

## GUIDELINES FOR SELECTION OF NOMINEES

### SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

**Nominees for elected officers** must be members of the LWML and have served on an LWML district board of directors. Nominees for president must have served as a district president or a member of the LWML Board of Directors (Bylaws, Article VII, Section 2b & 2c). Consideration should be given if she has also served on a national LWML committee.

**All nominees** must:

- be familiar with the current:
  - LWML Mission Statement
  - LWML Primary Focus
  - LWML Vision Statement
  - LWML Bylaws and organizational structure
  - LWML Committees and their purpose statements
- have experience in the area in which they will be asked to serve.
- demonstrate proficiency in the English language to allow for accurate writing, speaking, and editing.
- be skilled and comfortable communicating through technology.

### GIFTS, SKILLS, AND OTHER IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS

- A woman with a steadfast faith in Jesus as Savior and Lord and in the Gospel promise that we are saved by grace and not by our own goodness.
- A life which reflects that faith: her services and acts of thanksgiving to the Lord.
- A joyful person who considers service in the LWML a privilege.
- A woman who displays Christian love, patience, and tact when dealing with difficult people and situations.
- A leader who uplifts and encourages others to serve beyond their own expectations.
- A facilitator who recognizes the ideas, gifts, and skills of others and gives them opportunity to serve by working together toward the desired goal.
- A woman who is familiar with email (creating, saving, and sending documents).
- A communicator who is willing to check and respond to email at least once daily.
- An organized person who can handle several responsibilities simultaneously.
- A dependable person who meets deadlines and demonstrates follow through on projects.
- A woman with accurate writing skills and the ability to present and speak to large and small groups.
- A woman with the health and stamina to work under pressure for long periods of time and endure the rigors of travel.
- A family situation that allows for extended absences from home without hardship to the family.
- A woman who is passionate about the LWML and sharing its mission.