



CLW Welcomes Anneke Burke-Kooistra to Eastpointe

The Council of Lutheran Women (CLW) fall meeting is scheduled for **Monday September 26, 2016**, at St. Peter Lutheran Church in Eastpointe. Registration is at 9:15 a.m., with the meeting at 9:45 a.m. **(The meeting will be in the church basement, please see special note below regarding elevator access for those who need it.)**

Our special guest will be Anneke Burke-Kooistra who will share "A Story of Hope," about how her parents helped Jews during World War II. Anneke was nearly 2 years old when the Nazis invaded the Netherlands and began their five-year occupation of her homeland. She will share the story of how her parents put themselves and their three daughters at great risk by hiding eight Jews in their home from 1942 to 1945.



This will be the first general meeting for our board members elected at the Spring Meeting: (shown from left) Wilma Wagner, Treasurer; Barb Collins, re-elected President; and Barbara Hoffmeier, Vice President of Human Care. The meeting agenda will include updates on all of the ministries CLW supports.

Our hostesses need an accurate count for lunch, so please RSVP! Make your fall meeting reservations by September 21 to: Sheri Comeford at 586-405-1307 or sjcomeford@gmail.com

SPECIAL NOTE: The meeting will be in the basement and elevator access, only if needed, is through the Early Childhood Center (ECC) at the north side of the building. To arrange for elevator use: ●Contact the ECC office in advance at **586-776-1663**. ●On the day of the meeting when you arrive, call that same number, and the elevator operator will be notified to accompany you to the basement. ●Please note that parking will not be available at the ECC lot, so elevator users should arrange to be dropped off. Parking will be behind the school building and a greeter will meet you at the door.

Visit the Council's New Online Home

Our new website, is up and running. Visit us at www.clwmichigan.com
The site will have information about upcoming meetings and events, you can browse through the CLW photo album (you might even see yourself), and you'll be able to learn about the ministries supported by CLW. Invite others in your congregation and your family to log onto the site, and encourage them to click on "Organizations and Projects Supported" for opportunities to participate.

Support Our Projects

Your congregation, your family, and your friends can help by donating much needed items for the projects and missions supported by CLW. Please spread the word about the needs and bring items to the September 26 meeting.

The inner-city Food Banks, Operation Layette, and Detroit Rescue Mission Ministries need:

- Non-perishable food
- Feminine hygiene items
- Layette items
- Paper goods
- Towels, sheets
- Jackets, sweatshirts (large sizes)
- Winter scarves, hats, leggings

MOST Ministries needs the following:

- Eyeglasses, sunglasses, reading glasses
- Sharpie pens
- Zipper storage bags
- Lysol spray
- Clorox wipes
- Air fresheners
- Joy dish soap
- Dish towels.

For a more comprehensive list of all items needed, please visit the CLW Facebook page or website (www.clwmichigan.com).

Upcoming Events

October 17, 2016

PRESIDENTS TEA

St. Paul, Saint Clair Shores

10:00 a.m. Featuring Puppets for Christ from St. Lorenz, Frankenmuth

March 21, 2017

**WOMEN OF THE YEAR LUNCHEON
Wyndham Gardens, Sterling Heights**
Entertainment provided by Rennie and Esther Kaufman