

Presbyterian Women of the Presbytery of The Yellowstone, June 9, 2016

Suzanne Bratsky is in Disaster Preparation Training, Friday, June 10, 2016. She will then be certified and commissioned as a PW-PDA trainer. The train-the-trainer event is designed to give women the tools needed to conduct Disaster Preparedness workshops for churches, presbyteries and communities. **Look forward to her presentation to your congregation.**

Merry Lee Hooks is Secretary/Historian of the PW Synod of Rocky Mountains and will be at the Gathering, How May I Serve You? On June 9-12. The Gathering speakers are: Rachel Yates, "Getting Excited About Mission", Wanda Beauman, "The UN Commission on the Status of Women," Mary Throne, "Women's Advocacy in Wyoming." "Looking to the Future of PW," and "How Do We Serve God?" - Kathy Reeves. More about this when we return.

On our minds now: PW, PC(USA)'s Hunger Program, Office of Public Witness and The Educate A Child Initiative, Bill 221 at the General Assembly, are on our "To Do" list to advocate for a strong Child Nutrition Act and for Healthy Children, Better World. What can we do? See page 38 of Horizons March April 2016, Celebrating Women or ask for a representative from your congregation to make this information available.

We finished the **Come to the Waters** Bible Study by remembering these four points:

1. "Play your long suits." Do much more of what we already do well.
2. Help make the world a better place.
3. Love our sisters and be there for and with them.
4. Make room for new generations and the emerging church.

We will be busy this summer: "Vittles for Kids" Program in Ennis. Fundraisers, and of course continuing to do what we already do well.

Merry Lee Hooks, Moderator