



# News Release

Lutheran Women's Missionary League

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## LWML 2017 Convention Moves to Albuquerque

The 37<sup>th</sup> Biennial Lutheran Women's Missionary League Convention will be held Thursday, June 22–Sunday, June 25, 2017, at the Albuquerque Convention Center in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

After ongoing difficulties finalizing contracts in Salt Lake City, the LWML Executive Committee met in emergency session and voted to change the site of the 2017 convention to Albuquerque with the same dates of June 22–25, 2017.

LWML President Patti Ross stated, "We are happy this location remains in the hosting districts that are working so hard on our 2017 Convention with our 75th Anniversary celebration. The move will not change convention programming. We continue with the exciting business of selecting mission grants, new officers, hearing great speakers, and celebrating God's blessings received and shared by the LWML over our 75 year history."

The theme for the convention is "**Jesus Christ Above All.**" The logo and the convention theme are based on the Scripture verse from Philippians 2:9, *Therefore God has highly exalted Him and bestowed on Him the name that is above every name.*

For up-to-date convention information, see future issues of the *Lutheran Woman's Quarterly* or visit the website at [www.lwml.org/2017-convention](http://www.lwml.org/2017-convention).



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Lutheran Women in Mission — The Lutheran Women's Missionary League (LWML) is the official women's auxiliary of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. Since 1942, the LWML has focused on affirming each woman's relationship with Christ, encouraging and equipping women to live out their Christian lives in active mission ministries, and to support global missions.

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