

HOPE IN DIFFICULT TIMES

Romans 8:26-27: *Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know* how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words.



Register now and join with women from across our synod for a tasty brunch and an informative presentation and discussion.

> Saturday March 7, 2020 • 9am - 1pm **Olivet Lutheran Church** 2605 W. Imperial Hwy., Hawthorne, CA

The butterfly reminds us that things change. Our life, our situations, our troubles can know a spiritual transformation from an old life to a new life, from a state of not knowing to a state of awareness. From a hard life to a better life. Through prayer, meditation, and Bible studies, we can emerge ready to fly. God is always willing to help in our hour of need. Attend this year's Winter Gathering to hear and share stories of hope in difficult times and learn where to find resources and direction. PANELISTS WILL INCLUDE: Shannon Savage-Howie, Deacon & Spiritual Director • Raquel Bautista, Latina Community Social Worker • Lynn Bulock, Deacon. THE DAY'S OFFERING will be divided between: Churchwide Women of the ELCA, My Friend's House (a weekly food pantry), and LSS/Long Beach.

Registration Please return this form by Monday, March 2nd.	
Cost is \$15 per person • Make checks paya	ble to "Women of the ELCA." Do not send cash.
Your name:	Congregation:
Please attach list of additional attendees to this form (include their congregation's name).	
Total brunch reservations @ \$15 each	Amount enclosed \$
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