

MICHIGAN WOMEN IN MISSION

CONVENTION PRAYER ROOM

7 Give orders that for the next thirty days any person who prays to anyone, divine or human-except to you, Your Majesty, will be thrown into the den of lions.

10 But when Daniel learned that the law had been signed, he went home and knelt down as usual in his upstairs room, with its windows open toward Jerusalem. He prayed three times a day, just as he had always done, giving thanks to God. **Daniel 6:7,10**

In a world filled with uncertainty, chaos, and pain, we are reminded of the story of Daniel. He kept worship and prayer a priority as he dealt with an uncertain future and terrible circumstances.

As we plan for the LWML convention in June, we know the circumstances for a convention are less than ideal. With added emphasis on the Prayer Room, we like Daniel, will honor the Lord. The Prayer Room will encourage, uplift and protect the women traveling to convention and to inspire, encourage and shelter those at home and unable to attend.

Extended Hours. The Prayer Room will be open before, during, and after the convention to pray over the women of the Michigan District, their families, and the missions they serve through their mites.

Prayer Requests. The Prayer Room is taking Prayer Requests prior to the conference. During the conference Prayer Cards can be filled out and run by Pages to the Prayer Room.

Connected Prayers Warriors Prayer cards can be sent to shut-ins, homebound and those restricted to travel. Prayer requests can be given and returned to The Prayer Team.

Do you have a heart for Prayer? If you would like to join the Prayer Team as a volunteer, we will assign volunteers shifts of two hours. Volunteers are needed to welcome and receive women as they arrive and to pray with women and their Prayer Requests. Contact Casey Salminen at c.salminen@yahoo.com if you have a prayer request or would like to volunteer.



CONVENTION PERSONALITY

Lynn Corker will serve as our Bible Study leader for the convention in Grand Rapids.

Women of the Pearl, founded by Lynn Corker, is a ministry to women in Uganda that hopes to empower women by educating them in literacy, agriculture, business ownership, hygiene,



nutrition and ministry leadership to equip them to make disciples and spread the love of Jesus to their villages.

Lynn enjoys traveling and speaking about her ministry and loves spending time with her friends and family.

Check our website to see all the convention information and registration link:
<https://lwmlmichigan.org/convention/district>

Upcoming Events:

- Mar 23 - Convention Plan Mtg
- Apr 15 - Early Registration ends
- Apr 30 - Last day to have mites count for this biennium
- Apr 30 - Deadline to submit your YWR selection
- May 26 - Late Registration begins
- Jun 28-30 - District convention at Amway Grand in Grand Rapids
- Jun 28-1 pm - Convention Mtg with Voting on Friday

End of biennium is April 30th.
Please send your mites ASAP to help us make our goal!

Mite Report

National

As of January 31
Goal: \$2,350,000
\$ Received: \$1,080,537

Michigan District

As of February 29
Goal: \$386,000
\$ Received: \$371,229

Send your mites to:

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MISSION GRANT HIGHLIGHT

FAMILY OF GOD LUTHERAN CHURCH,
CLARK PARK STREET MINISTRY - \$5,000

Family of God Lutheran is a non-profit ministry committed to bringing the gospel to the lives of residents living in southwest Detroit. They have been serving the homeless and addicted there since 1996. They formed a street ministry at Clark Park during the 2020 pandemic when they were unable to meet in church. At Clark Park they provided a lunch bag meal, prayer, and a worship service. Family of God has continued this ministry, and this grant will help purchase a trailer for them to store essentials for basic hygiene needs, a tent for their services and a propane heater for the winter months.



The **Monroe Zone** Prayer Day service was held at "Wellspring Lutheran Services" in their chapel.

IN THE ZONE

The **Macomb South Zone** Fall Frolic was held under the theme "Sharing Our Blessings." The women from the zone gathered personal care

items and assembled 117 Blessing Bags which were taken to MCREST (Macomb County Rotating Emergency Shelter Team) in Mt. Clemens.



MCREST provides temporary shelter, transportation, meals and training for homeless women and children in Macomb County.

The LWML Daughters In Mission group held its annual Epiphany Brunch at St. Luke, **Ann Arbor Area Zone**. Our guest worship and dramatic leader was Wendysue Fluegge, who presented "Reflections of Mary."



In February Trinity, Utica in the **Evergreen Zone** hosted a Valentine Tea for 100 ladies in attendance. Guest speaker Dolly Ireland spoke of how to be Strong in the Lord based on Bible passages. A history of the mite box was given. Over \$200 was collected for mites.

