

# TIMELESS PASSION for MISSIONS

The Lutheran Women's Missionary Society (LWMS) is an organization solely dedicated to supporting the endeavors of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod (WELS) home and world missions. For more than fifty-two years, women of all ages have been "United to Serve Jesus" with a timeless passion.

LWMS was formed in 1964 and today counts over 850 member congregations organized into 60 circuits across the United States, Canada, and the West Indies. Every woman in a member congregation is by virtue of her church membership a member of LWMS. That is great news because the work of LWMS is urgent. Though we may have the knowledge and comfort of Jesus' gift of salvation, millions of souls do not and are in despair. Every day we have the opportunity to give people the greatest gift, the gift of their Savior. As the apostle Paul wrote in his letter to the early Roman church, "How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? And how can they preach unless they are sent?" (Romans 10:14-15) LWMS offerings help to forward this work by enabling non-budgeted missions projects to get completed.

We encourage women to learn about and pray for our mission efforts around the world and to support those missions with their offerings as we share the privilege and responsibilities of the work our Lord has called us to do. Won't you join us?

