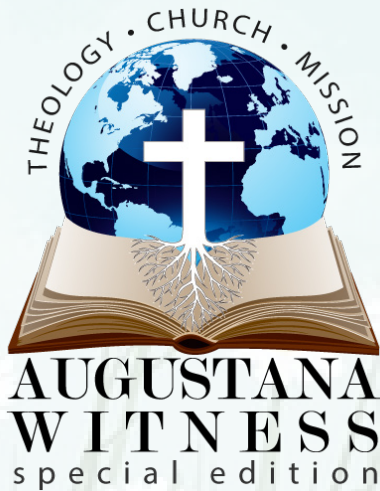


Please share this information with the women or women's organization of your congregation.



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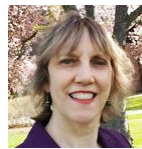
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# WOW

## Women of the Word of the Augustana District CORDIALLY INVITES YOU

to gather with other women in fellowship and God's word.

### The Guest Speakers



Bonnie Wasberg is a  
Family Consumer  
Science teacher

inspired by students,

faculty, friends, family and most of  
all lead by our Lord Jesus Christ.

Bonnie has a Master's degree in  
Education.

Bonnie will be speaking on

"Women of the ~~World~~ Word: What's  
the difference?"



Julie Smith is a life-  
long Lutheran and  
became a pastor in

1998. She is also a

co-founder of St. Paul Lutheran  
Seminary.

Pastor Julie is an Augustana  
District Council Member and

the LCMC Coordinator of

Districts & Fellowships. She lives

in Springfield, MN. She will be

speaking on "Women of the ~~World~~

Word: Sent into the world."

### The Gathering Agenda

8:30am: Registration/coffee with muffins

9:00am: Welcome/Worship

10:00am: Break

10:15am: Augustana District update

10:30am: Speaker #1: Bonnie Wasberg (Marshall, MN)

Women of the ~~World~~ Word: What's the difference?

11:30am: LUNCH

12:45pm: Speaker #2: Pastor Julie Smith (Springfield, MN)

Women of the ~~World~~ Word: Sent into the World

1:45pm: Business meeting – Election of new officers and approval  
of changes to our Policy Statement

2:30PM: Closing Worship

3:00pm: Dismissal

### Meet Our Current Leaders:



Coordinator – Mia Mills – Hazel Run Lutheran, Hazel Run, MN - I began  
serving the WOW board for a need that LCMC has. Serving with like-  
minded Christians in mission to strengthen one another, worship and  
fellowship has been a great joy. I look forward to supporting the next  
committee.

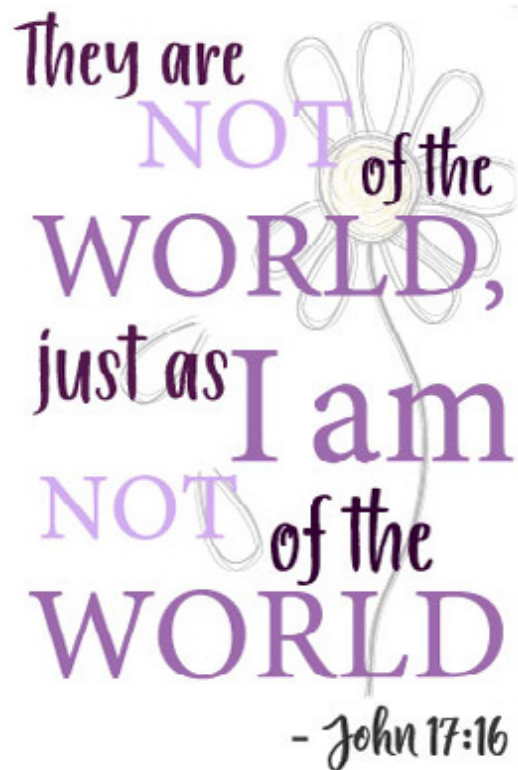
- ☀ Vice Coordinator – Jan Evers – New Hope Lutheran, Comfry, MN - I serve AD WOW because I feel it is important to reach out to women and give them a great way to learn and share experiences in their faith.
  - ☀ Treasurer – Bev Swenson – Christ the King, Hutchinson, MN - At a WOW Gathering I volunteered to be treasurer because the office had remained open. I have enjoyed working with Christian sisters on the WOW Board planning meaningful annual events for women of Augustana District & LCMC.
  - ☀ Secretary – Jan Kreie – Faith Lutheran, Hutchinson, MN - I serve AD WOW because I feel it gives women a great chance for Christian fellowship and sharing our experiences.
  - ☀ Member at Large - Marian Thorsten – St. John's Lutheran, Springfield, MN – I serve because I feel keeping in touch with the A.D. and bringing back to the local congregation what is going on is important. And, meeting some wonderful sisters in Christ.
  - ☀ Member at Large – Open Position
  - ☀ Ex-Officio Member – Chris Price - I serve on the AD WoW because it is a wonderful opportunity to meet other Christian women, to be able to encourage and support one another with prayer and fellowship.
  - ☀ AD Council Representative – Connie Klemz – Holy Cross – Maple Lake - My involvement gives me the opportunity to share the Gospel and serve the neighbor.
  - ☀ AD Council Representative – Debbie Flatau – New Creation, Perham – Debbie is new to our board. She will be discovering our goals and role as we learn about each other.
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## **WANTED!! Women to serve in the following positions:**

- ☀ Host church for 2022 – Vice Coordinator
- ☀ Secretary
- ☀ Members at large

## **OPEN POSITION EXPECTATIONS AND ROLES**

- ☀ *Vice Coordinator -*
  - Assumes duties of Coordinator when necessary.
  - Is a member of the Executive Committee.
  - Coordinates time and place of meetings, events, and secures a host church for the Annual Gathering.
  - Carries out any other duties assigned by Coordinator.
  - Serves one year as Vice Coordinator and moves up to Coordinator the following year.
- ☀ *Secretary –*
  - A two-year term.
  - Keeps minutes at all Board and gathering meetings.
  - Handle's correspondence and publicity including preparing Fall Gathering theme, date, time and location by June 15.
- ☀ *Member at large –*
  - Serve and assist as willing



## Women of the World Word Annual Gathering

Sep 18, 2021

Hosted by Crossroads Lutheran Congregation

Location: 2948 180th St. Dawson, MN 56232

8:30AM Coffee/Registration  
9:00AM Worship  
3:00PM Dismissal

**Registration Deadline: Before Sep 1, 2021**

Mail to the address below by September 1, 2021



### WOW Annual Gathering

Name	Home Church
Email	Phone
Comments	

Type of registration (Circle one & enclose check)

In Person (\$20/person)

Individual Online (\$10/person)

Church/Online (\$50/location)

Mail to:

Bev Swenson C/O Wow Treasurer  
408 Alan Street SW  
Hutchinson, MN 55350



### PLACES TO STAY IN THE AREA

Picket Fence Motel  
118 1st Street  
Dawson, MN 56232  
320-769-4787

Grand Stay Hotel & Suites  
1805 E Highway 7  
Montevideo, MN  
320-269-8000

Retain for reference

**Saturday, September 18, 2021**

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- John 17:16

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Family Consumer Science teacher

**Pr Julie Smith**

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Virtual Registration also Available

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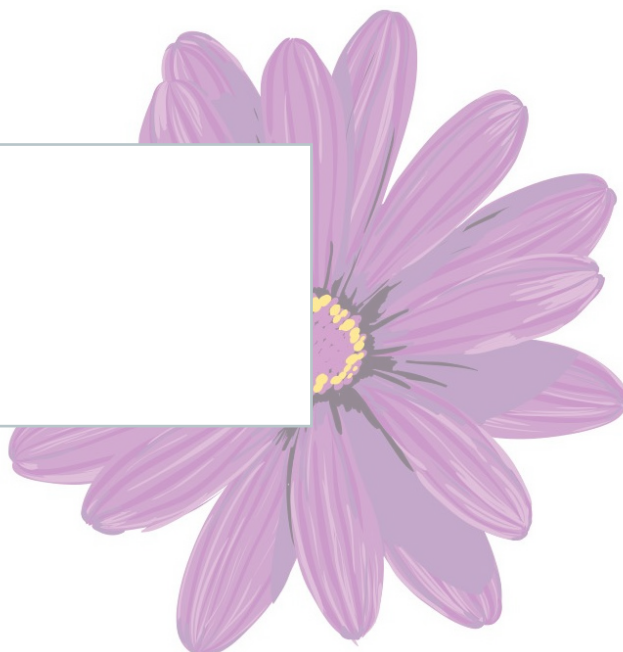
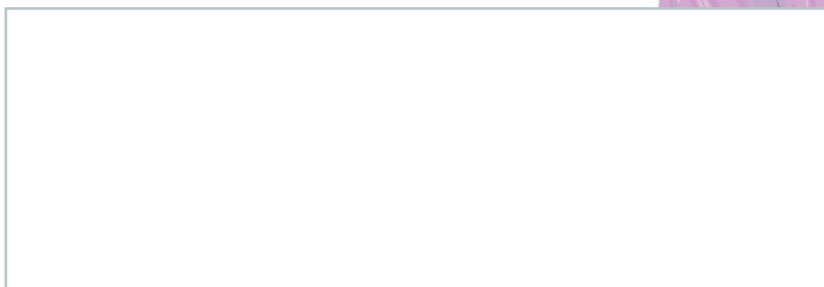
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