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**A NEWSLETTER FOR JDI MEMBERS, ALUMNI, & FRIENDS.  
EVERYONE. EVERYWHERE.**



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## COVID CREATIVITY



### HOW BETHEL 7 IN SANTOS, SÃO PAULO IS USING TECHNOLOGY

Attending a March 2021 ceremony in honor of Job's Daughters founder Ethel T. Wead Mick in São Paulo, Brazil was something Jurisdiction Earth editor Rachel could not have done prior to COVID-19 without a hefty plane ticket, passport, and lots of travel time.

The ceremony, which was beautiful, highlighted Bethel 7's adaptations to COVID-19. Meeting on Google Hangouts their Musician has created monthly playlists. March, which is a month that holds both Mother Mick's birthday and International Women's Day, meant the theme of the March playlist was Women!

Invite a Jurisdiction Earth reporter to your events: [JurisdictionEarthEditor@gmail.com](mailto:JurisdictionEarthEditor@gmail.com)



# Job's Daughters

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# SUPREME SESSION 101

## NEVER BEEN? NO WORRIES!

Will 2021 be your first Supreme Session? Thinking about 2022? It can be a new world, even for old hats. Here's some top questions with answers from someone who was one a newbie herself.

### -How do I find all the information I need?

- o If you're on Facebook, join the group that is associated with that Session. You'll need to prove that you are associated with JDI by answering a few questions. They're not too hard, promise!
- o Also the JDI website; start at the Supreme Session tab. (You can also get a glimpse and start to make plans for future Supreme Sessions!)

### -Where should I stay?

- o If possible, stay at the conference hotel. You might save money staying elsewhere, but you do miss out on impromptu chance meetings, opportunities to trade swappies, & people watching.
- o Check a map. 2021's location looks amazing, but the internet tells us that it isn't the most walkable area, and a rental car may be advisable.

### -How should I register?

- o If you are a member of the SGC you can register as a voting delegate. This is Past Grand Guardians/Past Assoc. GGs; Supreme Guardian Council Officers; Grand Guardians/Assoc. GGs; Vice Grand Guardians/Vice Assoc. GGs; Jurisdictional Guardians/Assoc. JGs and Past JGs/Past Assoc. JGs.
- o Also, executive members and PBGs, and PABGs of Bethels under Supreme can have a delegate to vote on the election of officers of the SGC and the Board of Trustees and any legislation except for legislation pertaining to Grand Guardian Councils.

o If you live somewhere without Job's Daughters currently, or you're not currently affiliated with a Bethel, register as a non-voting delegate adult.

o If you're a Daughter on the cusp of majority, do ask ahead if you'll be eligible for Supreme Bethel offices. Some jurisdictions allow girls over the age of 20 to participate in Grand Bethel, and this may be different than Supreme.



### -What should I attend?

- o It can be hard to know what you should or can attend, so if you have questions, ask someone on the SAC committee (or your trusty JE friends!)
- o Decide if want to join tours or not. They're fun activities that aren't just open to bethels for the Daughters. If you do, pay attention to what else happens during that time frame and registration cut offs. Also know that once there, people often find out they need another ticket or have an extra.

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The year that a girl born in 2021 can join a Bethel.

*Do you have news you'd like to see in a future Jurisdiction Earth publication? We want to hear from current Daughters, alumni, parents, and well, everyone!*

*Invite us to your virtual activities:  
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# SUPREME GUARDIAN COUNCIL 2021-2022

## CONGRATULATIONS!

Jurisdiction Earth congratulates these adults who have been selected to serve JDI in the coming year and help move us into our next 100 years!

JoNeil Conley, PGG MI - Supreme Chaplain  
Sheryl Bertrum, PGG WI - Supreme Librarian  
Judy Seitz, PGG MO - Supreme Director of Music  
Lisa Diehl, PBG NV - Supreme Secretary  
James Lamb, AGG OR - Supreme Treasurer  
Candace Houston, BG MB - Supreme First Messenger  
Sally Richardson, PGG SD - Supreme Second Messenger  
Wendy Leff, PGG CO - Supreme Third Messenger  
Beth Bolhmann, PGG MN - Supreme Fourth Messenger  
Fran Burns, PBG QLD - Supreme Fifth Messenger  
John Young, PAGG OH - Supreme Sr. Custodian  
Michael Kimbrell, PAGG IL - Supreme Jr. Custodian  
Jamie Bell, PGG UT - Supreme Beekeeper  
Amy Flowers, PGG MI - Supreme Bethel Guardian  
Bill Cary, PABG NV - Associate Supreme Bethel Guardian



## AHOY JOB'S DAUGHTERS!!

*Watch*

[www.JobsDaughtersInternational.org](http://www.JobsDaughtersInternational.org)  
*for information on upcoming projects.*

*Topics will include Kinship, Friendship, Stewardship,  
Scholarship, Craftsmanship & Membership.*

*Explore new topics for Librarian's reports and  
'Make a Splash' with your creativity!*

*Entries will be compiled into a document that will  
be shared throughout our International Family!*



# TRANSLATION STATION

ENGLISH | PORTUGUESE | FILIPINO | SPANISH | FRENCH

MESSENGER		MENSAGEIRA		MESSENGER		MENSAJERA		MESSAGÈRE
ALTAR		ALTAR		ALTAR		ALTAR		AUTEL
DAUGHTER		FILHA		ANAK NA BABAE		HIJA		LA FILLE
REGALIA		REGALIA		REGALIA		INSIGNIAS REALES		INSIGNES ROYAUX

## SISTERHOOD OF THE TRAVELING ROBE



When Rachel joined Job's Daughters, Bethel 9 in Paducah, KY had only recently reopened. As with many Bethels getting started they got paraphernalia and regalia from a variety of sources. Her silky and shiny robe was given to her with a name tag already ironed in. Kerry Smalley.

The name in the robe was always a mystery to Rachel. There wasn't a Kerry or a Mom Smalley in Kentucky -- and Facebook didn't exist as the great "finder of people" that it is now.

With her Bethel closing, Rachel kept her robe when she reached majority. unsure what else would happen to it otherwise. Tucked away in her memory chest, when word got around that Kentucky was planning to reinstitute a bethel in 2019, Rachel decided it was time to pass the robe on. Rachel traveled from her current day home in Alaska to help initiate members of Bethel UD, including Mackenzie, the robe's new owner.



But, what about Kerry Smalley? Rachel took to Facebook and found a promising match, sent a message she hoped that would be received well, and waited. Twenty excruciating days later, Kerry was found! She had joined Job's Daughters in Jackson, Wyoming around 1988. Kerry is now an associate professor and veterinary bacteriologist at University of Wyoming. Rachel is a licensed clinical social worker and Chief Operating Officer at a behavioral health clinic in Alaska.

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- o Pick at least one of the meals for everyone to attend – the Formal Banquet or there is usually a luncheon for all Daughters. There are luncheons and dinners meant for special groups of people (states/provinces, current offices held, former offices held, men only, etc.) but really, if you aren't sure, go ahead and meet some new JDI friends!
- o Sit in on Supreme Guardian Council meetings where there are information sessions about future Supreme locations! Attend all the big formal 'hooplas'

## -What should I bring?

- o Swappies! Bring them with you to the major events & meals. Trade them anytime you're in passing, or on tours. Term theme swappies are popular, but so are state/province/country-themed items.
- o If you're an active Daughter with a tiara, crown, or sash, bring it!
- o Your charm bracelet, a good sturdy tote bag, flags from your area, JDI clothing, and all the purple you can pack.
- o Cash! Cash is king for things like term charms & pins from the "Supreme Team."

- o Bring a checkbook, or credit cards for other sales items from future Supreme Sessions locations, Doc Morgan, and silent auction items.
- o A little extra space in your luggage.

## -Is Supreme really for everyone?

- o It is! It's for active Daughters, MMs, Guardian Council members, 'has beens,' Bees, Parents and siblings!
- o Supreme is sometimes the best opportunity for MMs and PHQs living in remote areas to participate in the JDI we know and love.
- o Prepare by singing (or humming) along to the national anthems of the USA, Canada, Australia, Philippines and Brazil on YouTube.

**If you're headed there in person this year, introduce yourselves to us at our table!**

## CURATOR'S CORNER



## FOUND:

photo  
albums  
on  
eBay