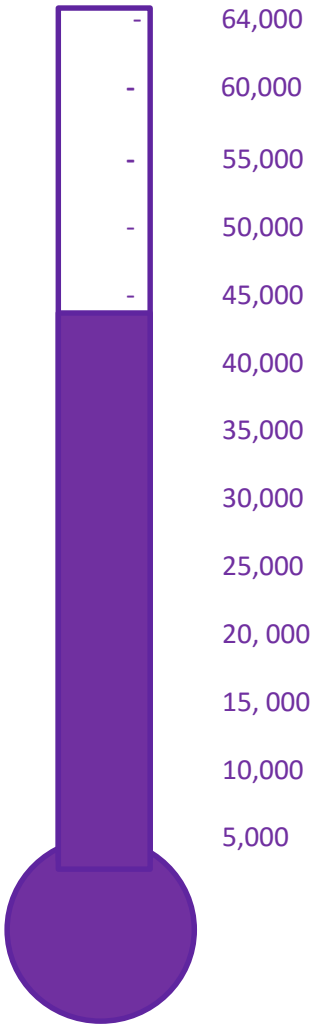




**Our 2016-2018 Mission Goal**  
**\$64,000**



We are praising God for the continued generosity of our New England, Mite Collecting, Prayer Warrior, Sisters in Christ!

We have collected **\$43,839.11** toward our Mission Goal as of 10/31.

Grants **PAID: 1,2,3,4a,4b**  
 Total \$ **PAID: \$25,000**

**Next: #5a Comfort Dog Lydia**  
**\$3,495.45 of \$5,000**

Please, send your mites to:  
**Shirley Schindler, LWML-NED**  
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**Ellington, CT 06029-3701**

November 2017

Dear Mite Collecting, Prayer Warrior, Sisters in Christ,

If you recall last month, Lutheran Church of the Savior in Bedford, MA issued a challenge: If 18 societies each had a \$300 bake sale this month we would be nearly back on track with mite donations!

I haven't heard from anyone – did you have a Bake Sale or Yard Sale? We didn't ... but there's still time! Do you have a Christmas Fair? Are any of the proceeds dedicated to mites? Send me a note. Plus, I love Christmas Fairs!

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On LWML Sunday I gave a children's message during the services and explained our *Lutheran Women's Missionary League* name:

"Lutheran" is church, that's all of us here.

"Women" is all the ladies and young ladies.

"Missionary" is someone who tells about Jesus.

"League" is a group of people.

That's who we are: Church ladies telling people about Jesus!

But we are more than "telling."

We **Grow** in The Word, **Support** Missions and Missionaries, **Use** our Gifts in Service, and **Share** through Fellowship.

In fact, these actions are a form of "telling," aren't they? We speak through our actions. We demonstrate, by how we live our life and how we spend our time, that Jesus is our focus! He is the reason for joy in every season! Hallelujah!

**GROW, SUPPORT, USE, AND SHARE !!**

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Did you know? LWML-NED has a Facebook page!! Go to [www.facebook.com/LWML.NED](http://www.facebook.com/LWML.NED) . Even if you are not "on" Facebook, you can still see our photos and news. We'd love to post photos and news from Society and Zone events, too. Send them to me and I'll pass them on.

*I thank my God every time I remember you. In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now, being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus. Philippians 1:3-6*

Your partner in the Gospel,  
 Barbara Lis, President, LWML-NED  
[president@lwml-ned.org](mailto:president@lwml-ned.org)

PS: Just to keep you informed, we need about \$4000 per month over the next 5 months to reach our Mission Goal. In October, \$3,855.90 was received. Thank you, Jesus. ... Ready? It's time to sing The Doxology!