South Carolina Conference United Methodist Women

The Mission Echo

2021 Conference Executive Team

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Welcome to the latest Edition of the Mission Echo! Our Facebook page is LIVE so please visit South Carolina Conference United Methodist Women and like, share and post on our page. We hope you are enjoying the journey as we integrate new technology. Feel free to email me if you have any questions at Lovequick27@gmail.com. Grab a cup of coffee and enjoy the March edition of The Mission Echo!

Kimberly Love Quick, Communications Chair

#### From the Desk of the President

To all United Methodist Women members, officers, family, friends and volunteers I bring greetings and virtual hugs.

This year will be very exciting and full of new ways to connect. Plans are well underway "to develop a creative, supportive fellowship" while experiencing isolation due to pandemic. Our traditional activities have a new look in 2021. Be sure to engage and participate in these new experiences. You will learn about them in this edition of the quarterly Mission Echo. Registration forms are provided. We also contribute a monthly column in The Advocate newspaper and keep a current website at umcsc.org along with social media posts.

Leadership Development Days took place January 28-30, a completely virtual program. We had 19 SCCUMW officers registered for this annual event. LDD is offered by United Methodist Women National to provide a time of worship, workshops, training, and exchange with fellow officers all across America. The theme Anchored, Adrift, Ashore was based on Acts 27, Paul's tumultuous journey on the Adriatic Sea to Rome. Attendees, over 700 in number, were invited to create a "Home Prayer Space" to provide a focus place for their personal journey and prayers. The music and messages were inspiring and memorable. Harriet Jane Olson's closing remarks on Acts 27 informed we are travelling into the future without a GPS, into the unknown like Paul, and yet we travel together. United Methodist Women have always worked together, come together in times of uncertainty. The same is true today. We travel forward with each other, our companions, who follow God, who makes the way. Her words always inspire and encourage our community of women.

Our Legislative Advocacy Days have provided a month of learning and growth about 'Jesus, Justice and Action'. Our first ever virtual Social Action workshops and speakers have enriched our understanding and increased our knowledge on critical topics facing South Carolinians and the world today. Our traditional day of learning at Epworth Children's Home (Remember the residents and staff in your prayers!) gave way to a bold schedule with four dynamic speakers virtually presenting and responding to questions. With over 300 registered for the series, each session has reached many ears and touched many hearts. We greatly appreciate our Bishop Holston opening session one with his love, encouragement and support for us and this program. Dr. A. Chauhan revealed the difficult circumstances and provisions for juveniles within the SC legal system thru an informative power point presentation, question and answer session and sincere dialog for ways to help improve this circumstance in her Juvenile Justice Reform Workshop. Mr. R. Rich revealed concerns and hidden secrets during his Elder Abuse Workshop. A video testimony from an abuser exposed a secret side to this serious issue. Questions were answered addressing specific areas of concern for attendees. At time of writing this message two workshops remain, Opioid Education Prevention and Jesus, Justice and Action. Every session was hosted by a knowledgeable District Social Action Mission Coordinator and closed with prayer from a passionate Prayer Warrior. Thank you to our entire Social Action Team, chaired by Linda Eichenbaum, registrar Rebecca Eleazer and Kim Love Quick Technology for their excellent work.

It is time to complete the **Unit Census**. All Unit Presidents are reminded to participate in the gathering of membership numbers and entering your figures into the census. Everyone needs to be in the count! Everyone! We are the fourth largest conference in America according to numbers reported for 2019 membership. Our faithful United Methodist Women members are found in local units both large and small all across South Carolina. Conference Membership Nurture &Outreach Mission Coordinator Lavonne James is available to help answer your questions. District Membership Nurture & Outreach Mission Coordinators are ready to assist with data entry. Let us work hard to increase participation in the annual count. On March 30th the census will close. Let us get it done together! Unit Presidents, we support you!

Mark your calendar to attend our virtual **Spiritual Growth Event, Rock Hill District hosts, Saturday April 24th**. Save the date for our virtual **Come Together Be Together, Anderson District hosts, Saturday May 15th**.

Psalm 91:2 I will say of the Lord,"He is my refuge and my fortress, my God in whom I trust."

#### Vice President Report

Greetings.....South Carolina Conference United Methodist Women!

Fulfilling the **PURPOSE** of United Methodist Women is a task that brings many blessings to the givers and receivers. I challenge each of you to commit to attending all 2021 SCCUMW sponsored events and programs. You will find in this Mission Echo issue a calendar of event dates that you can place on your personal calendar. They are all virtual events, which gives you extra time and comfort at home since no travel is needed.

The conference officers of the SCCUMW organization chair many different committees and have the responsibility of planning the events. There are many hours that go into planning and implementing programs, but without your attendance, no success will be obtained. Just know that as we plan, the members of the SCCUMW are always at the forefront of our decisions. You will always receive an evaluation at the conclusion of the event, which will be collected and reviewed for suggestions on improving the event. Make sure to always complete your evaluation. Evaluations matter, and your suggestions are always considered.

Our Program Committee will meet Saturday, March 20th to begin planning our 49th SCCUMW Annual Meeting. The meeting will again be held via Zoom Saturday, October 23rd. Session one will begin at 10:00 am and session two will begin at 1:00 pm. The registration form and specific plans will be shared using our conference newsletter as they become available. Please mark your calendars with plans to attend and invite others to join in this year's celebration. Last year's evaluations were very positive and we are hopeful this year's event will be enjoyed even more. This year's host will be the ladies of the Hartsville District, and they are excited for the opportunity. More information will be shared in the June Mission Echo issue.

SCCUMW District Officers' Training will be held Saturday, November 6th, via Zoom. Last year we were blessed with a large attendance and are prayerful that this year's training will have an even larger attendance. Mark your calendar and plan to join us for a day of learning and sharing with your counterparts from the Conference and other districts.

As always, I ask that you follow the recommendations of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to wear your mask, wash your hands, remain socially distanced, and take your vitamins to strengthen your immune system. Following these recommendations now will allow us to return to inperson events in the future. I would like to thank all our essential workers that sacrifice each day for others.

Blessings my sisters in Christ and remain safe!

Janice Cockfield Eaddy SCCUMW Vice President

"When you are sinned against the devil rejoices and when you respond with evil he rejoices a second time, never give him the second time to rejoice!"

Treasurer's Report

Happy Winter SCCUMW.

I pray everyone and your families are well and safe. A new year is upon us. I know we are all praying this year will see the end of the pandemic and everyone will be safely vaccinated. During 2020 we saw a decrease in our giving which is understandable, since most of our units did not meet during 2020. BUT we did meet our pledge to National!! So, for that I say thank you District Treasurers. We are coming to an end of the first quarter for 2021 and your report is due to me no later than 3/15/21.

Happy New Year!! Be A Blessing! Ruby Hannah



"We are weak, but we are strong with God; We are separated, but we are together in God; We are fearful, but we have Faith in our Awesome God;

We are strong United Methodist Women!" ---

STATEMENT BY JOYCE CROUCH, GREENWOOD DISTRICT UMW PRESIDENT WHEN ASKED TO DESCRIBE GREENWOOD UMW

E&I Coordinator

Hello Ladies,

We made it through 2020 and now we are embarking upon a brand new year with lots of work ahead of us! We have learned how to value the way we used to do things, as we learn how to appreciate our new way of living. As we go forth, we ask you to remember that we are called to work together to serve others and that we can't let COVID-19 stop us from being in mission for God. As always we appreciate your effort and want to encourage you to hold on to the vision of the UMW to be in service to our women, children, and youth.

On January 29th-30th, we had an opportunity to attend via Zoom, The Leadership Development Days. The theme for this event was Anchored, Adrift, Ashore. It was a powerful and uplifting experience that was attended by over 700 women from across the United States. As part of our time together we were invited to create a space to center ourselves. This space was to remind us of the Faithfulness of "God, to whom we belong and to whom we Worship. Jessica Tillich, the Staff Liaison for Education and Interpretation was our facilitator. She asked each of us to think about ourselves and think about why we are members of the United Methodist Women, what attracted us to the organization and why we decided to commit to it. During our time together we were invited to bring our guestions and ideas on how to promote mission giving. We shared some ideas that might be helpful in our Conference as we try to increase and generate funds to help our Mission Giving. In our small group, it was suggested since we are doing virtual programs, we could donate our registration fees from our District and Conference Annual Meeting, Day Apart and our Spiritual Growth Retreat. We talked about wearing pajamas at our Zoom meeting and each lady pay \$10.00. The Conference Executive Meeting could pay a one time fee of \$25.00 because of the numbers of meetings that we attend. We are still expected to continue to be In Mission during this season of not being together in person as Harriet Olson share with us I the closing worship service that there's no roadmap for this journey that we're on right now we need to work together, find ways to work together our vision as United Methodist Women's is God vision we can't let COVID-19 stop us from being in mission for God.

The Education and Interpretation Committee met recently and discussed our Mission Giving to our 4 mission projects. We are asking for your help in keeping our vision alive share the story about 150 plus years in mission.

#### Our four Mission projects and their Emphasis month February- Wallace Family Life Center \$5.00 from each member in your unit April -Bethlehem Center Columbia September-Killingsworth Columbia November- Bethlehem Center Spartanburg

Because of Covid-19, call the centers to check to see what are they in need of and how it can be delivered to them or what the best time someone can talk to your groups about what's going on at the mission projects. Remember: Do Justice; Love mercy; Walk humbly with God.

We're up for the challenge! Are we ready, Paul arrived and made his journey! We can make a difference in this world, by the Grace of God

Blessing and Peace Eunice Y White, SCCUMW E&I Coordinator

#### Wallace Family Life Center, Mission Echo

As we reflect on where Wallace Family Life Center is today, we can say because of you, forty- one years has past and the mission continues. We cannot thank you enough for the support, prayers and love showered on Wallace Family Life Center.

The many families in the community are very grateful for the assistance we are able to provide them during these trying times. They are more comfortable asking for help because they realize we are genuine and resourceful.

We are providing books, educational games, headphones and coats for the children. The food pantry continues to provide food to at least forty families and the adult education students.

The garden project is underway as the weather permits. The Sunflower Club and the youth in the community are preparing and planting for a spring harvest.

It is necessary that we do more outreach in the area due to Covid-19. Adding an Outreach Coordinator to assist the Interim Director to reach more people in need is a way to increase the help for so many marginalized families.

Please continue praying for the Wallace Family Life Center and making contributions and donations of any kind and amount. Hope the virus will be contained and we can visit and gather safely real soon.

Clarice Blakeney, Wallace Family Life Center Representative

#### Greetings from Bethlehem Community Center

Like most of you, we had to make major changes in our 2020-21 programming due to COVID-19. We continue to manage our programs around the evolving needs of those in our community.

In partnership with the Junior League of Columbian and Delivering Goods, we hosted a clothing drive to benefit working women, teachers, students and families in Columbia. New clothing items were available at no cost. Community members were welcome to shop at our invite-only boutique style set up. We are expecting a new delivery of children's clothing in the next few weeks and will begin setting up a children's boutique.

We have been open on Fridays to provide a meal to community members in need. Because of the cold weather and COVID-19 the numbers dropped to only one or two people. Because of this decline, we have decided to put the program on hold until late March.

The pandemic has caused other delays. We still plan to open a childcare center. When it is safe to do so, we will start the process to get that program going. We started the necessary repairs to the front porch but we are under a weather delay on that plus the planned landscaping work.

Some things have moved forward, we are now providing a quarterly newsletter produced by the newest member of the board, Jada Samuel. We have also made financial changes that we hope will allow for a more sustained future.

We appreciate the confidence that all of our donors, volunteers and supporters have placed in us and in our work. We will strive to be better each day and look forward to working with you in 2021.

Helen Cargile rep to CBCC

Nominations Committee

Now is the Time, Mission is the Opportunity, Leadership is the Way

Have you been feeling restless, unsettled or maybe even lonely since COVID-19 came into our lives? Do you feel like you have been halted in your tracks to follow the Purpose of United Methodist Women? Do you have the passion and desire to continue to engage in mission to women, children, and youth, but perhaps don't know how? Are you willing to grow and develop as a United Methodist Woman? Would you be interested in working with a talented, dedicated group of women who see the blessings and love in each other?

If this sounds appealing to you, there are opportunities to serve with the South Carolina Conference United Methodist Women. Just like our foremothers for over 150 years, we have learned to face obstacles and challenges, but not let them deter us from caring for the least of these, as we have been called to do. I am so proud of what our Conference UMW leadership was able to accomplish last year, and we are boldly moving forward this year. We are a creative, supportive fellowship of women!

If you don't like to do a lot of traveling, now is the perfect time to serve as a Conference officer. We have embraced new technology and now meet and work together on our computers, laptops, tablets, and mobile phones through Zoom meetings, conference calls, and emails. We are continuing to put faith, hope, and love into action; but to do that requires leadership.

The SCCUMW Committee on Nominations invites you to consider the following positions for 2022:

Education and Interpretation – This position is for anyone who wants to promote mission and educate others on mission opportunities. You will be a voice for our 4 mission projects: Killingsworth, Bethlehem Center Spartanburg, Wallace Family Life Center, and Columbia Bethlehem Community Center.

Committee on Nominations member – You will have the opportunity to work with 8 other fantastic women and learn the importance of each woman's job serving with the Conference UMW.

Charter for Racial Justice Committee member – With what has been going on in our country, especially in the past year, this position is more important than ever. You will help to educate others on the significance of the Charter for Racial Justice and how United Methodist Women can apply it in mission and social action endeavors.

If you feel God touching your heart to consider one of these positions and would like more information, please contact Kathy Roys, Nominations Chair, or any of the ladies serving on the Nominations Committee. You can complete a potential leader form and send it to Kathy.



#### South Carolina Conference UMW Potential Leader Form

Name:	Date:
Address:	
Phone:	Email:
District:	_ Ethnicity:
Age: 20's 30's 40's 50's 60's	70's 80's Employed?
Professional Skills/ Job Experience:	
Offices held in United Methodist Women:	
Local Unit	
District	
Conference	
Jurisdiction/National	
Additional experience within the church or comm	nunity other than UMW:
Which offices are of most interest to you?	
President Vice President Secretary	_ Treasurer Nominations
Communications Spiritual Growth Soc	ial Action Program Resources
Education & Interpretation (Missions) Mem	bership, Nurture & Outreach
Charter for Racial Justice Committee	(Please continue on back.)

Are you able to participate in online meetings?

Are you able to travel for meetings and events?

When would you be available to serve?

Are you able and willing to use your gifts and talents to uphold and strengthen the Purpose of United Methodist Women? \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form to a Committee on Nominations member or send to:

Kathy Roys (Chair of Nominations) 107 Hickory Trace Dr. Goose Creek, SC 29445 Kathy5339@att.net

News from our Limitless Jeam

### Save the Nate!

Join us for a Limitless party on July 3rd, 2021. We are planning to have a party to reconnect with our Limitless young ladies and celebrate with games and surprises for our girls. The zooming fun will begin at 10:00 am!!!!

Please send the names of your youth to Debra Schooler, debrajschooler@gmail.com so the team can send an invitation to the girls!! All Districts are invited and encourage to participate.

Anyone interested in joining our Limitless Team, please let Lavonne James or Debra Schooler know!! We need some young people to take leadership roles as our Limitless Team moves forward this year.

Legacy Fund update United Methodist Women continues to build upon the foundation set forth by our founders over 150 years ago. In 2014, the Board of Directors launched the Legacy Fund Endowment Campaign setting a goal to raise \$60 million. As a permanently invested endowment, the Legacy Fund will forever be a source of income for United Methodist Women. We will continue to fundraise, promote and grow the fund to reach and surpass our \$60 million dollar goal.

Because the Fund was launched in a time leading up to our 150th anniversary there may have been a misconception among some that the Legacy Fund was tied to our past – but it is actually the opposite – it is money that is invested and working for the future of our organization.

Mission giving must always come first because it supports all our current mission and advocacy work. The Legacy Endowment Fund is money for our future. Proceeds from the invested funds will endow future core expenses so that even more money can be directed to support and grow vital mission work throughout our country and the world.

There are three primary channels of giving to the Legacy Fund:

- Every Member Campaign, Conference Giving
- Planned Giving through the 1869 Society through estate, life insurance, will or retirement account
- Major Gifts multiyear pledge (3-5 Years) or a one-time gift of \$1,000 \$100,000

In October, 2019 the Legacy Builder was established. This is a monthly giving program. There are different ways to give. Donors can set up monthly giving of \$18.69 or more - text to give, online, or send in monthly checks.

On **Tuesday, March 23rd** we will be celebrating Day of Giving on the anniversary of our founding. The theme is "Our Year of Hope." Mark your calendars and....

Give:

- Online at: unitedmethodistwomen.org/legacy fund
- By phone: 800-278-7771 (8 a.m. to 5 p.m. EST, M-F).
- Mail check to:

United Methodist Women Attn: Development, Legacy Fund 475 Riverside Drive, 15th floor, New York, NY 10115 (Please include "Day of giving" in memo)

Or Text "Legacy 150" to 41444 on your mobile device

Maureen Thomas, SCCUMW Legacy Liaison

#### In a Time of Lent

Remember in this time of Lent to not only "give up something" but take in something as well. Prayer, Bible study and Daily Reflection will help us grow in our love for our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ and our commitment to him.

#### PRAYER PALS

Growing spiritually is a better way that we can understand our part in God's mission and ministry in our world. Connecting with our other United Methodist Sisters in our conference through prayer and blessings can help us become stronger in our Christian journey. If you are interested in participating in this connection, please contact me or your district Spiritual Growth Coordinator. You will be given your prayer pals information and they will be given yours.

Please send this information to Vickie Harvey email: <u>vtharvey62@gmail.com</u> or mail it to 440 Goldmine Road Spartanburg SC 29307

Please fill out the following information:

Name:	
Address:	
Email:	
Birthday:	Phone:

Other information you wish your prayer partner may need to know:

LDD Thoughts:

This is the second LDD that I have attended. Of course being virtual, it was definitely different. The worship services were diverse and well thought out. I really enjoyed meeting our new national representative Nora for Spiritual Growth. Our training was spiritually enriched and I hope to use a lot of information from this training to develop meaningful events for all of you.

Vickie Harvey, Spiritual Growth

## **2021 Executive Committee**



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#### SCCUMW

#### **Spiritual Growth Virtual Event**

April 24, 2021 10:00 AM

#### Behind Every Great Woman:

#### Community, Call and Creativity in the Life of the Women in Moses' Life

"Miriam sang the refrain back to the women: "Sing to the Lord for this overflowing victory"

#### Exodus 15:21

Rock Hill District will be our host for this Event

Speaker is the Rev. Wendy Hudson-Jacoby

Pastor of Two Rivers UMC in the Charleston District

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Registration f	form
Name:	
Mailing Address:	
Phone:	
Email:	
District:	Church:
First time:	Are you under 40

Please send to Toni Love, our Registrar or register on line

SCCUMC Toni Love 1924 Bangor Road Charlotte NC 28217 704-560-2853 Email: <u>threesisters7@aol.com</u>

Online registration: https://bit.ly/3r2fTaE

#### Legislative Advocacy Days 2021 Jesus, Justice and Action"

"This is what the LORD Almighty said: Administer true justice; show mercy and compassion to one another"

#### Psalm 106:3

Our SCCUMW District Social Action Coordinators have chosen Mass Incarceration/Criminal Justice Reform, Quality Education, Environmental Justice, and Expanded Physical and Mental Health Services Access as our primary legislative issues for 2021.

During February we had a series of four 90-minute Zoom sessions featuring four exceptional Workshop Speakers, who offered a wealth of information in an unusual 'forum' atmosphere.

Dr. Aleksandra Chaun Esq, Juvenile Defender Advocate, SC Commission on Indigent Defense educated us about the tremendous need for 'Juvenile Justice Reform' in SC, with much technical and experiential data.

The 'Elder Abuse' Workshop featured Mr. Russell Rich, Director of County Operations and Community Relations for Adult Advocacy at SC Dept of Social Services. He focused upon the causes and scope of abuse and the expanded need for both Legislative changes and increased funding for service options. Many participants contributed ideas, as well as resources, within the Zoom group.

The third 'Opioid Epidemic' Workshop featured a presentation by Ms. Tori West, the Opioid Education Prevention Coordinator at Holding Out the Lifeline: A Mission to Families. Her presentation included drug classification education, the dire effects of physical and psychological misuse/abuse, and available community resources.

The final Workshop featured Award winning United Methodist Advocate Editor and author Jessica Brodie in a presentation highlighting 'Jesus, Justice and Action and United Methodists'. She was an inspiring speaker and writer who provided a wonderful conclusion to the Legislative Days Program in this amazing and challenging Year!

In addition to the wonderful speakers, District Social Action Coordinators served as Hostesses,

UMCSC Bishop Jonathan Holston and SCCUMW President welcomed the participants, and Prayer Warriors Linda Durant, Marlene Spender, Maureen Thomas, and Pastor Edmund Daniel closed the sessions with peace and grace. Through it all, SCCUMW Registrar Rebecca Eleazer and Communications Guru Kim Love Quick handled the technical aspects of this, our first, virtual Legislative Advocacy Day (s). Well done, good and faithful servants!

The 124th SC Legislative Assembly began in mid-January and in the first month 1,500+ Bills were filed – 400 of which fall within our focus areas of concern. Our first 2021 Legislative Alert delineates an array of Bills, with guides to understanding and responding to them. You are also encouraged to email LVE2551@sccoast.net to be added to the Legislative Alert email list.

Kim Love Quick plans to post our Legislative Advocacy Day programs on the United Methodist Women page on the https://www.umcsc.org/discipleship/united-methodist-women/ website for links to recordings of the Legislative Advocacy Day sessions and updates on our Legislative Alert Activity.

We thank the many participants who joined us for the Zoom event and would encourage ALL to listen to the recordings of the program, to educate ourselves toward our focused goals of Justice, Mercy, and Compassion in our world. We are Alive in Christ!

Linda Eichenbaum, SCCUMW Social Action Missions Coordinator

## 2020 Unit Survey

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Record of Membership in 2020 Completed by Unit Presidents

#### Deadline is March 30, 2021

This year <u>the name is "Unit Survey</u>". Over the past 5 years, the form has taken shape to be more than a number reporting tool and more of a questionnaire regarding the health and vitality of the unit. The past (3) years we have asked questions about what does it mean to be a thriving unit and what attributes do you relate to thriving.

This year, we are asking the unit presidents to selfselect in what area(s) their members/units are thriving. This will help influence what it means to "thrive" at the district and unit level as well as inform the national office and conference leadership on strengths and areas for improvement.

2020 Unit Survey Link: www.unitedmethodistwomen.org/census2020

#### Final deadline for reporting is March 30, 2021.

Lavonne James Membership Nurture and Outreach Mission Coordinator vonne613@yahoo.com #803-410-1025

#### Save the date!

#### **Come Together Be Together - Virtual Event**

"Fun for all ages and all stages of United Methodist Women."

Event theme is "This too Shall Pass - Keep the Faith".

Saturday June 15<sup>th,</sup> 10 am virtual session

#### Anderson District hosts

Pastor Freda Brock, Toxaway United Methodist Church Anderson will bring the devotion.

Workshops and presenters:

Bible Study – DeDee Clarey

Spiritual Wellness – Peggy Dulaney

Recipe Exchange – Dr. Aubrey Coffee

Going Green – Lynn Friedman

Relaxation with laughter - Sue Owens

#### **Event Mission project:**

Donate face masks directly to Killingsworth in Columbia.

Watch for registration information!

We hope to see you there, virtually!

#### Greetings from Killingsworth,

We have been living with a pandemic for almost at year and have managed to avoid having any active cases of Covid-19 at Killingsworth!!! This has been possible because our dedicated staff is vigilant about following best practices, our residents are committed to good heath for themselves and others, and you, our donors, help to keep the shelves stocked with the products needed to maintain a clean, safe environment. Thank you!

Our first ever virtual gala was quite successful. It was fun to scroll through the listing of participants and see many of your faces. Over \$24,000 was raised for our day-to-day operating expenses. At this time we are undecided about whether or not we will continue this as a virtual event.

Our house census has held steady at about 10 residents for the last few months. Currently all residents are employed! Applications are being reviewed and we hope to welcome a few more women in the next few weeks.

I spoke with our house manager recently about current needs and her immediate answer was "postage stamps". Stamps can be ordered online (usps.com) and shipped directly to the home at 1831 Pendleton Street, Columbia, 29201. Other items can be ordered online and shipped there also. One donor sends laundry detergent this way.

Another need is face masks. Now that it is recommended that people wear two masks, we need them even more than we did before. As always, the other expendable supplies are needed – laundry detergent, office supplies, postage stamps, first aid supplies, liquid soap, hair products, to name a few. We are currently overstocked on toothbrushes and feminine hygiene items.

Our Annual Golf Tournament will be held on May 3rd. Please use the forms below to register your Golf teams or become a sponsor.

For updated information about the home, the program, our events and all needs list you can always check out our website: www.killingsworth.org

Thank you for all that you do as United Methodist Women to keep this ministry alive and healthy.

Jane Scott, SCCUMW Representative to Killingsworth

## KILLINGSW RTH transforming women

## CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

LOCATION: Windemere Golf Club 1101 Longtown Road E Blythewood, SC 29016

Check-in: 8:00AM Shotgun Start: 9:00AM GREENS FEE: Individual: \$80.00 Team: \$320.00

#### SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

Title Sponsor \$2,500 Platinum Sponsor \$1,000 Lunch Sponsor \$500 Beverage Cart Sponsor \$250 Golf Hole Sponsor \$100 Goodie Bag Sponsor \$75 Prize Sponsor \$50

Registration fees include: Green fee, cart fee, lunch, and chances to win prizes!

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LOCATION: Windemere Golf Club 1101 Longtown Road E Blythewood, SC 29016

QUESTIONS: Phone: 803-771-6359 Email: admin@killingsworth.org

www.killingsworth.org/events

#### KILLINGSW RTH transforming women

#### Completed Form and Check Are Due by: 4/23/2021.

YOUR NAME:	
COMPANY NAME:	
EMAIL:	
PHONE	
ADDRESS	
CITY/STATE/ZIP	

#### REGISTER YOUR TEAM TODAY! (FOURSOME)

(Email address for each player required)

TEAM NAME:

PLAYER 1 NAME: EMAIL:

PLAYER 2 NAME: EMAIL:

PLAYER 3 NAME: EMAIL:

PLAYER 4 NAME: EMAIL:

#### Greens Fee

 Individual
 \$ 80.00

 Team
 \$320.00

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Ċ,	Golf Hole Sponsor	\$100
Ľ	Goodie Bag Sponsor	\$75
Ċ	Prize Sponsor	\$50

Make checks payable to Killingsworth and designate Golf Tournament Mail form with check to: 1831 Pendleton Street, Columbia SC 29201

Registration fees include: Green fee, cart fee, lunch, and chances to win prizes!

Contests

Closest to the Pin Lowest Foursome Longest Drive
 Individual Contests

Door Prizes

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## SAVE THE DATE Ensure hope for women, children and youth on Day of Giving, March 23. unitedmethodistwomen.org/legacyfund

## 2021 OUR YEAR OF HOPE

On Day of Giving—March 23, 2021—Let us honor our foremothers by giving to The Legacy Endowment Fund to ensure United Methodist Women can continue serving women, children and youth around the world for the next 150 years. Generous donors have agreed to match gifts received for Day of Giving.

#### WAYS TO GIVE:

- Online at: unitedmethodistwomen.org/150
- · By phone: 800-278-7771(8 a.m. to 5 p.m. EST, Mon.-Fri.)
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