

# COLUMBIA DISTRICT 48<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING LIVE ON ZOOM @ 10AM SEPTEMBER 19, 2020 GUEST SPEAKER:

Sue Owens, SEJ President/Member of Spartanburg District

THEME: FEAR OR FAITH

THERE WILL BE NO REGISTRATION!!

UMW UNITS MAY SEND A DONATION (YOUR OFFERING) TO OUR ACTING TREASURER:

**DEBRA SCHOOLER** 

113 MEADOW LANE, EASTOVER, SC 29044

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# Message From Your President...

This is the day that the Lord has made....Let us REJOICE and be GLAD in it!

My Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

I am amazed at how quickly the time seem to have passed since I became your President four years ago. This has been four years of learning more about United Methodist Women, fellowshipping with ladies throughout the state and world, attending Leadership Conference, The Assembly and Spiritual Growth Retreats, Come Together Be Together, Mission u and many other meetings. My time as your leader has been most of all **rewarding and a boost to my confidence when speaking in crowds**. You all are very supportive and that is what makes your leader successful and productive and happy!

This position allowed me to be a part of the Board of Trustees for Killingsworth and Columbia Bethlehem Center. Both of these agencies have become near and dear to my heart.

COVID-19 brought things to almost a screeching halt. We did get our Day Apart Retreat in just at the time when things were beginning to shut down. After that we began working virtually and face-to-face became almost nonexistence. I thank God that we were able to keep going although in a much different format.

We had to rethink how we were going to support our Purpose to women and children. Based on the Mission Today reports I have received, you have done well.

Our Annual Meeting on Saturday, September 19, 2020 at 10am will be done virtually. For the safety of our ladies and others in attendance, the Executive Committee has decided to present it virtual. Debra Schooler our program committee chairperson is working diligently to make it meaningful.

The link is posted on the second page of this issue of Gleanings. We welcome others from around the state to join in with us. Our theme is "Fear or Faith." The speaker will be Sue Owens, President of the South Eastern Jurisdiction of United Methodist Women. She is a highly sought-after speaker. I am so glad that we were lucky to get her as our speaker.

Even though we are not in the same space, we want to continue our routine of collecting our offering. I ask that you please ask your ladies and/or Units and Circles to please send your offering to our Acting Treasurer, Debra Schooler at 113 Meadow Lane, Eastover, SC 29044.

Please plan to get your offering to Debra before September 19 so she will be able to report what was collected and how much each Mission will receive.

Thank you to EVERYONE for your splendid support and cooperation during my time as President. I know that you will be just as supportive to Debra Schooler our new incoming President. It was my desire to visit all of the Units but unfortunately did not make it around to everyone. Just know that I am still available to come to you if needed. Just let me know.

Thank you for four Great years!

Love Peace and Grace,

## Sandra Love

Columbia District President

# News From The Vice President

Sisters in Christ,

As we prepare for our annual meeting and the end of our year, we ask for your prayers! It is a difficult time to plan our events - virtual or in-person, as we find our way in this new normal! I have found that the United Methodist Women face challenges head on, so I know we will be even stronger as we deal with all that is going on in our world today! I encourage everyone to vote, vote and vote in our November elections! It is critical that we voice our opinions this November!

Plan to attend our virtual Columbia District Annual meeting on September 19th, the link to the Zoom account is posted in this issue. Thank the Lord that we can meet at least virtually! I look forward to a time when we can see each other in person and elbow bump!!!! Until then, we can be with each other on our computers and phones!

Thanking God for my blessings!

Debra Schooler

Columbia District Vice President



# From the Secretary's Desk

The Columbia District United Methodist Women Executive Committee met June 16, 2020 via Conference Call.

President Sandra Love extended greetings to attendees and called the meeting to order at 6:00PM.

Persons in attendance included Sandra Love, Debra Schooler, Carrie Murray, Rhonda Washington, Sharee Washington, Bridgette Gruber, Patricia Armstrong, Mary Nell Trussell, Pat Hoesly, Connie Branham, Linda Kennedy, Christine Porter, Robin Andrews, Vanessa Key, Faye Love, Tiffany Phillips and Flo Johnson.

Absentee members were Jessica Jones (excused), Evelyn Neal and Laura Mitchell.

Bridgette Gruber led the devotional with prayer and Biblical references to deal with the COVID -19 pandemic.

Carrie Murray read the minutes which were adopted and received as information.

### New Business / Announcement

Killingsworth Virtual Gala will be held November 12, 2020.

Those able to join the Faith Walk with Bishop Holston on Saturday, June 20 are asked to wear your UMW tee-shirt. If you are not able to participate, pray.

# **Reports** were given from the following officers:

- ➤ President Sandra Love participated in local board meetings, supported mission projects, and conducted a discussion on the District Annual Meeting. The general conscious was to host a virtual meeting in September at which time we would elect officers, extend recognitions and present the Woman of the Year from local units.
- ➤ Vice President Deborah Schooler announced that SCCUMW would sponsor a Virtual Mission u 2020 study on *Finding Peace in an Anxions World* that would be divided into three sessions- July 18<sup>th</sup>; July 25<sup>th</sup> and August 8<sup>th</sup>. Registration is free. Virtual Mission u for youth would be held July 11<sup>th</sup> and August 1<sup>st</sup>.
- > Treasurer (acting) Deborah Schooler reported having received sixteen remittances and would submit a written report.
- > Secretary Carrie Murray requested that "I" (Christian journey) stories be sent to Communications coordinators.
- **Communications** coordinators Rhonda and Sharee Washington announced that articles for the September *Gleanings* are due August 14<sup>th</sup>.
- > Spiritual Growth coordinator Bridgette Gruber reminded the ladies to follow CDC guidelines to stay safe during COVID-19.

- ➤ Social Action coordinator Patricia Armstrong announced the following: (1) Form for Charter for Racial Justice Diamond Unit appears in the June *Gleanings*; (2) View UMW link: UMW Urges Members to Resist Racism in hearts, Homes Communities and Country; (3) Join Bishop Holston in Interfaith Peach Walk, Saturday, June 20, 2020 at 11:00 am from Allen University to the State House.
- Education and Interpretation coordinator Mary Mason sent in her report reflecting that Columbia Bethlehem Community Center will be having quarterly instead of monthly meetings. A Calendar of Events will be forthcoming in August 2020. Killingsworth is in need of the following items to include but not limited to cleaning supplies, gift certificates, water and personal hygiene items.
- ➤ Membership Nurture and Outreach coordinator Mary Ann Dewitt announced that the deadline for the UMW Census report has been extended to June 20, 2020.
- ➤ Program Resources coordinator Mary Nell Trussell has shared a list of books from the 2020 Reading program. Participants are encouraged to send reports to her to be included in the District Annual Reports.
- ➤ Chair of Nominations Connie Branham reported the following vacancies: Vice-President; Education and Interpretation; Nominations Committee (2 vacancies); leader for Cluster 5; Leader for Cluster 6. Slate of Officers would be sent to Deborah Schooler by August 14, 2020. A motion was made, seconded, carried and so ordered to switch leaders for Cluster 2 and 3 immediately. Evelyn Neal is leader for Cluster 3 and Vanessa Key is leader for Cluster 2.
- **Historian** Pat Hosely encouraged all units to send pictures of local unit activities.
- Cluster Leader Reports

### Churches / Units Reporting

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Cluster Leader 1 Robin Andrews	1. Lexington, UMW 2. Rehoboth - Leesville UMW
Cluster Leader 2 Evelyn Neal	1. Brookland UMW
Reports submitted by Mary Trussell	2. Mt. Hebron UMW
Cluster Leader 3 Vanessa Key	1. Ashland UMW
	2. Chapin UMW
	3. Grace UMW
	4. Salem UMW
Cluster Leader 4 Faye Love	1. Bluff Road UMW
	2. Lebanon UMW
	3. Whaley Street UMW
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Cluster Leader 5 Tiffany Phillips	1. Francis Burns UMW
	2. Northeast UMW
	3. Rehoboth UMW
Cluster Leader 6 Laura Mitchell	None

After a closing prayer the meeting adjourned at 7:45pm.

Listed below are **some** of the activities that units across the district completed during the second quarter, 2020. This info was retrieved from Cluster Reports.

### Spiritual Growth

- 1. Conducted Virtual meetings (Conference Call and Zoom) that included programs/devotions/Bible study
- 2. Attended Columbia District Day Apart event
- 3. Continuous prayers for those affected by COVID-19
- 4. Continuous prayers for physical healing
- 5. Held Program "Holy Bold Women Lead" from UMW 2019-2020 Program Book during monthly meeting

## Social Action / Service Projects

- 1. Donated bread and food to congregational members in need
- 2. Donated items to Henderson Settlement in Kentucky
- 3. Donated House-whole supplies to Killingsworth
- 4. Donated items to Epworth Children's Home
- 5. Donated items to Keeping it Real Ministries
- 6. Sent care package to member in Africa
- 7. Donated socks to the SC Department of Mental Health for infants, children, youth, men and women
- 8. Donated to Snack-Pack Ministry to provide food for local school children
- 9. Donated supplies to Epworth Children's Home

## Supportive Community/Fellowship

- 1. Cards sent to families of deceased members
- 2. "You Look Marvelous" event to uplift spirits during the COVID-19 pandemic
- 3. Held Zoom meeting to discuss books from the Reading Program: Nurturing for Community
- 4. Sent birthday cards to Missionaries and Deaconesses
- 5. Shared food from vegetable garden with the community
- 6. Sent in excess of 75 Thank You cards to Front-Line workers during the COVID-19 pandemic
- 7. Provided snacks and masks for healthcare professionals
- 8. Assisted with Parking Lot Graduation Celebration
- 9. Participated in Pentecost Sunday, the lighting of a candle for death of George Floyd and prayers for unity
- 10. Provided a meal for the family of a deceased member

### Membership Nurture and Outreach

- 1. Participated in Drive-Through visits to sick and shut-ins
- 2. Awarded Special Mission Recognition Pen

### Education and Interpretation / Leadership Development

- 1. Handed out 20 copies of *response* magazine to inform others about the work of United Methodist Women
- 2. Sponsored guest speaker Ms. Bianca C. Richardson, founder of non-profit Love Yourself Always, Inc.

### **Monetary Donations**

- 1. Gift in Memory
- 2. Killingsworth (rental assistance for residents)
- 3. The Legacy Fund
- 4. A Call to Prayer and Self-Denial

- 5. Pledge to Missions
- 6. Columbia Bethlehem Community Center
- 7. Bethlehem Community Center Spartanburg
- 8. We Care
- 9. Church Women United
- 10. Homeless No More/Family Shelter
- 11. Autism Society
- 12. Washington Street UMC homeless feeding program
- 13. Harvest Hope Food Bank
- 14. Wallace Family Life

Thanks for all you do on behalf of women, children and youth. To God Be the Glory!

# Carrie R. Murray

Secretary, Columbia District, UMW (803) 754-1895 <u>cmrmurra@bellsouth.net</u>

# Columbia District Local Unit Officers 2021 Print or Type

Name of Church

**Contact Person** 

Office	Name	Address	Phone Number(s) Home and Cell	Email Address
President				
Vice President				
Secretary				
Treasurer				
Chair of Nominations				

Send info to Carrie R. Murray 6509 David Street Columbia, SC 29203 cmrmurra@bellsouth.net

# News From Acting Treasurer:

I pray God's blessings on each of you as we face many challenges this year! You can make donations to our 4 Missions that we normally collect in person at our District Annual meeting by mailing your check to me at 113 Meadow Lane, Eastover, SC 29044! The missions are still active and have bills to pay and programs to plan! Please support our missions so that we can continue to serve our sisters and brothers in Christ!

Our 4th quarter remittances are due by DECEMBER 5th, 2020. In order for your donations to be counted in 2020, I need the remittances by the 5th so I can get them to the Conference Treasurer by the 15th of December! If the remittances are not received by the 5th, they will be counted in 2021.

We have not reached our pledge goal for 2020. Please dig deep so we can continue to support the UMW and our programs! We went to continue to be a vital group of women that serve our vulnerable brothers and sisters! They need our help more than ever during this pandemic! Please give!

We are the hands and feet of Christ and I am grateful to be able to help Christ continue his work on this earth! I pray you will join me in helping!

Stay safe and I pray God's blessings on each of you!

# Debra Schooler

Acting Treasurer Columbia District

# Social Action Coordinator Report

Greetings My UMW Sisters,

What an unprecedented year. Hopefully everyone is adapting to the new normal, staying safe and finding time to enjoyed summer activities "reimagined." 2020 is still a year of celebration. We celebrate the 100th year anniversary of the 19th Amendment which guaranteed all women the right to vote. The Voting Rights act of 1965 made it more of a reality for minorities. We are less than 3 months away from Election Day November 3rd. Let your voice be heard. Advocate for everyone's right to vote in a manner that is safe and minimizes the risk of exposure to COVID-19. Vote-Vote-Vote.

So many of you have submitted your Charter for Racial Justice Diamond Unit award form. You have done great work despite all that has happened. Mission continues to be the heart of UMW. Thank you.

Peace and Blessings.

# Patricia Armstrong

Social Action Coordinator

# Program Resource Manager

The UMW Reading Program brings members together in mission to explore and share the annual member-reviewed books. It encourages members to think about current issues, deepen spirituality, and better understand our mission work.

This year 7 units participated in the Reading Program with 34 members completing the program. Plan 1 had 26, Plan 2 had 6, and Plan 4 had 2 persons. The names of these participants and their churches will be listed in the Program Book for our virtual UMW District Meeting, and they will receive a certificate. If churches have not reported their participants, please send the names, and I can make a certificate for them.

The new list of books for 2021 is already available, so now is a good time to start reading! Books from 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, and 2021 are included for the coming year. The 2021 books may be obtained through libraries, bookstores, and online.

Mary Nell Trussell mntrussell83@gmail.com

# 2021 Reading List

CATEG	CH/YT			TITLE	AUTHOR(S)	PUBLISHER	YEAR	MOR	P PRIC
duca	ation fo	or Miss	ion				G.		
EFM				Gum Moon: A Novel of San Francisco Chinatown	Jeffrey L. Staley	(Self-published)	2018	\$	18.9
EFM				Leading While Muslim: The Experiences of American Muslim Principals after 9/11	Debbie Almontaser	Rowman & Littlefield	2018	\$	26.0
EFM				My Savior is the Masses: Dancing along the Path to Justice	Joy Prim	(Self-published)	2019	\$	20.0
EFM				A Road Called Down on Both Sides	Carolyn Kurtz	Catalyst Press	2019	\$	16.0
EFM			ВВ	What About Our Money? A Faith Response	Susan Taylor	UMW	2018	\$	10.0
EFM	YT			The Unstoppable Garrett Morgan	Joan DiCicco	Lee & Low	2019	\$	19.9
EFM	YT	SP		Una biblioteca para Juana: el mundo de Sor Juana Inés	Pat Mora	Books Dragonfly	2002	+	
EFM		ко		Good Influence: Missional life and Business Mission	Jinsoo Kim	Books Sunyool	2018		
EFM		ко		선한 영향력: 선교적 삶과 비즈니스 선교 Journey of Joy: Only love remains 기쁨의 여정:	Ellen F. Ross	Kyujang	2019	-	
EFM		ко		결국 사랑한 것만 남았습니다 Town and Church Together 함께 살아나는 마을과			2000000	-	
	ership [		nmant	교회	Jaeyoung Chung	SFC Publisher	2018	-	
	a sinip i	Jevelo	pment	Anxious to Talk About It: Helping White Christians			2000000		
LD			-	Talk Faithfully About Racism  Failing Boldly: How Falling Down in Ministry Can Be	Carolyn B. Helsel	Chalice Press  Discipleship	2018	\$	19.9
LD				the Start of Rising Up  #NotYourPrincess: Voices of Native American	Christian Coons	Resources	2017		
LD				Women	Edited: Lisa Charleyboy & Mary Beth Leatherdale	Annick Press	2017	\$	19.9
LD				Speaking Well: Essential Skills for Speakers, Leaders, and Preachers	Adam Hamilton	Abingdon Press	2015	\$	14.9
LD	YT			Cinderella: Liberator	Rebecca Solnit	Haymarket Books	2019	\$	17.9
LD	YT			Follow That Map!	Sheri Tan	Lee & Low Books	2019	\$	14.9
LD	YT		ВВ	Rise!: From Caged Bird to Poet of the People, Maya Angelou	Bethany Hegedus	Lee & Low Books	2019	\$	20.9
LD		ко		Christian Basic 크리스챤 베이직	Dongho Kim	Kyujang	2013		
LD		ко		God's Slow Cooker: A comforting gift for the people who are disappointed by the slow progress in life.	Taebok Lee	CLC	2019		
LD		ко		The Path Between Us: An Enneagram Journey to Healthy Relationships 관계를 배우다: 애니아그램을	Suzanne Stabile (Trans. by Sohee Kang)	InterVasity	2018		
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NFC				The Bird Boys: A Delpha Wade and Tom Phelan	Lisa Sandlin	Cinco Puntos	2019	\$	16.9
NFC				Mystery  Dangling: I May Have Cancer, but Cancer Doesn't	Amy Carr	Press WestBow	-	+	
				Have Me!	-	Press	2016	\$	30.9
NFC				The Hate You Give	Angie Thomas	Balzer + Bray	2017	\$	18.9
NFC				Indian No More  The Lifesaving Church: Faith Communities and	Charlene Willing McManis with Traci Sorell	Tu Books	2019	\$	18.9
NFC				Suicide	Rachael A. Keefe	Chalice Press	2018	\$	14.9
NFC				A Living Gospel: Reading God's Stories in Holy Lives	Robert Ellsberg	Orbis Books	2019	\$	22.0
NFC			ВВ	Women United for Change: 150 Years in Mission	Ellen Blue	UMW	2019	\$	10.0
NFC	СН			Babbit and Joan	Denise Turu	Flyaway Books	2020	\$	17.0
NFC	СН			Binkle's Time to Fly	Sharmila Collins	Flyaway Books	2020	\$	17.0
NFC	СН			Sulwe	Lupita Nyongo	Simon Schuster	2019	\$	17.9
NFC	СН	SP		Galápagos Girl/Galapagueña	Marsha Diane Arnold	Lee & Low	2018	\$	19.9
NFC	СН	SP		Let's Work: Mexican Folk Art (Bi-lingual)	Cynthia Weill	Books Inc. Cinco Puntos	2019	\$	14.9
NFC	СН	SP		Luis y Mia	L. J. Zimmerman & Monica Reyna	Press Abingdon	2018		
NFC	СН	SP	ВВ	Our Celebración!	Susan Middleton Elya	Press Lee & Low	2018	\$	18.9
NFC		ко		Once the Important Thing 한 때 소중했던 것들	Kiju Lee	Books Inc.  Dal Publisher	2018	-	10.5

CAT		LANG	BB	TITLE	AUTHOR(S)	PUBLISHER	YEAR	MSRF	PRICE
NFC	JKT	ко		The Storm-Tossed Family: How the Cross reshapes the homes 하나님과 동행하는 폭풍 속의 가정:	Russell Moore (Trans. by Joosung Kim)	B&H Publishing Grp	2018	\$	23.00
NFC		ко		Today, Living Faithfully 오늘 믿음으로 산다는 것	Joseph Lee	Kyujang	2019		
Social	Action	1							
SA				Ferguson and Faith: Sparking Leadership and Awakening Community	Leah Gunning-Francis	Chalice Press	2015	\$	19.99
SA				For Such A Time as This: Hope and Forgiveness After the Charleston Massacre	Rev. Sharon Risher	Chalice Press	2019	\$	17.99
SA				Gone Girl Missing	Marcie R. Rendon	Cinco Puntos Press	2019	\$	15.95
SA				No Justice	Robbie Tolan and Lawrence Ross	Center Street	2018	\$	17.99
SA				Rest in Power	Sybrina Fulton and Tracy Martin	Spiegel & Grau	2017	\$	26.00
SA			P	So You Want to Talk About Race	ljeoma Oluo	Seal Press	2018	\$	16.99
SA				Women Rise Up: Sacred Stories of Resistance for Today's Revolution	Katey Zeh	The Far Press	2019	\$	14.95
SA	СН			Crocodiles Crossing: A Search for Home	Yoeri Slegers	Flyaway Books	2020	\$	17.00
SA		ко		The Hate You Give 당신이 남긴 증오	Angie Thomas (Trans. by Minhee Kong)	Harper Collins	2017		1
SA		ко		The Language of God: Invitation to the dialogue between God and humans 신의 언어: 신과 인간의	Sangjoon Lee	Duranno	2019		
SA		ко		So You Want to Talk About Race 인종토크: 내 안의 차별 의식을 들여다 보는 17가지 질문	ljeoma Oluo (Trans. By Jiyang Nho)	Scar Press	2018		
Spiritu	al Gro	wth							
SG				Adamant: Finding Truth in a Universe of Opinions	Lisa Bevere	Fleming H. Revell	2018	\$	15.99
SG				Beyond Loneliness: The Gift of God's Friendship	Trevor Hudson	Upper Room Books	2016	\$	10.99
SG				Dinner by Candlelight (Advent)	Kevin Louise Schaner	Xulon Press	2017	\$	11.49
SG				Faithful Families: Creating Sacred Moments at Home	Traci Smith	Chalice Press	2017	\$	19.99
SG				The JOurneY Between Us: My Faith Walk: Overcoming Grief to Finding JOY in the JOurneY	Lisa Mcgraph	WestBow Press	2018	\$	33.95
SG				One Day I Wrote Back: Interacting with Scripture Through Creative Writing	Jane Herring	Upper Room Books	2015	\$	11.99
SG			ВВ	Practicing Resurrection: The Gospel of Mark and Radical Discipleship	Janet Wolf	UMW	2020	\$	10.00
SG				Right Here, Right Now: The Practice of Christian Mindfulness	Amy G. Oden	Abingdon Press	2017	\$	14.99
SG				Sleep, Pray, Heal: A Path to Wholeness & Well-Being (Healing Memoir Book 1)	Donna Fado Ivery	Adventures in Healing	2019	\$	15.78
SG	YT			They Call Me Güero: A Border Kid's Poems	David Bowles	Cinco Puntos Press	2018	\$	18.95
SG		ко		God, Where are You? Finding strength and purpose in your wilderness 광야에서: 하나님 도대체 어디	John Bevere	Messenger International	1992		
SG		ко		Looking for the Real Worship 우리의 예배를 찾아서	Duckwon Ahn	Duranno	2018		
SG		ко		What is Maturity 무엇이 성숙인가	Jungmin Cho	Duranno	2019		

# \*LEGEND: EFM Education for Mission LD Leadership Development NFC Nurturing for Community SA Social Action SG Spiritual Growth BB Bonus Books CH Children CH/YT Children or Youth title IS Issue Study KO Korean titles LANG Language titles SP Special Publication YT Youth

# News from Education and Interpretation

Hello Ladies,

My name is Rhonda Washington. I have assumed the role of Education and Interpretation Coordinator after Mary Mason recently moved out of state.

# News from our Four Missions:

Killingsworth – Please read their updates on page 16 and 17 of this Gleanings issue.

Wallace Family Life Center (Wallace/Bennettsville communities) – They are busy cleaning and sanitizing the building prior to the start of the school year. Wallace Family recently partnered with Wallace Elementary & Middle School to provide meals to the kids at the start of the school year. Mr. Clifford Harrington has been the interim Executive Director since March 2019.

God Bless,

# Rhonda Washington

Acting Education and Interpretation Coordinator UMW Columbia District



# SAVE THE DATE

Thursday, November 12, 2020

7:00pm

Killingsworth Virtual Gala

Killingsworth wants to say a huge THANK YOU to everyone for your continued support during COVID-19 pandemic. We are able to maintain our home and residents as normal as possible. You have done and continue to do great things for Killingsworth. Most of the residents were laid off due to COVID-19 and were not financially able to pay their rent. So many of you stepped in and offered financial assistance to these ladies. They are truly thankful and grateful for your help. You sent paper products and cleaning supplies to help keep the house in healthy condition. We feel your love.

We were disappointed that we were not able to host our Annual Gala last November. However, we want you to know well in advance that it is coming back in Virtual Style!

Mark your calendars and spread the word that the Killingsworth Virtual Gala is planned for Thursday, November 12, 2020 at 7:00pm.

Get dressed up and gather your ladies around your ipads and computer monitors and join a fun filled evening of talent, models, speakers and of course, our silent auction, all will be done virtually.

More details to come in September....stay tuned to the Advocate, your district newsletters and your emails.

**Fundraising Committee** 



The Windermere Club | 1101 Longtown Road East, Blythewood, S.C. 29016

Monday, September 14, 2020

9:00 am Tee Time Captain's Choice & Shotgun Start



Participants pay a nonrefundable registration fee of \$80.00 in advance (checks payable to Killingsworth).

Partial teams and individuals will be grouped to form a team. Cart, greens fee, range balls, prizes, and lunch are included.

Full team registrations will be given priority and will be taken on a first come, first served basis.

All proceeds go to Killingsworth, Inc. Contributions are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law. ID 57-0659510.

For more info, registration & directions visit http://killingsworth-home.com/events/golf-tournament/

Mail Registration to:

Killingsworth, Inc. 1831 Pendleton Street Columbia, SC 29201 | (803) 771-6359

\$\_\_per player or \$\_\_per team

Contact Golfer's Name:

Address:

Phone:

Email:



# **CHURCH WOMEN UNITED OF COLUMBIA**

# CALENDAR FOR 2020 CELEBRATIONS

OCTOBER 2 HUMAN RIGHTS CELEBRATION Virtual Meeting

**Details TBA** 

NOVEMBER 6 WORLD COMMUNITY DAY Virtual Meeting

**Details TBA** 

# **District United Methodist Women Officers 2020**

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# 2020

# Calendar of Events

September: Killingsworth Special Emphasis

September 19th District Annual Meeting Virtual

October: **Bethlehem Center Spartanburg Special Emphasis** 

October 20th District Executive Committee Meeting Virtual

October 24<sup>th</sup> SCCUMW Annual Meeting "Let Your Light Shine in a New Decade." Virtual

Morning Session: 10:00-11:30AM --- Afternoon Session: 1:00-2:30PM Details TBA

November 12<sup>th</sup> Killingsworth Gala Virtual

November 14th Conference Officer Training Virtual



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