

Save the Date!



TREASURED!
39TH BIENNIAL CONVENTION

JUNE 3–5, 2022
TEMPE, ARIZONA

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

*Come and be reminded that you are a
treasure to our Lord — a pearl of great value!*

Come and feel His love for you and be encouraged to take His love out into the world. Worship our Lord, laugh with LWML sisters, vote on new officers and mission grants, enjoy great food, sing praises to our Lord, and have some fun!

New this year!

Scholarships are available for pastors who wish to attend!

One pastor from each congregation in our district is eligible to have his registration and meals covered through a scholarship fund. Encourage your pastor to come and learn more about LWML!

Societies and Zones

Consider supporting a Young Woman Representative (YWR) and/or a Heart to Heart Sister. Scholarships will also be available.

*Registration Materials and
Scholarship Applications*

All registration and application materials will be available at www.psdlwml.org on January 1, 2022.

Convention Personalities



Rev. Dr. Mike Gibson
**OPENING
WORSHIP
PROCLAIMER**

President of the Pacific Southwest District of the LCMS, Pastor Mike is engaged globally in China, Southeast

Asia, and India. His missional passion includes helping the Body of Christ understand the shift of Christianity to the Global South and the beneficial influence it can bring to the church in the post-Christian Global North. "My purpose is to awaken within the Body of Christ a local and global perspective on the Mission of God and to influence organizational systems so as to free and empower them for mission fulfillment."



Jan Struck
**KEYNOTE
SPEAKER**

Jan's "life story" has included the blessing of mothering three children, teaching school, and experiencing single parenthood

after a divorce. She enjoys serving the Lord as a speaker and leader of Bible studies, workshops, women's retreats, and LWML events. Jan brings a fresh approach to the journey of faith and uses her sense of humor as she shares her life through laughter. Her trust in Christ is her reason to make a "joyful noise unto God!"



Donna Snow
**BIBLE STUDY
LEADER**

Donna Snow has a passion for studying and teaching God's Word. Most recently she served as the Bible Study Leader at the LWML Convention

in Mobile, Alabama. She has authored over 30 Bible studies, including four DVD Bible study series for LWML and several books with Concordia Publishing House. Donna attends Salem Lutheran Church in Tomball, Texas, where she has been an active LWML member for more than 20 years.

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Plan to attend!



Pastor Scholarships Available!

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

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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

Treasured!

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.*



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JOIN THE MISSION WALK AND LET OTHERS KNOW THEY ARE TREASURED BY GOD!

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Raise money toward our mission goal and stroll the grounds of the Embassy Suites with fellow sisters and brothers in Christ.

TWO SHIRT STYLES AVAILABLE!

Both styles are 4.3-ounce,
100% ring spun
combed cotton in
Heathered Loganberry.

All Mission Walk participants
receive this special t-shirt
as part of the Mission Walk
registration fee on the
convention registration form.

**If you do not intend to
participate in the Mission
Walk, you may order a
shirt on the convention
registration form.**



FEMININE CUT

The feminine cut style runs significantly
smaller. Consider ordering two sizes higher
than your actual size.



UNISEX CREW NECK

Use this shirt as a way to witness God's love for others. If someone asks
what your shirt means, you can share just how much Jesus treasures them!



Gifts from the Heart

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Continuing the tradition of opening our hearts to others, we encourage you to bring your Gift From the Heart to convention.

If you cannot join us in person, you are encouraged to collect items to send with your zone delegate or make an in-kind donation to a Christian non-profit in your area.

Lift up these organizations in prayer, that they may be successful in sharing the message of Christ's hope, love, and care with others.

Our Gifts

Gift Cards:

- Target or WalMart
- \$10 or \$20
- Please mark the dollar amount on the card in permanent marker

Hygiene Items:

- shampoo
- conditioner
- body wash
- liquid soap
- sun block
- feminine products (pads & tampons)

Recipients



Lutheran
Social Services
of the Southwest

Based in Phoenix and serving the greater Phoenix and Tucson areas, **Lutheran Social Services of the Southwest** (LSS-SW) provides service in several arenas. These include aging and disability, children and family, refugee and immigration, emergency services, and others. Each month, more than 5,000 Arizona residents are served by LSS-SW.

Learn more at lss-sw.org



Started in the early 1950's on 125 acres of land and a few run-down buildings on the outskirts of Mesa, Arizona. Through the generosity of donors and volunteers, and without any government funding, SA has given emotional, educational, physical, and spiritual support to countless children. SA accepts children from age 5-15 and will continue their support through college, military or vocational training, if desired. Children come to them when the parents are in prison, or are in difficult family situations.

Learn more at sunshineacres.org



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LWML District Convention Tempe, Arizona June 3-5, 2022 Heart to Heart Sisters

As a Lutheran woman in the Pacific Southwest District, get to know how you can actively participate in the LWML

1.

Get to know multicultural women in our district. Great fellowship.

2.

Find out how to sign up your women's group and learn how you can write a mission grant.

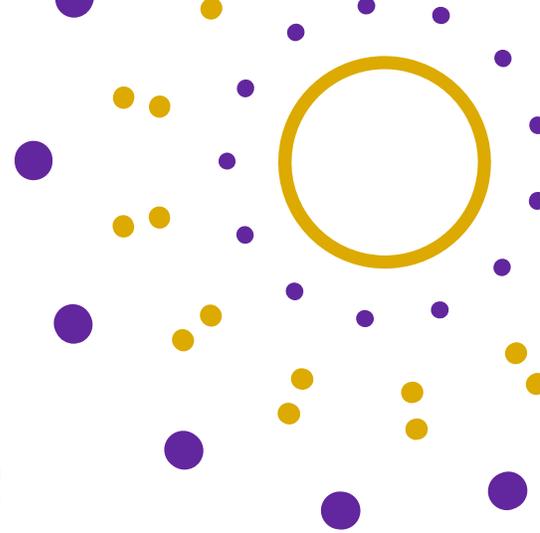
3.

Attend breakout sessions for Heart to Heart Sisters (LWML's multicultural program). Be sure to register for these.

Register for the convention at
www.psdlwml.org

A limited number of scholarships are available! The convention registration form, the Heart to Heart Sister application, and the scholarship application (if needed) are available after January 1, 2022 at www.psdlwml.org under the tab: "Convention 2022"

Questions? Melissa Salomon (mgsalomon@gmail.com)
or Angelina Jauregui (angelina1944@sbcglobal.net)



**CALLING ALL YOUNG WOMEN!
YOU ARE**

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Come join the Lutheran Women's
Missionary League at our District
Convention and learn how God can
use YOU to make a difference in
your church and in the world!
SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE



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REGISTRATION

INFORMATION

PACIFIC SOUTHWEST DISTRICT LWML



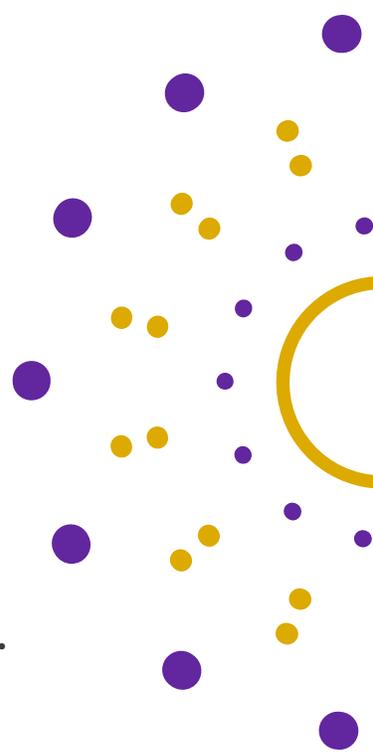
As a young woman, **you are the future of the LWML**. By attending the convention as a Young Woman Representative (**YWR**), you will:

- Be reminded that **you are a treasure of the Lord** - a pearl of great value!
- Gain **unique perspectives on faith and ministry** through our engaging panels and knowledgeable guest speakers
- Enjoy **fellowship, food, and fun** with Christian women of all ages
- Learn how you can **take God's love out into the world**, both in your own church and beyond, and **see how the LWML reaches and aids communities worldwide**

To apply to be a YWR and to explore scholarship opportunities, please visit www.psdlwml.org.

For more information or YWR questions, please contact Eden Griffith at thatlutheranlady@gmail.com.

Scholarship application deadline is March 31, 2022



Registration questions? Contact Karen Duprey, Convention Registrar
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