



Mall's Passion for Mission Featured at CLW Annual Luncheon

"If it doesn't have anything to do with your salvation (or someone else's salvation), don't worry about it." This quote sums up the philosophy of former Lutheran Women's Missionary League President Ida Mall, who served from 1991-1995 and continues to serve and mentor the women of the LWML. She looks "to actively seek opportunities to



share my faith in Jesus with others" and makes that focus her personal mission.

Mall was a local president, zone president, and LWML Louisiana-Mississippi District President, 1972-1976. She also served as ILWML Public Relations Director and Planner before being elected president in 1991.

She served on the LCMS Board for Congregational Services, LCMS Board for Missions, and the LCMS Outreach Task Force, Lutheran Braille Workers, Inc. Board, and several positions in the LCMS Southern District. She has been married to her husband, Ken, for over 61 years. They have two children and six grandchildren.

awarded the CLW 2022-2023 Scholarships: Brandon Bettcher - St. Peter, Macomb; Brandon Boos - Faith, Troy; Josh Britton - Trinity, Utica; Patrick Brooks - Christ the King, Southgate; Jacob Childers - Christ the King, Southgate; Noah Dunsmore - Faith, Troy; William Ebel - St. John, Fraser; Henry Eising - St. Paul, Royal Oak; Nick Gapski - St. Peter, Eastpointe; James Gramzow - Ascension of Christ, Beverly Hills; Alex Hinojosa - Emmanuel, Dearborn; Luke Konkel - Christ the King, Southgate; Alex Ogden - Historic Trinity, Detroit; Sean Sheppard - Trinity, Utica; Chris Sturges - Faith, Troy; Adam Thiel - St. Michael, Wayne and Jason von der Lage - St. Peter, Macomb.

59th Annual CLW Luncheon at Burton Manor in Livonia

You are cordially invited to the 59th annual **Council of Lutheran Women Luncheon** on **Tuesday, March 21, 2023 at 11 a.m. at Burton Manor** in Livonia.

This year's luncheon honors 2023 Women of the Year from CLW member congregations and inter-congregational organizations. LWML Past President Ida Mall will bring her energy to the podium with an inspirational and timeless message to intentionally share our faith with others.

Attendance is easy! Reservations are open now through Eventbrite via our website: www.clwmichigan.com. **Cost of \$32.00 per attendee** will help to cover event expenses and support for **CLW scholarships and food banks**. You may contact Candie Sionkowski at 734-323-8008 for assistance. **Deadline is March 3rd.**

The luncheon provides an opportunity to meet representatives of inter-congregational organizations and contribute **in-gathering** items to service organizations that are supported by the Council. **Please visit the CLW website (www.clwmichigan.com) for detailed information about items needed** and make plans to collect donations from your church or organization.

To enter Burton Manor: Those using the cross-over from WB Schoolcraft (just beyond the Inkster exit from I-96 if coming from the east) must remember to watch for the oncoming traffic from EB Schoolcraft before entering the driveway.

Parking: Park either to the right or continue behind the hall (south side). Attendees can enter via the south side or west side entrances. The South Lobby Door is best for anyone using a cane or walker.

Large Quantity Donation Drop-off: Proceed to the doorway with the SUITE 8 sign to the right of the South Lobby Door. Students will be posted at all doorways to assist with unloading and carrying donations to the Ingathering Room (Suite 8).

Council Awards Nineteen Scholarships

The Council of Lutheran Women (CLW) has announced recipients in its 37th annual scholarship program for students preparing for professions in the LCMS. CLW scholarship recipients at Concordia University Ann Arbor (CUAA) are selected by the university; all seminarian awardees are nominated by their CLW member congregations in August.

Two CUAA students received CLW memorial scholarships. Leah Quinlan is the Leona M. Meyer Memorial Scholarship recipient and Katrina Miller is the Rev. Dr. John C. Streit Memorial Scholarship recipient. Both women are preparing for full-time church service.

The following seminary students (listed with their home congregations) have been



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Historic Trinity Lutheran Church

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