

Virtual Conference

INTERESTED HOST GUIDE



INTRODUCTION

WWWG's Remote Hosting option is an increasingly popular option as women across the county seek to serve their congregation and community with our world-class content. Several Remote Hosts have begun sending a handful of women to attend in person and then returning home to help coordinate their local WWWG event. Many are hand-selecting their content to feature the WWWG Speakers, Vocal Performers, and Christian Humorist segments that will best serve their audience, often consolidating into a one-day event. Additionally, young women are getting involved at our Remote Host sites, providing an opportunity to utilize the skills they've developed in school, Leadership Training for Christ (LTC) or Lads to Leaders, in their very own congregations. God continues to open new doors for us to partner through these efforts, and we are honored to support your congregation's endeavors and ministries!

WHAT IS WWWG ON-DEMAND?

WWWG On-Demand is a special opportunity for you to share WWWG in your home town with your congregation, community, friends, and family. We all need and desire ways to encourage and strengthen relationships. Think of how you can be an encouragement to those who want to attend the live event but who are unable to travel because of distance, health, or family responsibilities. You, and the women who help you, will determine how simple or elaborate your event will be. From decorations, to food, to promoting the event, you will customize it to fit your needs, abilities, time, and to best suit the women you serve as they gather.

No matter how simple or elaborate your event, you and your gathering can expect the opportunity to recharge and refresh your spirits as you learn, laugh, and sing together.

WHAT IS REQUIRED TO USE WWWG ON-DEMAND?

- A good internet connection
 - If you can view a YouTube video or Netflix without buffering (pauses in the video), your connection should be adequate.
 - If you are "tech savvy," a speed of 5mbps or more is adequate.
- A sound system adequate enough for your gathering to fully experience the event
- A large overhead screen for your gathering to comfortably view the event

WHAT CONTENT CAN YOU EXPECT?

The On-Demand content you receive access to is the edited recording of each speaker session, interview, entertainer, and all our congregational singing. This content is made available by the Friday following Conference, and provided within a private Vimeo channel only accessible to registered Remote Host Sites.

The WWWG Management Team is actively reviewing our potential list of world-class speakers and entertainers to ensure this year's Conference lineup will glorify God and uplift the women who will attend, both in-person and virtually.


The full lineup of speakers is revealed annually at our **Conference Kick-off Event in October**. If you miss the live Kick-off event, you can catch the replay on our Facebook and YouTube pages, or learn all about this year's Conference on our website.

Facebook: @Women.Walking.with.God
YouTube: @womenwalkingwithgod

We invite you to join with us for this fun live event to learn about the details for this year's Conference!

10.19.2024 @ 10 am CST

**Join us for our Virtual Kickoff LIVE
on our Facebook page**



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WHAT DOES WWWG ON-DEMAND PROVIDE TO ME AS A HOST?

- WWWG On-Demand Host Guide
- Unlimited On-Demand access beginning one week after Conference through August 31.
- Informational Zoom Meetings/Recordings
- Detailed Conference agenda
- Dedicated technical support via email through your event. Live tech support the day of your event may be available upon request.
- Mood Board with inspiration for décor, as you see fit
- Customizable flyers to promote your event with your congregation and community
- Customizable PowerPoint slide to promote with your congregation
- A dedicated Liaison who will support you each step of the way
- Opportunity to add on up to **2 half-price tickets** to attend in-person in preparation for your On-Demand event

HOW MUCH DOES WWWG ON-DEMAND COST?

Women Walking with God is mission-minded and, as such, aims to make this outreach side of Conference affordable to all. **All of the perks, benefits, and assistance available to Remote Host Sites is provided at one low cost – \$200 per congregation!** Some host gatherings in the past have chosen to provide the event free to their attendees; others charge a nominal fee to help cover expenses. You and your leadership will decide what is best in your situation.

EXAMPLES OF HOW WOMEN ARE CUSTOMIZING THEIR REMOTE HOST SITE EXPERIENCE

Congregation 1

This congregation, based upon their small size and desire to bless the young moms of their church family, has decided to sign on as a Remote Host Site. They will first provide babysitting by the older women of the congregation, so the younger women can attend Conference in person. The older women will then utilize the On-Demand content to host a gathering later in the year for those who didn't get to attend, or break the content up to use in their ladies bible classes throughout the summer.

Congregation 2

This congregation has decided to be a Remote Host Site and is partnering with other congregations to create a large, unified event in their area. They are excited to have an event that brings area women together for fellowship and fun, even though they worship with different church families.

Congregation 3

This congregation has also decided to be a Remote Host Site. In addition to inviting friends, family and co-workers, the women will publicize the event through their multiple community outreach ministries. This will not only enhance their WWWG event, but also will form new relationships for their church's existing ministries.

Congregation 4

Some women from this congregation have always attended in-person Conference and still wish to do so. However, others from their congregation would be blessed by what they learn but are unable to attend the in-person Conference (i.e. unable to travel, poor health, scheduling conflicts, etc.). So, they are purchasing in-person tickets and also signing on as a Remote Host Site, thus allowing them to utilize the On-Demand recorded content to share their Conference experiences back home following the event.

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WHAT IS NEXT?

Pray

As a team, ask God for guidance and strength so that the WWWG On-Demand event will glorify Him and lift high the name of Jesus for all in your community to acknowledge Him.

Visit with Your Local Church Leaders

Tell your church leaders about WWWG and the many opportunities with WWWG On-Demand. Present the WWWG leadership letter (included at the end of this packet) to your leaders and let them know what WWWG means for you.

Register as a Remote Host Site

Registration is the official step that gets you matched with a dedicated liaison who will help you get your planning started.

Registration opens immediately following Kickoff in October. The deadline for On-Demand Host Sites is the end of January. Register as an "On-Demand Host Site" at [womenwalkingwithgod.org/registration](https://www.womenwalkingwithgod.org/registration).

Form a Team

Select a couple, or a handful, of women to work together with you. Pray and prepare for a very fun and meaningful experience! We will share ideas to make it as easy as possible for you to be successful.

Host Expectations

- Facilitate WWWG On-Demand Event (All resources are provided with the hosting fee.)
- We strongly recommend hosting your event shortly after the Live Conference, between one week after and the first week of May. (Dedicated technical support can only be guaranteed through the end of April.)
- On your phone, record a short video (in landscape orientation) during your gathering, and send it to WWWG after your event.
- Log attendee contact information and submit to WWWG.

Foster Unity

As a host and leader of your team, keep unity as your event begins to take shape. In the spirit of sensitivity and humility, create and maintain a safe environment for all to come unhindered to the feet of Jesus in their personal way. Pray for the Spirit to guide you as you demonstrate love to those you invite and host.

Lean on God

Within each WWWG On-Demand host site, the Lord will have a unique agenda. Listen and rely on Him while trusting in His strength and direction.

Key Dates

Registration opens: October, immediately following Kick-off

Registration deadline: End of January





Dear Church Leaders and Elders:

The Women Walking with God (WWWG) Conference began in 2007 when some women at Northside Church of Christ in Wichita, Kansas dreamed of an event that would encourage women in our area. Conference began at the Northside church building with 600 in attendance but within a few years outgrew that venue. Attendance had grown to 1400+ before the pandemic, and the event is now held at Hartman Arena in Wichita, Kansas.

Speakers are selected so that women from the Churches of Christ, or any Christian fellowship, can feel confident inviting their family, friends, and the community to an event with world-class speakers and entertainment. Worship and vocal performances are a cappella, and as a whole, Conference is geared toward both believers and those who might be seeking the Lord.

Organization and management of the WWWG Conference is done by the women of the Northside congregation. It is intended to be “self-supporting” and “break-even.” Ticket costs and simulcast fees are set to cover expenses only.

The annual Conference is held in April—a Friday night and all-day Saturday—filled with biblical teaching, worship, a Christian humorist, performances by a cappella groups, and shopping opportunities at various vendors. While the Conference experience includes lots of fun and fellowship, the emphasis is on spiritual growth, with breakout sessions to address specific groups and topics. A free, online community is also offered to encourage and connect women. Conference organizers will soon be launching year-round resources to women via email.

During the pandemic many women voiced their desire to be a part of Conference but were unable to attend in person; therefore, Conference was live-streamed and well-received. We learned that groups of women organically chose to gather and watch Conference together. To help facilitate these gatherings, Remote Hosting options were officially introduced in 2023 and more and more congregations and communities around the country are benefiting each year from bringing Conference to their location, as they utilize our dynamic content to gather women to fellowship and worship together.

We share this information because we believe attending the Conference in person could be a blessing to the women of your congregation. Or perhaps the women of your congregation might enjoy using their talents for the Lord and serving your community by being a Remote Host Site

The Women Walking with God ministry is overseen by the Northside eldership, and Clayton McCullough is the elders’ representative to the WWWG Management Team. Church leaders may contact Clayton with additional questions at crmcowboy@sbcglobal.net

In Him,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Clayton McCullough".

Clayton McCullough,
for the Northside Elders

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