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## NEW ROLE FOR LWML'S GIFTS OF LOVE PLANNED GIVING

Six women, representing five LWML districts, have assumed the new role of Volunteer Gift Planning Advocate to enhance the outreach of LWML's Gifts of Love planned giving initiative in their districts. They are: Ruth Ann Arbeiter, Southern Illinois District; Glenda Schuft and Mary Kay Mages, Minnesota South District; Cheryl Keithly, Pacific Southwest District; Sandy Hardies, Michigan District; and Dottie Sincebaugh, North Dakota District.



To prepare the newly appointed Gift Planning Advocates, a specially tailored training event was led recently by Phil Meinzen, LCMS Foundation Training Consultant, and Pat Bilow, LWML Gift Planning Counselor, at the LCMS International Center in St. Louis.

“We are pleased that these well versed LWML women have stepped up to the plate to build on the foundation that’s been laid for LWML’s Gifts of Love initiative,” President Janice Wendorf shared while observing the training event. “This is new ground for LWML and, hopefully, we can involve more districts in the future.”

Ongoing training will be provided through regular webcam teleconference meetings.

For more information about charitable gift planning, go to [www.lwmlgiftplan.org](http://www.lwmlgiftplan.org).



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