



2026 Conference Outline

Date: March 28, 2026 | 9:30 – 3:30

Location: Pierce College Fort Steilacoom, Lakewood WA

Theme: One Light, Many Paths: Journeying Together

Conference Mission & Objectives: The conference is designed to promote understanding, respect and cooperation among women of all faiths and goodwill throughout Pierce County and to facilitate opportunities for dialogue. Through the exploration of women’s common experiences, we aim to learn more about ourselves, connect with one another, and be inspired to strengthen our communities together through service. This conference is open to all women and those who identify as such.

General Format: Full-day conference (9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.) including:

- opening keynote speaker
- two 75-minute sessions with variety of workshop offerings and facilitated group dialogues
- hands-on service project opportunities onsite
- Vendor booths will be available. Vendors will include non-profits, for-profits, and faith communities

Sample Day Layout:

8:00 – 9:30	Registration open, pre-conference morning yoga
9:30 – 10:30	Opening & keynote speaker
10:45 – 12:00	Workshop session #1
12:00 – 1:15	Lunch, networking, service projects, free time
1:15– 2:30	Workshop session #2
2:45 - 3:30	Closing, service projects

See information and workshop offerings and presenters from the past three conferences on our website at associatedministries.org/iwc.

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