



NEW ZEALAND METHODIST WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

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Napaykullaqui (Hello) Greetings in Aymaras. The spoken language in Northern Chile.

We would like to draw your attention to the following:

1. 12th World Assembly 10th – 16th August 2011

Venue: Indaba Hotel & Conference Centre Fourways, Johannesburg, South Africa.
Dates: 10th - 16th August 2011
Theme: "Bambelela [Never Give Up] – Christ is our Hope"

Registration forms attached and can also be downloaded via website.

Registration fee US\$125.00

- ❖ Thank you to all who have registered.
- ❖ Please ensure your passport details are sent to the National Secretary
- ❖ Options are still available for those who are still thinking of attending.
- ❖ \$2 per member toward our World Office nominee – Leu Pupulu. Please ensure District names are used for reference purposes.

2. National Council

Venue: Belt Road Campsite
Date: Friday 30 September – Sunday 2 October 2011

We are very excited to have National Council here in our beautiful hometown known as "The Naki". We hope all District leaders and representatives join us in what will be a "Taradise Experience".

Registration forms will be sent out in March. Please ensure all forms are filled in and sent back as soon as possible.

3. Membership

A reminder to all districts that membership fees are due ASAP.

4. SALE ITEMS

"Don't give up –ENGAGE!"

- T-shirts are now available to order.
Cost \$25.00 each. A wide range of sizes are available.
- MWF badges are available at \$7.00 each.
- WFMUCW Pendants are now available at \$10.00 each plus postage

Please submit orders to the National Secretary.

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5. National Council Remits

All remits and recommendations must be in by 31 May 2011.

6. PRESIDENTS VISITS

Please contact our Liaison Link Jeanne Misikei jmisikei@gmail.com to organise Presidents visits. A friendly reminder, each district contributes 250.00 to assist in this travel.

7. National Council of Women of New Zealand – Women Influencing Policy

NCWNZ has been in effect since 1896 – but there is still a lot of work to be done. NCWNZ aims to work towards improving the quality of life for women, families and society. We encourage all members to Engage by joining or even sit in their local National council of Women New Zealand branch meetings.

8. Prayer Request

- Please keep Christchurch community in our prayers.
- We uphold also Japan and the devastating impact on families.
- Women of Chile “How many loaves have you?”
- Volunteers of Habitat for Humanity

I end with these beautiful lyrics:

Go gently, Go lightly,
Go safe in the spirit,
Live simply, don't carry much more than you need;
Go trusting, God's goodness,
Go spreading God's Kindness
Stay centred on Jesus, and where He will lead.

Words: Shirley Murray; Music Colin Gibson

Warm blessings,
National Secretary

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