

CONVENTION CENTRAL :: LWML Plays in Peoria

In less than a year the opening worship service for the 34th Biennial Lutheran Women's Missionary League Convention will begin with joyful praise for the work the Lord has done through LWML. The voices of the convention choir will be joined by the thousands of others in attendance. The words of proclaimer Dr. Ken Klaus will focus on the theme "Being with Jesus — Living on the Edge."



Today is a great day to begin your plans to be in Peoria, Illinois, Thursday, June 23–Sunday, June 25, 2011.

Your Lutheran Woman's Quarterly

How did you spend your week? Check on the Top 10 list on page 6 of the Summer issue. Does every woman in your church receive her own copy of the Lutheran Woman's Quarterly? This top notch publication that offers Bible studies, Faith Talk Tips, feature articles, news about mission grants, what's new in LWML products, and so much more, is a must have for every woman in your congregation.

From President Jan's blog – June 18, 2010

Wish you were here...again!

On Wednesday, June 16, it was my privilege to present another grant check on your behalf. While visiting in Austin, Texas, I went to the offices of Lutheran Social Services of the South. What a thrill to be able to hand Dr. Kurt Senske, Chief Executive Officer, a grant check for \$25,000 in partial payment for grant #4 – Psalm 69:14 Project: Emergency Disaster Aid in Texas, Oklahoma, and Louisiana. We also met with some of the staff who are working with the people that will benefit directly from this grant. Dr. Senske shared that much of their work is among the "poorest of the poor," people who are left with nothing following hurricanes. God's love is shown to them in tangible ways, meeting their basic needs. Thank



President Jan presents a grant check to Dr. Kurt Senske of Lutheran Social Services of the South.

you for continuing to pray for this grant recipient, as well as for the additional 18 grants we are funding in 2009-2011. Your prayers and gifts are making a difference. Read more at www.lwml.org/blog.

Connected in Prayer for ...

... thousands of people impacted by the disaster of the oil spill in the Gulf and an uncertain future. Pray that they may know the assurance of the Lord's presence.
... all who are on mission trips as they share the Good News with new friends.
... provision by faithful servants in sending their gifts to fund the mite goal for this biennium.

Did You Know...

... LWML Sunday order materials are on the way to congregations. Information will be available online after July 15 at www.lwml.org (under "Resources"). Order by August 1 and receive a free purple tote bag (while supplies last).

... new information is constantly being posted at www.lwml.org. If you haven't been there in a while you are in for a delightful surprise!

Who Will Serve?

Do you know someone who would qualify for nomination for LWML President, Vice President of Human Care, Vice President of Servant Resources, Treasurer, or the Nominating Committee? Download the forms at www.lwml.org/conventions Get them in the mail today to that woman you believe has leadership gifts to share in the LWML. Don't delay — the deadline is August 15, 2010! E-mail questions to nominations@lwml.org.

Mite Update

2009-2011 Mite Goal
\$1,825,000

Received as of 5/31/10
\$878,722.36

Goal Balance
\$946,277.64



The Lutheran Women's Missionary League (LWML) is the official women's auxiliary of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. For over 65 years, the LWML has focused on affirming each woman's relationship with Christ, encouraging and equipping women to live out their Christian lives in active mission ministries and to support global missions.

Please remember LWML in your estate plan. Our legal name is: "Lutheran Women's Missionary League."

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