

2012 ECW CALENDAR

January

20-21...196th Annual Diocesan Convention, Benton Convention Center in Winston-Salem, including wrap-up of the year-long, diocese-wide NetsforLife campaign to help eradicate malaria in sub-Saharan Africa.

February

24-25....ECW Diocesan Board overnight planning retreat, place TBA

March

5.....**Epiphany Offerings due** to ECW Diocesan Treasurer, Mary Hawkins

- This offering is given to one of our diocesan missionaries yearly on a rotating basis for the work of their mission

15.....Lex Mathews Scholarship applications due to Scholarship Coordinator

(applications may be downloaded from <www.ecw-nc.org>)

- These scholarships assist adult women in furthering their undergraduate or vocational education so they may become economically independent

April

8.....Easter Sunday

May

1.....**Half of 2012 pledge monies due** to ECW Diocesan Treasurer, Mary Hawkins

6.....Church Periodical Club Sunday (or any Sunday following). All proceeds should be sent to ECW Diocesan Treasurer, Mary Hawkins

- CPC provides, upon request, church-related materials in printed and audio form to groups connected to the Episcopal Church. It also sends funds to each of our diocesan seminarians for textbooks.

12.....Diocesan ECW Board meeting, 10:00 a.m. – 3 p.m., place TBA

20.....Spring UTO Ingathering (Sunday closest to Ascension Day)

United Thank Offerings are gathered twice each year in parishes, then sent to the UTO's national office, which in turn distributes them after evaluating grant requests from all dioceses

June

4-6.....Province IV Women's Conference (theme: "Believe In A Miracle: Past, Present and Future") and walk-up to ECW's national Triennial, Kanuga Conference Center, Hendersonville, NC (optional networking day is June 3.) Special guest: Marcia Himes, National ECW president.

25.....**Spring UTO Ingathering receipts due** to Diocesan ECW Treasurer, Mary Hawkins

25.....2013 branch pledge forms submitted to Diocesan ECW Treasurer, Mary Hawkins

July

5-11....47th ECW Triennial (theme: "Many Paths, One Journey") runs simultaneously with the 77th General Convention of the Episcopal Church USA, Indianapolis, IN

August

11.....ECW Diocesan Board meeting, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., place TBA

September

5.....Annual Meeting edition of *ECW Works* mailed

October

1.....United Thank Offering 2013 grant application forms for available online at www.ecw-nc.org

26.....Annual Meeting registration deadline

26.....Deadline for Book of Remembrance submissions to be read at ECW Annual Meeting

29.....**Balance of 2012 pledge monies due** to ECW Diocesan Treasurer, Mary Hawkins

29.....**Missionary Christmas Fund offering due** to ECW Diocesan Treasurer, Mary Hawkins

- This fund is an undesignated gift divided annually among our Convocation missionaries

November

4.....Fall UTO Ingathering (Sunday closest to All Saints' Day)

9-10....*130th Annual Meeting, hosted by the women of the Rocky Mount Convocation at All Saints' Church, Roanoke Rapids*

9.....2013 ECW Handbook distributed

9.....Convocation grant requests voted on at Convocation meetings held during Annual Meeting

10.....ECW Diocesan Board meets immediately after Annual Meeting concludes

December

3.....**Fall UTO Ingathering receipts due** to ECW Diocesan Treasurer, Mary Hawkins

3.....Diocesan ECW UTO Grant Screening Committee meets to review applications for 2013