Our ladies had a wonderful year connecting with our “GPS, God’s Positioning System - Placed for a Purpose”.

**National Project**

Total project amount given was $32,782.53 toward our goal of $30,000. These project monies went toward the many suffering Diaspora people. Twelve Western PA Areas held Fall and Spring Mission Events featuring an International Worker(s) on home assignment or a short-term mission’s volunteer.

**District Conference GCW Annual Meeting/Election** has been approved to convene at the Annual Ladies’ Retreat beginning 2017.

**Annual GCW Retreat** was held April 22 & 23, 2015 at the Butler Community Alliance Church. The theme was “Life to the Full”, with Arlene Pellicane as keynote speaker. Saturday morning was dedicated to our International Workers as we heard from, Meghan-CAC, Becky McCabe (via DVD), and Ruth-CAC. Joshua & Jackie, serving with Marketplace Ministries, presented their drama, “Shadowed Faces” during lunch. An offering of $3,081.51 was given toward the Papua United Football Club.

**International Worker Outfit Gifts**

A total of $3225 given toward helping 10 adults and 0 children while on home assignment.

**Mahaffey Camp GCW Rally** was held July 28, 2016. The new theme and project DVD, “Recalculate”, was presented, as we continue with the theme from last year, “GPS, God’s Positioning System – Placed for a Purpose” (the National GCW Team decided to have two year themes and projects beginning this year). Retiring IW’s, Tom & Tina Froehlich (Costa Rica), and Doug & Naomi Ord (Italy) were honored. The ladies enjoyed a Q & A panel consisting of Teresa Bill (Republic of Congo), Naomi Ord (Italy) and Joy Brougher (Paraguay). Two new IW’s, Meghan & Megan, were commissioned and prayed over by all the retired IW’s. Many International Workers joined in the exciting Parade of Nations as the grand finale. The famous GROVE was overflowing with kindness, allowing many IW’s to gather all kinds of useful items to help them while on home assignment and to take with them when they return to their mission field. The offering totaled $2,085.16, with 301 in attendance. Information about the GCW theme and project was given during the announcements for all ladies to hear instead of having an additional meeting for officers alone at the end of the service.

**Edinboro Camp GCW Rally** was held August 13, 2016. Paul Honeycutt, Envision-Cleveland was the speaker. The new theme and project DVD “Recalculate”, was presented as we continue with the theme from last year, “GPS, God’s Positioning System – Placed for a Purpose”. The rally offering was $426.45, with 64 in attendance. Information about the GCW theme and project was given during the announcements for all ladies to hear instead of having an additional meeting for officers alone at the end of the service.

**Alliance Missions Home** (previously known as Bangkok Guest Home)

$777 was given to the Alliance Mission Home.

Respectfully submitted,

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