

Mission Matters

Jeremiah 29:11

*For surely I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord,
plans for your welfare and not for harm,
to give you a future with hope.*

Hello Wonderful United Women of Faith in the South West District!

Have you noticed the weather is changing? I think I saw my first crocus in the yard. Birds are retuning and singing. Temperatures are well above zero and promises of the season to come are showing themselves. In many ways we are entering into a change of season with United Methodist Women. Have you begun to notice the changes? The November/December **response** magazine introduced us to the Biblical theme of “New Wineskins for New Times” which guided the thinking about our reasons for change. The March/April issue of **response** magazine is all about the changes that are here, those that are coming and what does not change. More will be revealed in the coming months. All things new will be featured at Assembly 2022, May 20-22 in Orlando, Florida.

For over 40 years I’ve been part of a wonderful organization -- United Methodist Women (UMW). It will take time to have our new name United Women in Faith (UWF) roll off my tongue as easily as United Methodist Women does now. I’m confident that I can do it. I am very excited to be part of these changes and hope you will be open to the changes and excited to be part of this too.

So with all the changes you no doubt will have questions, reactions and want more information. It is our goal as district leaders to be available for conversations with you in your units and as individuals. In this issue of Mission Matters there is an updated list of your unit sisters. Please don’t hesitate to reach out to them.

On the home page of our refreshed website uwfaith.org it says “We believe love in action can change the world”.

We’re a **sisterhood** acting in **faith** to tackle the **hard work** of the **world** without hesitation.

Our world is desperately in need of love. We have much to do and I believe united we can do it!

Your South West District United Women in Faith President

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Treasurer's Note

United Women in Faith (UMW) Treasurers,

I can never decide whether or not it is correct to wish for a "Happy Lent" or not. In some ways Lent is a serious time of reflection as we remember the life of Jesus and walk along the road to Jerusalem and his crucifixion and death. Yet, the Sundays in Lent are also meant to be "mini-Easters" at which we anticipate the promise of the risen Christ to take all things under his reign and make all things anew. So, is Lent happy or solemn? Yes? Both – and? In a way this is the way in which I view our organization at the moment. Are we United Women in Faith or United Methodist Women? Yes! We are both of these things and in all probability with the postponement of General Conference to 2024 we will continue to be both of these things for some time to come. So, don't feel that you need to get the name perfectly correct (I will admit it is taking some practice for me to say the new name) and rest assured that you don't need to run out and change your checking accounts or tax numbers or anything like that. We are still the same organization that we have always been with the same mission, history and fellowship that we have always had. Thank you for your faithful service to United Women in Faith/United Methodist Women. Your mission giving is still transforming the lives of women, children and youth around the world.

We are off to a strong start in 2022 with ~12% of our pledge given so far. I plan to send out first quarter statements to local treasurers at the beginning of April. Please make sure that we have your current contact information in our District directory, this is what I use to create my mailing lists and I would like to ensure that this information is received by the correct people. I hope you found my packet of up-to-date forms and instructions which I sent to all local treasurers in January helpful. If you need any other copies or further information, do not hesitate to reach out to me. Have a "happy" and blessed Lent.

Yours in Christ,

Laura Pfeffer,

South West District Treasurer

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Membership, Nurture and Outreach—**Welcome to United Women in Faith**

Our new name (see above) is a step forward. The more I use United Women in Faith the more I like it. Please Refer to response Magazine, March/April 2022 issue to answer your questions and view our new logo, the article on pages 32-35 will be a help. Don't hesitate to ask questions, your district team will try to get answers for you or you can use our web site uwfaith.org.

The long awaited census data for 2020 is here. We had 46 units with 43 reporting, 937 members and 93% reporting. South West District had the highest percent reporting in Wisconsin Conference. Thank you all for your good work. There is no information yet about the 2021 count.

Hoping to see many of you at the Conference Mission Action Day April 9. Lodi is hosting a watch group so see you online. Don't forget the District Spiritual Growth Retreat at Dells– Delton UMC on April 2. Serving to learn, learning to serve.

Kay Putman,

Membership, Nurture and Outreach Coordinator,
South West District

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Come Join Us

<p>Cuba City</p> <p>A time for us to be together, sharing and learning. Living the purpose.</p>	<p>South West Annual Gathering</p>  <p>United Women in Faith</p>	<p>September 17 2022</p> <p>Find out about the outward changes. Learn how our purpose continues to go forward.</p>
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↑ Copy this and make it into a book mark to give to your unit members and other friends.

Getting ready....

Save the Date! South West District Annual Gathering

South West District Annual Gathering will be held on September 17th at Cuba City United Methodist Church. Our theme will be United Women in Faith, which is the new name for United Methodist Women. We will have a presentation about the exciting changes coming to our organization. We will also be bringing back officer sharing and breakout sessions. The breakout sessions will include information on Children’s Sabbath, Assembly, and Northcott. We will also be bringing back singing and will celebrate Communion. Registration information will be announced this summer.

Our District Day of Enrichment will be held November 12th at Crossroads United Methodist Church in Waunakee. More details will be announced in a future Mission Matters.

Respectfully submitted, Eileen Bennett, South West District Vice President

For Education and Interpretation

Mission Today Units for 2021

Thank you to all the units who have submitted Mission Today Task Reports for 2021. The following units have qualified as Mission Today Units for 2021: Baraboo First, Dodgeville, Lodi, Bethany, Wellspring, Platteville, Prairie du Chien, and Stitzer. If you would still like to submit a report, I will accept late reports. I will be sharing some of the suggestions and comments in these reports in a future Mission Matters, as well as at District Annual Gathering and Day of Enrichment this fall.

Respectfully submitted,

Eileen Bennett
South West District Vice President

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Social Action News

Hi everyone. This is my last article from sunny and warm Florida. I am looking out at all the blossoming orchids hanging from trees and shrubs in my back yard.

I am excited to share with you the latest news in the fight to protect women in homes of violence. The House passed the reauthorization of the "Violence Against Women Act" (VAWA). First written by then Senator Biden in 1994, the law expired in 2019 under former President Trump. This law aims at preventing domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking. It is expected to pass in the Senate.

The act would expand protections for survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault, provide more resources and training programs for law enforcement, fund rape crisis centers and broaden access to legal services for survivors. It also requires the federal government to notify state and local law enforcement when a convicted domestic abuser lies on a background check in an illegal attempt to buy a gun.

Unfortunately, there is the "boyfriend loophole" which would prohibit dating partners from owning guns if they have a domestic violence conviction. This puts many women and children at risk. President Biden is being urged to close this loophole by executive action.

Unfortunately, domestic violence is up with the continuance of covid.

Respectfully submitted by Pat Gallus,

S/W District Social Action

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The nation's blood supply is still too low. Please continue to encourage people to give blood.

Call 1-800-733-2767 to make an appointment to give blood.

Why Being part of Our Sisterhood is Important

I started attending United Methodist Women's activities as a 15 year old living in the Ivory Coast in Africa. I became a United Methodist and joined United Methodist Women. I became a member because I love to serve God and I love to learn. United Methodist Women brought so many new ideas and opportunities to my community. The Women fought for social justice, equality, keeping daughters in school, women's right to vote and many other things. Being a member of the United Methodist Women taught me leadership skills. Most of the women in my unit were leaders, this is not common for women in the Ivory Coast. Now we are becoming United Women in Faith.

Tell me who you follow, and I will tell you who you are. We know that women are caregivers, life givers and now, also, being involved with Untied Women in Faith as leaders. We need to nurture the legacy of the first women who created our group.

I am inviting our young sisters to join us for the mission of God.

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Phone: 608-308-3007	Email: lucieyaba@yahoo.fr
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Thank you, Yaba Lucie Anongba

Young Women's Coordinator

Reading Program Updates

Mission Statement for United Women in Faith

United Women in Faith seeks to connect and nurture women through Christian spiritual formation, leadership development, creative fellowship, and education so that they can inspire, influence and impact local and global communities.

Free issue of response Magazine available for download

<https://www.umwmissionresources.org/>

Click on the March/ April issue of response and it will take you to the free download issue about our new UMW and our transition to United Women in Faith. Free pamphlets and other resources are also found here.

New website, new ways to be involved with mission, new ways to connect.

Uwfaith.org is the new web site. The old one is no longer active. Look into our Mighty Networks social networking site. This site is created by our national organization for us. We can mingle and study together without outside ads and other distractions. Let's get to know each other better and keep in touch after Assembly 2022.

Reading Program for 2022.

- ◆ Get the 2021-2022 reading program catalog with details about how to get a Reading Program Certificate at The Annual Gathering this year. Select Books from this year's list as well as list going back to 2015.

<https://www.umwmissionresources.org/downloads/ReadingProgramCatalog2021.pdf>

- ◆ Reading response Magazine regularly is part of the reading program.
- ◆ Listening to 2 Faithtalks podcasts each year counts as a spiritual growth selection for your book list.
- ◆ There are extras that count for the Reading Program listed in the catalog which include movies.

Submitting Reading lists for your Reading Program Certificate

Send your reading list and other activities to Pat Gallus by September 1. She will go through the lists and make sure certificates are ready for our Annual Gathering in Cuba City.

Extra Tips

There are many places you can get books from. I did find out in the Group time that thriftbooks.com is a good source for buying books online.

Many women did UMW book clubs for their reading programs. They said it was more fun to share the experience with each other.

Subscribe to response: Magazine with a Mission

<https://uwfaith.org/resources/response-magazine/>

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	<u>By Fax</u> 1-845-267-3478

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News! News! Exciting news!!

Sent with joy and anticipation from Mary Baker

Greetings to the wise and wonderful women of the Southwest District! I am honored to write a bit about the new name for our marvelous organization. Yes, it is like all changes in that it brings multiple responses. Some will look at it as opportunity for new growth and outreach in this ever changing world we live in. Some will look at it with concern and fear. Some will look at it as a difficult transition from familiar words emblazoned in our hearts and minds. I encourage you to consider a few things as we inform ourselves and adjust to what CAN BE.

I CELEBRATE that this new name includes a new look, new feel and new improved programs to better nurture current members and welcome new women into our sisterhood to put their love in action too.

I CELEBRATE that we will continue to be an amazing force filled with God's love and united in sisterhood. Our focus will remain women, children and youth. We will continue to act for justice and transform communities.

I CELEBRATE that as we go forth we will continue to invite United Methodist as well as other like minded women to join us, because *love in action can change the world*.

I CELEBRATE that we go forth with the understanding we will be supported, informed, assisted and heard as we embark on this new journey.

I CELEBRATE that our S.W. District team will provide clear and concise information on every facet of this new adventure as they receive it.

I CELEBRATE that we are embarking on a bold journey with a new name to reflect a bright future.

I CELEBRATE that as new things begin, we will continue to meet, to plan, to have special events, do our usual extraordinary work in mission, and journey into the new adventure as always... together. Continue your meetings and wonderful projects. Continue the wonder of who you are and what you do.. The new and beautiful possibilities will bring new hope.

**many of these beautiful details regarding United Women in Faith are based on the Response Magazine (March/April) article by Yvette Moore with my personal spin on CELEBRATE!!

Go to uwfaith.org to find the free article to read and/or download. Contact me for paper copies if needed. It is filled with information regarding our new marvelous journey of inclusion and promise. The website is awesome. **STEP BY STEP WE WILL LEARN AND CELEBRATE TOGETHER!!**

God, guide our feet into new ways to revitalize, uplift, create new possibilities and remain true to God's plan of loving one another.



Mary Baker (nominations committee)
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Our new logo represents the past, present and future of our organization. The multicolored pieces of the cross coming together represent the diversity we aim for and the inward and outward reflection we engage in as women of faith. The typography is solid, modern and bold, showcasing our power to support the causes in which we invest.

Dear United Women in Faith Sisters,

I send greetings in the name of Jesus Christ, the one who sustains us and guides us through the Holy Spirit. I pray that each of you in your units is blessed, healthy, and excited as I am about our new operating name which was announced in the free [March-April edition of the Response](#), our newly launched rebranded [Website](#), and [Facebook Event](#) on March 3, 2021. If you have not read or seen these announcements and resources, I urge you to do so! The Response magazine contains detailed information about our rebranding and answers to frequently asked questions you may have about these exciting changes that we had been announcing and have been expecting for a while.

Once again, our organization makes history during Women's History Month!

It is an exhilarating time, as we commit to even greater diversity, action, and impact as United Women in faith. We remain women of passion and power, united by God's love and committed to our PLEDGE to the mission for women, children, and youth. This is a time for us to STAND UNITED! Each unit in our local churches can continue to be part of our organization because each of you in the units is valuable, and most of all you are loved. To share this love, to have faith, action, and to be a sisterhood is our calling as we reach out to invite new women to join us on this wonderful journey and find new ways to support one another.

We will maintain the legal name United Methodist Women while operating as United Women in Faith. I compare this blessing with my own life experience. I was born with one name, when I was adopted, I took a new name, my birth certificate says ALL names belong to me and I can use ALL of them. I see this as a double blessing in my life! The blessing of operating as United Women in Faith just opens a flood of opportunities to do what we do best and that is to continue working for missions around the world, to spread the gift of the good news of salvation, and Jesus' love to women, children, and youth! I invite you to be up for the challenge with me, along with the conference team. I am calling all bold women of faith to act as a sisterhood to make systemic changes that will last. We are called by God to make an impact in the world.

I can't wait to meet you in person if you wish to continue this conversation and on how we can utilize all the new and innovative programs that will be rolled out through 2022. If you would like for me to visit your unit or zoom in with your group, I am only an email or phone call away. I hope to see you at Assembly on May 20-22 in Orlando, we will have a wonderful celebration then!

In everything you do, put God first, and he will direct you and crown your efforts with success.
Prov. 3:5-7

Heidi J Careaga (Jaqueline Mercedes Garcia Campo)
Chair of Board of Directors Finance Committee



Watch the video *We Believe love in Action can Change the World*.
Our very own Heidi Careaga is featured. Go to uwfaith.org. It's the first video.
Enjoy.

MISSION ACTION DAY (VIRTUAL)

SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 2022

9:00am to NOON

**"A TIME TO CONNECT WITH OUR WISCONSIN
NATIVE AMERICAN SISTERS"**

(Everyone is invited to this event sponsored by United Methodist Women)



Theme: "Native American Maternal Health, Past and Present"

Speaker: Candi Cornelius MSN RN CLC
Oneida Prenatal Care Coordinator



Theme: "Facilitating Transformative Change for Native American Women"

Speaker: Alice Skenandore Founder and Executive Director of Wise Women Gathering Place (WWGP)
Website: www.wisewomengp.org

EACH PERSON should register individually. Register online at:

<https://wisconsin-reg.brtaapp.com/WIUMWMissionActionDayVirtual>

Or you can register by mail by using the form below.

For questions please contact: Josie Gobel, 920-988-0705 or email josiegobel@charter.net

Please register by April 1, 2022. Zoom link and additional info will be sent April 5, 2022.

Name: _____ Your church (if any) _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

HOW WILL YOU BE JOINING THIS MEETING? (3 options)

Phone Smart phone/ computer Church Zoom Watch Party at _____

(See zoom watch party listings on Page 2)

Registration \$10.00 (suggested) \$ _____ Enclosed

Make checks payable to: Wisconsin Conference UMW.

Mail registration form and payment to: Josie Gobel, 309 W Johnson St. Apt. 930, Madison WI 53703
Personal donations can also be made to Wise Women Gathering Place at www.wisewomengp.org

PLEASE NOTE: THIS IS MISSION ACTION DAY – OUR AIM IS TO PREPARE YOU TO TAKE ACTION!

MISSION ACTION DAY
CHURCH ZOOM WATCH PARTY LOCATIONS (as of 2-14-22)
Saturday, April 9, 2022
8:30 a.m. to noon

North Central:

Wausau First, 903 3rd St, Wausau WI 54403

Contact Person: Margaret Getzin – 715-842-9254 email: margaretg202@gmail.com

North East:

Lakeshore UMC, 411 Reed Ave, Manitowoc WI 54220

Contact Person: Jackie Ackerman – 920-793-1594 email: ackermanj481@gmail.com

Osceola UMC, 306 St, Osceola WI 54020

Contact Person: Norma Kretzschmar - 715-297-3447 email: njkretz@centurytel.net

North West:

Lake Street UMC, 337 Lake St, Cau Claire WI 54703

Contact Person: Rita Houser email: rhouser1010@gmail.com

South East:

Delavan UMC, 213 S. 2nd St, Delavan WI 53115

Contact Person: Christine Anding – 262-607-1386 email: christiniemarie1950@gmail.com

West Allis Blessed Hope UMC, 3177 S. 107th St., West Allis WI 53227

Contact Person: Marie Garnhart 414-427-5770 email: smgarnhart@gmail.com

South West:

Lodi UMC, 130 Locust St, Lodi WI 53555

Contact Person: Laura Pfeffer - 608-698-7508 email: pfeffer.umw@gmail.com

First UMC, 203 Wisconsin Ave, Madison WI 53703

Contact Person: Josie Gobel – 920-988-0705 email: josiegobel@charter.net

Platteville UMC, 1065 Lancaster St, Platteville WI 53818

Contact Person: Susan Schlager, 608-348-9575 email: smschlager@yahoo.com

United Women in Faith shall be a community of women whose purpose is to know God and to experience freedom as whole persons; to develop a creative, supportive fellowship; and to expand concepts of mission to inspire, influence and impact local and global communities.

This is NOT from the National oOffice but just a thought.....KM
What are your thoughts?

Mission u is Coming This Summer

Come join us for a time of sharing and bible study. We are gathering together in person as well as on our computers to learn about and think about the parables that Jesus shared with his followers. These stories made people reflect on their lives and relationships. As we learn about the cultural



Anita Lang

context and the expectations in their time, we connect the meaning from then and relate it to our lives now. Cultural details change, human motivations endure and speak to us today as it spoke in the era of John Wesley at the beginning of the Methodist movement.--- It speaks to us today.



Anna-Lisa Hunter (she/her)

We are blessed to have these women who have deep roots in our organization. More information about study leaders will be coming soon.

Bright Lights in the South West District

In January of 2012 Baraboo First United Methodist Women began collecting and donating coupons to our adopted Army base in Okinawa. Ten years later we have reached the one million dollar mark in coupons donated!

We work through the Overseas Coupon Program (www.ocpnet.org). We ship approximately \$20,000 worth of coupons every eight to twelve weeks. The military personnel and their families can use them in their commissary and PX up to six months after they expire.

They accept manufacturers' coupons only. We are asked to clip them, sort them between edible and non-edible, and report an approximate dollar amount. The postage is about \$12.00 - \$15.00. We were sending them in flat rate boxes but discovered the postage is less if we use a regular box.

Many people in the congregation have donated coupon booklets and/or clipped and sorted them over the years. One of our most faithful volunteers was Millie Halla who cheerfully clipped and sorted countless coupons until her death in 2016 at age 99. It meant so much to her to be able to support this project. We now have a couple of parishioners and their neighbors who do the majority of clipping, "The Oak Park Place 2nd Floor Coupon Snippers."

Now we're ready to start on our second million...

(Janet Brice, President
Baraboo First UMW)



Millie Halla (age 90+)
clipping coupons



**Pat Bullard clipping at a
UMW gathering**



Who Can We Be Together?

Building Communities of Hope and Joy

Wisconsin Conference United Methodist Women

In Person Mission u 2022 Registration Form for July 28, 29, 30 Christ United Methodist Church, Watertown, Wisconsin

Name District (Circle One) NW NC NE SW SE

Address, City, State, Zip

Email

Phone

UMW unit Position in unit, district, or conference

Early bird registration is \$70. After June 1 the cost is \$85. Registration deadline is June 27.

Send check made out to Mission u along with this registration form to our registrar:

Marilyn Eyster
122 E. Cox Rd. Home 608-868-3585
Edgerton, WI 53534 Cell 608-480-9424
marilyn.eyster@gmail.com

You may also register online.

Click or copy & paste this URL into your browser.

<https://forms.gle/H3Ce3TZWmRKCqNv57>

Registration is transferable but not refundable

Note: If we need to cancel In Person Mission u due to a worsening pandemic situation, you will have the option of either the refund of your registration fee or of converting your registration to the zoom class with the refund of the difference in cost.

The zoom class will be held on four evenings, July 12, 14, 19, and 21, from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. The decision whether or not to cancel the In Person Mission u will be made by July 1, 2022.

Retain for your information

Lodging: Participants are responsible for their own lodging reservations and evening meals Thursday and Friday nights. We have set aside a block of rooms at the Comfort Inn Suites at 725 Paradise Lane, Johnson Creek, WI 53038.

The rooms will be available at the special rate of \$129 per night single or double occupancy. They will be held for us until June 27 or until they have all been filled. The rooms include a free hot breakfast on Friday and Saturday mornings.

Make hotel reservations by calling 1 (920) 699-2800. WI Conference United Methodist Women

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Who Can We Be Together? Building Communities of Hope and Joy

Great News—Community is God’s desire for us! Join us at Mission u 2022 as we reflect on the community that Jesus is calling us to be!

What would be possible if we tended to the needs of our communities in small yet radical ways, as Jesus did in Luke 13? This year we turn to the stories of Jesus that have anchored Christian communities for two millennia.

We will be using the book, *Who Can We Be Together?* for this class. This book is available for purchase at www.umwmissionresources.org or call 800-305-9857.

Check those that apply: Seeking Lay Speaker credit Seeking CEU credit (for Clergy)
 Request Scholarship (Check here to find out about Conference scholarships for Mission u.)
 First time at Mission u New WI Clergy Mission u scholarship
 Requesting a scholarship stipend to help offset the cost of child care up to \$25/day for the first (5) requests with registration (Please contact registrar for information.)

Meal: A Friday box lunch is provided with your registration. Beverages will include water, coffee, and lemonade. Other meals are on your own.

Please check one: vegetarian, gluten free ham, turkey roast beef

Photos: Photos taken at Mission u could be used in material to promote this event. **Please sign below to indicate that you understand that your photo may be taken and used by Wisconsin Conference UMW to help share United Methodist Women with others.**

Name (Print) _____ Sign _____ Date _____

Emergency Contact: Please be sure we have this information in case of an emergency.

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Best Phone Number to contact them: _____ Is this person at Mission u?

Retain for your information

2022 Wisconsin Conference Mission u
Who Can We Be Together?

Location: Christ United Methodist Church
112 Hall St., Watertown, WI 53094

In-Person Three-Day Class

Thurs, July 28, Hotel Check In: 3:00 pm Fellowship: 3:00 pm-5:00 pm Gathering: 6:30 pm-8:00 pm
Fri, July 29, 8:30 am—9:00 pm Sat, July 30, 8:00 am—1:00 pm.

***Who Can We Be Together?* is the text for this class.** Order it at www.umwmissionresources.org or call 800-305-9857. No books will be sold at Mission u.

ZOOM Mission u 2022 Registration Form,



Who Can We Be Together?
Building Communities of Hope and Joy
 Wisconsin Conference United Methodist Women
 July 12,14,19,and 21 6:30 p.m. — 9:00 p.m.

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A zoom invitation will be sent to you one week prior to the first class session.

Each person should register individually. Your fastest and most accurate way to register is online at:
 ➔ <https://forms.gle/ScKL676aGzY7ok4m9> (Click on URL or Copy and paste it into browser)
 You may also register by completing the form below and mailing it to our registrar with your check.

Registration: \$20 Registration deadline June 27 Registration transferable but not refundable

Make checks payable to Mission u. Mail along with the registration form below to our registrar:

Marilyn Eyster
 122 E. Cox Rd. Home 608-868-3585
 Edgerton, WI 53534 Cell 608-480-9424
marilyn.eyster@gmail.com

A donation for our conference pledge may be added to your registration fee and noted in the check memo.

This will take the place of the offering we usually take during the event.

Retain for your information

I am including a donation of _____ to go toward our conference pledge

Registration form to mail

Name	District (Circle One) NW NC NE SW SE
Address, City, State, Zip	
Email	Phone
UMW unit	Position in unit, district, or conference
I will sign in to zoom using my ___phone, ___smart phone/computer, or ___as part of small group. _____ will be signing in for our small group.	
When we have breakout groups, as a small group we would prefer to: ___ join a breakout group or ___ be our own group	
Note: Joining a breakout group works best for groups of no more than three persons.	
Check those that apply: ___ Seeking Lay Speaker credit ___ Seeking CEU credit ___ New WI Clergy Mission u scholarship ___ Requesting Scholarship ___ First time at Mission u	
<input type="checkbox"/> I have read and understand that I may be recorded during class to promote this event. (please check box)	

SOUTH WEST DISTRICT SISTER UNITS - 2022

	UNIT	
A	Arlington	Mary Baker
	Avoca	Carol Lange
B	Baraboo-Emanuel	Pat Gallus
	Baraboo- First	Pat Gallus
	Benton	Karen Mayeshiba
	Bloom City	Mary Lainberger
	Boaz	Carol Lange
	Brodhead	Judy Loveless
C	Cobb	Charlene Mingst
	Columbus	Cindy Morse
	Cuba City	Sue Plasterer
D	Darlington	Karen Mayeshiba
	Davis Corners	Kay Putman
	Dells-Delton	Kay Putman
	Dodgeville	Laura Pfeffer
F	Fayette	Kay Putman
	Fennimore	Carol Lange
L	LaFarge	Carol Lange
	Lancaster	Sue Plasterer
	Liberty Pole	Charlene Mingst
	Linden	Charlene Mingst
	Livingston	Charlene Mingst
	Lodi	Eileen Bennett

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Other changes

The Sampler was not given as an option this year. The Program Book, Daily Prayer Guide are available. There will be one mission study for each year which combines spiritual growth and mission action.

Free Digital Issue of response Magazine

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Use this link to go on line and get The March/April issue.

New Contact information for our National Organization

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He is the go-to guy to find what you are looking for on the webpage.

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Renewal notices are not being sent at this time.

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Year Book Correction

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Special need

**Pat who is our Social Action coordinator is doing the work of program resource at this time. Eileen our vice president takes care of the Mission Today awards and organizes the Day of Enrichment. These are temporary fixes for a missing member of our team. Our district needs to find a woman who would join our team as Education and Interpretation / Program Resources Coordinator. Help us get information and support to women interested in reading and participating in mission in our district. We have a team that really enjoys being together and working together to make mission and spiritual growth opportunities available for everyone.

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The link to our YouTube channel is here:

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