

IDAHO COUNCIL OF
Catholic Women



is proud to present the
2021 ICCW Biennial Convention
Through Him, With Him, In Him



Registration is now open online!

For in-person and virtual attendance options,
please visit <https://myevent.com/iccw2021> to register.

A mail in option for registration is also available on the following pages.

In-person attendance is limited and subject to state and local health protocols. If new protocols emerge prohibiting in-person attendance, all relevant registrants may receive a full refund or switch to virtual attendance for a partial refund.

This event will adhere to COVID protocols from the CDC and Elmore County. We kindly ask for your understanding and cooperation as we strive to keep everyone safe. Thank you!



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ICCW Biennial Convention

April 30 – May 2, 2021

Dear Idaho Council of Catholic Women,

The women of the Idaho Council of Catholic Women (ICCW) cordially invite you to attend the 2021 ICCW Biennial Convention at Our Lady of Good Counsel (OLGC) Catholic Church in Mountain Home, Idaho. Our theme this year is *Through Him, With Him, In Him*.

Our venue this year is the OLGC hall because hotels are unable to host events at this time. This has proven to be a benefit in that the costs are greatly reduced for our convention! For those who are attending in person, there are 14 rooms at The Hampton of Mountain Home and 10 rooms at The Mountain Home Inn for your convenience.

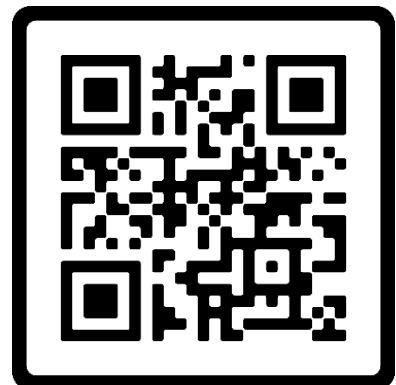
We will also be going online for the first time for those who are unable to physically attend but still wish to watch parts of the convention. This opportunity gives our members the ability to watch our speakers and put forth questions at the end of their presentations. Those who wish to attend online will be given a link just before the beginning of the convention.

This year we will be supporting the small businesses who have taken such a big loss during the shutdowns. Supporting small businesses throughout Idaho will take a bit of work from all of you to succeed. We need you to collect business cards, promotional fliers, and upcoming events/sales fliers from the small businesses within your community. Bring them with you to the convention if you are coming in person so that they can be posted for all to see. Then in your baskets and silent auction items, put in gift certificates and coupons from these businesses.

For our 101st year of service to the diocese of Boise, we have invited an outstanding pair of speakers that will grow your knowledge in the areas of membership recruitment, working well with your pastor, keeping meetings interesting and online, and so much more! Elizabeth Tomlin is the general counsel for the Military Archdiocese and works closely with the Military Council of Catholic Women. Her experience shines through stories of her kids, her military husband, and their many moves around the world. Carol Brown is well known to many of us. Carol is with Salt & Light Radio Boise and directs many of their fundraisers, the Catholic Women's Conference, and the Catholic Men's Conference. She will be sharing her experience on how to put these events together in person and online.

We look forward to seeing all of you at the convention!

Register online at <https://myevent.com/iccw2021>, scan the code to the right, or see page 4 for mail in registration.



IDAHO COUNCIL OF Catholic Women



COVID Policies and Expectations

As a board, we have been monitoring the status of the COVID-19 pandemic in Idaho and our local CCW communities very closely. Of paramount importance to us is the safety and well-being of all of our members. Because of this, we will be taking several precautions at our Convention this year. Please keep in mind that due to the changing of guidelines and rate of vaccine rollout, these policies and expectations may change as we approach our Convention date. We will do our best to communicate our decisions as we get closer to your arrival in Mountain Home on April 30.

We are currently planning the following precautions:

- Virtual option that allows for members to attend parts of the Convention from the safety and comfort of their homes
- Prepackaged and pre-assembled meals and prizes whenever possible
- Physical distancing for in-person attendees in the Convention hall

We are also requesting the following precautions be taken by in-person attendees:

- Wear a mask when around other people not of your household
- Maintain physical distancing as much as possible
- Be up to date on COVID tests (if possible) before Convention to help protect others
- Practice hand washing and personal sanitation

Above all, we trust you to choose how to best keep yourself and others safe, but we also trust you to be responsible in your actions. Thank you for representing ICCW positively in your Convention participation.



REGISTRATION FORM

Registration deadline is: **March 15, 2021**

Full Name: _____

Name for Badge: _____

Parish: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Dietary considerations: _____

PLEASE CHECK APPROPRIATE REGISTRATION FEE(S):

_____ **In-Person Convention Attendee \$80**

(Includes speaker costs, banquet meal & entertainment, swag bag, & materials)

Please mark meal choice _____ Beef _____ Chicken _____ Salmon (Choose 1)

_____ **Banquet Guest \$30**

(Includes banquet meal & entertainment)

Please mark meal choice _____ Beef _____ Chicken _____ Salmon (Choose 1)

_____ **Online Convention Attendee \$30**

(Includes speaker costs, online costs, & Convention eBook)

_____ **Swag Bag (Online Convention Attendees only) \$20**

(This fee helps offset the cost of shipping – Will be mailed AFTER Convention)

_____ **T-shirt \$20** (see next page for this year's design)

Please mark size _____ Small _____ Medium _____ Large _____ XL _____ XXL

Total: _____

Please check your current membership status (check all that apply):

_____ This is my FIRST ICCW convention

_____ I am a PAST ICCW President

_____ I am a CURRENT ICCW member

_____ I am a MCCW member

NO ON-SITE REGISTRATIONS!!!

Scholarships may be available. Please check with your parish units or fill out the application within this package for a full or partial ICCW scholarship.

Cancellations and Refunds: ICCW registration fees will be refunded, less a \$25.00 processing fee if cancellation is received by April 16, 2021. After that date, fees are non-refundable. All refunds will be processed after the convention. We are not responsible for hotel refunds. Please contact the hotel you booked your reservation with to discuss their cancellation and refund policies.

PAYMENT METHOD: Preferred payment is online at <https://myevent.com/iccw2021>. However, you may also pay by check or Money Order – Payable to ICCW. There will be a \$35 fee charged on returned checks by the bank. Registration confirmation/receipt and further information will be mailed or emailed.

Please mail completed registration form with payment **no later than March 15, 2021** to:

Janelle Green
PO Box 1276
Nampa, ID 83653



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Hotel Information



Hampton Inn & Suites: 14 rooms

208-587-7300 | 3175 NE Foothills Avenue, Mountain Home, ID 83647

\$149.00 nightly for Single/Double occupancy – King Studio Suites w/Pullout bed

(Suitable for sharing with 1 King bed plus 1 pull out sofa)

Complimentary Amenities:

- Wireless Internet Access in all Guest Rooms, Public Areas and Business Center
- “On the House” Hot Buffet Breakfast Daily, and “Grab & Go” Breakfast
- Indoor Pool, Spa and Fitness Center
- Business Center (Open 24 Hours)
- “Suite Shop” for Snacks & Sundries purchases (Open 24 Hours)
- Local Phone Calls and Long Distance Access
- Hairdryers, Irons/Boards in Every Room
- In-Room Coffee and Coffee-Makers
- In-room Microwaves & Refrigerators
- Guest Laundry Facility (open 24 Hours)

Be sure to mention “ICCW” when booking your room to get the special rate!

Mountain Home Inn: 10 rooms

208-587-9743 | 1180 US-20, Mountain Home, ID 83647

\$96.00 nightly for Single/Double occupancy – Standard One Queen Room

(Not suitable for sharing *HOTEL ONLY HAS ROOMS WITH 1 QUEEN BED)

Complimentary Amenities:

- Wireless Internet Access in all Public Areas and Guest Rooms
- Complimentary Continental Breakfast Daily
- Local Phone Calls and Long Distance Access
- Hairdryers, Irons/Boards in Every Room
- In-Room Coffee and Coffee-Makers
- In-room Microwaves & Refrigerators
- Lobby Business Center
- Interior guest room entry

Reservation Procedures and Cut-off Date:

Individuals will be responsible for booking their own reservations from the block of rooms held and must call the hotel directly to receive this ICCW special rate. A valid credit card must be provided at the time of each room reservation and check in. Individual cancellation policy is 24 hours prior to arrival. Any cancellations after that will result in a 100% cancellation fee.

Idaho Council of Catholic Women

2021

Woman of the Year

BANQUET

Social
6:30 - 7:00PM



Dinner Served
7:15PM

Dinner Options

Roast Beef with mashed potatoes
Chicken Marcella with rice & herbs
Salmon with rice & herbs

Featuring

Dinner, entertainment,
and live auctions

Our Lady of Good Counsel Hall
342 E Jackson St, Mountain Home, ID

Admission included with in-person convention registration
Additional guest: \$30.00

Attire: Semi-Formal

RSVP: March 15, 2021

Silent & purse auction bidding will be done online. Both auctions close at 8:00PM.

2021 Biennial Convention Speakers

Elizabeth Tomlin



Elizabeth Tomlin is a Catholic author, general counsel for the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA, and a catechist and director of stewardship for the Military Council of Catholic Women, where she also served as president and director of faith formation.

Tomlin is a regular contributor to *Salute*, the magazine of the Archdiocese for the Military Services and *CatholicMom.com*. She is a frequent speaker at Catholic gatherings, both in the United States and abroad. She blogs at joyfulmomentum.org and moderates the Joyful Momentum group on Facebook, which is a community for Catholic women's ministries.

She earned her bachelor of science degree in chemistry in 2002 from the College of William and Mary and her juris doctor from the George Mason University Antonin Scalia School of Law in 2010. Elizabeth is an Army wife. She lives at Joint Base Lewis McChord, Washington with her husband, three children, and rambunctious chocolate lab puppy.

Carol Brown



Carol Brown is a native Idahoan and cradle Catholic. She has been serving in Catholic non-profit ministries for over 20 years. Carol has a passion to help souls grow in their relationship with Christ by sharing resources and faith opportunities. She facilitates monthly mornings of reflection for women over Zoom and moderates a group for Treasure Valley Catholic Homeschool Moms. Carol is the Director of Marketing and Community Relations for Salt & Light Catholic Radio. In her free time she enjoys gardening, board games, and reading historical Christian fiction. She lives in Boise with her giant 6'8' husband and three sons.

Tentative Convention Schedule*

Friday, April 30, 2021

Check-in at hotels begin after 3:00 pm

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| 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm | Doors open/Check-in at Our Lady of Good Counsel (OLCG) |
| 6:00 pm – 6:30 pm | Convention Kick-Off |
| 6:30 pm – 9:30 pm | Evening activities & social – Bingo |

Saturday, May 1, 2021

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| 7:00 am – 8:00 am | Business meeting |
| 8:00 am – 8:30 am | Opening Ceremony |
| 8:30 am – 11:00 am | Breakfast & Morning session |
| 11:00 am – 12:45 pm | Lunch on your own |

SATURDAY LUNCH: Please take the time to visit small businesses in Mountain Home and take advantage of some great food. A map will be provided in your Convention Program Book.

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| 12:45 pm – 3:30 pm | Afternoon session |
| 3:30 pm – 6:30 pm | Free time (Mass is currently being offered at OLGCC at 4 pm) |
| 6:30 pm – 10:00 pm | Woman of the Year Banquet |

Sunday, May 2, 2021

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| 8:00 am – 10:00 am | Breakfast & Business meeting with new board |
| 10:00 am | Convention ends – Closing Prayer |

*Please note that this is a tentative schedule as we are still working hard to finalize the details. That being said, the schedule above is subject to change. A more updated and detailed schedule will be available in your Convention Program Book.



BINGO NIGHT

FRIDAY
April 30, 2021

6:30-9:30 PM

OUR LADY OF GOOD
COUNSEL

Prepackaged meals, snacks, water, and
sodas will be provided

**PRIZES AND
FUN FOR ALL!**

Scholarship Application

We realize this has been a tough year for many. There are a few scholarships available if you would like to attend but are going through a financial hardship. To apply for a scholarship, please complete the following:

1. Letter of Recommendation from your parish CCW unit
2. A brief statement of your past involvement with ICCW
3. Why you wish to attend this function
4. Send your brief statement and letter of recommendation to:

Kari Stockwell
151 SW Gettysburg
Mountain Home, ID 83647
or by email
karistockwell@hotmail.com

ICCW 2021 Biennial Convention PROGRAM ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITIES

Convention Program Book deadline for receipt of ads and payment are due
NO LATER than Monday, March 15, 2021

Name of Advertiser: _____

Contact person: _____

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

Ad rates and sizes: Please check one

_____ Full Page \$150

_____ Half Page \$100

_____ Quarter Page \$50

_____ ICCW Program Patrons Page \$25.00 (Individual listing OR Affiliation listing only)

For all listings:

- Ads will be printed in full color
- Ads must be high resolution (minimum 300 ppi) sent as jpeg or PDF file
- Your ad must be the exact size for which you are paying
- If paying by credit card, please do so at <https://myevent.com/iccw2021> under the Sponsor tabs (See back for information on paying by check)
- Email your digital ad (please no handwritten or hand-drawn ads) to:

Cathryn Gardner at cvolk0328@gmail.com or

Janelle Green at polynelland2@gmail.com

Please reference "ICCW Program Ad" in your email's subject line

Ads and payment are due no later than March 15, 2021. Faxed copies will not be accepted. ICCW is not responsible for making your ad camera-ready or for proofreading. Ads not received in the proper format are subject to return.

*The Idaho Council of Catholic Women appreciates your
support and generosity!*

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ICCW 2021 Biennial Convention PROGRAM ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITIES

Payment Information:

_____ Online _____ Check Enclosed (payable to ICCW)

Total Due: _____

Date: _____

Signature: _____

Mail completed form with payment to:

Janelle Green
PO Box 1276
Nampa, ID 83653

Questions? Please contact:

Cathryn Gardner
cvolk0328@gmail.com
or
Janelle Green
polynelland2@gmail.com

For ICCW Use Only Payment Received By: _____ Date: _____

ICCW 2021 Woman of the Year Nominations

We are currently accepting nominations for the 2021 Woman of the Year, which will be announced at the Convention Banquet on the evening of May 1, 2021.

The criteria for nomination are:

1. An active woman of ICCW or affiliated CCW unit
2. A woman who exemplifies Catholic living, who is active in a CCW parish unit, their community, and family
3. Nomination letters are to be 200-250 words emailed to Kari Stockwell at karistockwell@hotmail.com
4. Deadline is March 30, 2021
5. Please make sure she is attending the convention in person or online

For questions regarding the Woman of the Year, please contact:

Kari Stockwell
karistockwell@hotmail.com

Silent Auction

Would you like to support ICCW in a fun way that showcases your skills, passions, or just the great hometown you live in? Then the silent auction is for you! Bring to the convention an item or items worth at least \$35. Please include gift certificates or coupons from your town so that your donation benefits not just ICCW but Idaho small businesses.

Purse Auction

The purse auction has become the highlight of the convention banquet. Oh, the fun we have! Any member can fill a purse for the auction but it is much more fun to have a group fill a purse for a special purpose such as a “Day at the Spa” or “Gardening with a Saint.” The fun is filling all the little pockets with special items or a bit of money so that the person who wins the bid shows everyone all of her goodies! All we ask is that the purse be worth a minimum of \$50 and coupons or gift certificates be included so that small businesses may benefit along with ICCW.

Please note!

We're Going Online!

In order to allow all attendees, both in-person and online, to participate in the Silent and Purse Auctions we will be going online! But we need your help to do this.

Please send the following information regarding your auction items PRIOR to the convention so they can be loaded and ready for auctioning off at the start of the convention. Thank you!

Item name/Theme: (Example: Spa Day)

Category: (Example: Silent Auction or Purse Auction)

Donor(s): (Example: Rachel Geller or Mountain Home CCW)

Brief description (less than 50 words): (Example: Spend a day at the spa with a gift certificate to a local spa and relaxation goodies!)

Minimum bid: \$35

To submit your Silent or Purse Auction items or for questions please contact:

Tracy Janis

tracyljanis@cablone.net

(208) 371-4418



Directions & Map of Mountain Home

Mountain Home is located just off of I-84 between Boise and Twin Falls.

The Hampton Inn & Suites and The Mountain Home Inn are both located off of exit 95.

To get to Our Lady of Good Counsel:

Take exit 95.

If coming from Boise, turn right onto American Legion after exiting.

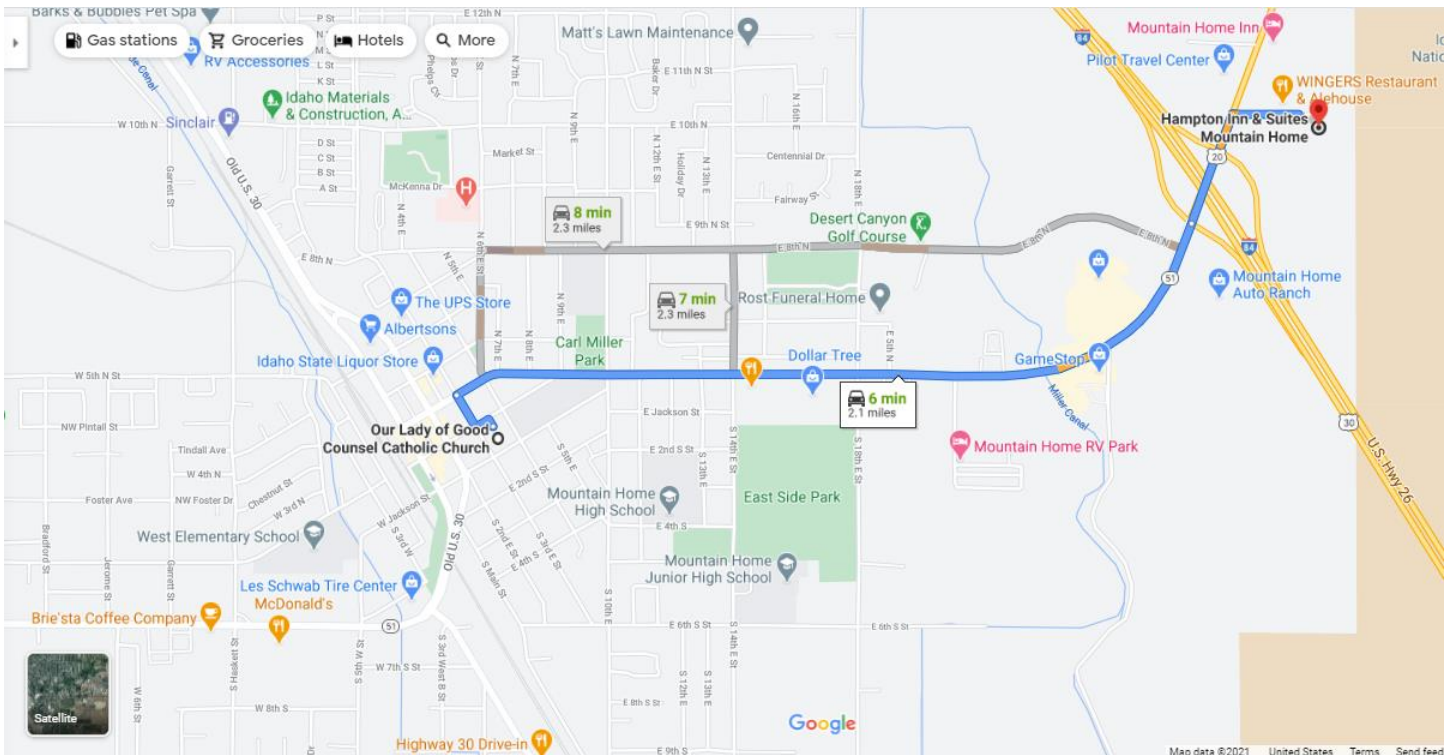
If coming from Twin Falls, turn left onto American Legion after exiting.

Continue on American Legion.

Turn left onto N 3rd E St.

Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church will be on your left.

342 E Jackson St, Mountain Home, ID 83647



2021 – 2023 ICCW Board

Below is a list of all the board member positions, as well as commission chairs. As you can see, there are a lot of vacancies. Please prayerfully consider if God is calling you to serve in any of these positions for the 2021 – 2023 term. For more information or to volunteer, please contact Pierrette Harris (contact information below).

President

Pierrette Harris
pierrettemadhare62@gmail.com
208-230-0685

Spiritual Advisor

Fr. Joseph Lustig
208-840-9647

1st Vice President/President Elect

Vacant

Immediate Past President

Kari Stockwell
karistockwell@hotmail.com
406-223-8502

2nd Vice President/Convention Chair

Vacant

Auditor

Vacant

Secretary

Vacant

Parliamentarian

Vacant

Treasurer

Vacant

Historian

Vacant

2021 – 2023 Commission Chairs

Leadership

Vacant

Spirituality

Kelli Hall
kelli4669@yahoo.com
208-220-6496

Service

Vacant

Idaho Council of Catholic Women

Diocese of Boise

Individual Membership

AS EASY AS A, B, C, D...

A. Who is entitled to an individual membership?

Any active catholic woman may purchase an individual membership. However, we suggest and hope that women who have an active Council of Catholic Women (CCW) unit in their parish will continue to support it.

B. What benefits do I get?

Benefits received as an individual member are:

- Updates and communication from ICCW/NCCW: Biannual ICCW newsletter-**EASEL**, annual ICCW Yearbook, which includes: current names of all officers and commission chairs, individual members in Idaho, and ICCW Constitution and Bylaws
- Invitation Biennial Convention
- Semi-Annual Retreat
- Mini-One-Day Retreats offered to the women in your parish
- **In communion with all Idaho Council of Catholic Women**

C. How much does it cost?

Annual dues are \$15.00

D. How do I sign up?!

Fill out the Individual Membership Form below. Attach your check and send to the address on the form.

Women Making a Difference

Throughout Idaho...

Thank you for your interest and support!

Our Lady of Good Counsel, pray for us!



Idaho Council of Catholic Women

Diocese of Boise

Individual Membership Form

Dues: \$15.00 per year

Women Making a Difference Throughout Idaho...

Please PRINT

Name: _____ Parish Name: _____

Address: _____ Email: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

___ One year membership (\$15)

___ Two-year membership (\$30)

Make Checks Payable to: **ICCW**
Additional ICCW pins are available for \$5.00 each
Number of pins: _____ @ \$5.00 = \$ _____
(Receipt will be mailed with order)

Remit Form and Check to:

Michelle Goodell
ICCW Treasurer
2609 SW Hamilton Rd
Mountain Home, ID 83647

Questions?

Phone: (406) 223-8502

Email: karistockwell@hotmail.com