



**Concerned Women for America**  
Protecting the family through prayer and action.

**VISION**

*The vision of CWA is for women and like-minded men, from all walks of life, to come together and restore the family to its traditional purpose and thereby allow each member of the family to realize their God-given potential and be more responsible citizens.*

**MISSION**

*The mission of CWA is to protect and promote Biblical values among all citizens—first through prayer, then education, and finally by influencing our society—thereby reversing the decline in moral values in our nation.*

**CORE ISSUES**

**Sanctity of Life★Religious Liberty★ Pornography★Education★  
Redefinition of the Family★ United Nations★National Sovereignty**

**CWA STATE ORGANIZATIONS**

CWA, the nation's largest public policy women's organization, helps members across the country bring Biblical principles into all levels of public policy. Through the direction of a State Director and her Steering Committee, members can turn concern into action! The state organizations hold community and state events, meet with legislators, inform the public of pertinent issues affecting the family and maintain state Web sites: [states.cwfa.org](http://states.cwfa.org).

**PRAYER/ACTION CHAPTERS**

Prayer/Action Chapters meet monthly across the nation in homes, churches, communities. The purpose of a chapter is tri-fold: EDUCATE\*PRAY\*ACT.

**CWA NATIONAL**

CWA is a unique blend of policy experts and an activist network of people across the country:

**FIELD DEPARTMENT**

**LEGAL STUDIES**

**LEGISLATION**

**BEVERLY LAHAYE INSTITUTE**

**CULTURE AND FAMILY INSTITUTE**

**RESEARCH & PUBLICATIONS**

**MEDIA**



## PRAYER/ACTION CHAPTERS

### **What is a Prayer/Action Chapter?**

The nondenominational Prayer/Action Chapter meetings serve as an arm of the church to encourage informed prayer and action for our nation and its leaders. CWA does this by educating Christians on issues that affect our Biblically based standards. We want to empower you as either a leader or Chapter member to deal with the issues of education, abortion, pornography, religious freedom, homosexuality, redefinition of the family and national sovereignty.

### **Why a Prayer/Action Chapter?**

If we join in prayer and action with other believers, our nation will change for the better. More importantly, we will be obeying the instruction given in God's Word. Ephesians 6:18 says, "[P]rayer always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit; being watchful to this end with all perseverance and supplication for the saints."

### **How does a Prayer/Action Chapter work?**

The Prayer/Action Chapter has a three-fold purpose, providing an opportunity for members to do the following:

- 1.) Be alert and **INFORMED** on the issues. (Ephesians 6:18b)
- 2.) **PRAY** about the issues. (Ephesians 6:18a)
- 3.) **ACT** on those issues. (Ephesians 6:20)

Rather than replacing church ministry, a chapter serves as an extension of the church, and can, therefore, be held in a church building. Homes or community centers are also appropriate venues. A Chapter can start with as few as three and grow to an unlimited number. Meeting regularly, preferably monthly, is most effective.

### **How do I join or start a local Prayer/Action Chapter?**

CWA has more than 400 Chapters nationwide. To find out about the one nearest you or to start one in your community, please contact the CWA of North Dakota by phone at (701) 331-0946, or by e-mail at [director@northdakota.cwfa.org](mailto:director@northdakota.cwfa.org).