

## Special Interest Missionaries

All Covenant career missionary women, active or retired, are designated as Special Interest Missionaries. At each Triennial, the Global Ministries Chair of the Women Ministries Board divides the list of missionaries between the eight Conferences of the Denomination. Then, our Central Conference Global Ministries Chair then assigns [usually] one missionary to each of our Districts. On their birthdays, then, we send each assigned SIM a birthday card with a \$25 monetary gift tucked inside. In addition, each active SIM is invited to submit a \$300 proposal for a project that will enhance her ministry. Each district has the honor and responsibility of supporting missionary women as they work to advance God's kingdom.

District	Missionary	Birthday
CHICAGO N.	Erma Bergstrom 15849 65th Ave. Milaca MN 56353	April 8
CHICAGO S.	Aleta Danforth c/o SIL B.P. 1299, Yaounde Republic of Cameroon, Africa <a href="mailto:roy-aleta.danforth@covchurch.org">roy-aleta.danforth@covchurch.org</a>	Jan. 28
FOX VALLEY	Carol Bob 6816 Misty Lane Waxhaw NC 28173 <a href="mailto:fcbob@earthlink.net">fcbob@earthlink.net</a>	March 23
GREAT LAKES	GENEVA CHRISTENSEN 9201 W. Broward Blvd B-207 Plantation FL 33324 <a href="mailto:gjcgmc@gmail.com">gjcgmc@gmail.com</a>	OCT. 6
HISPANIC	Erika Clauson PMB #147 1001 S. 10th St., Suite G McAllen TX 78501 <a href="mailto:erika.clauson@covchurch.org">erika.clauson@covchurch.org</a>	May 3

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INDIANA	Helen Berquist 5800 St. Croix Ave. N., #C327 Minneapolis MN 55422-4438 <a href="mailto:helendot@aol.com">helendot@aol.com</a>	Nov. 25
LAKESHORE	Lillian Dwight 921 E. Minnesota Ave. Turlock CA 95382 <a href="mailto:don-lillian.dwight@covchurch.org">don-lillian.dwight@covchurch.org</a>	Jan. 21
NORTHERN IL	Ruth Christensen 3300 Carpenter Rd. SE, Unit 30 Lacey WA 98503-4008	Dec. 31
BADGER [WI]	Carolyn Stoker c/o SIL B.P. 1299, Yaounde Republic of Cameroon, Africa <a href="mailto:carolyn.stoker@covchurch.org">carolyn.stoker@covchurch.org</a>	June 22
WESTERN IL (WILD)	Cynthia Ekstrand c/o World Mission 8303 W. Higgins Rd. Chicago IL 60631 <a href="mailto:pete-cindy.ekstrand@covchurch.org">pete-cindy.ekstrand@covchurch.org</a>	Oct. 1
WESTERN SUBURBAN	Heather Choate P.O. Box 326 Jones OK 73049 <a href="mailto:dennis-heather.choate@eccmail.com">dennis-heather.choate@eccmail.com</a>	Sept. 29
ST. LOUIS	Cynthia Ekstrand (see Western IL (WILD))	Oct. 1

As Women Ministries of the Central Conference seeks to support women who have chosen to Advance God's Kingdom in the mission field, please do consider how you might partner with us in this form of support. This can be done by women on an individual basis as each feels called or through contributions from the coordinated women ministries in your church.

You will find a ministry support form on-line at  
[www.centralconferencewomenministries.com](http://www.centralconferencewomenministries.com).

# Global Ministries in Central Conference

For information about other Global Ministries topics, link to:

<http://www.covchurch.org/women/departmental-ministries/global-ministry>


There you will find information about:

1. SIM ~ Special Interest Missionaries
2. Bandages & Layettees
3. Cross Cultural Opportunities
4. The Global Ministry Handbook

We covet your prayers for our Global Ministries. Engaged in global ministry since 1916, women of the Covenant faithfully support efforts to advance God's kingdom around the world as well as those called to serve locally.

Women Ministries of the Central Conference is found on-line at:

<http://www.centralconferencewomenministries.com/>

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