

# **Wisconsin Conference**

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# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Why do I want to go? One way to look at this is to ask the question: "Why do I want to go on the Seminar Mission Trip to New York and Washington D.C. we are organizing for August 5-12, 2017?" One reason is that it will be a great opportunity of intergenerational sharing around social justice issues. We are actively reaching out to our young women in particular to come on this trip to learn how United Methodist Women are making a difference in the world today.

A second reason is that it will be a great opportunity to see for myself the legacy of buildings and mission projects in these cities which were founded by our foremothers and continue to be centers of prayer, advocacy and mission today. Buildings such as the Church Center for the United Nations, the United Methodist building in D.C. and perhaps even the Alma Mathews house where so much of our mission history is encapsulated. We have been given such a rich legacy!

A final reason I am excited to engage with this opportunity is for the education and advocacy in which we will be engaging. The topics are, admittedly, challenging. Yet, these are some of the most lasting and significant challenges facing our world today and into the future. I want to be able to say I have done my utmost to preserve a future of hope for all and I know that this trip will equip me in many ways to make that journey a fruitful one.

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tion: "Why do I want to go to Assembly in Columbus, OH May 17-20, 2018?" I have attended several past Assembly events and I always come away from them with mountaintop experiences and new views into the global reach and transformation United Methodist Women is involved in today. In the last Assembly at Louisville, I participated in the march for economic justice in a troubled area near St. Louis. What a powerful activity it is to know that my sisters in faith were walking, singing and praying with me for justice in places of vast economic insecurity and need. Of course the singing and praying never seemed to end as we engaged in powerful worship experiences and listened to the witness of those engaged in mission and those touched by Mission Giving. There is so much to learn about how United Methodist Women is at work in our world, that I cannot wait to return for my next opportunity to gather with thousands of my beloved sisters to rejoice in the work God has placed before us and our faithful response to it.

Why do I want to go? A final way to frame this might be to ask the question "Why do I want to be an active member of, provide leadership to and vision with Wisconsin United Methodist Women into the future?" I will let you in on a secret – Wisconsin United Methodist Women are the best women to have at your back, the best to believe in you (before you believe in yourself) and the most dedicated to mission work in the world that I have ever

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I speak of our PURPOSE and know that these words echo in the hearts of those around me. I am strengthened when my team and others in our Conference dare to dream a new vision and boldly declare a new vision and dedication to mission. I am inspired when I see our "seasoned" sisters rise up to engage in mission projects as well as explore new ideas with our newest members of all ages, races and abilities.

Why do I want to go? I want to go because you (all of you) make me want to be the best "whole person" I can be, engage in the best "supportive fellowship" I can find and transform the world through our "global mission". One of my favorite hymns is "Here I Am, Lord" (UMH #593). "Is it I, Lord? .... Send me!"

I want to go – will you join me?

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#### TREASURER

As I am writing this article and looking at the outside temperature I can hardly believe my eyes, 65° and it is NOVEMBER! Our month to be Thankful, but as Christians we are thankful all the time.

This is my final article for Catch the Vision and over the past 5 years I have had many opportunities to be thankful for all our members of the Wisconsin Conference United Methodist Women and their continuing generosity.

I have had the pleasure of working with so many

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wonderful women. The district treasurers have been outstanding. I appreciate all the time and effort spent doing the mission of this wonderful organization.

What exciting times we have to look forward to in the next few years. In 2019 we will celebrate 150 years since the humble but very important beginnings of our organization. I often like to pause and think about the women who inspired me to become a part of United Methodist Women and for them and for all of you I am truly thankful.

# MEMBERSHIP NURTURE AND OUTREACH Shirley Carpenter shornuf35@gmail.com

The Samaritan women we know simply as "the woman at the well" in John 4 boldly stepped out of her comfort zone to invite others to meet Jesus. She lived at the fringes of her community. She would go to the well to draw water when no one else was there. When she heard the good news that this was the Messiah who was speaking to her, she proclaimed the good news in the city so boldly that they all followed the woman they had once ostracized to meet Jesus. She went outside of her comfort zone to invite others to meet Jesus. We, too, can reach outside of our comfortable groups of friends to invite others to join United Methodist Women - a place to nurture our faith, experience community, and engage in mission.

Shortly after moving to Wisconsin Rapids, a neighbor invited me to go to "circle" with her. I went, en-

joyed every minute and still do! Because United Methodist Women means so much to me, it is easy to share my enthusiasm with others. This is OUTREACH!

After I received the Final Membership Report, I contacted all units who had not yet reported. Additions and corrections were entered by staff in the New Your office. We did it again - 100% reported! And YES, reporting for next year will again be online. The final membership figures for 2015 are 211 units and 6,811 members.

I encourage you to support the Legacy Fund, as we celebrate 150 years making life better for women, children and youth around the world through our GREAT organization!

Thank you for your love and support during the past four years.

DATES TO REMEMBER - 2017			
April 1	Mission Action Day	Columbus UMC, Columbus WI	
July 24-27	Mission u 4-Day School	Hotel Mead and Conference Center	
		Wisconsin Rapids WI	
July 28	Mission u Overview Day	Hotel Mead and Conference Center	
		Wisconsin Rapids WI	
October 19-20	Conference Annual Gathering	Waukesha First UMC, Waukesha WI	

#### **DISTRICT SECRETARIES -**

Please send the typed names, addresses, telephone numbers, and email addresses for your District Team, and presidents and secretaries of each local unit by December 1<sup>st</sup> to:

Conference Secretary Sherrie Graham, PO Box 496, Sturgeon Bay WI 54235 <u>cherrie@comm-mins.com</u> and Conference Communications Coordinator Robin Digman , 317 W Merrimac St, Dodgeville WI 53533 Dgrbmm@gmail.com

# SPIRITUAL GROWTH

Recently my Pastor has been preaching through the first three chapters of Revelation. It was wonderful to be reminded of all that God will be giving those who are faithful. We see that John, the writer of Revelation, was told to write in a book what he saw and to send it to seven different churches (1:11). He did just that and we learn something from each church.

We are given many promises if we overcome. We are told that we will be able to eat of the tree of Life (2:7). We will not be hurt by the second death (2:11). We will be given a new name, which will be written on a white stone (have you thought about what you would like your new name to be? -2:17). We will be given authority (2:26), and will also be given the Morning Star (which is another name for Jesus in Rev 22:16). Jesus will be given to us (2:28)! We will be clothed in white garments, and Jesus will not erase our names from the book of life (3:5). I love that.

When I was 13 I asked Jesus to come into my life and take over. I confessed my sins and asked him to forgive me. My name was written in that book in 1965 and will not be erased! Whoo hoo!. Jesus will confess our names before God the Father and in front of the angels (3:5). That is kind of cool that the angels will also be there. Jesus will make us a pillar in the temple and he will write on us the name of God (3:12). I'm not quite sure about that one, but maybe he is making a statement about making us strong? We will sit with him on His throne (3:21). Wow, we will be right there with Jesus ruling. Do you see yourself like that?

There are many other references to heaven that excite me. I love the vision of the river, clear as crystal, flowing from these thrones (22:1) that were just mentioned. This river will flow down the middle of the street (22:2). On either side of the river is the tree of life, bearing 12 different kinds of fruit, each a different month. Remember that we were told above that we will be able to eat this fruit. There will be no night. We won't need any lights such as the sun or the moon because our Lord God will be the light (21: 23). There will be no mourning, crying, pain or death (21:4). Wow. That is pretty unbelievable, as we experience that quite often here on earth. I am looking forward to this wonderful place.

But remember, you have to overcome. The dictionary says that means to gain the victory; win; conquer. This goes back to your relationship with God. If you have received the Lord Jesus into your life, you have the power of the Holy Spirit within you who makes overcoming possible. Claim that power today so that you can join me in heaven and experience all of these wonderful promises!

#### MISSION RESOURCES

Priorities Count this season. We have to get reports sent in, cards written, and plans made for the coming year. The Annual Sampler subscription should be a priority for every faithful United Methodist For the \$40 price, woman. throughout the year you receive 2 Mission u study books, 1 Prayer Calendar, and one Program Book. As a bonus, you also receive the little date book that helps you to keep track of your meeting times and places. The address to subscribe is: United Methodist Women Orders,

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PO Box 74239, Atlanta GA 30374-2349. I especially appreciate receiving the materials this way because I do not have to remember to order each one, they arrive in a timely manner, and I do not have to pay extra for postage and handling. All orders must be in by April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017.

We discovered in the 2017 edition of the Reading Program catalog that *all of the children's books now count as regular books* in all four reading plans. This is a departure from previous years when they only counted for people who were reading more books in Plans III and IV. You can also use these wonderful books in programs or as discussion starters.

I am still learning about the astore.amazon.com/www.unitedmeth. 20, but that is a good way to find ebooks (or kindle books) for the 2017 reading program.

I would like to know about your experiences. If you email me, be sure to put UMW or reading program as a subject so I don't think it is junk mail from a stranger.

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#### 2017 Mission Action Day

Mission Action Day will be held on April 1, 2017 at the Columbus United Methodist Church, Columbus, WI. The theme will be homelessness and what various communities and people of faith are doing to address the issue of homelessness. Speakers will be: Kathy Metzenbauer, Juneau Co, Extension, SEA of Change of Juneau Co.; Bruce Wallbaum, Energy and Technology Sandcastle Energy Systems Alliance, Occupy Madison- Tiny homes; and Karen Andro, Director of Outreach Ministries, First UMC, Madison. Registration information will be available in January.

#### People of Faith United for Justice Advocacy Day

Tuesday, April 4, 2017 from 9:00 am-4:00 pm at First United Methodist Church, 203 Wisconsin Avenue, Madison.

People of Faith United for Justice is a day-long gathering to learn, discuss, pray and advocate together for social justice issues of importance to all the people of Wisconsin. As a new legislature starts work on the next state budget, our representatives need to hear our values, priorities, and concerns. Together, we can ensure that our commitment to compassion and justice is reflected in that budget.

**Co-Sponsors:** Wisconsin Council of Churches, Faith Voices For Justice, Interfaith Conference of Greater Milwaukee, Lutheran Office for Public Policy, Madison Area Urban Ministry, Milwaukee Jewish Federation, Jewish Federation of Madison and Wisconsin Jewish Conference.

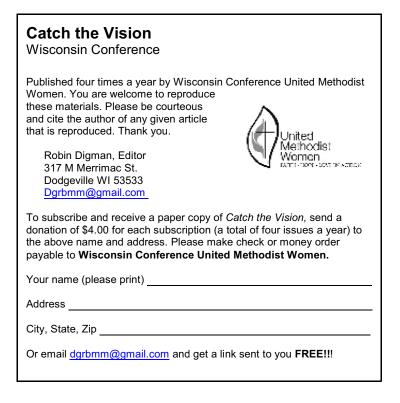
Registration and more information will be available in January 2017.

#### **About Ruby Dow:**

Ruby Dow is the current Wisconsin Conference UMW Mission Coordinator for Social Action and president of the Wonewoc UMW. She will serve as Wisconsin Conference UMW Vice-President in 2017. "I have a Bachelor's of Science Degree in Nursing from Illinois Wesleyan University and a Master's of Science Degree in Environmental and Public Health from UW- Eau Claire. I retired as a public health professional in 2014. Prior to retirement I worked as a public health nurse, health department director, and most recently as a public health supervisor for Public Health- Madison and Dane County. I live in a log home with my husband, Bill, east of Mauston by the Wisconsin River. Construction of our log home was initiated in 1993 and we hope to finish it one of these days. One of our projects is completing a four season room for my plants. Work on the four season room slows down when all the plants come inside. We have 3 sons and 6 grandchildren. Bill and I are codirectors of a grandparent/grandchild camp at Pine Lake and will be returning in January for a Mission Trip to UMCOR Sager Brown in Baldwin, LA. I am a member of the Juneau County Cancer Clear and Simple Team through the Juneau County Health Department. I am looking forward to continuing to work with the Conference Team as Vice-President."

Editor's Note:

If your mail or email address changes during the year, please notify Robin Digman so that your mail/notice is delivered. We want to get the information to everyone who should get it. We want to keep you informed!



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## HOW HEALTHY IS YOUR CIRCLE/UNIT?

1. Uses the Prayer Calendar at every meeting.	Y	Ν
2. Reports on each issue of response at meeting.	Y	N
3. Uses Ideas from Program Book in meeting.	Y	N
4. Participates in Level 1 (or +) of Reading Program	Y	N
5. Pledges to Mission.	Y	N
6. Is a 5 Star Unit.	Y	N
7. Attends Mission u.	Y	N
<ol> <li>Is represented at a Seminar Program, or a Volunteer in Mission Trip, or visits a Mission</li> </ol>	Y	N

(eg.Northcott). Answering YES to each question 1-7 scores 12 degrees.

Answering YES to Question 8 SCORES 20 DEGREES!

YOUR SCORE:

If your temperature is less than 50, you might be considered DEAD!! If your temperature is more than 100, you might be CONTAGIOUS!

I hope you scored CONTAGIOUS! Spreading the gospel and sharing the good news of mission is infectious. Infected with the SPIRIT is a GOOD THING.

#### Why should we be involved?

What does the Lord require of you, but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God." Micah 6:8 (RSV)

"Let every person be subject to the governing authorities. For there is no authority except from God, and those that exist have been instituted by God... for the same reason, you also pay taxes, for the authorities are ministers of God, attending to this very thing." Romans 13:1,6 (RSV)

From the Social Principles of the United Methodist Church, which is part of the Discipline of the United Methodist Church:

"... The church should continually exert a strong ethical influence upon the state, supporting policies and programs deemed to be just and opposing policies and programs that are unjust." (Para. 164V.B)

"Government and laws should be servants of God and of human beings. Citizens have a duty to abide by laws duly adopted by orderly and just process of government. But governments, no less than individuals, are subject to the judgment of God..." (Para. 164V.E)

#### Registration

For detailed information, including registration materials, and up-to-date cost and schedule changes, please contact:

Betty Henderson 300 Jennifer Lane Brookfield, WI 53045

Phone (262) 391-8868

Email: bettydhenderson@gmail.com

Registration Deadline is January 31, 2017. There is a \$150.00 Registration fee.

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For more information about United Methodist Seminars on National and International Affairs, visit:

http://www.unitedmethodistwomen. org/seminar-program

Carly Sawyer, a youth from Lane Memorial UMC in Alta Vista, VA, attended Seminar in July 2014. To read her blog about her experience, visit:

http://www.lanememorialumc.org/ca rlys-e-note-72514/











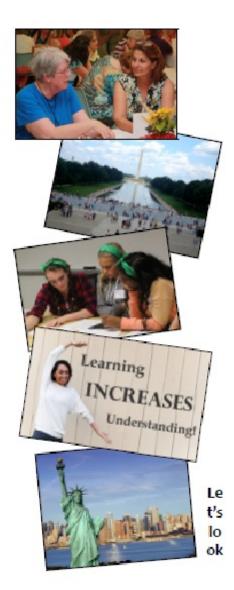
# Why should I go to Seminar?

The Seminar Program provides educational seminars for groups to study complex social issues from a perspective of faith. Our seminar will be customdesigned for United Methodist Women, providing us with opportunities to:

- Explore issues through interactive exercises, Bible study and discussion.
- Engage with human rights activists, grassroots organizations and religious leaders.
- Learn about the work of the United Nations and government policies.
- Visit local community organizations.
- Develop actions to take upon returning home.

# Climate Justice Income Equality

Our first two days of Seminar we will be in Washington, D.C. at the Methodist Building, adjacent to the U.S. Capitol and Supreme Court. Our study will be on Climate Justice. Our 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> day of Seminar will be at the Church Center for the United Nations located in mid-town Manhattan, and our study will be on Income Equality. Inherent in both of these studies is a component related to gun violence which affects our ability to be in mission.



#### at our week!

Saturday - Flight to Washington, D.C. Sunday – Sightseeing/Free Time in D.C. Monday & Tuesday – UMW/CHCS Mission Seminar at the United Methodist Building, adjacent to the U.S. Capitol and Supreme Court Wednesday – Travel Day (bus to NYC) and free time/sightseeing Thursday & Friday – UMW Seminar at the Church Center for the United Nations in mid-town Manhattan Saturday – Flight home



What will this cost me? The cost will be at about \$1,000.00. This is based on the following costs:

- Flight to Washington, DC
- Bus from DC to NYC
- Flight from NYC to WI (Flights may be discounted if we can get a group rate)
- 4 days of Seminar registrations
- Hotel (based on 4 per room, includes breakfast)
- Lunch & Dinner each day Sightseeing costs (optional)

# MISSION TASK CRITERIA FOR 2017

To become a Mission Task Unit complete at least 2 criteria from each category. Try a new criteria next year and report back at the fall of 2017 to see how you did.

Use these CRITERIA to help you complete the REPORT FORM.

United Methodist Women shall be a community of women whose PURPOSE is to know God

- 1. Plan programs that encourage spiritual growth. (Use Program Book, *response* magazine, ...)
- 2. Create prayer partners with other church group(s)
- 3. Pray, using the Prayer Calendar at meetings.
- 4. Organize the Spiritual Growth Study from Mission u Expand it for several sessions.

To experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ

- 1. Take advantage of opportunities thru UMW such as Mission u, Spiritual Growth Retreats, Annual Gatherings, Mission Action Day.
- 2. Set aside a time to go over the year's plans using Mission Tasks.
- 3. Implement the Charter For Racial Justice Program.
- 4. Present a Mission Study from Mission u, inviting members of the congregation and other guests.

To develop a creative, supportive fellowship;

- 1. Honor the organization's leaders and member's contributions with Special Mission Recognition pins. Don't forget community leaders.
- 2. Encourage everyone to visit and/or invite visitors from other local UMW organizations.
- 3. Publicize your events using newsletters, bulletin boards, Sunday bulletins, social media, phone calls, etc.
- 4. Plan a year end program to give thanks and celebrate your accomplishments.

And to expand concepts of mission through participation in the global ministries of the church

- 1. Encourage all members to participate in the Pledge to Mission; report on where the money goes.
- 2. Involve all members in fund raising. (think out of the box)
- 3. Contribute to scholarships related to UMW programs such as Mission U and Seminar Experience.
- 4. Partner with a mission institution such as Northcott or United Methodist Children's Services.

# MABEL HEIL SCHOLARSHIP

The Mabel Heil Scholarships are a result of funds from the will of Sarah Mabel Heil, a woman from Cuba City, Wisconsin. The first scholarships were granted in 1981. Since then more than 240 women have received help with their education.

#### **Requirements and Instructions**

#### **Instructions:**

- 1. Be a female member of Wisconsin Conference United Methodist Women.
- 2. Submit a written answer to the question, "In what way do I consider myself a worthy student?"
- 3. Send the completed application form to the contact person by May 1 for the Fall semester or October 1 for the Spring semester.
- 4. Request that a letter of recommendation be sent to the contact person by the president of the local United Methodist Women or the pastor of the church.
- 5. Request that a letter of recommendation be sent to the contact person by a church member who is not a member of your household and is not a relative.

#### **Rules:**

Any member of Wisconsin Conference United Methodist Women working to improve her education may apply.

Please have all letters written (preferably typed) on one side of 8 1/2 by 11 sheet of white paper using black ink.

All applications are photocopied for the committee members.

Scholarships are awarded one semester at a time. To be considered again DURING a one-year period, you must send a letter asking to be considered. AFTER one year, you will need to fill out another form and secure new recommendations.

If in any given year there is an increase of applications, these priorities will be followed: Women responsible for others will be favored. Women preparing to return to the employment field will be favored.

Application and two (2) letters of recommendation must be postmarked no later than May 1 and October 1 to be considered.

#### Schedule:

1st Semester: Apply by May 1; notified by June 1; check sent by August 15. 2nd Semester: Apply by October 1; notified by November 1; check sent by December 1.

#### **Contact Person:**

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# MABEL HEIL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION WISCONSIN CONFERENCE UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

Please Print		
Name	Date	
Address		
Phone NumberEmail	Birth Date	
1. Local Church: Name & City		
Pastor		
Are you a member of United Methodist Wor	nen?	
2. Activities: In United Methodist Women		
In your local church		
In the community		
3. Education: (Give year of graduation) High Scho	olCollegeOther	
School you will be attending		
Have you been accepted as a student? ye Present (post high school) status: Freshman Sophomore Juni	sno orSeniorGraduateOther	
Course of study		
4. Family Status		
5. Please answer the following question using an	additional sheet:	
IN WHAT WAY DO YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF A WORTHY STUDENT?		
Mail to: Helen Robinson N2101 Cleghorn Road Waupaca, WI 54981	Phone: 715-258-0973 Email: pottshe@yahoo.com	

# SAVE THE DATE!

# Mission Action Day Saturday, April 1, 2017

Columbus United Methodist Church 222 S. Dickason Blvd. Columbus, WI 53925

# **Theme: Homelessness**

# Program to focus on:

How different communities are addressing the issue of homelessness.

How are faith communities involved.