Lower Susquehanna Synodical Women of the ELCA

Board Goals:
- Inclusively
- Image
- Unit Growth
- Stewardship

9 County Area
236 Congregations
14 Clusters - Region 8D

1. Chambersburg
2. Gettysburg
3. Hanover
4. York
5. South York
6. Lancaster
7. North Lancaster
8. North York
9. West Shore
10. West Cumberland
11. Harrisburg
12. Lebanon
13. Upper Dauphin
14. Perry

LOWER SUSQUEHANNA SYNODICAL WOMEN OF THE ELCA

WHERE WE MINISTER...

Purpose Statement
As a community of women created in the image of God, called to discipleship in Jesus Christ, and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves to grow in faith, affirm our gifts, support one another in our callings, engage in ministry and action, and promote healing and wholeness in the church, the society, and the world.

Women of the ELCA Mission Statement:
“to mobilize women to act boldly on their faith in Jesus Christ”
PLACES TO GO AND GATHER AS SISTERS IN CHRIST

Lower Susquehanna Synodical Women of the ELCA Events:

- Leadership Training Event
- Day of Renewal
- SWO Convention
- Camp Hebron Retreat
- Cluster Events

For more information on these events registration forms check out the News & Views Newsletter at www.lss-elca.org/ click on 4th option across top of page “Congregations, and then choose the fourth option down the list - Women of the ELCA.

Women of the ELCA

Churchwide Events:

- Triennial Gathering

For more information on other current events, check out www.womenoftheelca.org.

Growth in Faith Through:

- Prayer
- Quilting
- Konde Diocese, Tanzania Education- Manow Lutheran Junior Seminary
- Northern Illinois Sister Synod
- Fairly Traded Coffee, Tea & Chocolate
- Speakers Bureau
- Bible Study
- Katie’s Fund, Scholarships & Grants
- Publications:
  - News & Views Synodical Newsletter; Café e-publication;
  - Gather Magazine; Interchange;
  - Bold Connections

Our Symbol with - the cross,
the water
and water lily

Identifies the women of the ELCA as children of God, baptized, forgiven, adopted into God’s family. It is a reminder of the growth, beauty and vitality that rises out of life-giving baptismal water and mission of the church to go and make disciples of all nations in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

WOMEN OF THE ELCA

Who we are:
Since 1987 the women’s ministry organization of the ELCA...

What our mission is:
To mobilize women to act boldly on their faith in Jesus Christ.

Where we minister:
Right where we live throughout the ELCA across the nation and around the world.

When we minister:
24/7 everyday of the year...

How we minister:
Through women’s ministry resources available to every ELCA congregation; Through giving of self, time and possessions; Through the annual Gift to the Church.

Why we do what we do:
Because we are called in Holy Baptism to bear Christ’s love and grace to a world who longs for it.

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