



Moderator's Musings

Happy New Year! (from Donna Preston, Moderator of the PW of the Northern Plains)

Last summer, I felt God calling me to take a big step in my life. I decided to take classes through the Synod of Lakes and Prairie Academy for Commissioned Lay Pastor/Commissioned Ruling Elder. I am in my 4th class right now, taking Pastoral Care. I am enjoying learning more. I am not sure what I will do with this schooling in the end but I know it will help me with all the things I do both in my church and the Presbytery. I have been doing lay preaching and various presentations throughout our Presbytery and beyond. In just the 4 classes I have taken, I have learned so much. I am realizing no matter one's age, a person can continually learn. Also I have realized that God calls us to various ministries. I have realized that if He wants us to do something, He will continue to nudge you until you listen. He will also provide to help one succeed, one just needs to trust.

Why am I sharing this with you? I truly believe God is calling our PW's to continue to be His arms and feet in this world. Each PW is unique and is called to do their own type of ministry. Some PWs sew and make quilts/lap robes to give to various organizations and groups. Many years ago Grandin PW gave quilts to YWCA and a few months later received a thank you from a young woman thanking them for their generosity as the quilt meant a lot as she moved out of the shelter and moved into her own place. One never knows how God will use you to make a difference in this world. I urge you to look for opportunities and to listen where God may be leading you. You are never too old to do God's work. You can send cards of encouragement, you can spend time with a young person in your community who needs some attention as mom and dad work long hours, make a phone call to someone who is shut in, crochet/knit hats and mittens for the children at the Bdecan Church, mentor someone, donate money to a Presbyterian mission/partnership or local charity, and the list goes on.

I encourage you to listen to how God is calling you to use your gifts and talents in ministry to others. You never know whose life you may touch.

Calendar of events and deadlines

March: Women's History Month, (womenshistorymonth.gov)

March 5, June 5, Sept. 5, Dec. 5: 2025 Quarterly pledge payment dates

March 7: World Day of Prayer (wdp-usa.org or worlddayofprayer.net)

March 9: Celebrate the Gifts of Women Sunday (Horizon Nov./Dec. 2024)

April 5: Spring Presbytery Meeting, University of Jamestown

*April 12: Spring Gathering, Presbyterian Church in Langdon, ND

April 20: Easter

April 26: PW Synod Meeting in Bismarck

May 2-4: Youth Spring Retreat in Bismarck

*June 12-15: PW Synod Spring Gathering, Watertown, SD

July 28-31: Youth Triennium, Louisville, KY (presbyterianyouthtriennium.org)

August 15: PWP Newsletter deadline

**Notes from the Moderator, Donna Preston:

RSVP by April 5th how many from your PW will be attending the April 12th PW Spring Gathering in Langdon. Email at preston@gra.midco.net or call 701-238-7414

I would urge you to consider attending the PW Synod Gathering this spring in Watertown, SD, June 12-15. There will be a pre--gathering Mini Mission trip to the Lake Traverse Reservation on June 11th: leaving the motel at 8am and returning in time for the start of the Gathering. I have enjoyed all the Synod Gatherings I have attended. It's a chance to meet people throughout our Synod.

2025 Birthday Offering Recipients

Leland Presbyterian Church \$150,000

Windward Volunteer Housing Facility

Leland, Mississippi

This Birthday Offering grant will help build a housing facility at Leland Presbyterian Church. Windward Volunteer Housing will offer safe and comfortable accommodations, including showers, laundry equipment and a kitchen. Members of the community who need a temporary place to stay and volunteer groups who come for disaster recovery will find a warm welcome in Leland.

Red Cloud Renewable \$150,000

Lakota Thiyuha Dome Home Project

Pine Ridge, South Dakota

This Birthday Offering grant will construct three dome homes, providing housing as well as creating publicity for this affordable option. Construction apprentices will gain experience in this building technique that can rapidly and affordably increase housing availability for Lakota families in need.

The Search Committee needs your recommendations/suggestions of women to contact for two Search Committee positions. The PWPCT works best when all positions are filled. If each of us took a turn in some capacity on the PWP Coordinating Team, all of us would share in building and maintaining PW in the Northern Plains. Contact the Search Committee chair, Lynn McGauvran (farminnd@aim.com), 701-256-2688, with your questions, recommendations or suggestions.

PW SYNOD GATHERING

Ramkota Hotel & Watertown Event Center, Watertown, SD

“Let your Light Shine!” Matt.5:16

Beginning with dinner on Thursday, June 12, enjoy a weekend of eight workshops, two group presentations, shopping, a program book, book groups, mission opportunities, guest speakers, a Gathering choir and meals, including snacks, included with a full registration of \$150.00. **As an incentive to attend, the PW Presbytery will reimburse you for your full registration.** Your cost would be for travel and lodging only. Rooms are \$115 plus tax per night and can be shared with up to four friends. Registration forms will be sent to PW Moderators for their PW groups and churches when available.

Our leadership team for the Gathering is worship leader, Elona Street-Stewart, Synod Executive, Bloomington, MN; music director, Rev. Kristi Holler, a pastor at Emanuel Presbyterian Church in Marion, SD; and art designer, Fern Cloud, a member of Sisseton Wahpeton Dakota Tribe living in Granite Falls, MN.

A pre-Gathering tour to the Lake Traverse Reservation includes stops at churches, Sisseton-Wahpeton College, the memorial park where an Indian Boarding School stood, and a visit to a domestic shelter. Leaving from the hotel lobby at 8 a.m. on Thursday, June 12, your cost for the tour is \$10 with your full registration. Lunch will be provided by the Dakota Presbytery PW.

Single-day registration will be available at a cost to you of \$75, meals are included and up to four workshops available to choose from. The pre-Gathering tour to Lake Traverse Reservation with a single-day registration is \$35 and includes the Thursday evening reception.

If you would like to help with the planning, with a workshop, with onsite details, please contact our Vice Moderator, Lana Schultz, at lanaj0@casselton.net or 701-238-4538.

Colgate PW

The Colgate PW sponsored the Fall Fling Vendor Show at the Page Auditorium on November 9th from 10am to 2pm. A vendor show on the Saturday of ND deer opening had been an event in Page for many years, but had not happened for several years. Twenty vendors participated plus our PW had a rummage sale, crafts for sale, served sweets and coffee and a noon meal. The event was fun and a success. The area women enjoyed the show, the food and the social time together. We plan to do this event again in 2025. (submitted by Jeanne Mewes)

Many PW groups support the mission: [Gift of the Heart Kits](#). This year, Church World Service has updated all Gift of the Heart kits. Also, Church World Service has added another shipping location, CWS, 28606 Phillips St., Elkhart, IN 46514, for Gift of the Heart kits. Visit cwskits.org for all updated info.

HYGIENE KITS. Here's what you'll need:

- 1-gallon resealable plastic bag
- Washcloth
- Toothbrush (in original packing)
- Fingernail or toenail clipper (packaging removed)
- Bath-size bar of soap (in original wrapping, not box)
- Travel-size deodorant (3.4 oz. or less, non-aerosol)
- Travel-size lotion (3.4 oz. or less, fragrance-free, NEW only)
- Travel-size shampoo (3.4 oz. or less, NEW only)
- Travel-size toothpaste (3.4 oz. or less, expiration date of 1 year)
- Sturdy wide-tooth comb (6" minimum teeth, packaging removed)

All items need to fit inside a one-gallon Ziploc type bag. Remove the excess air from the bag and seal before boxing.

KID KITS (formerly known as the School Kit), this includes updated supplies tailored for elementary-age children.

Here is what you'll need:

- · 12 colored pencils
- · Two-pocket folder
- · Glue stick
- · Blunt-tip scissors (packaging removed)
- · 70-page wide spiral-bound notebook
- · 30-cm/12" ruler
- · Hand-held pencil sharpener (packaging removed)
- · Large eraser
- · Six new, unsharpened pencils (bundled with a rubber band)
- · Box of 24 crayons

- 12"x14" to 14"x17" cotton or lightweight canvas bag with handles (solid color or
 - kid-friendly fabric, no logos) (can use "school bag pattern" at cwskits.org)
 - Optional: Handmade or store-bought pencil pouch (tutorial at cwskits.org).
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Period Packs. Here's what you'll need:

- One 1-gallon size re-sealable bag
- Two 2oz bottle hand sanitizer
- Three 4-gallon bathroom trash bags
- One travel pack of Wet Ones
- 5 regular Tampons
- 5 super absorbency Tampons
- 12 Pads (Unscented. Long super ultra-thin) (Do not open package)
- Bath-size soap (3 oz. bar or larger. No Ivory or Jergen's soap. Do not remove from packaging)
- One pack of flushable wipes (Unscented. 42 count)
- Six fragrance-free laundry sheets (placed in small, Ziploc bags)

Assembly Tips

- Place all items in the plastic bag, remove air, and seal.
- All items must be new.
- Do not enclose personal notes, money, or extra items in the kits.

Mailing and shipping forms are at www.cwskits.org. Contact PWP Mission Coordinator Lana Schultz with questions.

May You Always Have Work
 For Your Hands To Do
 May Your Pockets Hold Always
 A Coin Or Two
 May The Sun Shine Bright
 On Your Windowpane
 May The Rainbow Be Certain
 To Follow Each Rain
 May The Hand Of A Friend
 Always Be Near You
 And May God Fill Your Heart
 With Gladness To Cheer You
 Irish Blessing
 (submitted by Linda Warnke)

FALL GATHERING 2024

Presbyterian Women of Northern Plains and Dakota Presbyteries held a joint Fall Gathering on Saturday, September 28, at the Bdecan Presbyterian Church, the only Native American Presbyterian Church in North Dakota. Chandra Mendieta, (pictured) Ministries and Youth Coordinator at Bdecan, led worship. Karen Littlewind, a Bdecan church member, welcomed everyone. The church women served a traditional fry bread taco lunch. Winter outerwear clothing was collected as part of the Spirit Lake Nation's annual winter wear giveaway held at the community center. In the afternoon, we heard stories from sisters, Sharon Georgeson (pictured) and Alberta Red Fox, (pictured) about their lives in the Spirit Lake Nation and experiences/roles at the church which sits on land donated by their father. Louie Garcia, (pictured) church member, historian, and brother-in-law to Sharon and Alberta, told us about the history of the reservation, church, and the church's food pantry. Louie teaches Dacotah culture and language to middle school students and led us in songs in the Dacotah language. Donna Preston, PWP Moderator and Bdecan ministry team co-chair, shared some history about Northern Plains Presbytery's partnership with members of the Bdecan church. A partnership that includes supporting a Ministries and Youth Coordinator, maintaining the manse, working together to build the current church (pictured), adding a clothing closet building, and moving the food pantry into the original church building next door.





Chandra Mendieta



Alberta Red Fox
Delphine McKay



Louie Garcia



Sharon Georgeson

Northern Lights Newsletter

The Northern Lights Newsletter is distributed by email or mail to over 50 Presbyterian Women. It is also available on the Presbytery of the Northern Plains website <https://www.northernplainspresbytery.com>. Scroll down to "Presbytery Women" then scroll to "Links." The Newsletter is a means to connect and inform. Your contribution to its content is greatly appreciated. Jeanne Mewes, editor (rmewes@rocketmail.com)

Mendenhall PW

The Mendenhall PW East Grand Forks hosted a Musical Fundraiser for the ND/ MN Honor Flight and raised over \$600.

Their PW meets every Monday to make quilts, jams and jellies to sell or to donate to community fundraising projects.

They put together and deliver over one hundred candy bars to local nursing home four times a year. (Submitted by Bev Casmey)

Salted Nut Roll Bars (updated recipe)

(delicious bars served at Arvilla at the Spring Gathering)

Ingredients:

1/2 cup butter or margarine

1 large pkg. butterscotch chips

1 cup peanut butter

2 cups salted peanuts

2 cups Rice Krispies

1 pkg. mini marshmallows

Melt the first three ingredients in a double boiler. Cool. In a large bowl mix the melted ingredients with the peanuts, Rice Krispies and marshmallows. Mix well and put in a 10" x15" pan. Enjoy! (Sorry for the missing information in the Fall Newsletter)

Horizons Magazine

Horizons is the magazine and Bible Study for Presbyterian Women. Focusing on faith and life, the magazine gives you insights from women around the world and inspiration to live boldly. Subscription information on presbyterianwomen.org

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1 Corinthians 16:14

**Do Everything
in
LOVE**

PW SPRING GATHERING

**SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 2025
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF LANGDON
423 8th AVE, LANGDON**

**REGISTRATION AT 10AM
WORSHIP 10:30 AM
\$15 REGISTRATION**

Offering and proceeds from silent auction items will be given to

CLEARWATER FOREST BIBLE CAMP

Please consider bringing a silent auction item
or basket to be bid on!

RSVP to Donna Preston @ 701-238-7414 or preston@gra.midco.net

Let Donna know by April 5 how many from your PW will be attending the Gathering.

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Bdecan

Dearest Supporters and Partners in Ministry,

I am writing to express our heartfelt gratitude for your incredible generosity and support of Bdecan Presbyterian Church and its ministries. Whether you have donated your time, financial resources, physical items, or talents, your contribution has made an immeasurable impact on our ability to serve those in need!

Through your kindness, our food pantry, clothing pantry, and children's ministry continue to thrive, providing nourishment, warmth, and hope to families in our community. Your gifts, whether in the form of donations, volunteering, or organizing events, are a living testimony of God's love at work. We are truly blessed by your willingness to partner with us in this important mission.

As Scripture tells us in 2 Corinthians 9:7, "Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." Your cheerful generosity has been a beacon of hope for many, and it has inspired us all to give and serve more selflessly.

Thank you for being a part of this ministry. Your support, whether through donations of items, financial gifts, or countless hours of service, plays a crucial role in allowing us to fulfill the calling God has placed on our church. Together, we are meeting needs, lifting spirits, and sharing the love of Christ with our neighbors.

We pray that God continues to bless you abundantly, as you have blessed others. Your faithfulness is truly making a lasting difference in our community.

With deepest appreciation and blessings,

Chandra Mendieta
Bdecan Presbyterian Church

Presbyterian Women in the PC (USA)

(Taken from the Facebook Site with the above name)

2025 Lenten Series

All Presbyterian Women are invited to attend a Lenten series, "Women of Courage," hosted by Presbyterian Women of the Synod of Lincoln Trails.

Details: March 11, 18, 25, April 1; Central Time, Zoom

Free to join but zoom registration is required. (<https://form.jotform.com/rainofhearts/lent>)

Four part series, sessions at 6:30pm CST Tuesdays during Lent

March 11

"Midwives Shiphrah and Puah"

March 18

"Abigail"

March 25

"Esther"

April 1

"Syrophenician Woman"

Internet access is needed for Zoom sessions.

There is no cost, but registration is required for one or all sessions.

To register visit;

<https://tinyurl.com.pwlenten>

The Presbyterian Women in the PC (USA) is an interesting and informative Facebook site to visit and follow.



Irish Proverbs

May the most you wish for
be the least you get.

You'll never plough a field
by turning it over
in your mind.

A companion shortens the road.

May you have the hindsight
to know where you've been,
the foresight to know
where you are going,
and the insight to know
you've gone too far.

A good laugh and a
long sleep are
the two best cures.

A good word never broke a tooth.

God's mill may grind slowly,
but it grinds finely.

Wherever you go
and whatever you do,
may the luck of the Irish
be with you.



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All women members of a PC(USA) church in this Presbytery are part of Presbyterian Women of Northern Plains Presbytery. This is your invitation to a PW gathering or local PW get together. Ask your pastor, inquire of another Presbyterian Woman, or check your church calendar to find out when and where the next PW get together is scheduled. All Sisters in Christ are welcome.

The next Presbyterian Women of Northern Plains Presbytery Spring Gathering is on Saturday, April 12, 2025 at the Presbyterian Church in Langdon, ND. Registration starts at 10:00 a.m. The fee of \$15.00 includes a morning snack and lunch. Contact Donna Preston, 701-238-7414 or preston@gra.midco.net to register.

The PW Synod Gathering is June 12-15, 2025 at Ramkota Hotel and Convention Center in Watertown, SD. **The full registration fee of \$150 will be reimbursed to you by PW of Northern Plains Presbytery.** Find more information and a registration form in the PW Synod newsletter, The Sower, attached to this email.

Lana Schultz- PWP Vice Moderator/Mission Coordinator

GRANDIN PW

Grandin PW started to meet quickly in January to quilt. A few women who don't belong to our church or PW continue to sew and donate quilt tops for our group to finish and donate to various groups. We have another person who puts the quilts together at her home after the tops are sewed and tied. Many hands make light work. One thing the group does is sew a tag in each quilt so the person who receives it knows we made and donated it.

There's no need
to be perfect to
inspire others.
Let people get
inspired by how
you deal with
your imperfections.

A good online source for Northern Plains PW is the Northern Plains Presbytery website, www.northernplainspresbytery.com. Scroll down to Presbyterian Women and discover the annual report form, the PWP newsletter, the PW Synod newsletter, Mission grant app, and link to PW Churchwide.

Stay connected to PW Synod:

Online www.lakesandprairies.org, click on Engaging Leaders and scroll down to Presbyterian Women

On Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61552522904776>.

On Zoom PW offers the monthly Horizins Bible Study, Let Justice Roll Down. The next study is on March 10 at 6:30pm. Contact Lana Schultz, lane0@casselton.net or 701-238-4538, to join by Zoom or phone.

PW Grant Recipients

Presbyterian Women of the Northern Plains Presbytery awarded grants in support of the upcoming Presbytery events: (1) Two leadership workshops; (2) Annual Peace Summit Forum and (3) Vacation Bible School.

Remember

Your job is the dream of the unemployed.

Your house is the dream of the homeless.

Your smile is the dream of the depressed.

Your health is the dream of those who are sick.

Don't let difficult times

make you forget your blessings.

CLEARWATER FOREST

Camp and Retreat Center

changing lives in God's woods and waters

clearwaterforest.org

A stunning beautiful camp and retreat setting on Clearwater Lake in central Minnesota. Clearwater Forest has programming for all ages including summer camp, retreats, family events, senior programs, and team building opportunities. Clearwater Forest hosts family reunions, small and large retreats, corporate picnics/events, business meetings and weddings throughout the year with a variety of facilities to choose from.

Office Hours: Monday- Friday 8am-4pm

Email: office@clearwaterforest.org

Phone: 218 678 2325

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Check out some of the many events at Clearwater Forest including: Winter Chrysalis Women's Retreat, Couples Retreat, Day Camp Leadership Loon Program, Grands + Family Camp, Camp Create, Men's Retreat, Fall for All Retreat and much, much more!

As a non-profit, Clearwater Forest depends on the generosity of volunteers and donors.

**Presbyterian Church Camp and Conference Association
PCCCA**

I heard someone say, "don't cross oceans for people who won't cross a puddle for you."

Which I thought was good advice.

But then someone else spoke up and said, "No. Do it. Do cross oceans for people. Love all people. No conditions attached. Not wondering whether they are worthy. Cross oceans, climb mountains. Life and love isn't about what you gain, it's about what you give."

And I changed my mind.

A Broken Teacup

If you searched the cupboard of a woman I once knew, you would find at least one broken teacup, standing unused in the far reaches behind all the unblemished. Once I drew out a bit of china examined how it had been carefully reassembled, the yellowed glue the only sign of its repair. "This cup is beautiful, why don't you use it?"

"It's broken," the only response. And I wondered why she had gone to the labor of putting it together, piece by piece.

In life every person faces blows, physical, emotional, spiritual. On occasions most of us find ourselves unable to withstand the force of the impact we must face. Things bend us, things at last, break us. For, though few would acknowledge, we are as delicate as bone china.

I am a broken teacup, shattered by trials and pains of life. My pieces have been scattered, laid out, but never lost. Mended over time, none can see the fractures, few know they exist.

But I do not find myself upon the shelf, not yet anyway. For my God places me among others, which seem pristine, upon the table. Through my tears I say. "I am broken and ugly."

And God responds, "I have gathered all your pieces, the small as well as the large. I have bound them together and have made you whole again. Broken time and time again but mended by My hand. There is yet much you can do."

Through my breaking and repairs and in my truthful examination of each chip and crack, my compassion for others grows. I have been mended... and yes, there is much I can do, for my task remains incomplete. So I say, "Fill me Lord."

You see... I am a broken teacup...perhaps you are as well.



Sharon Johnson has been heading up the collection of prescription bottles at the Colgate Church for over a year. As time passed, other churches and individuals added to our collection and Sharon kept washing them, sorting them by sizes and storing them at her house. On February 5th she brought all the pill bottles to the Colgate Church and with help from Jeanne and Barb Mewes, the three ladies placed all the bottles by sizes in ziplock bags. There were a total of 1,838 bottles in bags and the bags were placed in boxes. The boxes were taken to The Orphan Grain Train, 103 4th Ave SE in Jamestown. The boxes will be shipped to Africa at no cost to us. The Orphan Grain Train is open on Mondays and Saturdays from 9am to noon, phone: 701 320 3259 Prescription bottles are included in shipments of medical supplies for hospital and clinics overseas where medications are wrapped in tree leaves.

Collecting Prescription Bottles: Remove labels and adhesives on prescription bottles, then wash and dry bottles and caps. Package them in plastic zip bags by size/color.

What is Orphan Grain Train: Orphan Grain Train is a 501c3 Nonprofit Christian volunteer network that shares personal and material resources with needy people in America and around the world. Volunteers gather donations of clothing, medical supplies, food, Christian literature, and other aid to meet real needs. (ogt.org)

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"Let Go" (submitted by Linda Warnke)

To "let go" does not mean to stop caring,
It means I can't do it for someone else.

To "let go" is not to cut myself off,
It's the realization I can't control another.

To "let go" is not to enable,
but to allow learning from natural consequences.

To "let go" is to admit powerlessness,
which means the outcome is not in my hands.

To "let go" is not to try to change or blame another.
It's to make the most of myself.

To "let go" is not to fix.
but to be supportative.

To "let go" is not to judge.
but to allow another to be a human being.

To "let go" is not to be in the middle arranging all the outcomes
but to allow others to affect their destinies.

To "let go" is not to be protective.
It's to permit another to face reality.

To "let go" is not to deny,
but to accept.

To "let go" is not to nag, scold or argue,
but instead to search out my own shortcomings and correct them.

To "let go" is not to adjust everything to my desires,
but to take each day as it comes, and cherish myself in it.

To "let go" is not to criticize and regulate anybody
but to try to become what I dream I can be.

To "let go" is not to regret the past,
but to grow and live for the future.

To "let go" is to fear less,
and love more.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN OF NORTHERN PLAINS PRESBYTERY

2024 TOGETHER IN SERVICE REPORT

Fulfilling its purpose, Presbyterian Women (PW) are nurturers in faith, supporters in mission, workers for justice and peace, builders that strengthen the PC(USA) and witnesses to the promise of God's kingdom. To that end, every local PW donates financially and in-kind to organizations and benefits, offers a Bible Study with fellowship, and serves the local food pantries, homeless shelters, hospitals, fire and police departments, schools, nursing homes and Bdecan ministry.

Presbyterian Women have donated backpacks to schools and quilts to veterans, nursing homes, daycare centers, and local benefits. They have raised funds for ND/MN Honor Flight, hosted community cookouts, collected pill bottles for the Orphan Grain Train, invited women of all faiths to share sweet treats on Halloween and Christmas, and delivered holiday gift/treat bags to those women unable to attend in person. PWs have reached out: internationally, by supporting a young girl in the Philippines, over the airwaves, on a Sunday broadcast, and directly, by handing out blessing bags to the homeless. Below are some of the organizations supported by Presbyterian Women of Northern Plains Presbytery in 2024:

Heritage Village AID, Inc.

So. Point Elementary School playground Community of Care

Community Violence and Intervention Center Wycliffe Bible translator

Developmental Achievement Center ChildFund International

Polk County Social Services Golden Drive Homeless Kids

Options Resource Center YWCA

Life Skills & Transition Center Samaritan's Purse

Brave Center Feed My Starving Children

Youthworks Rape & Abuse Center

Life Skills & Transition Center Downtown Engagement Center

Salvation Army Toys for Tots

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