



Report to the Board of Directors



Activities of the Herington Zone President

Sharon M Kolanowski

June 2020 – June 2021

How have you followed the SON:

Serving Grace-fully:

- Working with Our Redeemer, Tabitha Group on Constitution and By-Laws

In Joyful Obedience:

- Daily prayer for Leadership in the Zone
- Prepared the Herington Zone Facebook post for June 2021

with a New Focus:

- Ensured the Herington Zone Board was fully-staffed and installation performed by Rev Werner
- Encouraging small groups to keep in prayer and to continue a mission-focus

Meetings attended:

- Spring Mission Rally (April 2021)
- 2021 National Convention, Lexington, KY (June 2021)

Committee Members (if applicable):

Favorite Bible Verse: *Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go." Joshua 1:9*



Activities of the Hutchinson Zone President

Tammy Taylor

June 2020 – April 2021

How have you followed the SON:

Serving Grace-fully:

- President of Christ The King LWML
- Chairman of Christ The King's Fall Fundraiser
- Chairman of Christ The King's Annual Chicken Noodle Dinner
- Delivered DVDs of worship services to shut ins.
- Chairman of the Hutchinson Zone Caring Service Committee (until 4/24/21)
- Chairman of the District Nominating Committee for 2022 Convention

In Joyful Obedience:

- During shutdown watched services online
- Regular attendance for worship service and Sunday School when we returned to "in person"
- Small Group Bible Study Zoom and "in person"
- Daily personal devotions using Mustard Seeds
- LWML Bible Study

with a New Focus:

- Learned a lot of new ways to do things this past year
- Learned to be more flexible in worship style but still focused on the gospel
- Learned to Zoom for Bible Study
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Meetings attended:

- Regular LWML meetings at Christ The King as President
- Hutchinson Zone BOD Meeting at Our Redeemer Hutchinson 09/12/2020
- Fall Meeting Hutchinson Zone at St Paul's Haven 10/17/2020
- Spring Meeting Hutchinson Zone at St. Paul's - Cheney 04/24/2021

Committee Members (if applicable):

Favorite Bible Verse: "I can do all things through Christ which strengthens me." Philippians 4:13



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Activities of the KC Crossroads Zone President

Patty Mader

June 2020 – April 2021

How have you followed the SON:

Serving Grace-fully:

- Agreed to serve as zone president for KC Crossroads Zone
- Served as president of Bethany Lutheran LWML

In Joyful Obedience:

- Assisted with Metro Lutheran Ministries Christmas Store
- Served breakfast to those in need in Kansas City, Kansas
- Manage kitchen and supplies at Bethany Lutheran

with a New Focus:

- Serving as zone president
- Volunteering to help with the 2022 Kansas district convention

Meetings attended:

- KC Crossroads Zone Fall Event\
- KC Crossroads Zone BOD meeting spring 2021
- KC crossroads Zone Spring Event
- KS District convention meeting at Doubletree

Committee Members (if applicable):

Favorite Bible Verse:

1 Corinthians 13:13 – And now these tree remain, faith, hope and love, but the greatest of these is love.



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Activities of the LINCOLN ZONE PRESIDENT

SHELLY KELLER

June 2020 – April 2021

How have you followed the SON:

Serving Grace-fully:

- Was just elected as Zone President at the Zone Spring Rally in April 2021
- Served on the planning committee for the Zone Spring Rally at Bethlehem – Sylvan Grove
- Taught Sunday School from January thru May 2021 at Bethlehem Lutheran Church
- Organist at Bethlehem Lutheran Church
- Serve on the Altar Guild at Bethlehem Lutheran Church
- Served on the planning committee and worked at a benefit for a congregation member

In Joyful Obedience:

- Attend worship service weekly
- Attend monthly group LWML meetings and participate in Bible Study

with a New Focus:

- Attended national LMWL convention in Lexington, KY, in June 2021
- Attended a pre-convention seminar for Social Media
- Finding new things to post on the District Facebook page
- Learning all the duties of being a Zone President

Meetings attended:

- Zone Fall Workshop in October 2020 and Zone Spring Rally in April 2021
- Monthly group LMWL meetings

Committee Members (if applicable):

Favorite Bible Verse: "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me". Philippians 4:13



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Activities of the Linn Zone - Acting President

Deb Ohlde

June 2020 – April 2021

How have you followed the SON:

Serving Grace-fully:

- provide ideas for Christian fellowship and growth
- provide tool kit ideas for ingathering
- encourage societies to tie quilts, make kits for Orphan Grain Train
- had ingathering at two events

In Joyful Obedience:

- provide speakers to increase awareness about mission work
- held events for the zone

with a New Focus:

- Supported Swaddling Clothes outreach to new moms and children in need

Meetings attended:

- Fall Zone Board
- Spring Zone Board
- Spring 2021 Zone Event
- Special Meeting of the Zone Board Spring 2021
- Observed LWML Sunday in multiple congregations

Committee Members (if applicable):

None

Favorite Bible Verse:

Psalms 46:10 He says, "Be still, and know that I am God;
I will be exalted among the nations,
I will be exalted in the earth."



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Activities of the Manhattan Zone

Julie Hatesohl

June 2020 – April 2021

How have you followed the SON:

Serving Grace-fully:

- Election of Officers: Fall 2020 & Spring 2021
- Donations to Orphan Grain Train; Fall 2020
- Donations to Caring Closet

In Joyful Obedience:

- Manhattan Zone new constitution approved; Spring 2021

with a New Focus:

- Focus on sharing resources throughout zone
- Promotion of email members

Meetings attended:

- Fall 2020 Zone Event; Alma KS
- KAOL, Summer 2020
- Spring 2021 Zone Event; Duluth, KS
- National LWML Convention; Lexington KY

Committee Members (if applicable):

Favorite Bible Verse: 2 Corinthians 12:9 - But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me.



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Activities of the Northeast Zone President

Peggy Coder

June 2020 – June 2021

How have you followed the SON:

Serving Grace-fully:

- Donations for Kaden's Kloset

In Joyful Obedience:

- Ingathering of eyeglasses collected
- Mite Challenge

with a New Focus:

- Having Board Meetings by e-mail
- Election of Officers by mail

Meetings attended:

- Northeast Zone Fall Gathering 2020 in Sabetha, Ks
- Northeast Zone Spring 2021 Gathering in Wathena, Ks

Committee Members (if applicable):

Favorite Bible Verse:

*Numbers 24-25
May the Lord bless you and keep you
May the Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you*



Activities of the Northwest Zone President

Betty Kruse

June 2020 – April 2021

How have you followed the SON:

Serving Grace-fully:

- Stepped in to accept a third term when nominating committee couldn't find a person to fill the office
- Continued contact with group presidents and potential committee chairs
- Serve as organist and on our call committee
- service in action - sew fabric into quilts for Lutheran World relief and local needs; coordinate our LWML quilt and kit drive and Orphan Grain Train collections
- Mentor our LWML president Carol

In Joyful Obedience:

- Attend worship regularly at Trinity, Colby
- Participate in personal Bible study as well as Sunday morning and lead Thursday ladies group
- Attend to the duties of the office

with a New Focus:

- More phone, email, and mail contact with group leaders
- Sent more cards and letters for birthdays, anniversaries and for those in difficult days
- Prepared and presented "ENCOURAGE" with husband Dave at spring event

Meetings attended:

- Participated in filming of portions of 2020 District Convention
- Phone conferences with zone executive board to plan fall & spring events
- Planned and chaired Northwest Zone Fall 2020 event (downsized)
- Met with Oakley LWML to plan 2021 Spring Zone event
- Planned and chaired spring 2021 event
- Attended LWML convention in Lexington, Kentucky (June 2021)

Favorite Bible Verse:

2 Thessalonians 2:16-17 May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and by his grace gave us eternal encouragement and good hope, encourage your hearts and strengthen you in every good deed and word.



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Activities of the Southeast Zone President

Dodie Copley

June 2020 – April 2021

How have you followed the SON:

Serving Grace-fully:

- On December 31, 2020, Zone President Kathy McGowen advised that she was moving out of the district, and as Zone Vice President, I became the acting Zone President.
- Presided over the Southeast Zone Board of Directors meeting, February 6, 2021 at St. Peter's, Humboldt.
- At the Spring Event, April 25, 2021, I was elected Zone President.

In Joyful Obedience:

- I plan to joyfully fulfill my duties as Southeast Zone President in my upcoming term.
- Our zone has a BOD meeting scheduled for Saturday, August 14 at St. Peter's, Humboldt, to plan our Fall Workshop with the wonderful women of the Southeast Zone, who serve the Lord with gladness!

with a New Focus:

- Our zone's new focus is the 2022 LWML Kansas District convention in Overland Park.
- As a co-hosting zone, we will work with the Kansas City CrossRoads Zone to plan a successful convention, always looking to Jesus for direction!

Meetings attended:

- Southeast Zone Board of Directors meeting, February 6, 2021, as acting president.
- Southeast Zone Spring Event, April 25, 2021, where I was elected Zone President.

Favorite Bible Verse:

One of many "favorites" – Proverbs 3:5-6 (NKJV)

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths.

I love the last verse of "Drawn to the Cross":

*And then for work to do for Thee
Which shall so sweet a Service be,
That Angels well might envy me,
Christ Crucified, I come.*



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Activities of the Topeka Zone President

Allison Lehmann

June 2020 – April 2021

How have you followed the SON:

Serving Grace-fully:

- Attended Convention transition planning meeting, 9/26/21, Topeka
- Topeka Zone Spring Event, 4/24/21, Faith Topeka, including KS District Convention Bible Study

In Joyful Obedience:

- Due to covid concerns, did not hold 2020 Zone Fall event

with a New Focus:

- Will plan Topeka Zone Fall Event, Redeemer, Lawrence
- Plan to update bilaws as needed
- Fill Zone Executive Committee positions (Christian Life Chairman)

Meetings attended:

- See above (convention planning, zone event)
- LWML National Convention, Lexington, KY
- Regular emails as needed for KAOL, communication

Zone officers: President: Allison Lehmann, Vice President: Dee Schwinn, Secretary: Diane Schultze, Treasurer: Connie Crowder; Zone Pastoral Counselor: Pastor Devin Kerns, St Johns, Topeka

Favorite Bible Verse: Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18



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Activities of the Wichita Zone President

Mary Dohl

June 2020 – April 2021

How have you followed the SON:

Serving Grace-fully:

- Sent encouragement emails to Wichita Zone BOD members during COVID shutdown months
- Attended Zoom meetings to receive and share information about LWML
- Continued in prayer for missions and those in leadership positions

In Joyful Obedience:

- Worshiped using youtube and parking lot services during the shutdown
- Participated in virtual Bible study and utilized daily online Mustard Seed Devotions
- Attended Holy Cross services using safety protocols when in person meeting was resumed

with a New Focus:

- Organized a system to check on and encourage single friends from church during shutdown
- Wrote parts of and compiled a newsletter in place of the Fall LWML Event that was canceled
- Was chairperson for a prayer breakfast/prayer walk held in February 2021 at Holy Cross

Meetings attended:

- June 27, 2020, LWML Convention in Hays, KS (Live attendance at virtual convention)
- July 6, 2020, KS District EC Zoom Meeting
- July 31, 2020 KS District EC Meeting in Salina, KS
- August 1, 2020 KS District Interdepartmental Meeting in Salina, KS
- August 3, 2020, KS District Zone Presidents Zoom Meeting
- August 22, 2020, Wichita Zone Fall LWML BOD Meeting at Trinity, Wichita
- October 12, 2020, KS District EC Zoom Meeting
- November 6-7, 2020, KS District EC Meeting in Wichita, KS
- March 13, 2021, Wichita Zone Spring Event/Prayer Service at Holy Cross in Wichita, KS
- April 30-May 1, 2021, KS District EC Meeting in Overland Park, KS

Committee Members (if applicable):

Favorite Bible Verse: Romans 12:12 "Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer."