**South Wisconsin District LWML** 

**SERVE THE LORD WITH GLADNESS** 

**NOVEMBER 2020** 

### Count it all JOY

Dear Sisters in the LWML SWD,

It's Autumn! God's creation is clothed in an array of colors from reds, to oranges, yellows, greens, browns, and even some shades of purple! What joy wells up inside as we behold His splendor as the sun reflects off the leaves as they shimmer in the rustling wind.

It's off to Concordia Theological Seminary-Fort Wayne! A car packed to the brim with the Fall Retreat "Gifts from the Heart" collected at



the Fall Board of Directors meeting. Gifts of diapers, wipes, shampoo, soap, lotion, children's medicines, and boxes of clothes all delivered to the Clothing and Food Co-op used by seminarians and their families. "LWML" reminders around the Co-op's while touring. What a JOY to serve those preparing for the ministry!

It's Fall Rallies! Some are held and some are cancelled! Joy in meeting together, sharing God's Word, and excitement for the mission of the LWML! Held or cancelled rally offerings and

mites collected and sent to Marilyn Belter, Financial Secretary! What a JOY to see the LWML prevail during the days of pandemic.

It's Pastor Conference! What do I hear? "Thank you for coming," "What's going on in LWML?" "Our church celebrated LWML Sunday," "Our church has an LWML emphasis for THREE Sundays in October!" "A new LWML group is forming," "What can I take back to share with the women in my congregation?" What a JOY to share time with pastors supporting the work of the LWML in their congregations!

Please, continue to share LWML with YOUR pastor! Does he have a mite box and a list of the Mission Grants for 2020-2022? Are you sharing the bulletin information found on lwml-swd.org website so he can learn more about those Mission Grants?

It's Our Future! Zone President's Training, Winter Getaway, Leader Development Workshops, Young Women Events, Spring Rallies, LWML Convention 2021 in Lexington, and...we plan ahead with prayers and hope trusting in our Savior to lead and guide. Check the calendar for dates and the website for additional information. Continue to pray for these gatherings, for planners and participants.

**It's Joy!** Living in Hope, Faithfully Focused on Christ! Being "living mites" serving our Lord with gladness! Your sister in Christ,

Cinda Poppe, LWML SWD President president.lwml.swd@gmail.com

### Living in Hope, Faithfully Focused on Christ

"Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervor, serving the Lord. Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer." Romans 12:11-12 (NIV)

**District Counselor** 

### Living in a "Cancel Culture"

Dear Sisters in Christ of the LWMLSWD.

Cancelled! Hasn't that been the theme since mid-March? The NCAA basketball tournaments were cancelled. The high school spring sports seasons were cancelled! Numerous conventions, public activities, trips, and most plans for 2020 summer were cancelled. The LWML SWD Convention and the District Fall Retreat were cancelled. Although we are hoping for the best, we can't be 100% sure that upcoming activities like the President's training and the Winter Getaway will be happening.

But that isn't all. Then with racial unrest in our country another concept started to emerge. It helped lead something that has been called "Cancel Culture." It is a movement that is more than simply tearing down statues. It is still a nebulas concept but the idea of the cancel culture is that if you have said something wrong, something inappropriate, or something not regarded as in line with a certain group think then you should be cancelled. If someone tweeted something wrong eight years ago, that person should be cancelled from their public platform and maybe even from their current job. If a company made a move that was against the status quo, then people should cancel their business with them. This cancel culture has really been around for a long time, but recently, it has been named cancel culture and can cause quite a stir.

All this cancelling can cause some serious problems. People have their reputations completely destroyed with no chance to build them back up. Businesses can go belly up if enough of a boycott takes place. Dear relationships can be destroyed. Cancel culture can have serious effects.

But what if I suggested to you that Christianity is the original cancel culture? Consider Psalm 103:12, "As far as the east is from the west, so far does He remove our transgressions from us." Or Jeremiah 31:34b, "For I will forgive their iniquity and I will remember their sins no more." 1 John says, "He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." In other words, God cancels our sins! He sent Jesus to die on the cross to forgive us. In other words, the punishment against us for our sins is cancelled! Jesus has paid the price. God has cancelled our sins and given us eternal life.

We live with God's cancel culture that is different from the cancel culture around us. While Covid causes us to miss out on experiences and opportunities to be together and today's cancel culture can destroy people, relationships, and live, we have God's cancel culture that does the opposite. When God cancels our sins and forgives each of us, life is restored, relationships are repaired, and people are built up. That is a cancel culture we can live with forever.

In Christ,

Pastor Gehrke



### Convention 2021, Lexington

Date: June 24-27, 2021

Location: Lexington, Kentucky

Scripture: Hebrews 12:1-2

### South Wisconsin LWMLer's are off to Lexington in June 2021!!

#### Are you coming, too?

The 39th LWML Convention in Lexington, Kentucky's theme and verse encourage, "Looking to Jesus." What a wonderful focus for Women in Mission. We look to Jesus as we serve Him with all that we are and have.

The convention logo takes on meaning when reading through its explanation:

The shape of the last letter of the Greek alphabet, Omega, (Revelations 22:13) is shaped like a horseshoe, which is appropriate as horses are a large part of Kentucky culture. Ancient Greets awarded horseshoe-shaped laurel wreaths to victors of competitions. In the logo, the laurel wreath symbolizes our victory in Christ. The banner announces an official proclamation that we are "Running the Race ... Looking to Jesus."

Registration information will be in the winter Lutheran Woman's Quarterly available in December 2020.

Keep a watchful eye on Convention Central on lwml.org website for postings about convention such as convention shirt order forms, nominees, and mission grants on ballot. Do you know that the shirt orders go toward the hosting districts budget for convention expenses. Let's support our fellow host committee as we will be hosting a convention shortly.

LWML SWD has transportation arranged by bus leaving on Wednesday, June 23. This gives delegates and participants all of Thursday to participate in daytrips and servant events before the opening service that evening. If you are interested in riding the bus, contact Joan Anderson-Travel Manager by January 10, 2021, as seating is limited. joan.d.anderson@charter.net



#### **NEEDED: BANNER FOR CONVENTION**

The race is on for many things related to the 2021 LWML Convention "Running the Race...Looking to Jesus" in Lexington, KY, next June! One of those is designing, approving and making a banner that will represent the South Wisconsin District. Now is the time to submit design ideas so a final design can be chosen by the district board of directors in February. Requirements for the banner include:

- Relating the design to the convention theme
- May use the convention colors, but not the convention logo
- Finished size will be 3 ft. by 5 ft, added fringe may be longer
- Banner should be easy to manage, not heavy or bulky

The banner designer does not have to be the banner maker. All design ideas need to be emailed to Ruth Mueller by December 1, 2020. There will be SWD identifying information on the front and back of the banner, along with placement of ties and dowel rods for better display that will be handled when the banner is constructed. Information regarding the convention logo, theme and goals can be seen on the LWML website <a href="https://www.lwml.org/2021-convention">https://www.lwml.org/2021-convention</a>.

I look forward to seeing the variety of designs our creative minds will bring forth!

Ruth Mueller, VP Organizational Resources (vporgresources.lwml.swd@gmail.com)

#### Planning to go to Lexington, KY for LWML Convention?



LWML SWD has contracted Sonshine Tours for bus travel to Lexington.

Please let Joan Anderson, travel manager, know your plans by January 10, 2021.

Check the LWML-SWD.org website to see the reservation form for bus travel to Lexington

See you soon as we travel to Lexington!

Horses and racing atmosphere greet you everywhere when you visit Lexington. Take time to enjoy the atmosphere that surrounds you as you visit the 2021 LWML Convention.

Driving to Lexington is just what you dream of. Open fields surrounded with white fences and horses grazing in the grass.





At the District Biennium Planning meeting it was decided to forgo designing a logo specifically for this next biennium. Instead we would focus on utilizing our LWML SWD logo designed for us by the LWML. This logo was revealed at the Albuquerque LWML Convention in 2017.

The logo is in our district colors of purple and orange.

The design consists of 3 parts:

HEART: God's love for us

DROP: Christ's cherished blood shed for all.

CROSS: We lift high the cross of Christ giving our thanks and

praise and service

The heart of God is behind all that we are and do as we Serve the Lord with gladness.

### 2023 LWML Convention comes to Milwaukee!

Have you heard the 2023 LWML Convention is being held in Milwaukee?

That's Milwaukee, Wisconsin!!

Our Wisconsin!!

In 1981 the South Wisconsin District was honored to serve as the Host Committee for the LWML Convention. Now, 40 years later, we have the same honor!

But, with honor comes responsibility! Many helping hand will be needed to host the 2023 LWML Convention. At this time can you use your hands to help by:

- 1. Praying for the 2023 Convention
- 2. Opening the pages of the Host Committee Guidelines and reading about all the positions needed to be filled
- 3. Praying about how God is calling you to serve as either a Committee Chairman or a committee member
- 4. Filling out an application to serve. (Deadline April 26, 2021)
- 5. Praying for the 2023 Convention

Both the Host Committee Guidelines and the Application are available on lwml-swd.org, under the Events tab, under Other.

If you have any questions about the positions you can contact:

Cinda Poppe-LWML SWD President president.lwml.swd@gmail.com

Anne Hartmann- LWML 2023 Convention Chairman annelwml@gmail.com



### My LWML Mentor

My LWML mentor (and encourager in my faith walk) is Gerry Burkee. I knew about Gerry for many years as she served on many committees for zone and district level. She was LWML DP during the 1980's. I really learned to know her when we joined Blessed Savior, New Berlin, her church, in 2005. Our Womens Ministries, the LWML aroup. needed officers. She said I would make a perfect VP. I thought that sounded like a good way to get involved without too much responsibility. I soon learned that VP involved being chair for the two big events a year that our group sponsored. She continued to encourage me, reminding me that all profits from the events went directly for missions. And that is LWML and her MISSION - to get the good news to ALL the world.

When the president of our group moved I became president which meant I was on the zone board. Next I became zone president which meant I was on the BOD for the district.

For many years she hosted and I attended her home Bible study. She not only hosted and led the study, she always had a delicious dessert for us to enjoy. And she kept us in THE WORD.

Gerry is the mother of seven (one is in heaven), and 'grandma' to over 70, many of them adopted from foreign countries, making hers a truly international family. She and her husband were foster parents to more than 20 babies. And all this time she was reminding us to save our mites so many more can learn to know about our Savior Jesus Christ.

Now she lives in a retirement home and because of Covid 19 can not have visitors, but she still encourages me whenever I call her. I can see her smile in her voice.

This tribute was written by Kathy Herbst about Gerry for the National September to Remember.

# Greetings from New Missionary Outreach and Mission Education

Hello sisters in Christ! I am excited to be the new person in charge of mission outreach and education! I moved to Wisconsin a little over two years ago, but was active in LWML before. It was an honor to be chosen as your Young Woman Rep to the Mobile convention. I had such a great time and was encouraged to be even more active in LWML.

Now, I live with my cat, Belle, in Oconomowoc, and attend St. Paul's. There I'm in the choir and altar guild, and new this year, teaching seventh grade public school confirmation class.

I'm also helping to plan our next Winter Getaway, and it's going to be great! Many of you are already receiving newsletters from our SWD missionaries, but anyone can be added to the list by emailing me. I will then forward any newsletters that come in so you can learn about their work and pray for their specific situations.

God bless, Rachel Wegener

rach.wegener@gmail.com



### Engage in Missions by Funding Missions!

Had you plan to attend the Fall Retreat? You can send your offering to the LWML SWD Financial Secretary. Remember three quarters will go to the LCMS Hispanic Mission and a quarter to the Female Church Work Scholarship. Was your Zone Fall Rally cancel? Were you planning on attending? You or your society can send in an offering. Remember the Rally offering is use for administration purposes, like send the Zone president to LWML convention in 2021.

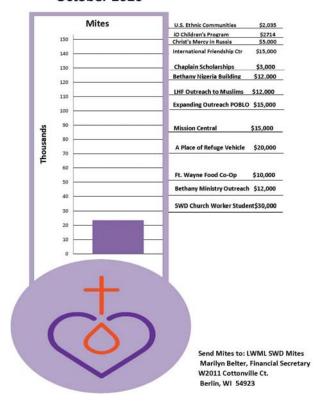
Mite Goal for 2020 – 2022 Biennium is \$205,000.00, with \$153,750.00 designated for SWD mite grants and \$51,250.00 designated for LWML mite grants. In September we were half way to meeting our first grant of \$30,000.00 for the Church Worker Student Grant.

If your society is not meeting you can still send in your mites. Just complete a receipt voucher with your society and church name and mail it with your personal check. Your society and you are credited with the donation. Keep those mites coming to my mailbox! Please make checks payable to LWML-SWD.

If you are need of Memorial/Celebrations cards please contact me. My contact information is:

Marilyn Belter, LWML SWD Financial Secretary financialsecretary.lwml.swd@gmail.com.

#### South Wisconsin Mite Goal 2020-2022 October 2020



### 2021 LWML SWD Leadership Workshops

Sponsored by the Leader Development Committee!

March 6 8:30 to 3:30 St. John, Random Lake W5406 CR SS and W5407 CR SS

March 20 8:30 to 3:30 Good Shepherd,+ Tomah 1221 LaGrange Avenue

Theme: Bearing Fruit, Growing in Knowledge. ++++

**Verse:** "...we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him; bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God." Colossians 1:9-10 (ESV)

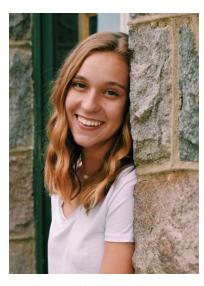
This event is directed to all women in our district, not just for the elected and appointed women of LWML SWD and bring a friend! More information (including how to register) on these workshops coming your way soon.

### 2020-2021 Scholarship Recipients



#### **Abigail Grosnick**

Abigail is one of 7 children from Watertown, WI and is attending Concordia Nebraska, in the fall as a freshman. She plans to study to be a Director of Parish Music, and many of her church activities have been in that field. Abigail has also been involved in LWML since 2016, when she was the Zone 18 YWR at the SWD Convention and again a YWR in 2018.



#### **Grace Reimer**

Grace is from Lisbon and one of 5 children and has worked with kids her whole life by baby-sitting, day-care, and coaching. She looks forward to learning to be a Lutheran Elementary teacher at Concordia Seward, where she will be a Freshman this year.



#### Sarah Wallace

Sarah is from Menomonee Falls. Sarah is attending Concordia University Wisconsin this year as a Freshman. She is looking forward to becoming an elementary teacher with a certification in Special Education.



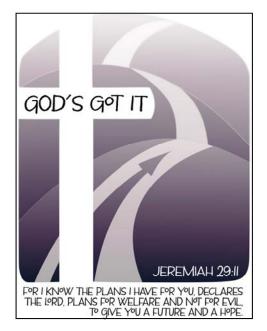
#### Elizabeth Leapley

Elizabeth is from New Berlin and will be attending Concordia Seward this fall to study secondary education. She graduated high school with a 3.964 GPA, while staying involved in church activities, sports, band, choir, theater, and National Honor Society. She shares the mutual interest of the LWML to bring Jesus to those who need him.



#### **Katarina Hinck**

Katarina is from Cedarburg and will be returning to Concordia University Wisconsin this year as a Sophomore, after having LWML support last year as a recipient. She is studying Early Childhood Education & Special Education and looks forward to sharing the love of Christ with the youngest members of our society.



Are you feeling overwhelmed with 2020? Covid-19, Politics, isolation, so many things spinning out of control. Cancelation after cancelation, missing our sisters in faith, but God gives us a promise that He has a plan for us, not to harm us, but to give us a hope and future.

Please join us at the Winter Getaway on January 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> at the Clarion Inn in the Wisconsin Dells. We are continuing to plan an uplifting event of fellowship with our Sisters in Christ. Pastor Gehrke is planning a Bible Study on Jeremiah 29:11, Kaye Wolff our Keynote speaker has her flight booked to join us.

The Gifts of Love and servant events will benefit families dealing with infants in NICUs in southern Wisconsin and brighten the day of someone you choose to receive a special card or bookmark.

Winter Getaway information and registration is available on the LWML-SWD website.

Registration deadline is January 15<sup>th</sup>, but I would like to request that you register **before December 15<sup>th</sup>**. We are taking precautions to keep all participants safe. A decision will need to be made by the end of 2020 if we will have the Getaway. If we do not have enough registrations at that time it may also be canceled. So PLEASE *do not* procrastinate!

Looking forward to seeing you all in January and spending some Sister time together.

Trusting in God's Plan

Joan Anderson, Winter Getaway Chair

### **LWML SWD Bookstore News**

I am accepting orders for the LWML store until January 6, 2021 to be picked up at the Winter Get-Away in the Dells on January 29, 2021.

One of the Gifts from the Heart items will be Mustard Seed Devotions. I am suggesting the Faith Filled Parenting Mustard Seed and also the Love, Laughter, and Lullabies Mustard Seeds. Either one of these would be \$2.00 if you order through me. If you would like to order a devotion book for new parents I suggest Dear

Mother, Devotions for New Mothers that would be \$3.50 through me. Please don't hesitate to call me 920-387-3367 or email me at dkamrath22@gmail.com and I would be glad to order anything for you that is available from the LWML Store or assist you any way I can.

Serving the Lord with Gladness,

Diane Kamrath, SWD Bookstore Manager



### **Special Focus Ministries News**

My husband and I have been prayerfully walking in front of our Planned Parenthood with the 40 Days for Life campaign. My sign says, "Pray to End Abortion". One car passenger yelled out the window, "What does that mean?" That gave me pause to think about how many people may not know what pray means. If I had had a chance to speak with her, I might have said, "It all begins with the Creator God that I believe is there for us. Let me explain."

Whether it is sanctity of life, the purpose of our existence, the role of the church and LWML, it all begins with the Creator God. It is no different in this department of the LWML SWD. All of our efforts into Heart to Heart, special focus activities, support of missionaries or the choosing of grant recipients begins with knowing the Creator and wanting to serve and honor Him.

As you wrestle with how to serve and honor God by reaching out to others, perhaps you will stumble upon an idea for our special focus chairman (Kathy Herbst), missionary outreach chair (Rachel Wegener), Heart to Heart (Joanna Ellis), and mission grants (Heather Peters). Please share with us. As we formulate plans for events and activities, please pray that we will always begin with the Creator God who loved us enough to send the Redeemer and the Sanctifier. It all begins with God and will end with God as we claim the rooms God is preparing for us in heaven. May our LWML efforts result in mansions overflowing!

LuAnn Roman VPSpecial Focus Ministries and Mission Grants vpsfm.lwml.swd@gmail.com



## Lutheran Woman's Quarterly Order Information

Attention Society Presidents and Treasurers,

The 2021 order form for the Lutheran Woman's Quarterly is now available on the LWML-SWD.org website. You will find the order form and new voucher form located under the Resource drop-down tab: Society Helps. The deadline for an order to be received is March 15, 2021. Earlier submissions are appreciated!

(Orders submitted after the March 15<sup>th</sup> deadline will be addressed individually. Society must be prepared to miss the Summer issue **or** if Summer issue is available, agree to pay additional postage.)

**\$6.00** per yearly subscription when ordering 10 or more.

\$7.50 per yearly subscription when ordering 1-9.

Please note: When ordering 10 subscriptions at \$6.00 each the total cost is \$60.00. When ordering 8 subscriptions at \$7.50 each the total cost is \$60.00.

If you have any questions, or if your order is incorrect please contact:

Contact: Barb Kaun, LW Quarterly Manager

920-720-9689 (leave a message) or bak 5495@tds.net

### The Kit Packing and Quilt Making for Lutheran World Relief must go on!"

The Women in Mission at St John Lutheran Church in Plymouth have participated in the Lutheran World Relief Fall kits collection event for many years. Our quilters typically have MANY quilts to donate and our LWML group puts together School and Personal Care kits.



This year was different as we found out that the usual boxcar that comes to Sheboygan wouldn't be available. Initially we decided that without the donation drop off, the cost of shipping for school kits would be prohibitive and de-

cided not to move forward. In past years we have involved our congregation in donating school supplies and start requesting late summer to coincide with Back to School sales! Knowing the need was especially great this year after the loss of 3 shipping containers in the explosion in Lebanon, we looked for options.



I did discover that a collection would take place in LaCrosse which happens to be 30 minutes from where my parents live and I was due for a visit in October. I could manage the drop off and the LaCrosse collection was receptive to our desire to join their effort. We decided to focus mainly on Personal Care kits with a lofty goal of 144 kits. One of our ladies quickly ap-

plied for a Thrivent Action Team grant to cover the cost of a large share of towels and soap. We also asked our ladies to donate towels and soap. We've found bulk opportunities for clippers, tooth brushes, and combs that have them so inexpensive we don't even ask for assistance with collecting those. We also found enough school supplies on sale later than usual and decided to go ahead with a goal of 24 school kits.

We gathered on a Thursday evening around 4:45 pm and before 6 we had packed 146 personal care kits and 24 school kits! The quilters had 45 quilts and 5 sewing kits which filled 29 boxes in all. We packed my pickup truck full including inside the cab - the passenger seat, too! Saturday morning I enjoyed a beautiful fall color drive along the Mississippi River and arrived in LaCrosse to find a very friendly church group on





hand to off load my vehicle. Before I was even masked up and out of the truck they had pretty much unloaded everything! Basically in 2 minutes they had all the boxes in the boxcar! We were thrilled to be able to take part in one of our

favorite projects even though things were a little different this year!

Praise God from whom all blessings flow!!

Vaunie Weaver, President St John Lutheran LWML (aka Women in Mission)

### Women (Plus Men and Children) in Mission

What do origami frogs, fleece-tied blankets, stuffed monster toys, Chrismons, and painted fabric placemats have in common? Each was a

project made by men, women, and children of Trinity Lutheran Church-Town Wilson on October 4<sup>th</sup> during a Mission Project Day hosted by the Phoebe Society. What better way to observe LWML Sunday than to live out the LWML's mission to "serve the Lord with gladness" by participating in hands-on project-making.

Five mission project stations were set up in the church fellowship hall where the congregation was invited to be the hands of God in service to their neighbors. The projects made for local non-profit organizations were: frogs and greeting cards for Project Angel Hugs; fleece-tied blankets for Love

INC; felt monster and ribbon crinkle toys for Anchor of Hope; Chrismons for Trinity Lutheran Church; and placemats for Fresh Meals on Wheels.

Participants, ranging in age from 5 to 90, were given mission passports that were stamped at

each station and, upon completion, could be redeemed for a prize. Prior to the mission station activities, the Phoebe Society celebrated LWML

Sunday by inviting the congregation to enjoy their homemade salads for lunch. The table decorations included prayer cards and LWML chocolate mint candies which were also take-home gifts.

Each female in attendance received a purple or yellow carnation from a bouquet that was placed in church. A bulletin insert explained the symbolism of the LWML colors: purple = royalty, gold (yellow) = value and integrity. The insert also shared four Phoebe Society members' thoughts about what their involvement in the LWML means to them. These thoughts were compiled from answers they had

written to the LWML Reflection Tool resource (from the LWML website), "What's Your 'Why?". Praise God for opportunities, such as this, to be on a mission!

Kathryn Cota

Phoebe Society

### **Christian Growth Thoughts**

As we approach the final months of 2020, most of us are definitely hoping for a "back to normal" New Year to come. While we are still in this year of the pandemic, politics and protests, can you be honest with yourself in how you were able to make it through each day?

www.LWML.org offers a Bible Study entitled "Lord, I Can't Handle This!"

We all recognize the word "stress", but did you know there are two different kinds of stress?

The "bad" stress we know is "distress" – these are the problems that face us throughout our lives.

But, there is a "good" stress known as "eustress"; these are the positive stressors that keep us moving forward each day.

I invite you to make that trip to the website on your computer and work through this study, even if you are by yourself. You will be reminded that God is in control and we are His and we can trust the promises He has given us.

Sandy Krainz, Christian Life Chairman

#### **Events**

November 14, 2020	Zone Presidents Training
December 1, 2020	Deadline for 2021 Banner designs
December 15, 2020	Zone Rally date to PR
	(watch for email form)
December 31, 2020	Statistical Reports due
January 15, 2021	Mission Lamp Deadline
January 29-20, 2021	Winter Getaway
March 1, 2021	General Registration for LWML Convention
March 6, 2021	LWML SWD Leadership Workshop
March 20, 2021	LWML SWD Leadership Workshop
March 15, 2021	Lutheran Woman's Quarterly Order Deadline
April 15, 2021	Mission Lamp Deadline
April 17, 2021	Young Women's Group
June 24-27, 2021	LWML Convention, Lexington, KY

### **Focused on Christ**

"...my hope is in YOU all day long." Psalms 25:5

Join us for a day of fun and sprirtual growth!!

#### **April 17 and August 14**

TBD and offering a Zoom Attendance

Mothers with children of any age encourage to attend!! Activities for children and adults alike.

Children's church (Bible Study) with servant events:

Card and book mark coloring Fleece blankets Witness bracelets

Sponsored by the Young Women's Committee Amy Tikkenen, chairman

#### **Executive Committee**

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Thanks to all who sent articles for the November Mission Lamp. .

Next deadline is January15th so get those newsworthy items ready.

"Serve the Lord with Gladness"

Ruth Weckwerth, Mission Lamp editor