

eNewsletter from the LWML Christian Life Committee

CALL

**CALL—Connecting All
LWML Leaders**

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Welcome New District Presidents/Christian Life Counterparts

We're not done yet! District Convention time continues with six conventions remaining in September! What a blessed year it has been! We praise and thank God for the opportunity for so many women and men, to join together throughout our country to worship, vote on mission grants, elect officers, meet new friends, and the list goes on!

If you are new or continuing, the Christian Life Committee welcomes you all and pray the information placed in the monthly CALL is helpful! What does CALL mean? Please see the logo on page 2!

The Primary Targets for this biennium are:

- ⇒ **Nurturing Faith in Christ**
- ⇒ **Sharing Encouragement**
- ⇒ **Making our Mission Meaningful**

One way we are connecting with you is through this email. Each of the committee members has been assigned a list of districts so you can establish a personal connection with us.

What can you expect from these emails? Encouragement and ideas.

It is also our hope that you will feel free to connect with us with your thoughts, ideas, and encouragement.

LWML Sunday



Are the societies in your district celebrating LWML Sunday? The first Sunday in October is traditionally set aside for the observation of LWML Sunday, but it may be celebrated at any time.

The Rev. Dr. Victor Belton, pastor of Peace Lutheran Church in Decatur, Georgia, and proclaimer for the Pittsburgh LWML Convention Sunday worship service, is the author of the 2014 LWML Sunday material, "Fragrant Sacrifices and Offerings," based on Ephesians 5:2.

NEW this year! In lieu of a CD, all material is available for download from www.lwml.org. Check it out!

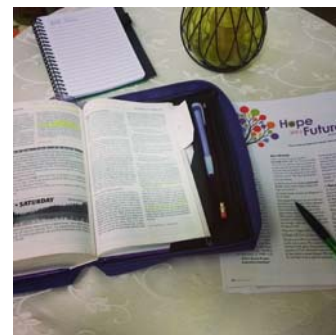
(All worship and devotional materials have received approval from LCMS Doctrinal Review.)

District Changes

If you have not had opportunity to notify us with any changes in your Christian Life leader, please send us her name and email address so we are able to add her to our email distribution list. Thank you for your help!

Convention Idea Gleaned from Minnesota South District Convention

Pat Reichert, Vice President of Special Focus Ministries, reports that Minnesota South holds this “Christian Life Day” pre-convention every year. They spend the day in Bible studies, using LWML resources. This year they followed the PING (Prepare, Inspire, Nourish, GO!) resources with four pastors leading Bible studies: Rev. Dale Kors, Rev. Alan Reed, Rev. Robert Mundahl, and Rev. Lowell Sorenson.



Share YOUR District Convention Christian Life Ideas

Did you do something special at convention to promote LWML Christian Life products or resources? Please share those ideas with us so we can pass them along in upcoming newsletters! Email us at depcl@lwml.org.

Share the LWML Message—The Time is NOW!

Have you taken the pledge? The Time is NOW to share our passion for Christ. It's not just a message from national—this is **your** message. How will you incorporate The Time is NOW into your planning, goal-setting, and communications?

Consider inviting like-minded LWML women to take The Time is NOW pledge and participate in 2-Minute Tuesdays.

It's easy! Go to the LWML website and click on “The Time Is Now” logo to take the pledge. Then share your email address to receive 2-Minute Tuesday emails. You will receive an email every other Tuesday from LWML leaders who will share timely tips, insight, and wisdom.

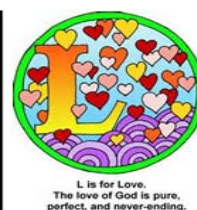
Look for The Time is NOW 2-Minute Tuesdays on the LWML Facebook page, too!



Archived CALL Newsletters

Click on the link for past issues.
<http://www.lwml.org/call>

CALL—What Does This Mean?



- C** a phone is one way we connect
- A** reflects “connecting the dots”
- L** sign language—our connections are not just verbal
- L** it's all about God, His Love for us, and we are a reflection of Him