

Registration Form for 2019 Assembly

Your registration fee of \$25.00 covers the costs of the luncheon, refreshments, speaker honorariums, and program materials. It does not include housing.

Name _____
(Please Print)

Street/PO Box _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

CWU local unit _____

Email _____

Please check the following if you have dietary needs:

Gluten Free Vegetarian

I understand that pictures will be taken at the Assembly and that my picture could be included in the newsletter or on the state website.

Signature: _____

Please send this registration form and the \$25.00 fee by **August 16, 2019** to:

Sue Coghill

4858 Island View Dr., Oshkosh WI 54901

You will receive a confirmation of your registration by email or postcard.

Make checks payable to **CWU Wisconsin**

I plan to be there Friday evening.
(Be sure to send your **Housing Registration & separate Housing Payment** with this form.)

DIRECTIONS to Holy Wisdom

Holy Wisdom Monastery is located at 4200 County Road M, Middleton, on the northwest side of Lake Mendota. It is 3.5 miles east of the junction of County Road M and U.S. Hwy 12 or 4 miles west on M from the junction of M and State Hwy 113.

From Green Bay / Fond du Lac Take U.S. 151 south to Hwy 19 west. Go 9 miles on Hwy 19 to Hwy 113. Turn left on Hwy 113 (south) for 2.5 miles to Co Road M. Turn right on M (west) for 4 miles to Holy Wisdom, on the right.

From Milwaukee Take I-94 west to just outside of Madison at which point I-94 becomes Hwy 30. Continue on Hwy 30 to the Hwy 113 north exit (Packers Ave.) and follow Hwy 113 four miles to junction with Co Road M. Turn left on M, 4 miles to Holy Wisdom driveway, on the right.

From the West / La Crosse Take I 90/94 to the Hwy 19 exit. Turn right on Hwy 19 west for 3 miles to Hwy 113. Turn left on Hwy 113 (south) for 2.5 miles to Co Road M. Turn right on Hwy M (west) for 4 miles to Holy Wisdom driveway on the right.

From the Southwest / Platteville Take Hwy 18/151 to Hwy 12/14 in Madison (Beltline). Turn left (west) onto Hwy 12/14 and continue 7.5 miles to exit 250 (right) in Middleton, onto Co Road M (east)/Century Ave. Continue for 3.5 miles on M. HW Monastery is located just past Bishop's Bay golf course on your left.

(See the map on our Housing Brochure or visit Holy Wisdom's website at <https://benedictinewomen.org/>)

Church Women United in Wisconsin

2019 State Assembly



“Care of God’s Creation”

Saturday, September 7

8:15 am to 3:30 pm

Holy Wisdom Monastery

4200 Co Road M - Middleton, WI

“The earth and everything in it, the world and its inhabitants, belong to the Lord.” – Psalm 24:1

2019 Assembly Schedule

Saturday: (Monastery Guest House)

8:15 Registration / Lakeview Room- Rm 110

9:00 Welcome / President Carol Lange

9:30 Morning Program

Vision of Holy Wisdom / Spiritual Practices

- Sister Lynne Smith OSB

Care of God's Creation - Pastor Michelle Hopp / Arlington United Methodist Church

“Tree of Life”

11:45 Lunch (Monastery Building)

Time to eat, fellowship and relax, or walk the trails of Holy Wisdom.

1:00 Afternoon Program

Finding Spiritual Time in a Busy World -

Kris Clausing

Memorial Roll Call

Business Meeting / President Carol Lange

Installation of Officers

3:30 Closing

Note: *If you plan to come on Friday for the Overnight at the Monastery, please refer to the Housing Brochure for more information on rooms & cost, Friday activities, and the Housing Registration form.*

Welcome to Holy Wisdom



*The Monastery Building at Holy Wisdom**

The theme chosen for this year is “Care of God’s Creation”. It emphasizes not only the wonder of creation, but our responsibility of stewardship for it. We are tasked to care for the earth and all the living things on it, including ourselves.

As part of our program, we will look at different prayer and meditation practices that bring us closer to God and help us navigate an often stressful and broken world. This link between God’s creation and our spirituality is why a retreat session has been included with this year’s assembly.

The location for the assembly, Holy Wisdom Monastery, was chosen because it offers a retreat setting at a location that embodies environmentally sound practices. Holy Wisdom has won prestigious awards for its conservation initiatives. Attendees of the assembly will have the opportunity to visit the grounds, which include a restored prairie, lake, gardens, and an expanding oak savanna.

Memorial Roll Call

We will again pay tribute to cherished members of Church Women United who entered their eternal home this past year during a Memorial Service.

Be sure to send names of those you wish to remember to
Gloria Higgins at Gloriaclarahig@hotmail.com
or Kristine Clausing at Kristineclausing@live.com



Tree of Life

During the Saturday program we will be taking time to make a commitment to God’s creation.

We will be making our own “Tree of Life” symbolizing our love and respect for creation and our commitment to care for God’s gift .

Holy Wisdom Monastery

is managed by the Ecumenical Benedictine Women of Madison and welcomes visitors of all faiths. The Benedictine Community weaves prayer, hospitality for all, justice, and care for the earth into a shared way of life.

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