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VBS **STILL** NEEDS VOLUNTEERS!!!



For nothing will be impossible WITH God Lk 1:37

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2022
JUN 27TH TO JUL 1 9 TO 11:30

Folks, we've got 80 kids ready to kick off a week of fun, games and learning all about Jesus...and we still need your help!!! In order to accommodate 4 groups of twenty 3 to 9-year-olds, we need **at least 8 more people** to help move them from one activity to the next. It's easy and it's a whole lot of fun... won't you join us?

Sign up sheet is in the Gathering Space
OR [Click Here!](#)



DID YOU KNOW **THAT IT HAS BEEN** **80 YEARS SINCE** **THE LUTHERAN** **WOMEN'S** **MISSIONARY** **LEAGUE (LWML)** **WAS ORGANIZED?**

Working in faith and laboring in love described the attitude of the delegates attending the synodical meeting on July 7-8, 1942 at St. Stephen Lutheran Church, Chicago, Illinois. There were fifteen districts of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod represented by the delegates. Some nominees for offices in the organization were doubtful about their ability to handle such a responsibility and asked to have their name removed from the ballot. Rev. Oscar Fedder, a pastoral advisor appointed by the synod, stood up and said: "When the Lord taps you on the shoulder and says, 'I need you for this job', you must not turn Him down. If He thought you were incapable, He would not have chosen you."

As the women of St. Mark LWML, our motto needs to be "God Chose Us!". God chose us to be here, at this time and in this place by His grace to reach out and adopt the Lydia House, a home for battered and homeless women in Omaha, as our mission to honor the 80th anniversary of LWML. This will require a huge commitment on our part and we are inviting St. Mark members to help us reach out and do something for those that are less fortunate than we are.

As this effort was organized, we reached out to the Lydia House to find out how we could benefit the women the most. **We received a list of items that are needed: shoes (sizes 7,8,9), bras, panties, plus size clothing, and car seat/stroller combinations.**

We will be collecting items and/or cash (if you would like us to shop for you) in the months of June and July. Look for the black totes in the Gathering Space to deposit your items.



There will be a 1942 LWML style celebration with an ice cream social with hot dogs and sloppy joes after the 10:30 service on July 31st. Plan to join us for this time of fellowship.

"As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace." 1 Peter 4:10



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