



Oh, Taste and See that the Lord is Good!!

Hello Ladies!

I would personally like to invite all ladies to join us on November 7, 2023 at Crossroads, Rowlett for the Texas WMA Meeting! This will be in conjunction with the Texas BMA Meeting.

Registration for the ladies meeting will be on Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning at 8am! Our gathering at the table will start at 9am. We have a great day of hearing about what the Lord is doing through local, state and national missions, GMA, Sunbeam and local ladies groups! Mrs. Paige West and Mrs. Tammy Woods will be our guest speakers! Lindsie Burchett will be leading us in songs of worship! I know your heart will be fed and spirit filled through these women of God!

If you would like to join us on Monday afternoon at 3:30pm, we will be hosting 3 breakout sessions: Treasuring God's Word - Mrs. Christi Burton, Fun & Fellowship with Ladies - Mrs. Diana Morris, and Do I have what it takes to be a minister's wife - round table discussion led by Charlotte Johnson. I am so excited to see so many of you who are dear and near to my heart and to also meet new friends this year. Oh, and I will also have some grandbaby pictures to show you! Looking forward to "Feasting" with you all November 6 and 7th!!

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## Project Update and Nominations

To date we have raised \$18,690 for our Project. See our Project Promoter's challenge to us for a new "Goal" of \$20,000 for Texas Missions. We would need to raise a little over \$21,000 for us to be able to give Texas Missions \$20,000 for Bibles and other study material. 10 % of our project money goes into our General and Youth Funds.

We have received 3 project nominations that we will vote on at our State meeting on November 7 to be our project for next year. The officers thought that it would be helpful for you to know what these nominations are before you get to the state meeting. This way you can present them to your local ladies group and discuss and pray about which project to vote for.

### Project Nominations for 2023-2024

All projects are 90%, 10% of money raised goes into our General and Youth funds

1. Lake Highlands, Sulphur Springs is recommending Tammy and Larry Wood Ukraine Work Fund for the project. This will be to support 3 church plants in Ukraine.

1)Water of Life, Lutsk needs money for supplies, food, and shelter for the displaced refugees coming to Western Ukraine.

2)Grace Church, Volodymyr needs money for supplies for soldiers (each soldier is responsible for purchase for all purchase all of their gear). Then they take boots, uniforms, coats, etc. to the front lines and distribute them as well as share the Gospel.

3)Retreat Center, Zaozerne needs money for mattresses and covers for 120 bed facility. This is housing refugees and helping them to find another home or go to another country. They also feed and clothe and give them spiritual guidance while they are there living life with them.

2. Red Springs, Tyler WMA is recommending Jacksonville College Chapel air-conditioning for the project. Jacksonville College is a true Mission Field. They have students from several countries there that need to know the Lord. Their air conditioning is in bad shape in several buildings. They have received some help but the cost is more than \$80,000.

3. FBC, Maydelle nominates Rose Ng/High City—BMA Teach for Christ for the project. To meet the nutritional needs of 16 children attending Bible study in the Village of Thanh Due, Vietnam in the amount of \$850.00 a month.

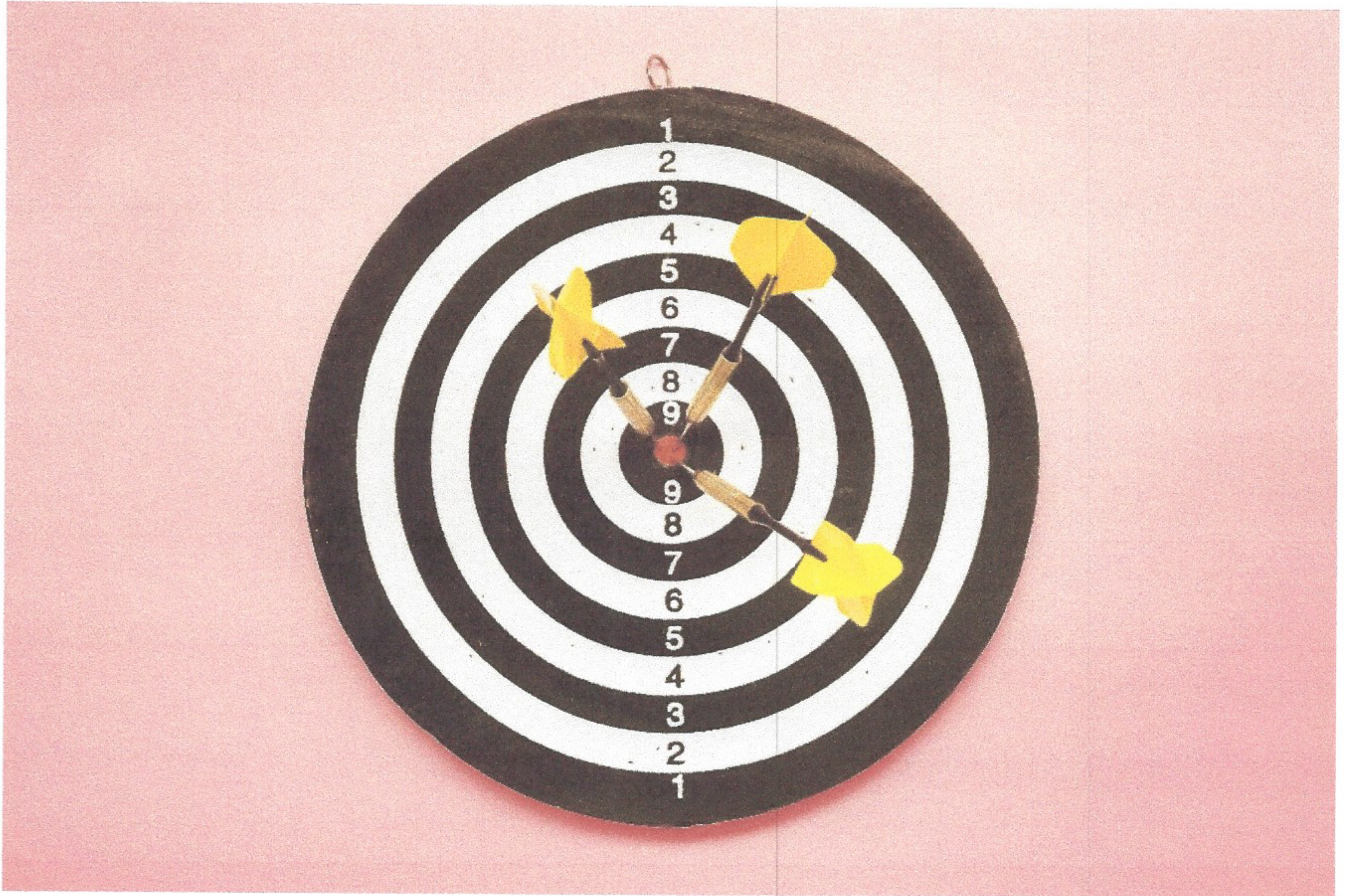
If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me or any of our officers. Also please check out our Website for more information about WMA, [www.texaswma.com](http://www.texaswma.com)

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**WE did it. We hit the mark.**



**Now is the time for above and beyond giving. I would like to see us give Texas Missions \$20,000.**

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## October is Pastor Appreciation Month

Jeremiah 3:15 "Then I will give you shepherds after my own heart, who will lead you with knowledge and understanding."

Is your church blessed with such a leader? Have you let him know lately what he means to you? to your church? to the kingdom of God?

Our pastors need our support and they need to be reminded that we are in their corner. There are many ways to do this but the most impactful is to pray for him. Then go a step farther and let him know you are praying. And don't forget about his wife and family, they serve right along side him, through the good and the bad.

Another thing to consider is doing something churchwide. Perhaps a fellowship could be planned or a gift card shower or a pounding. I have heard of people who give money specifically for dry cleaning or give money for a weekend away. There are so many ways to share our love with these leaders. The most important thing is for them to know we do love them and appreciate all they do for the kingdom of God.

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Dear WMA Ladies and Sunbeam Counselors,

**Another school year, Another Sunbeam year.**

We make sure our children attend school for 12+ years to ensure their ability to make a living and be successful in their life on earth. How much more should we prepare them spiritually for eternity by "rising up early and teaching them" (Jeremiah 32:33) We could reword this to "raising them up from an early age and teaching them." Our Auxiliaries help parents do just that. One of our Lord's last instructions was to "teach". Salvation and discipleship can come only by preparation through God's Word. Our Auxiliaries were prepared with a vision as a Godly curriculum to do just that.

Please remember our Auxiliary work in prayer. Please encourage your counselors. We know our mission is critical as we "see the day approaching" of our Lord's return. I prayerfully ask you to consider all our Auxiliaries (Sunbeams, GMAs, and even Galileans) in your church ministry. If you would like additional information about Sunbeams or any of our programs, please email [mrsderamoy@gmail.com](mailto:mrsderamoy@gmail.com). We will be having virtual information meetings using Zoom during the year.

**Please SAVE THE DATE: Texas State Sunbeam HouseParty "Tis So Sweet"**

**July 12-13, 2024 @ Jacksonville (Baptist) College**

Humbly submitted, your sister in Christ,  
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*Just a quick note about the Sunbeam Project for 2022-2023. The Sunbeams raised \$1165.00 for their project of the Work Fund for Larry and Tammy Wood in Ukraine. They are continuing that project for the 2023-2024 year.*