd.org
August 28, 2022	Board Reports due to Corresponding Secretary	VP, Special Focus Ministries and Mission Grants LuAnn Roman
Sept 10, 2022	BOD Meeting	vpspecialfocusministries@lwml-swd.org
Sept 23-24, 2022	Fall Retreat	VP, Communication Jennifer Olen
Oct 15, 2022	Mission Lamp Articles due	vpcommunication@lwml-swd.org
Nov 5, 2022	Zone Presidents Training	Recording Secretary Melody Rodgers
Nov 15, 2022	Statistical reports due	recordingsecretary@lwml-swd.org
Nov 15, 2022	Group Officer Forms due	Corresponding Secretary Jan Koopman
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