



MINNESOTA NORTHERN LIGHT

LUTHERAN WOMEN'S MISSIONARY LEAGUE
MINNESOTA NORTH DISTRICT

SERVE THE LORD WITH GLADNESS!

PSALM 100:2



2014-2016 Bible Verse

"For God alone my soul waits in silence; from Him comes my salvation. He alone is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be greatly shaken." Psalm 62:1-2 (ESV)

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The mission of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League is to assist each woman of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod in affirming her relationship with the Triune God so that she is enabled to use her gifts in ministry to the world.

Dear Sisters in Christ,

Our convention theme remains in the forefront—**"God Alone Is Our Rock"**. What a comfort this is as we daily face all kinds of challenges!

Here's what's happening in LWML MN North!

LWML Sunday is usually celebrated sometime in October; the LWML service written for this purpose is called "Fragrant Sacrifices and Offerings", based on Ephesians 5:2. Hopefully you have or will celebrate LWML in a special way.

Fall packets are distributed annually at the fall zone rallies/workshops. Society presidents have the responsibility of getting the information, report forms, flyers, etc. out to their society members and informing their congregation of events. Please do your part in this vital link between the district, zones, societies, and members.

Make plans to attend your **zone's fall rally or workshop** (and/or visit another zone's event!). Check the LWML MN North website (lwmlmnn.org) and click on Events for information and details.



Pray for our 2014-2016 Mite Goal of \$136,000

– that it may be reached so that the nine mission grants that were chosen can be funded and the projects chosen be a blessing to many. (Need help remembering the mission grants chosen?

Download the **Mite Calendar** of the month from "Publications/Mite Calendars" on our LWML MN North website. You'll be reminded to pray for each of the mission grants plus a lot more!)

Begin making plans to attend the **2015 LWML Convention** in Des Moines, IA, from June 25-28. The theme is "Bountiful! Sow-Nourish-Reap". Watch for transportation plans that will be made by our district in the future.

Above all, continue to grow in God's Word, serve Him daily (by serving others), and pray continually.

In His Service,
President JoNette Brogaard



President's Pen

JoNette Brogaard

It is with both joy and apprehension that I enter the next four years in the office of Christian Life Chairman. Joy is in my heart because I have been given a chance to serve the Lord in this capacity. My apprehension is caused by the fear that perhaps I am not up to such a great responsibility. But I know that it is only through the Lord, His Word, His strength, His gifts that I can expect to accomplish anything! Each of us in times of challenge, vulnerability, sorrow, failure, whatever the circumstances, can only look to Christ, our Lord and Savior, for the comfort and strength to live our "Christian life."

Many kind and loving Christian sisters have mentored and given me compassion and understanding in my times of need. With hope in God, may He use me to reach out to others in like manner. My prayer for each of you is, that the love of Christ and His blood bought gifts might dwell in your heart and guide you each day.

"I can do all things through Him who strengthens me." Phil. 4:13

There are many free resources available for societies. Let me know what you are looking for, the type of devotion, skit or Bible study and I will get it to you as soon as I can. Mustard Seeds on many topics are also available. If you do not have Internet, please call me at 218-784-2475.

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SAVE THE DATE

**LWML MN North
 District 2016 Convention**
June 20 - 22, 2016
(Monday-Wednesday)

**Willmar Conference Center,
 Willmar, MN**

Serving God, Serving Others, Serving Together

4 Ways to Help Others

1. **Volunteering:** Check your community and church to see what programs are set up that you can volunteer your time and talents.
2. **Respect:** One of the best ways to help a homeless person is to show them respect. As you look into their eyes, talk to them with genuine interest, and recognize their value as an individual, you will give them a sense of dignity that they rarely experience.
3. **Give:** Giving is another way to help. Make your donations to an organization that is set up to help.
4. **Pray:** Prayer is one of the easiest and most positive ways you can help the homeless. "For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in ..." (Matthew 25:35 NIV).

(For more information and resources about helping the homeless, check out **"...with Care and Compassion"**, #14880, available in the LWML Catalog and at www.lwml.org.)

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Stamps for Missions

Have you been collecting Stamps for Missions and don't know what to do with them? Give them to any BOD member (see last page); they will bring them to the quarterly BOD meeting and give them to the Human Care Chairman. (Your Regional Vice President will be glad to deliver any stamps you bring to your rally!)

Shoe Collection for Lutheran Island Camp

Encourage your congregation (and coordinate the project) to collect shoes (all kinds except flip flops) for a Lutheran Island Camp fundraising project. It helps if you bundle the shoes in pairs. Deliver the bags of shoes to LIC. They'll appreciate your participation!

Letters of Thanks!



From: St. Cloud VA Health Care System

Thank you for the generous donation of quilts, gift cards and personal care items. These items were valued at over \$30,000.

We appreciate your support to the St. Cloud VA Health Care System and our nation's veterans. We also acknowledge the Lutheran Women's Missionary League did not receive any goods or services for this contribution.

BARRY I. BAHL
Health Care System Director

We know that nothing happens in LWML without volunteers! So how does one go about recruiting volunteers? And once those volunteers begin their service, how do you keep them engaged and enjoying their service to the Lord?

A new resource, *Volunteers in Christ's Ministry*, provides practical, helpful ways to build, encourage, support, and recognize your volunteer team.

Local society leaders may like to consider using this resource as they plan for LWML Sunday activities. Asking women outside of the LWML group to assist by handing out mission grant information (or LWML items), staffing the refreshment table, participating in a sketch, or reading a prayer during the service, could help them to learn about the LWML and encourage them to participate in other LWML activities.

The Time is NOW!

We pray that the information in this resource will help you to recognize that everyone can be a part of God's team of volunteers. It's more than simply recruiting people to serve, but rather inviting others to grow in their faith and encouraging them to view their service as a privilege."

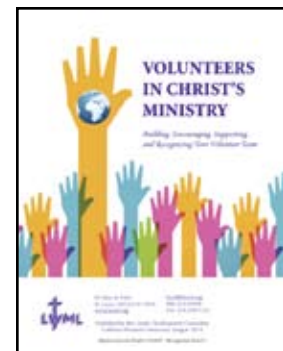
Is your society growing? Does every member of your LWML feel that they are needed?

I would encourage each society to download and print this resource and share at a LWML meeting. My prayer is that God blesses each of you as you grow in His Word and take on a leadership attitude when it come to sharing His love.

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The Volunteers In Christ's Ministry resource can be downloaded and printed by going to the LWML site at: **www.lwml.org/resources/leader_development/**

The information on this page is from the 2013-2015 LWML Leader Development Committee.

The convention body prayed and voted. Are you ready to be part of God's plan for fulfilling a new list of adopted Mission Grants for the next biennium of the LWML Minnesota North District? The new Mite Goal for 2014-2016 is \$136,000 - \$1,000 more than the previous biennium.

As Lutheran women, we rejoice in our salvation through Christ and desire to share this knowledge with the people of the world. As we give our mites, pray for God's blessing on the grants and what they can accomplish with God's abounding power.

May we be ever diligent in our response as Lutheran Women in Mission in both our prayers and giving! God will richly provide the results as we give Him the glory!

Mission Grants in Review

Grant # 5 – Salaries for Teaching Staff - Yambio Lutheran School, South Sudan

Yambio Lutheran School, located in South Sudan, continues to grow. More and more children are able to hear God's Word daily and grow in faith. Because of the financial situation, the six teachers who taught at this school had not received salaries. With this \$10,000 grant from LWML MN North, the six teachers have now received one year's worth of salaries for their work at the school.



Rob Lutz, a Lutheran teacher from Crookston, MN, has spent a number of summers at this school. Read Rob's note below about what happened when the \$10,000 arrived at Yambio Lutheran School this summer.

THANK YOU!

To the LWML MN North District, thank you! The Evangelical Lutheran Church of Sudan/South Sudan (ELCS/SS) received the payment one day before I left. They were beginning to look at me with doubter's eyes. However, God is so good. They truly appreciate the support you have given them. The staff of the primary school is so very thankful for the much needed help. They can now focus on teaching the children to know and love their Savior. It is really a wonderful thing you (LWML) have done. You will never know the lives you have and will touch!!

Thank you again on behalf of the whole ELCS/SS! May God continue to bless the LWML MN North.

Rob Lutz, ELCS/SS Education Committee Board Member

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Mahogany plaque which reads:
*Lutheran Primary School
 Provided by MN. N. LWML and
 Roberta F. Lutz Memorial Fund
 2012-2014 ELCS/SS
 Glory to God*

MITES IN ACTION UPDATE

The Rev. James Kollie Education Fund, Liberia received \$295 to support the attendance of Rev. James Kollie, of Cotton Tree, Liberia, to Concordia Theological Seminary in Fort Wayne, IN. (Rev. Kollie is associated with the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Liberia which was welcomed as a partner church body of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod in May 2012.)

By attending the seminary, Rev. Kollie will be better equipped to serve his congregation and school at Cotton Tree plus help the foundation and growth of the Evangelical Church of Liberia. The present plan is that Rev. Kollie will be coming to the USA beginning with the winter term.

As indicated on our chart, this grant has been paid in full. Praise the Lord!

See page 7 for a feature article on the Yambio Lutheran Primary School in South Sudan.

Mission Grants Committee Report

A total of \$12,400 was raised this past quarter. The Mission Grants Committee and Board of Directors paid grant allocations as follows; \$5,000 for Scholarships for Full-time Church Work Students, \$3,000 for Scholarships for Men Preparing for Ordination, \$4,400 for Orphan Grain Train. The chart below details the current balance remaining for the 2014-2016 biennium.

	MISSION GRANTS FOR THE 2014-2016 BIENNIUM (Balance as of July 8, 2014)	GRANT AMOUNT	BALANCE REMAINING
Shortfall	Shortfall from 2012–2014 Biennium	\$2,205	PAID IN FULL
Grant 1	Scholarships for Full-time Church Work Students	\$50,000	\$36,000
Grant 2	Scholarships for Men Preparing for Ordination	\$15,000	\$12,000
Grant 3	Orphan Grain Train	\$8,500	\$4,100
Grant 4	Lutheran Island Camp Summer Staff Training	\$10,000	\$10,000
Grant 5	Salaries for Teaching Staff - Yambio Lutheran School	\$10,000	PAID IN FULL
Grant 6	School Building for Gloria Dei in Cap Haitian , Haiti	\$20,000	\$20,000
Grant 7	Lutheran Braille Workers	\$5,000	\$5,000
Grant 8	Life in Christ Lutheran Church, Grand Marais, MN	\$15,000	\$15,000
Grant 9	Reverend James Kollie Education Fund, Liberia (Partially Funded)	\$295	PAID IN FULL
	TOTALS	\$136,000	\$102,100

2014 Fall Rallies and Workshops

Do you have a calling in your life? Consider a career in church work.

- Pastor
- Deaconess
- Director of Christian Education
- Director of Christian Outreach
- Director of Family Life Ministry
- Director of Parish Music
- Lay Ministry
- Pre-Seminary
- Church School Teacher
- Church Youth Director

2015-2016 Scholarship Application Form and an informational flyer are available to download from the district website; lwmlmnn.org. Submit your application by May 15, 2015.

ARROWHEAD I REGION

Iron Range	Thur, Oct 23	10:00 AM	Gloria Dei, Virginia
Kettle River	Sat, Oct 18	9:00 AM	Emmanuel, Barnum
Lake Superior	Sat, Oct 25	10:30 AM	Faith, Silver Bay

ARROWHEAD II REGION

Little Falls	Sat, Oct 25	9:00 AM	Zion, Little Falls
St Cloud	Sat, Nov 1	9:00 AM	St. John's, Kimball
Rum River	Sun, Nov 2	2:30 PM	St. Stephens, Braham

LAKELAND I REGION

Alexandria Zone	Thur, Oct 23	9:30 AM	Trinity, Grove Lake
Fergus Falls Zone	Tue, Oct 21	9:30 AM	St John's, Barnesville
Long Prairie	Sat, Oct 18	9:30 AM	Zion, Sauk Centre

LAKELAND II REGION

Appleton Zone	Sat, Oct 18	9:00 AM	St. Mark's, Benson
Montevideo Zone	Sun, Oct 26	3:30 PM	St. Paul, Granite Falls
Wheaton Zone	Thur, Oct 23	9:00 AM	Bethlehem, Herman

PARK I REGION

Bemidji/Park Rapids	Wed, Oct 22	9:30 AM	Immanuel, Walker
Crookston Zone	Sat, Oct 25	10:00 AM	Immanuel, McIntosh

PARK II REGION

Brainerd Zone	Tue, Oct 21	9:00 AM	Living Savior, Lake Shore
Detroit Lakes	Thur, Oct 23	9:00 AM	St Pauls, Perham
Wadena Zone	Sat, Oct 25	9:00 AM	Grace in Sebeka

THANK YOU!

Our committee wishes to thank all the societies and zones who are sending us their final drafts of their bylaws. Please keep them coming! A hard copy is wanted. Please contact me by phone (320-554-3324) or email (structure@lwmlmnn.org) to get my mailing address. Another route to take is by giving your bylaws to your Regional VP; ask them to deliver it to me at the next Board of Directors meeting.

The Structure Committee has been receiving some of the same questions about bylaws and meetings from societies and zones. Below are some helpful hints, background information and suggestions to help you when writing bylaws and/or your secretary minutes:

- NAME** The name of this organization shall be Name of Society of _____ Lutheran Church, town, state. This organization shall be affiliated with the Lutheran Women's Missionary League (hereinafter referred to as LWML). Society Name is part of Name of Zone, of the Name of Region, of the LWML Minnesota North District. LWML is an integrated auxiliary of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod.
- FINANCES** The Treasurer's Report should be "filed for review"; if it says "filed for audit", it implies that a paid auditor is checking the books.
- DUES** We recommend using "suggested donation" or "free will offering". This money is used for society expenses. This is an item that could be in the STANDING RULES, where expenses like payment for the Lutheran Woman's Quarterly, Zone dues, and National Convention Expense Fund assessments can be listed and easily changed.
- DELEGATES** LWML Conventions on the national level meet in odd-numbered years. Unless a zone has sixteen or more societies, they are allowed to send one delegate to the national convention. (See the LWML bylaws that can be downloaded from the Resources tab at: www.lwml.org.)
- Most of the expenses are paid by the District for the zone delegates; this is the purpose of the National Convention Expense Fund. An alternate is also to be named. The zone should have a "procedure in writing" as to how the delegate is selected.
- District Conventions are held in the even-numbered years. Each congregation has the privilege of sending two voting delegates. (Two alternates should also be named.) It is recommended that society bylaws state how the delegates are selected and what expenses are covered by the society.
- OFFICERS** You may have as many or as few officers as you wish. LWML and the District gather names and contact information of officers in order to keep them informed. This information is gathered each fall via the Fall Packet responses by societies and zones.

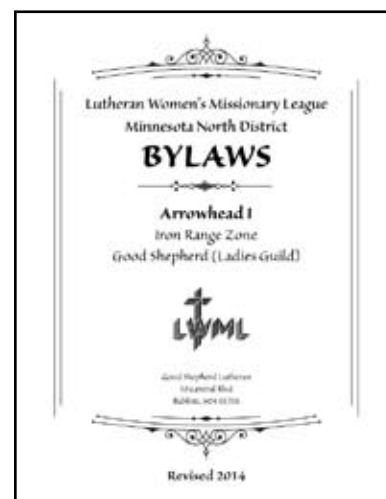
God's blessings as you continue to "Serve the Lord with Gladness"! Psalm 100:2

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Sample Bylaw Cover Page



Yambio Lutheran Primary School in South Sudan

The Lutheran Primary School is located in Yambio, West Equatorial State (WES), South Sudan. It was started about 12 years ago. I, as an educator, am very interested in helping the Church in South Sudan grow. The primary school is seen

as a feeder program for future pastors, teachers, and deaconesses in the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Sudan/South Sudan.

The school is very important to the growth of sound Christian doctrine in South Sudan. There are two pastors and two vicars on staff. There are orphans (lost children) who attend the school as well.

As the Lutheran Primary school develops more of the area children will begin attending. There are presently approximately 150 students and 6 trained teachers. The LWML MN North District has been an absolute God-send to the primary school and the Church at Large! I truly appreciate the LWML MN North District being an important part of mission work in South Sudan.

To all the MN North District Churches:

I would like to mention that these five congregations (Grace, Becker; Our Savior's, Crookston; First English, Eldred; St. John's, Ottertail; and Immanuel, Grand Forks, ND) have funded most of my mission (and community) work in South Sudan. It has also been a privilege to work with the LHF (Lutheran Heritage Foundation). Working together we are all touching lives in Yambio. There is always room to have more people become part of this journey into missions! I enjoy sharing with others.

Rob Lutz, ELCS/SS Education Committee Board Member



Teachers and some of the students of the Yambio Primary school. All the uniforms were provided by the St. John's Sunday School, Ottertail, MN



Mr. Pascal Kungboia with primary students



There is still a need to develop the school further. Some classrooms are still primitive.



We were able to put in a well thanks to: Grace, Becker; Our Savior's, Crookston; First English, Eldred; St. John's, Ottertail; and Immanuel, Grand Forks, ND.



Another teacher and more students.

2014-2015 LWML SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Men Preparing for Ordination

Recipients at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, MO
 John Bakou, St. Cloud
 Andrew Coop, Mora
 Jeffrey Manthe, Avon

Full-Time Church Work

Recipients at Concordia, St. Paul, MN
 Kayla Blair, Brainard (*Teacher*)
 Jessica Borchardt, Henning (*DCE*)
 Rachel Cralley, Princeton (*Elem. Ed.*)
 MacKenzie Lindquist, Kerkhoven (*Teacher*)
 Josef Muench, Hermantown (*English and Theology*)

Recipient at Concordia, Seward, NE
 Stephanie Wilde, Parkers Prairie (*DCE with Theology*)

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Since the beginning of our district in 1964, 50 years ago, the LWML MN North has funded scholarships for those pursuing full time church work and men preparing for ordination.

For the 2014-2015 school year, the afore named students have been awarded scholarships. Please continue to support the scholarships and their recipients through your giving of mites and prayers.



Have you ever been lost?
 Recently I was lost in the woods on a four-wheeler. I knew which way I needed to go to get out of the woods but there seemed to be no way out. There were too many large trees one way. The next direction

I tried to go had many large fallen trees that the four-wheeler would not go over. Another direction had a large, deep hole filled with water which I could not go through. The last choice was blocked also by a lot of thick brush. I had somehow driven the four-wheeler into this place, but was unable to find my path out. I became very frustrated when every direction I turned there were obstacles which seemed to be a dead end. I finally realized that I could not get out of the woods on my own. I needed God's help. I turned off the four-wheeler and just sat there praying for a way out.

My son was with me on his four-wheeler and he started walking to try to find the path out of the woods. After I prayed for several minutes, my son returned and said he found our path out—an answer to my prayers. We turned around and I followed him out of the woods. There were many turns and rough spots, but we made it out of the woods.

Too many times in life I try to rely on my own talents and abilities. Obstacles come along and I become overwhelmed. I finally realize that I need to rely on God. Many times God places other people in my life to assist me through the obstacles and I also need to rely on them.



I pray that young women will not let life's obstacles prevent them from attending LWML gatherings and the 2015 LWML Convention in Des Moines, Iowa. Complete an application which can be found on our website (lwmlmnn.org/resources). The application is also in the fall packets which will be provided to each society at the fall rallies. Return the completed application by **December 1, 2014**. You might be chosen as a Young Women Representative (YWR) to attend the convention and represent the LWML MN North District. There are so many fun activities and people to meet! I would love to see you there!

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LWML RESOURCES

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Prayer And Praise Mite Calendars

A great help in your prayer and praise life – especially remembering the mission grants we're supporting. Download this month's calendar from the Publication Menu.

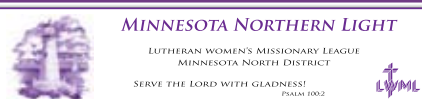


A Video For All Women

LWML President Kay Kreklau and Past LWML Presidents share their stories and their passion for the LWML in an incredible video. This video is available on our website, along with all LWML Sunday celebration resources at <http://lwml.org/events/videos/lwml-sunday/>, and can be used for LWML Sunday activities and at all events. These dynamic women tell why they feel The Time is NOW to develop relationships with the women in our lives, whether or not they are members of the LWML. In the video, President Kay says, "LWML is about missions, about fellowship, about mentoring our women and being there for each other." Log on and enjoy this video today. The Time is NOW to make an impact on those around us for Christ!



Receive Mustard Seeds Devotions directly in your email inbox. You can subscribe to this inspirational resource by clicking on the Resources tab on the LWML website, www.lwml.org.



The *Minnesota Northern Light* is published quarterly by the LWML Minnesota North District following the meeting of the Board of Directors in January, April, July, and October.

The deadline for articles in the *Minnesota Northern Light* are: March 15, June 15, September 15, and December 15. Please send your articles, information, and pictures to the Editor at: editor@lwmlmnn.org.

LWML Week Planner

Mondays: Pray at Noon - lots of LWML sisters are doing the same!

Tuesdays: Every other Tuesday – get a tip on reaching out to others. The Time Is Now! Visit www.lwml.org for more information.

Saturdays: 9 @ 9 with President Kay. Pray for mission grants supported by LWML (Pray at 9:00 a.m. for 9 minutes.)

Share Your Events in *The Lutheran Witness*

LWML Minnesota North District purchases one page in the supplement insert included in each issue of *The Lutheran Witness*. A great way to share ideas and events in our LWML societies and zones is to submit your articles and photos for publication in *The Lutheran Witness*.

- Clearly identify all of the people in the photo, and provide any other information about the photo you think would be helpful for the reader to know.
- Digital photos should be submitted in JPEG (.jpg) or TIFF (.tif) formats and attached to your email.
- Please include the name, email address and phone number of a contact person in case there are questions.
- Please email your articles/pictures to the Editor at: editor@lwmlmnn.org

Deadlines for Fall Packet

Materials: **November 15** for Society Officers to Zone Officers; **December 1** for Zone Officers to District Counterparts. "Thank you for meeting the deadlines!"

E-Subscribe to the Minnesota Northern Light

You may sign up to receive an email notice each quarter announcing when the *Minnesota Northern Light* is ready to download from our website: www.lwmlmnn.org. If you have any question email the Editor at editor@lwmlmnn.org.

Time Management: Manage Yourself, not Your Time!

Resource from 2014 LWML Leader Development Committee.

Tips for Managing Your Time

1. Start your day 20 minutes earlier. In a month you will have 10 extra hours, a whole work day of extra time.
2. Continually look for ways to become more efficient.
3. Vary activities. Change keeps you mentally alert and energized.
4. Keep a notebook for jotting down things you need to do.
5. Plan your daily priorities each morning or the night before.
6. Concentrate on one task at a time.
7. When you catch yourself procrastinating, check to see what you are avoiding.
8. Delegate responsibilities whenever possible.
9. Do first things first and thank God for the gift of time!

Download this LWML resource from the Developing Leaders web page at lwml.org.

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The Financial Remittance Form can be downloaded from the Resources page of our district website at lwmlmn.org.



Stay current with what is happening in the LWML. Visit the LWML website at lwml.org and click on the Events tab.

Want to go to the 2015 Des Moines Convention (June 25-28, 2015) and need transportation?



The LWML MN North is checking into the following bus transportation to the convention:

- Option 1:** A Visit to Mission Central in Mapleton, Iowa, before convention. (Event with Gary Thies) A bus would leave from Fergus Falls early on June 24, spend 3-4 hours at Mission Central, and then proceed to Des Moines later that afternoon. Return on June 28. Approximate cost: \$100 plus cost of extra night of lodging.
- Option 2:** A bus would board on June 25 at St. Cloud, head to the Twin Cities, and then arrive at Des Moines, IA. Return on June 28. Cost: Less than \$100.

If interested in one of these options, please email President JoNette Brogaard at (president@lwmlmn.org); let her know which option interests you. (no obligation). Please correspond by the end of November.

LWML Minnesota North District Board of Directors



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Front row left to right: Carla Patton, Elizabeth McTighe, Judy Uran, Karena Lapolice, Doris Weispfennig, JoNette Brogaard, Jenny Biorn; Middle row: Lori Salvhus, Corles Rainer, Tessa Giru, Donita Kimball; Back row: Deborah Anderson, Kathleen Brehmer, Rev. Don Stauty, James Wagner, Rev. Anthony Cloose. Not pictured, Rev. Donald Klatt.

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