



Pass It On

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We hope you are enjoying these issues of "Pass It On" — a tool that you can use to share the latest, most up-to-date information on what is happening in the New England District and nationally. For more news and information, visit www.LWML-NED.org.

Mission Goal for 2014-2016- \$57,000

NEW ENGLAND DISTRICT MISSION GRANT UPDATE

As of September 1, the total amount collected for our 2014-2016 Mission Goal of \$57,000 is **\$42,100.82!** PRAISE THE LORD that this month our "TORCH BEARING" LWML sisters have generously given "mites" in the amount of **\$1,570.90** towards our Mission Projects. Mission Grant #7 Care for Ministry Families (\$5,000.00) has a balance of \$1,076.83 towards this project.

MORE EVENTS COMING

HAVE YOU MADE YOUR RESERVATION YET?

*LWML-NED Fall Retreat
November 6—7, 2015*

Rejoice in God's Comfort

Philippians 4:4-7



Mark Your
Calendar

Registration and Health Forms are available on our website at www.lwml-ned.org

Note: Hotel reservations should be made directly with the Holiday Inn in Enfield, CT.

Call **860-741-2211** TODAY and PLEASE MENTION that you are booking for LWML RETREAT for the discount rate. (Room Rates: Single, Double, Triple or Quad occupancy - including full, hot buffet breakfast + gratuity \$99 +tax.) **PLEASE NOTE:** Room Rates and Availability cannot be guaranteed after October 6, 2015. **SO CALL AND REGISTER TODAY!!!**

Friday's program: 7:00 pm—9:00 pm (Registration begins at 6:00)

***** Please note: Dinner is on your own.**

Saturday's program: 8:30 am—3:00 pm

Donna Pyle, a native, life-long Texan, has been walking with the Lord for over 24 years. She loves to mentor and encourage others starting down the same, wonder-filled path of faith. Since launching Artesian Ministries in 2007, Donna has authored 23 Bible Studies, traveled throughout the United States and internationally to speak and teach. Donna has also recorded and released two DVD-based Bible Study series, *Your Strong Suit* (based on the armor of God) and *Overflowing Abundance* (based on Jesus' feeding of the five thousand). Donna enjoys blogging about faith-based issues on the Artesian Ministries' blog and is active on Facebook, Twitter, and other social media outlets to shine God's light.

Gifts from the Heart: Please consider bringing socks (any size), shampoo, soap, deodorant, toothpaste, or women's feminine products that will be distributed to our district's mission project: Hands of Grace, an outreach of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church of New Hartford, CT.

2016 LWML-NED CONVENTION

Date: APRIL 8-9

Chairperson: Zone President - Sharon Schmidt

Theme: Still Quenched By the Water- Based on John 4:14

Host Zone: MT. LAURAL

Convention Venue: **HOLIDAY INN IN NEW LONDON, CT**



- HOTEL IS IN THE HEART OF DOWNTOWN NEW LONDON!
- EASY TO GET TO: TAKE EXIT 82 OFF OF I95 N or S
- Address: [35 Governor Winthrop Blvd, New London, CT 06320](#)
- Phone: (860) 443-7000
- Ranked: [#1 out of 5 hotels in New London on Trip Advisor](#)
- Pool/Exercise Facility
- Restaurant within hotel
- Meeting Rooms/Ballroom Area
- Many sites to visit before or after convention:
 1. Take two-hour ferryboat ride to view 8 Light Houses and 2 Forts- Fort Griswold and Fort Trumbull!
 2. Visit the Historical Train Station in walking distance from hotel.
 3. Fabulous Italian Restaurant, [Tony D's!](#) Walk one block from hotel.
 4. Crystal Mall - 3 miles from hotel.
 5. Olive Garden, Outback, Longhorn Restaurants – near Crystal Mall......More info in upcoming PIO's!

EASTERN ZONE FALL RALLY/GATHERING:

October 4th, 12:30pm

Our Redeemer Evangelical Church

54 Cedar Swamp Road

Smithfield, RI

Speaker: Stephanie Czekanski Central American Mission Society

THE TIME IS NOW

TO SEND IN YOUR MITES TO LWML NED TREASURER:

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for updates to our mission goal progress!