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## Save The Dates

Church Periodical Club Reception & Dinner  
Wednesday, June 24th, 6 PM

UTO/ECW Reception & Dinner  
Friday, June 26th, 6 PM

Distinguished Woman Luncheon  
Sunday, June 28th, 12:30 PM

January 2015

Dear Delegates,

The Episcopal Church Women Board members are excited to invite you all to the 48<sup>th</sup> Triennial Meeting, beginning with our opening celebration on June 25, 2015 and ending with the closing and commissioning of the 2015-2018 ECW Board, as well as the UTO Board, on July 1<sup>st</sup>. There are several events and opportunities before the opening celebration, so make sure you look over the entire schedule that is included with this mailing. All of this takes place in Salt Lake City, Utah.



Look in this mailing for the “Save the Date” reminders and other important information to help you have the fullest Triennial Meeting experience. The workshop booklet will be included in the February mailing. After you receive it, you will want to look that over and make your workshop choices as soon as you can.

The ECW Triennial Meeting will be held at the Salt Palace Convention Center. We think you will be pleased with our convenient location, close to Worship, the House of Deputies and House of Bishops, the Exhibit Hall, and the workshop rooms.

Breakfast with the Rev. Lindsay Hardin Freeman will be Friday, June 26<sup>th</sup>, at 7:30 AM. BYO Breakfast and listen to this wonderful priest and award-winning storyteller as we learn more about *Bible Women: All Their Words and Why They Matter*.

We are pleased to co-host the UTO/ECW Dinner to celebrate UTO's 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with guest speaker, the Rt. Rev. Michael Curry, Bishop of North Carolina. The dinner is Friday, June 26<sup>th</sup>, and we hope to see you all there.

We are again sponsoring a 5K run/walk on the morning of June 28<sup>th</sup> in downtown Salt Lake City. Runners, walkers, and volunteers will be needed to help us raise money for our Community Connection, the Homeless Youth Resource Center in Salt Lake City.

Mark your calendars now, and watch for future mailings to keep you up to date as we Stir Up the Spirit: ¡Celebremos!

Your sister in Christ,

Nancy Cranford

## Share & Networking Fair

**Share your ministry** at the Triennial Meeting beginning Monday, June 29<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 AM. Tables will be available for you to set up a display and distribute materials to delegates and visitors. Show others what your ECW is supporting in your parish or diocese and explain how you are accomplishing your ministry. We all need new ideas to take home to our own ECW and this is your time at the Triennial Meeting to talk to others and gather information for yourselves. Please know that this is not meant for fund-raising. No items may be sold in the plenary room.

Application forms will be included in a future delegate packet. The completed form secures your spot at the Share & Networking Fair.

## Excellence in Communication

**The ECW Board will recognize** communicators who work endless hours creating, designing, and maintaining the many ways of communication that tell of the good news of the Episcopal Church Women. We ask you to submit samples of parish, diocesan, or provincial newsletters, websites, and other publications for us to display. We will recognize those communicators and/or their representatives on Saturday, June 27<sup>th</sup>, from 3:30 to 4:30 PM.

**Please complete the application form included in this packet. The Deadline Date is April 16, 2015.**

## The 5K Run/Walk is Back!

On Sunday, June 28th, at 6:30 AM, participants in the second Triennial 5K will convene at the Salt Palace Convention Center to take part in our early morning run/walk benefit. You will have plenty of time to run or walk and then get ready for the rest of the day's events.

The race will originate at the Salt Palace and will follow a downtown route that passes Temple Square, the Roman Catholic Cathedral of the Madeleine, and the Governor's Mansion. On the return leg the route will pass St. Mark's Episcopal Cathedral and the City Creek Center outdoor shopping mall before finishing back at the Salt Palace.

All proceeds from the race will be donated to our Community Connection recipient, the Salt Lake City Homeless Youth Resource Center, dedicated to helping youth find their way to a better life.

The participant fee is \$30 which includes a tee shirt, race bag, and other race materials. Register and pay in advance online by visiting [www.ecwnational.org](http://www.ecwnational.org). No onsite registrations will be accepted. There are slots for only 200 participants, so register today!

If you would like to become a volunteer or sponsor the race, visit our website.

And share the news with your deputies and bishops!

## Consider Volunteering

For a TM Delegate Committee

Choose from:

- ▶ Certification of Minutes
- ▶ Evaluations
- ▶ Credentials
- ▶ Communications/Photography
- ▶ Timekeepers
- ▶ Resolutions
- ▶ Hospitality

Delegate Committee deadline is mid-March.

**Sign-Up included in 2nd packet.**

## Reminder

Have you registered with your Diocese?

Registration must be coordinated through your diocesan office. A check to cover registration fees for delegates and registered alternates will be necessary. Contact your diocesan office to learn about payment of registration fees. Do not send payments to the ECW registrar, ECW treasurer, or The Episcopal Church Center.

*Hotel room reservations are to be made through your diocesan office.*

It is essential that you report any changes in your delegate list to Connie Ott promptly by email at [Province5@ecwnational.org](mailto:Province5@ecwnational.org) or at her address: 7995 Shagbark Circle, Cross Plains WI 53528

We ask that any materials received prior to Connie being notified of a change be forwarded from the previous delegate to the current delegate.

### Visitors and Alternate Delegates

Visitors and alternate delegates are welcome to attend the Triennial Meeting. Registration of alternates is optional; however, registered alternates paying full registration will receive all the materials that delegates receive and will be certified as a delegate from their diocese should a delegate need to leave the Triennial Meeting.

Visitors and alternates may register for a multi-day pass, a two-day pass, or a one-day pass in advance or on site. Alternates paying for day passes will receive schedule and workshop information only. Visitor registration is at [www.generalconvention.org](http://www.generalconvention.org).

Those coming to the Distinguished Woman luncheon at the Radisson Hotel do not require a day pass, although a day pass is required to visit the Convention Center for the Exhibit Hall.

### Call for Bylaw Amendments

You have the opportunity to submit Bylaw amendments to the NECW Board for consideration and review by February 20, 2015. Proposed Bylaw amendments for consideration at the Triennial Meeting will be published 90 days prior to the meeting in Salt Lake City. Please send them to:

Kathy Mank, Treasurer  
9559 Kelly Drive, Loveland OH 45140  
[treasurer@ecwnational.org](mailto:treasurer@ecwnational.org)

The current Bylaws can be found at our website, [www.ecwnational.org](http://www.ecwnational.org), Triennial Meeting 2015, Resources.

