

ABOUT LWML

GROUPS are LWML organizations within a congregation which meets regularly for fellowship, Bible study, mission service or specific mission projects.

ZONES are made up of several Groups within the LWML Ohio District. The 12 zones in the Ohio District are: Akron Youngstown, Central, Cincinnati, Cleveland East, Cleveland South-West, Defiance, Lima-Van Wert, Lorain-Medina, Miami Valley, Napoleon, Northeast, Toledo.

ZONE RALLIES, RETREATS and WORKDAYS are opportunities to gather together to focus on their relationship with the Lord through Bible Study in fellowship with other Lutheran women, and to participate in mission and service projects.

CONVENTIONS are held at the district and national levels in alternating years. Each convention brings diverse women together for spiritual growth, fellowship, mission focus, Bible Study, electing officers and adopting new mission grants.

For more information about district and zone activities, visit the Ohio District website calendar.

INTERNET LOCATIONS

LWML Toledo Zone [Face Book Group](#)
Ohio District LWML [Face Book Group](#)
Ohio District: www.lwmlohio.org
The LWML: www.lwml.org

OHIO DISTRICT MISSION

To assist each woman in affirming her relationship with the Triune God so that she is enabled to use her gifts in ministry to the people of the world.

MISSION GRANTS and MITES

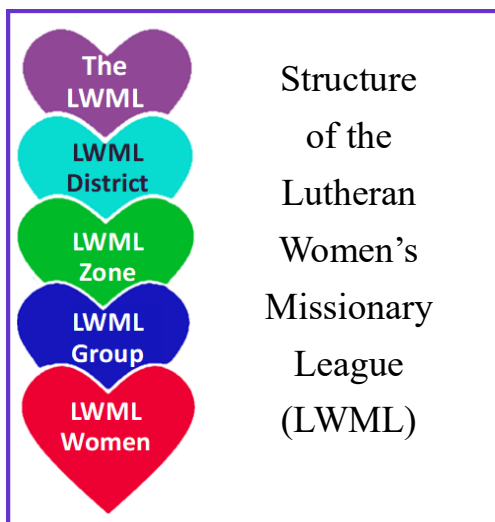


Based on the Biblical account of the widow's mite (Luke 21:1-4), the **Mite Box** contributions

fund district and national mission grants and the LWML program.

Contributions collected are sent to the zone, which forwards them to the district. Monies are divided 75% for district mission work, 25% for national LWML missions.

What joy it is to give to His service!



RESOURCES

LUTHERAN WOMAN'S QUARTERLY

This is the official magazine publication of the LWML with articles on missions, education and Bible studies.

ODE: OHIO DISTRICT NEWSLETTER

The *ODE* has articles on district, zone and group events designed to encourage Christian fellowship with a focus on district missions. A pdf of the *ODE* is available on the district website.

BIBLE STUDIES & DEVOTIONS



The LWML website has a variety of relevant, free resources for Bible studies, devotions, plays and other program helps. Visit the website: www.lwml.org.

OTHER RESOURCES

Concordia Publishing House (CPH) also provides Bible studies and Mustard Seed devotions in addition to other witnessing items, website: www.cph.org.



The LWML Toledo Zone meets throughout the year by holding Board meetings and these events each year:

- Retreat (usually in March)
- Spring Rally (usually in May)
- Service Workday (July or August)
- Fall Rally (early October)

At the Retreats and Rallies, we collect in-gathering items which are donated to selected charitable organizations.

We also held several “card making” work days after which the cards were sent to those who are home bound, in the military, and residents of Luther Home of Mercy.

Our mite collections help support the District Mission Grants.

Our Zone encompasses 11 churches, and our mission is to **“Serve the Lord with Gladness!”**

Concordia	Findlay, OH 45840
Concordia	Toledo, OH 43614
Good Shepherd of the Deaf	Toledo, OH 43615
Good Shepherd	Toledo, OH 43623
Immanuel Toledo	Toledo, OH 43611
King of Glory	Sylvania, OH 43560
Prince of Peace	Oregon, OH 43616
Shepherd of the Valley	Perrysburg, OH 43551
St. Philip	Toledo, OH 43615
Trinity	Elmore, OH 43416
Trinity	Toledo, OH 43614

LWML MOTTO



*Serve the Lord
with Gladness
(Psalm 100.2)*



LWML, the Lutheran Women’s Missionary League (membership over 250,000), is the official women's auxiliary of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. For over 77 years, the LWML has been encouraging and equipping women to live out their Christian lives in active mission ministries and to financially support global missions.



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We are Lutheran Women in Mission. In 1964 the LWML Ohio District was formed. It includes groups from congregations in Ohio, Kentucky and West Virginia.

