

Enrichment Sessions

Five different Enrichment Sessions have been planned for Friday during lunch at two different times, 11:45 a.m.–12:45 p.m. and 1–2 p.m. Participants should bring their box lunch to whichever session they choose to attend.



It's Not a Dog Ministry— Kelly Shivertaker is a retired Emergency Manager for a major electric utility and Austin, Texas. She has been involved in the Comfort Dog ministry since 2015, also leading the team for Abner Comfort Dog. During this time, she has responded to many crises, including Marjorie Stoneman Douglas High School in Parkland, Florida, and Santa Fe High School, El Paso Walmart shooting, Midland/Odessa shooting, and Uvalde school shooting, all in Tex-as. The Lutheran Church Charities K-9 Comfort Dog Ministry uses dogs to connect with people. She will speak about work the

dogs have done, both during crises and on a day-to-day basis, as well as how to start your own Comfort Dog ministry and answer any questions you may have.



Join Eden Keefe, LWML President 2023–2027, as she leads a session *Be Encouraged — God's Got This!* Do you face obstacles or challenges in your LWML service? Be encouraged to move forward with both resolve and joy. God calls and equips us!



Join Noemi Guerra in her session *Rejoicing in Hope: Living Out Romans 12:12*. Together we'll discover how Christ empowers Lutheran women to live with unwavering faith, overflow with hope and patience, and grow in a vibrant, steadfast life of prayer.



Join Tiffany Harmon, Endowment Committee Chairman in her session *Let's Dream Big: Our Endowments and Our Legacy!* — Did you know we already have in place a way to offer even greater financial assistance *without* increasing our Mission Goal? In this session, we will explore how growing our endowments can significantly transform how our mites are utilized and our ability to give even greater support to scholarship recipients. We'll also discuss how members, groups, and zones can actively take steps now to exponentially bless generations of Lutheran Women *in Mission* to come dedicated to sharing the Gospel and serving the Lord with gladness!