

# July 5-8, 2018

## Lutheran Women's Missionary League-Canada

### 10th National Convention, Delta Hotel, WINNIPEG, Manitoba

*worship, listen, discuss, serve, vote, walk  
with sisters in Christ*



#### PRE-CONVENTION ACTIVITIES

##### Thursday morning and afternoon

- Servant events: CLWR, Siloan Mission, Food Bank and more
- Registration – begins at 10:00 a.m.

##### Convention proper begins with **WORSHIP**

Thursday, July 5, 7:30 pm

#### **LISTEN and DISCUSS**

Keynote speaker

- Tara Lyn Hart

Interest sessions

- Rev. Assefa Aredo and Yeshi Olkeba: Experiences as refugees and integrating into the Winnipeg and Lutheran communities
- Dr. Leah Koetting Block: Unpacking “medical assistance in dying” in a Christian context
- Sister to Sister Team 2016: Sharing their trip, being one in spirit and purpose with sisters in Nicaragua

#### **SERVE**

- Gifts of Love ingathering
- Convention offerings support mission grants, the LCC PAT program and a women's retreat in Costa Rica

#### **WALK**

- Collect donations and serve as a visible witness to the community of Winnipeg; walk to The Forks and enjoy then a free evening
- Donations support Continuing Education for Deaconesses in Central America program

#### **ANNIVERSARY OFFERING**

- Donations support the Director of Parish Services program now at Concordia Lutheran Seminary, Edmonton

#### **SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

- For young women and teens
- Interpreter for the Deaf if required

#### **VOTE**

- Delegates will vote on proposed new structure, select mission grants for 2018-2021 and select new officers

**Convention closes Sunday, July 8 at 12:00**

- Visit [www.lutheranwomen.ca](http://www.lutheranwomen.ca) for more information

REGISTER: Forms March 1, 2018 at [www.lutheranwomen.ca](http://www.lutheranwomen.ca) OR from your society president