

## LWML New Jersey Convention

### Ingathering/ Gifts of the Heart /Service Projects



**Backpacks:** One Ingathering project for our LWML NJ District Convention in August is to bring a **new Backpack** (standard size) and **no** school supplies. Pastor Dan Fenco of Camino de Fe Church is involved in the school districts in the community of Camino de Fe Church. Pastor Fenco will distribute the backpacks to the school districts in the Somerville and Bernardsville area. The backpacks should be standard size intended for PreK to grade 5 students. Our goal is 50 backpacks.

#### **Orphan Grain Train Hygiene Kits:** <https://www.ogt.org/special-projects/hygiene-kits/>

We will be assembling **Hygiene Kits for Orphan Grain Train** at Convention. These kits provide the basic hygiene supplies for individuals after a tornado has destroyed their homes, or in the aftermath of other natural catastrophes, as well as, for refugees fleeing their countries around the world. On the **Orphan Grain Train** website is a flier which lists the items included in the Hygiene Kit with instruction for assembling the kit. Please check out the specific directions about the items. We are asking societies to collect the items and assemble some kits beforehand. A **Thrivent Action Grant** will also provide some items. Bring the completed kits or items needed for the kit to assemble at convention. To help coordinate this project, please contact me in advance as to what your group will be bringing to convention. My email: [joanne.naumowicz@gmail.com](mailto:joanne.naumowicz@gmail.com). Ask your LWML Group to bring items on the list. Copy the next page for a ready-made shopping list to hand out!

Our Goal is 50 Hygiene Kits since it is the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the **LWML New Jersey District**. If you are not able to go to convention perhaps you could make a monetary donation to Orphan Grain Train to cover the shipping cost of \$11 per box.

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<b>1 toothbrush</b>	<b>Ribbon or cord for tying</b>

#### **Service Project: Cards for Veterans**

At Convention we will have time to write out cards for veterans to thank them for their service.

*Let us serve the Lord with gladness! See you at Convention!!!!!!*

*Yours in Christ, Joanne Naumowicz*

*VP Gospel Outreach LWML New Jersey District*

## Orphan Grain Train Hygiene Kit Supply List Hand out

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