## Unit Report, the Czech Republic

I am a Unit President from autumn 2017 so my report will contain a period of that time. Czech women are very active in many areas of church life. Here are some of them:

Activities within local churches:

- Women in some churches meet together in home cells, pray together, share the word of God and participate in teaching of word of God, carry the burden of one another
- Last year 7 Czech women finished study within education of ECM at Institut of Education and 4 of them became lay pastors
- Women serve during Sunday service with the Word, in Worship Teams, lead Sunday service for adults, lead Sunday Schools for children
- Women help organize Church holiday
- Meetings for women a few times a year are very popular in many churches (seminaries, prayers, creative activities, get to know each other)

Activities going beyond local churches:

- Women participate in many other activities for children during all year, for example Royal Rangers, Klubíčko (meetings for mothers with pre-school children), summer camps, English camps
- Women participate in Alfa courses, prepare food during different actions, help with cleaning, visit sick people at home or in hospital
- Women produce various gifts and sell them at the Christmas Markets and support charitable projects with money they get
- Women participate in the World Day of Prayer and the Walk to Emmaus for women (they are a part of the team too)
- Women organize Spiritual Retreat for women (meeting of women from different denomination and churches)
- Women participate in financial support of Stationary for children and also support it with their activities for example Photographic Project
- Women participate in Night of Churches with their programs, testimony and recital

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