



TREASURED!

39TH BIENNIAL CONVENTION

To the Pastors of the Pacific Southwest District:

The women of the Lutheran Women's Mission League, Pacific Southwest District, are stepping out in faith and offering a scholarship to one pastor from each congregation in the District to attend the LWML district convention to be held in Tempe, AZ from June 3-5, 2022. We believe that the support of our pastors is integral to the continuing mission of the LWML.

The scholarship will include the registration fee of \$150, and a three-meal package of \$125 (Friday dinner, Saturday lunch, and Saturday banquet). You are invited to stay at the convention hotel at the special rate of \$99 per night (plus fees) at your own expense. Breakfast is included with the hotel fee.

The convention begins with the opening communion worship service on Friday evening at 7:30 p.m. We would encourage your participation in processing in together and serving communion during worship. Pre-convention sessions will begin at 1 p.m. on Friday which you are also invited to attend. A Men's Breakfast will be hosted by our District LWML Counselor, Rev. Tim Jenks, and Convention Committee Pastoral Counselor, Rev. David Poedel, on Saturday morning at 7 a.m. for all men attending the convention to meet with like-minded men who support the mission of LWML.

We realize our pastors have pulpit commitments for the weekend. Upon granting of the scholarship we would expect that you would attend at least the Friday and Saturday events. To facilitate your attendance for the entire weekend Rev. Jenks has prepared a written message for use by a lay person for your Sunday morning worship.

We are aware that our pastors are entering their busiest season of the year, so we encourage you to mark the date on your calendar and submit the attached scholarship application while the invitation is fresh in your mind. It is our sincere desire that you will consider attending the convention. God bless your service to the Lord.

Nila Rodriguez,
LWML Pacific Southwest President
president@psdlwml.org

JUNE 3-5, 2022 • TEMPE, ARIZONA

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Pastor Scholarships Available!

LWML Pacific Southwest District Convention
June 3–5, 2022 • Tempe, Arizona

EMBASSY SUITES (4400 S. RURAL RD. TEMPE, AZ 85282)

We TREASURE our pastors! One pastor from each congregation in our district is eligible to have his registration and meals covered through a scholarship fund. We encourage you to attend, hang out with joyful, service-minded men and women, and learn more about LWML and our amazing Mission Grants! Limited scholarships are also available for others — pastors' wives can apply! All registration and application materials will be available at www.psdlwml.org on January 1, 2022. For more information, please contact Barb Virus at 714-801-5252 or bvirus@juno.com.

Convention Personalities



Rev. Dr. Mike Gibson
Opening Worship Proclaimer



Jan Struck
Keynote Speaker



Donna Snow
Bible Study Leader

Convention Theme

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Based on Matthew 13:44–46: *The kingdom of heaven is like treasure bidden in a field, which a man found and covered up. Then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field. Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls, who, on finding one pearl of great value, went and sold all that he had and bought it.*

Scholarship Application-Pastors

Lutheran Woman's Missionary League Pacific Southwest District
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(Please print clearly or type)

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip Code _____

Phone # (_____) _____ Email _____

Congregation Serving _____

City, State _____

What experience do you have with LWML? Is there a group at your current church or past churches you have served?

What questions do you have about LWML?

Are you aware of mission opportunities within the Pacific Southwest District?

How can LWML assist you with your ministry goals?

Signature _____ Date _____

Send application form to:

Barb Virus, Endowment Fund Chairman
542 E. Lomita Ave.
Orange, CA 92867-6848
bvirus@juno.com

DEADLINE IS MARCH 31, 2022

Note: If you are applying for a Scholarship, please do not send in a Registration Form until awards are determined. We will work with the Registration Chairman so that your registration will not be late.