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TIDINGS

Lutheran Women in Mission Rocky Mountain District

Plan now to attend the

LWML Rocky Mountain District Convention

June 22-24, 2012

Marriott Hotel
El Paso, Texas

Highlights include:

Elaine Bickel
Banquet Speaker

Rev. Gary Rahe and Rev. Timothy Storck
Bible Study Leaders and Worship Proclaimers

LWML President Kay Kreklau, Rev. Dr. Karl Heimer de la Cotera,
Mary Marten, Elaine Bickel, Rev. Gary Rahe
Enrichment Session Leaders

**Convention is just around the corner!
There is still time to register!**

Hotel Reservations

Room charges for the convention are \$119 for single/double/quad
It is your responsibility to make hotel reservations!

Hotel reservations are made directly with the Marriott.

Call the Marriott at **1-915-779-3300**

say that you are part of the LWML RMD group.

One person can reserve a room and everyone in the room
can still pay with their own credit card when they check in.

On-Line reservations can be made by going to our web site at
www.rmdlwml.org and click on the link
or by using the following link:

<http://cwp.marriott.com/elptx/2012lwmlconvention/>



LIVING THE GRANDE LIFE

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LWML RMD
2010-2012
Vision Statement



Build Up In Love Daily

1 Thessalonians 5:9-11
(English Standard Version)

For God has not destined us for wrath, but to obtain salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ, who died for us so that whether we are awake or asleep we might live with him. Therefore encourage one another and build one another up, just as you are doing.

LIVING THE GRANDE LIFE CONVENTION BAG UPDATE ANNOUNCING CONTEST CATEGORIES FOR CONVENTION BAGS

WHO: ALL ATTENDEES AT THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN DISTRICT CONVENTION

WHAT: B.Y.O.C.B. (BRING YOUR OWN CONVENTION BAG)

WHEN: JUNE 22-24, 2012

WHERE: EL PASO MARRIOTT

WHY: TO BE BETTER STEWARDS OF OUR FINANCES

In the last *Tidings* you heard about the LWML RMD joining the **RECYCLE, REDUCE, and REUSE loop**. Everyone attending the LWML RMD Convention in June in El Paso is encouraged to bring their “own bag” to carry their convention materials and personal items. Have you decided which bag to bring? Look at the following contest categories and see if you have a bag that could win! **Prizes will be awarded in each category.**

- **Oldest LWML RMD Convention Bag**
- **Oldest International/National LWML Convention Bag**
- **The most creative “new LWML bag”**
- **President’s Choice**

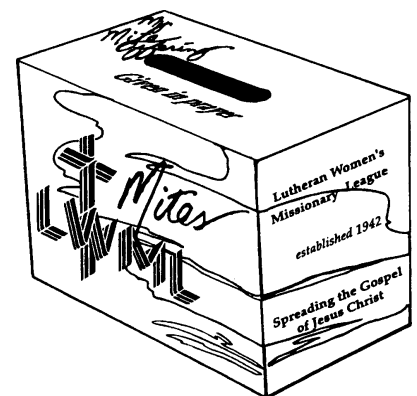
Do you have too many bags to choose from? Bring an extra and share with another LWML sister or brother!

Remember to send your mites each month to our RMD Treasurer. Her address is:

LWML Rocky Mountain District
c/o Nancy Doty
331 Euclid Street
Fort Morgan, CO 80701

FYI

There will be a new RMD Treasurer after the El Paso convention in June. Look for the new information in the July *Tidings*!



Know Your Mission Grants

Judy Piepkorn
VP Gospel Outreach

Mission Grant Recipients for the 2010-2012 Biennium

	<u>Granted</u>	<u>Paid</u>	<u>Unpaid</u>
Trinity/HOPE – Feeding Haitian Children	\$ 5,000	\$ 5,000	\$ -0-
Rocky Mountain District – Debt Assistance Program	\$ 7,500	\$ 7,500	\$ -0-
Kings Camp at Lutheran Valley Retreat	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ -0-
Veterans of the Cross	\$ 5,000	\$ 5,000	\$ -0-
Developing Religious Curriculum for God’s People with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities	\$ 8,000	\$ 8,000	\$ -0-
Opening a New Outreach Center Ft. Collins, CO- Lutheran Blind Mission	\$ 5,000	\$ 5,000	\$ -0-
Support for the University Lutheran Chapel in Boulder, CO	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000	\$ -0-
Missionary Household Setup - Lutheran Bible Translators	\$ 7,500	\$ 7,500	\$ -0-
Expansion of the Ministry of the Lutheran Hispanic Missionary Institute, El Paso, TX	\$ 7,000	\$ 7,000	\$ -0-
Training Pastors for Gospel Outreach in Africa	\$ 7,000	\$ 7,000	\$ -0-
Mission Outreach to Immigrants from Ethiopia (Aurora, CO)	\$ 7,500	\$ 7,500	\$ -0-
Scholarship Assistance to Students Preparing for Ethnic Ministry	\$ 3,500	\$ 3,500	\$ -0-
	\$75,000	\$75,000	\$ -0-

LEAP FOR JOY!!!

Praise the Lord!!!

LWML RMD reached the mission grant goal for the 2010-2012 biennium!

Thank you all for your efforts and to God be the glory!

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

LWML RMD Mission Grant Proposals for 2012-2014 appearing on the Convention Ballot

- 1. Training Pastors for Gospel Outreach in Africa** **\$7,000**
This grant would provide funds to finance the necessary travel and communication with African Lutheran churches to facilitate the training of pastors for Gospel outreach in Africa.
- 2. Trinity/HOPE Haiti** **\$5,000**
This grant would help provide funds for one Lutheran School in Haiti to feed an average of 100 students a daily noon meal so the children can learn more effectively, as well as be fed with the Word of God.
- 3. Religious Life Curriculum Illustration Costs** **\$8,000**
This grant would fund the illustration costs for the Bethesda *Cross Road Journey Religious Life Curriculum* project for the developmentally disabled.
- 4. Sunday Sermons for the Zulu of South Africa** **\$5,000**
This grant would assist the Lutheran Heritage Foundation to publish and distribute Sunday Sermons for the Zulu people.
- 5. Concordia Seminary, St. Louis Food Bank** **\$7,000**
This grant would fund the Food Bank at Concordia Seminary, which is visited by nearly 500 people each month. Those benefiting include deaconess interns, vicars, and students enrolled in the Center for Hispanic Studies, Ethnic Immigrant Institute of Theology and Specific Ministry Programs, Doctor of Divinity and Masters in Sacred Theology programs.
- 6. Rocky Mountain District – Debt Assistance** **\$7,500**
This grant would help fund the annual grants to LCMS pastors with educational debt in the Rocky Mountain District. The goal of RMD is to provide money equal to ½ of a struggling pastor's monthly educational debt payment, which would help relieve his financial stress and promote his remaining at his present call.
- 7. Concordia Early Child Education Center** **\$5,000**
This grant would be used to purchase necessary equipment for the development center at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church. The center is being established to provide daycare and preschool with a unique educational character and security for a rapidly growing community with a large population of young families.
- 8. Concordia Seminary Graduate School International Student Support** **\$5,000**
This grant would support the non-tuition expenses for International graduate students. Few partner churches can shoulder the cost of sending students to the US at the rate of \$3,100-\$3,400 per year.

LWML RMD Mission Grant Proposals for 2012-2014 appearing on the Convention Ballot

- 9. Outreach Resource Centers \$5,000**
 This grant would provide resources to spread the Gospel message to Muslims and all other Eastern religions. The grant money will be used to purchase materials in 16 languages including Arabic, Farsi, Hindi, Urdu, Bengali, and Sudanese.
- 10. Support for University Lutheran Chapel – Boulder, CO \$6,000**
 This grant would provide funds to help support the campus ministry of the University Lutheran Chapel at the University of Colorado campus in Boulder.
- 11. Helping Blind People See Jesus \$4,000**
 This grant would fund the production, design and distribution of an audio Bible Study, that examines each book of the Bible. This has not been done before.
- 12. God’s Word in Their Heart Language – Teaching the Mende to Read Scriptures \$4,450**
 This grant would fund literacy training and materials for the Mende Language group in Sierra Leone, West Africa. Materials would be produced at different levels.
- 13. Fostering Faith in the Forest \$3,000**
 This grant would supplement the cost of one week of camp at Lutheran Valley Retreat for 10 foster children. One week of camp can change the life of a child.



Convention Offerings 2012

Offering #1 Mites for 2012—2014 Biennium

Offering #2 Dual Missions—Beacon of Light and Lighthouse Missions, Pecos Zone
 Offers treatment and recovery programs for substance abuse.

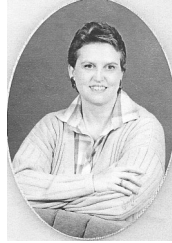
Offering #3 Rey de Reyes Hispanic Ministry, Rio Grande Zone
 Offers worship opportunities, provides meals, clothing and furniture. Plans to purchase a trailer for worship services

Candidates for District Offices

Vice President of Human Care

Debbie Kruger

- North Central Zone
- Wheat Ridge Lutheran Church, Arvada, Colorado
- Vice President/Christian Life at Wheat Ridge Lutheran Church LWML
- Zone Vice President, Christian Life, Parliamentarian and Rally Coordinator
- District Recording Secretary (2004 – 2008) Human Care Committee (2008 – 2012)
- Teaching assistant for 2011 VBS, Wheat Ridge Lutheran Church
- Records Director, Colorado Rockies Ticket Coordinator and Co-Event Coordinator for North Jeffco Chapter of Thrivent Financial, one of three Congregational Advocates at Wheat Ridge
- Debbie is an Administrative Assistant



Judith A. Gordon

- Rio Grande Zone
- Redeemer Lutheran Church, Deming, New Mexico
- Christian Life Chairman (2006 – present), President (2008 – 2010) Vice President (2006 – 2008) Christian Growth Vice President, First Lutheran, Papillion, Nebraska.
- Zone Christian Life Chairman (2010 – present) Co-chair representing Rio Grande Zone for District Convention, Nominating Committee Chairman (2010)
- Society Women's Bible Study Leader (2009 – present) Redeemer Prayer Chain Coordinator (2007 – present), Stewardship Chairman (2009 – present)
- Judith is retired.



Vice President of Christian Life

Margaret H. Blazek

- Pecos Zone
- Immanuel Lutheran Church, Clovis, New Mexico
- Society President (present) Past Society Vice President, Treasurer, Convention Co-Chairman.
- Pecos Zone President (present) Treasure, participant District convention hostess committee El Paso.
- Co-chairman LWML RMD Convention El Paso
- Plays organ, substitutes for pre-school at church, Sunday School Teacher, member of Education Committee, Teacher, Song Leader, Director VBS, serves on Altar Guild.
- Member Altrusa International of Clovis, past Treasurer, Coordinator parent discussion group, SENGSC Supporting Emotional Needs of the Gifted.
- Margaret is a teacher.



Colleen R. Spahr

- Northern Zone
- Mt. Zion Lutheran Church Superior, Colorado
- Society Co-Chair (2006 – present)
- Zone President (2004 – 2008) Twice served on Nominating Committee
- District Christian Life Committee as Christian Resources Editor (2010 – 2012), Nominating Committee 2008 – 2010), Leadership Development Committee (2006 – 2008)
- "Sharing the Bread of Life" published as devotion in the LWML Catalog, "Who is Our Neighbor" (a litany of outreach) published on the LWML website under program helps.
- Human Care Committee Chairman (2007 – 2012) organizing activities for our congregation and the community, Women's Bible Study, Small group Bible Study.
- COMMUNITY: Habitat for Humanity work day October (2011) Ongoing food drive for food banks in the community where I work.
- Colleen is a Youth Services Librarian.



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Candidates for District Offices

Treasurer

Beth A. Nagy

- North Central Zone
- Peace Lutheran, Arvada, Colorado
- Liaison between Circles and Mission Committee at Peace, present, Secretary (2007 – 2010) President, St John LWML, Vancouver, WA, Christian Growth Chairman, Secretary, Vice President, St. John LWML, Vancouver, WA
- North Central Zone Vice President (2009 – present) President, Vice President, Secretary, Interstate Zone, Oregon District, President, North Central Zone (1994 – 1996) Vice President NCZ (1992 – 1994)
- District Chairman, Scholarship Endowment Committee (2010 – present) Structure Committee (2006 – 2010) Treasurer, Oregon District (2002 – 2006) Structure Committee (1998 – 2002), Oregon District RMD Mission Service Committee
- National Christian Resources Editors Committee (2001 – 2005)
- Small group leader, present, Library & Mary-Martha Circles, Greeter, Served on Outreach Committee, Served on Conversations of Grace Committee.
- Member of HOSA Board, Member, Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association.
- Beth is a retired Parish Worker/ Legal Secretary.



Recording Secretary

Sue Mumm

- North Central Zone
- Summit of Peace Lutheran Church, Thornton, Colorado
- Christian Growth (2008 – 2011) President (2006 – 2008) Vice President (2003 – 2006) Summit of Peace, President Mt. Calvary, Ft. Lupton, Secretary Bethlehem, Rapid City, SD President, Greenhaven, Sacramento, Treasurer, Greenhaven, Sacramento.
- Zone Christian Growth Chairman (2010 – 2011), Treasurer (2008 – 2011)
- District Chairman Structure Committee (2010 – 2012) Nominating Committee (2010 – 2012)
- Serves as Chairman of Christian Caring Board Present, Plays Bells, Sings in the choir, serves on Evangelism Board.
- Served as Secretary/Treasurer 4-H Parents Committee, Served as Secretary/ President Brighton High School, Music Boosters.
- Sue is a Legal Assistant.



Pastoral Counselor

Jonathon G. Schultz

- Western Zone
- Our Saviour Lutheran Church, Vernal Utah
- Pastor of Our Saviour Lutheran Church (2009 – present)
- Pastoral Counselor, present at Western Zone September (2010)
- Member of Rio Blanco County Council of Churches in Rangely, Colorado which provides oversight and support for New Eden Crisis Pregnancy Center in Meeker, Colorado.



Nominating Committee

Anita Palenschat

- Four Corners Zone
- Trinity Lutheran Church, Gallup, New Mexico
- Currently President, since the early 1980's have served in every local office more than once and also on Bylaws Committee, Christian Life and others.
- Zone Nominating Committee (2010 – 2011), delegate to National Convention in Peoria IL, delegate District Convention Grand Junction ((2009 – 2010), since the 1980's have served in every zone office more than once, served on the Bylaws Committee, have made banners for district and national conventions, planner for spring retreats.
- In the capacity of a zone officer I have attended several district board meetings, served on the Tellers Committee at more than one convention, participated in making decorations for two district conventions, attended most district conventions, made banners for our district and national convention in Sioux Falls, SD.
- Attended national convention as a delegate in Fort Worth, Alberta, Sioux Falls and Peoria.
- Youth counselor, VBS teacher and craft director, Choir, Sunday School Teacher, various church committees.
- COMMUNITY: Thrivent activities, Care 66, Relay for Life, Scouts, Red Mesa Artist co-op, Summer Performing Arts Academy.



Candidates for District Offices

Nominating Committee

Diane Rahe

- Northeastern Zone
- Zion Lutheran Church, Holyoke, Colorado
- Society Vice President, Secretary, Christian Growth
- Zone President, Vice President, Secretary
- District Vice President
- Organist, Choir, Bell Director, Sunday School Teacher, Sunday School Board of Education
- Museum Board, Peerless Theatre
- Diane is an Election Clerk – Phillips County, Holyoke, Colorado



Andi L. Noblitt

- North Central Zone
- Mt. Zion Lutheran Church Denver, Colorado
- Society President (2011 – 2012), member since 2010
- District YWR
- Altar Guild member for over 20 years.
- Andi is an Electrical Engineer



Jan Bloss

- Northern Zone
- Mount Olive Lutheran Church Loveland, Colorado
- Society President (2007 – 2011) Vice President/Christian Life (2012) I have also served as Vice President/Christian Life, Secretary, and Treasurer, since (1995) at various times. Charter member of Mt. Hope, Boulder and served in various LWML offices there from (1965 – 1994)
- Zone Nominating Committee (2009 – 2010), Secretary/Treasurer (1997 – 2001), Vice President/ Christian Life Chairman (2001 – 2005), Historian, Delegate to district convention.
- District Human Care Committee (2008 – 2012), Vice President of Christian Life (2004 – 2008), Mission Advocacy and Grants Committee member (2002 – 2004), Christian Life Committee member (1998 – 2002), Delegate to LWML conventions.
- Served in Christian Life booth at two national conventions, Choir member, Member of (2007) LWML Rock Star Idol Reality Show winning group in SD.
- Altar Guild, Funeral serving committee, Send congregation member birthday and anniversary cards, MOPS babysitter, Wings mentor, Keenagers group, Choir, Hand Chime choir, Past Evangelism Committee, Call Committee, Board of Educational Endowment.
- RMD LCMS Evangelism Team, Prayer Committee (2011) ROC, Publicity, past COG, LCEF Convention Delegate (2011), Bible study Fellowship 6th year, Rocky Mountain Carriage Club member, Colorado Driving Society.



Jackie Wyant

- Northern New Mexico Zone
- Faith in Christ Lutheran Church Albuquerque, New Mexico
- Society President
- Zone president, vice president, secretary, and treasurer
- VBS Teacher/Director, Sunday School Teacher, Mission Board, Education Board, Discipleship Board, Council Secretary.
- American Legion Auxiliary, Sat. at Arms, worker volunteer member driver, to church, to doctors, Faithful Hands, lap robes for shut ins, hats and scarves for Afghanistan, Hebrew classes, Banner maker.
- Jackie is a Preschool Director.



Candidates for District Offices

Nominating Committee

Mona Book

- Southern Zone
- Holy Cross Lutheran Church
Colorado Springs, Colorado
- Society Circle Co-Leader
(2011 – 2012), Networker
(2010 – 2012), Circle Leader
(2009 – 2010)
- District YWR (2008 – 2010),
YWR Committee (2009),
Human Care Committee
(2012)
- NATIONAL: YWR (2011)
- Women's Thursday Morning Bible Study, VBS past two
summers.
- Weekly volunteer at my children's' school, Teach pre-
school Bible class weekly at church.
- Mona is a Homemaker and Child Care Provider.



Jane E. Dunn

- South Central Zone
- Mt. Olive Lutheran Church
Aurora, Colorado
- Society Treasurer (2012), President
(2007 – 2008) Member of Mt. Olive
for 39 years. Past Vice President, Sec-
retary, several times, and Treasurer
several times.
- Altar Guild member, served on Parish
Fellowship Board which organizes and
serves the Valentine Dinner, the church picnic, the Oktober-
fest, Sunday School Teacher, attended LWML circle Bible
Study.
- Jane is a Preschool Teacher in a Lutheran Church.



Gloria Chapler

- Pecos Zone
- Immanuel Lutheran
Church
Carlsbad, New Mexico
- Society Vice President
(2009 – 2010), President
(2011 – 2012)
- Attended Zone Rallies and
workshops.
- YWR at District convention in Grand Junction, looking
forward to helping serve as our zone co-host the dis-
trict convention in El Paso for 2012.
- Our chapter has been supporting two seminary stu-
dents, Ysleta Mission in El Paso, TX, we have been
sending monetary support to the students through
offerings and an annual spaghetti dinner and bake sale
- Our society has collecting supplies for diaper bags for
the CYFD as well as hygiene items for our local bat-
tered women's shelter
- Gloria has been employed with Wells Fargo Bank for
the past year, and has recently become a Personal
Banker.



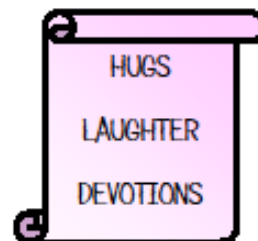
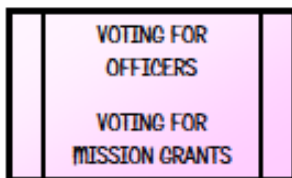
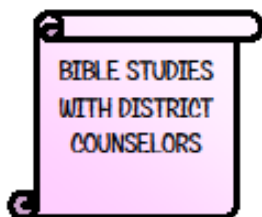
Patricia (Pat) A. Brewster

- Western Zone
- Lutheran Church & School of
Messiah
Grand Junction, Colorado
- Society Christian Life Chairman
(2011 – 2012) President of Ladies
Guild (2009 – 2011), Chairman of
Nominating Committee for the
Western Zone (2009 – 2011)
- I have served in many districts
starting in NC in (1973) Secre-
tary, Treasurer, Vice President of
our zone in Hawaii, Vice President in Montana, Secretary and
President Wyoming District, President of the Western Zone,
Chairman of the Nominating Committee.
- Helped with two District Conventions held in Grand Junction,
Worked on some district committees over the years.
- Delegate to International Convention in Cleveland, Ohio
(1991) I have been to 12 national conventions.
- Bible study leader for a small group, Helped with VBS and
putting on a carnival to raise money for our school.
- Served at a local soup kitchen preparing and serving food,
served meals to people at another homeless shelter, Patriot
Guard Riders and participate in Veteran funerals by standing in
a flag line to honor the veterans and support their family, help
fund raising for Wreaths Across America, a program to put a
wreath on every veterans grave for Christmas.
- Pat is a retired labor and delivery RN.



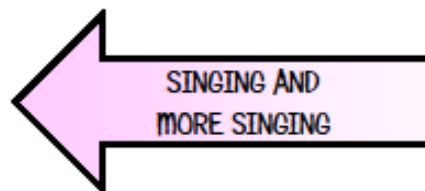
**WHAT TO LOOK FORWARD TO AT
"LIVING THE GRANDE LIFE" CONVENTION**

PROCESSIONAL WITH ZONE BANNERS/QUILTS WORSHIP SERVICES



B.Y.O.C.B. (BRING YOUR OWN CONVENTION BAG) CONTEST WITH PRIZES

ENRICHMENT SESSIONS



SHOPPING FOR LWML PRODUCTS

LWML PRESIDENT KAY KREKLAU

KEYNOTE SPEAKER ELAINE BICKEL



SPECIAL MUSIC BY MARIACHI SAN PABLO

OFFERING OPPORTUNITIES: 2012-2014 MITE OFFERING

LIGHTHOUSE BEACON OF LIGHT

REY DE REYES HISPANIC MINISTRY

Gifts from the Heart

Oh, it's fun to buy clothes; pick out the right color and cute.
BUT guess what people really need?

UNDERWEAR and SOCKS

Women, Men & Kids.....Any size...

.... adult, big kids, little kids

Please consider collecting underwear and socks as Gifts from the Heart for the 2012 LWML Rocky Mountain District Convention.

The gifts will go to the Ysleta Mission.

It's basic, we furnish the WORD for their hearts....

.....we furnish the clothes for their bodies!

LWML does Serve with Gladness!



From the President's Notebook:

The following appointments were accepted by the Executive Committee of LWML Rocky Mountain District:

Beth Shroff, Publications Business Manager
Jill Huffman, Teen Committee member
Jill Clark, Teen Committee member
Shelley Stewart, Committee on Young Women member
Marilyn Grasz, Structure Committee member

A special thank you goes out to the women of Eternal Savior Lutheran Church, Lafayette, CO, who hosted the Board of Directors in February and to Gethsemane Lutheran Church, Northglenn, CO for hosting the April EC meeting.

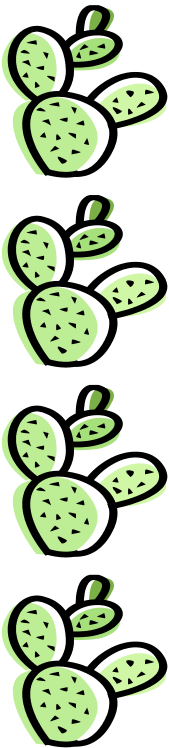
A special thank you also goes out to Rev. David Dyer who led a "Joyful" workshop for all in attendance at the Board of Directors.

Prayer Requests:

- Safe travel for those attending the convention.
- God's blessing on the business of the convention, that all may be done to the glory of the Lord.
- Encouragement to newly elected officers and personnel appointed after June who will carry on the work of the LWML RMD.

Are You Distracted?

Pastor Storck
Junior Counselor



I'm easily distracted. There I said it.

I have a hard time concentrating on one thing at a time. That may explain why I have three or four documents open on my computer. Why I bounce back and forth between three different books at home. (Notice that is at home, not just at church). The kids head out for recess here at Messiah and often I'm not far behind. It can be really hard for me to concentrate on what's going on. And sometimes things fall through the cracks. If you have ever seen the movie *Up*, by Pixar, you may remember the scene where Doug the dog introduces himself and in the midst of that is distracted by...squirrel.

By the time you read this Transfiguration Sunday will be long past. For many of us Transfiguration is celebrated on the last Sunday before Lent. On that day we recall that Peter wanted to remain on the mountain

with James, John, Moses, Elijah, and Jesus. But it was not to be. Jesus takes the three disciples down the mountain reminding them not to say anything until He rose from the dead. Shortly thereafter Jesus instructs the disciples that He was to head up to Jerusalem to die and there was nothing that was going to distract Him.

Not even His own disciples, as when Peter cut off the ear of the high priest's servant to spring Jesus from capture. Nor when the chief priests tempted Jesus to come down off the cross to save Himself. Christ's eyes were firmly fixed on our salvation. He was not going to be deterred from freeing us from our enemies: sin, Satan, and death. And He wasn't! He completed His work for us by dying. Our salvation is a finished reality. We have been saved, our sins have been forgiven. God has said so. Just as Jesus was raised from the dead we will as well.

So what does this all mean for us in the LWML? Well, the first thing is that we are going to get distracted and make mistakes. And so we confess and repent and know that our sins are forgiven by the blood of the Lamb.

It also means that since our sins have been forgiven, we can firmly fix our eyes on other tasks. Your EC and BOD can firmly fix their eyes on the work that still needs to be accomplished this coming year, especially with the upcoming convention in El Paso. Hope to see you there!!!

Finally it means that we can fix our eyes on our accomplished Mite goal. Starting strong and finishing strong. We can see the goal and move forward in what we need to accomplish, both in the district and nationally. Praise be to God that He is never distracted from us!

In Christ,
Pastor Storck

**See you at the Sweet Dreams
Ice Cream Social Friday evening!
Food, Fellowship, and FUN!**



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Rays of SonShine

More Fundraising with Purple Feet

Bethlehem Lutheran LWML in Lakewood, CO, raised over \$400 during February. All proceeds went to benefit the LWML missions. Tubes were attached to Purple Feet to catch the quarters dropped in by men or women. This was a contest. The men, bless their hearts, wanted to put in bills so purple boxes were quickly made to accommodate them. We had a lot of fun and were able to turn in considerably more than a normal month of collecting mites.

Submitted by Patricia Wulf, Bethlehem LWML



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