

ABOUT LWML

The Lutheran Women's Missionary League (LWML), with a membership of over 250,000, is the official women's auxiliary of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. For over 77 years, the LWML has been encouraging and equipping women to live out their Christian lives in active mission ministries and to financially support global missions.

The LWML Eastern District, which was organized March 9, 1944, includes LWML groups from congregations in New York, Maryland and Pennsylvania.



LWML MOTTO



Psalm 100:2



Lutheran Women's Missionary League

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A **SOCIETY** or **GROUP** is one or more LWML organizations within a congregation which meets regularly for fellowship, Bible Study, mission service or specific mission projects.

ZONES are made up of several **SOCIETIES** or **GROUPS** within the LCMS Eastern District. Each of the 9 Zones hold several events each year, often highlighting mission focused activities. The 9 zones are Anthracite, Buffalo, Cattaraugus-Allegany, Central NY North, Central NY South, Genesee, Niagara, Philadelphia, and Pittsburgh.

CONVENTIONS are held at the District and National levels in alternating years. Each convention brings diverse women together for mission focus, spiritual growth and fellowship for sharing and caring for others, Bible Study, electing officers and adopting new mission grants.

DISTRICT RETREATS are an opportunity for women to get away and focus their relationship with the Lord through Bible Study while in fellowship with other Lutheran women. Eastern District weekend retreats are held each Fall.

MISSION GRANTS

Anyone who wishes to give to missions may use a mite box. This is a small box used to receive gifts (coin, cash, or checks) to support mission grants and programs of the LWML.

Contributions are collected often (at least quarterly) and sent to the zone, who forwards them to the district. Monies are divided 75% for district mission work and 25% for national LWML missions.



What a joy it is to give
to His service!

OUR MISSION

To assist each woman of the
LCMS Eastern District in
affirming her relationship with
the Triune God
so that she is enabled to use
her gifts in ministry to
the people of the world

RESOURCES

LUTHERAN WOMAN'S QUARTERLY

The official publication of the LWML with feature articles on missions, education and Bible studies.

LWML LINK NEWSLETTER

The LWML Eastern District Newsletter with articles on district missions, district events and local events encouraging Christian fellowship.

FREE BIBLE STUDIES & DEVOTIONS

The LWML website has a large number of free resources for Bible studies, devotions and other program helps.
<http://www.lwml.org>

OTHER RESOURCES

Additional Bible Studies and Mustard Seed Devotions along with other items for witnessing can be found at
<https://www.cph.org/c-2482-lwml.aspx?REName=lwml>