

2009 Honored Woman



Merry Volk

Pictured above left is ECW Vice-President and Chair of the Honored Woman Program, Joyce Schmidt, the 2009 Diocese of West Missouri Honored Woman, Merry Volk, Vicar of Church of the Transfiguration, Mountain Grove, The Rev. Bradford Ellsworth, and ECW President, Judy Turner. Merry Volk was presented with a pin and certificate from the National ECW 2009 Triennial Meeting.

Merry is a farm wife, mother of eight, and a member of Church of the Transfiguration in Mountain Grove since the mid 1980's. She is active in community affairs and President of the ECW for many years. She is the chief worker and organizer of yard sales, suppers, the Annual Cajun Shrimp Feast (Merry was born in Louisiana) and The Love Bag Project. Love Bags contain emergency items given to children who are placed in foster care through Social Services within three local counties.