

Vice President of Events
Council of Lutheran Women

Fall Meeting

September 28, 2020

Hospitality Coordinator – Sheri Comeford

Woman of the Year Coordinator – Gina Davidson

Women of the Year Reservation Coordinator – Candie Sionkowski (new)

Program Coordinator – Barb Collins

Woman of the Year Booklet Coordinator – Barb Collins

Eventbrite Coordinator – Candie Sionkowski

Upcoming Events

Fall Meeting	September 28, 2020	9:15 am	Mt. Calvary, Detroit
EC Meeting	November 2, 2020	10:00 am	Huntington Woods Luth.
Board Meeting	January 18, 2021	10:00 am	TBD
Council Luncheon	March 23, 2021	11:15 am	Burton Manor
Spring Meeting	April 26, 2021	9:15	TBD
Mission Focus Event	September 27, 2021	9:15	Faith, Troy
Council Luncheon	March 2022	11:15	Sports and Expo, Macomb

2020 Luncheon

The events committee had all their plans covered for the event to take place March 17, 2020. The Programs were ready! The seating was ready! The decorations were all ready to set up! The Women of the Year Ladies were all ready! Our speaker, Paul Maier was ready! Then Covid 19 took over. On March 12, Burton Manor called and needed \$8,000 for the food preparations. I went to the other side of town to get the check from Treasurer Wilma Wagner. That same day the whole USA shut down. Then we were faced with postponing or cancelling the event. We first thought to move it to October. Soon that did not look like it would work either. We had completed dealing with the reservations. We wanted our \$8,000 back. We are happy to say we received \$6,000 back a couple weeks ago. We secured a date for the luncheon to remain at Burton Manor for March 23, 2021. Our speaker next year will be Jan Struck. And you will have the opportunity as members to submit another

Woman of the Year from your group. So we will have women honored for 2020 and women honored for 2021. You will be receiving all that information.

Here are the results of the tickets donated and ticket money refunded from the luncheon:

Tickets Ordered	Tickets to Refund	Tickets Donated	Amount Donated	# responded	% Donated	% Refunded
701	298	403	\$11,687.00	701	0.574893	0.425107

We will plan to go to the Sports and Expo, Macomb March 2022.

The Board of Directors voted to cancel our President's Luncheon normally held in October.

I am sad to announce that Barb Karowich has asked to be released as the Woman of the Year Reservation Coordinator. She has done a fine job for 7 years. Candie Sionowski has volunteered to take over this position. Then as she receives the information on Eventbrite, it will help her to do the seating electronically with the information she has. We thank God for an easy solution and Candie's willingness to help.

Sandy Hardies, VP of Events

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