



## 2023 Grand Canyon Synod Women's Convention/Gathering Today's Katie Scholarship Application

I am interested in attending the Grand Canyon Synod Women of the ELCA Fall Convention/Gathering and would like to apply for one of the four **Today's Katie** 2023 Fall Convention/Gathering scholarships. This scholarship is restricted to one in each of the four geographic areas of our synod. Applicants must be first time attendees and between the age of 18-30. Scholarships will be announced on September 27, 2023.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Your age \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Your church name \_\_\_\_\_

Your church city \_\_\_\_\_

This scholarship is provided by the Women of the Grand Canyon Synod to encourage attendance of women ages 18-30 at our Women of the ELCA's Synod Convention/Gathering, held every two years. In 2023, our Fall Convention/Gathering will be held at the Holiday Inn and Convention Center in Mesa AZ from November 10-12, 2023 (Friday afternoon through Sunday morning worship). This scholarship includes a pre-paid registration to the event, double occupancy hotel room for Friday and Saturday nights, and all meals. Transportation is not included.

Please describe how you are presently active in serving Christ (use back of application if needed):

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With what gifts have you been blessed?

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How could your participation in this Women of the ELCA event benefit you, and the women in your church?

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I understand that if I am granted this scholarship, I will attend and participate in the opportunities available at the 2023 Synod Convention/Gathering in Mesa, AZ. Following the Synod Convention/Gathering, I will submit a written report of my experience to the President of the Grand Canyon Synod board for their next board meeting. If I am unable to attend the Fall Convention/Gathering, I will notify the President of WELCA by Oct. 15, 2023 to allow my scholarship to be used by another applicant.

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Signature of Applicant

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Date

**The Today's Katie is one scholarship in each of the four geographic areas (north, south, east, west) of our Synod. Forward application to Phyllis Borchardt, Secretary, GCSWELCA, by email [pdb12262012@gmail.com](mailto:pdb12262012@gmail.com) by Sept. 15, 2023.**