

## South & South-West Ontario Regional Gathering 2023

# *“Coming Together - A Day of Renewal”*

Saturday, September 30, 2023, 9:00 – 3:30  
Salvation Army Community Church,  
33 Diana Avenue, Brantford, 519-752-7813

*Hosted by the Grand River Grannies*

**In Celebration of the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of The Stephen Lewis Foundation, the national quilt will be hung at the Gathering**

### Agenda:

<b>Set-up</b>	<b>8:00</b>
<b>Registration &amp; Marketplace</b>	<b>8:40 - 9:30</b>
<b>Morning Program:</b>	<b>9:30 – 11:15</b>
Welcome	
Keynote Address, Meg French, Executive Director, SLF	
SLF Programs Team presentation and Q & A	
<b>Lunch and marketplace</b>	<b>11:20 – 12:15</b>
<b>Afternoon Program:</b>	
Workshop 1	<b>12:20 – 1:50</b>
Workshop 2	<b>2:00 – 3:30</b>
Farewell	<b>3:30</b>

### Workshops

Each participant will be able to attend 2 afternoon workshops. In the registration, please indicate your 2 choices:

#### **AW – Attracting Women to the Campaign**

- considering new and different ways to attract women and enable their involvement in the Campaign; alternatives to the traditional membership model; our image in the community; DIRR findings and recommendations

#### **SB – Striking a Balance**

- being realistic about what we can do; collaboration and partnership
- what we do well; what makes for a successful event
- taking care of ourselves as we pursue our mission supporting our sisters in Africa

#### **NW – Navigating Our Way**

- exploring all that's available on the Campaign website; educating and inspiring ourselves and others
- bring your ipad, laptop or tablet to this interactive workshop

## Registration:

- Registration fee is **\$35.00**.
- This includes morning snacks, lunch and beverages. In an effort to be environmentally responsible, we ask that you bring your own reusable water bottles. Lunches will be individually packaged for health considerations.
- Register early to avoid disappointment. **REGISTRATION CLOSES Sept. 20.**
- Either:
  - Print off and complete the registration form. Mail it, along with a cheque payable to the 'Grand River Grannies', to Theresa Randles, 78 Unity Side Rd., Caledonia, ON N3W 1Y2
  - Email completed registration form to [trandles@rogers.com](mailto:trandles@rogers.com) and e-transfer payment to [sbutchergrg@gmail.com](mailto:sbutchergrg@gmail.com)
- Your registration will be confirmed upon receipt
- Sorry, there are no refunds, but you may transfer your registration to another person
- If you are registering more than one person, please be sure to include the name, contact information, special needs information, workshop choices and registration fee for each person
- Should the fee be prohibitive for you, please contact [trandles@rogers.com](mailto:trandles@rogers.com) . Your request to attend will be considered by the organizing committee

## Marketplace:

Please email Jen at [dealwis21@gmail.com](mailto:dealwis21@gmail.com) to book a marketplace table at the Gathering.

- Set up from 8:00 – 8:30 a.m.
- 1 – 6ft. table and 2 chairs
- Please provide your own covering for the table
- Registrants are reminded to bring money (cash or cheque), to make purchases at the marketplace

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**Registration closes September 20**

Name	
Grandmother Group	
Email address	
Phone number	
Special needs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dietary</li><li>• Mobility</li><li>• Hearing/Other</li></ul>	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
Workshop Choices: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• First</li><li>• Second</li><li>• Alternate</li></ul>	Code – Title -- - - <hr/> -- - - <hr/> -- - - <hr/>
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