

The Lantern



ORANGEBURG DISTRICT UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH NEWSLETTER
June 1, 2024 2nd Quarter Issue

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Important dates to remember:

June 1 Day Apart-Spring into Mission
1:00pm St Mark UMC North, SC

June 9-12 ~ SCUMC Annual Conference, Greenville, SC

June 22 ~ Charter for Racial Justice

July 1 ~ Limitless Event *-in person*

July 18-20- Mission U: Spartanburg Methodist College, Spartanburg, SC
District Executive Committee Meeting

August-15~ Deadline for Articles for September Lantern

August- 24~ **District Executive Committee 9 am -Virtual /in person**

September- *Special Emphasis Month – Killingsworth*

September -Lantern Published
September District Annual Meeting In-Person/ Virtual Host Church New Light
District Executive Committee Meeting

GET READY FOR THE

Orangeburg District United Women in Faith

ANNUAL MEETING

Date: Saturday, September 21, 2024, Time: 9:00 a.m.

Host church– New Light, UMC
3100 Neeses HWY
Orangeburg, SC 29115

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83121085569?pwd=amdQR21DRlg2STZka0R2NlpsWVkvQT09>

Meeting ID: 831 2108 5569

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Greeting's Ladies,

I hope you had a wonderful Mother's Day completed with lovely flowers, presents, and cards that warmed your hearts. I thank you, sisters in Christ, for putting your faith, hope, and love into action, as well as, for demonstrating compassion to others." *And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love."* *Corinthian 13:13.*

Sister Barbara Jeffcoat, Historian Orangeburg District United Women in Faith passed away on May 16, 2024. Let us continue to lift her family and each other in love and prayer. Sister Jeffcoat has done an excellent job serving in the appointed office of District Historian; her cheerful smiles and kindness will be missed.

¹⁶ For the Lord himself will come down from heaven, with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. ¹⁷ After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And so we will be with the Lord forever. ¹⁸ Therefore encourage one another with these words. 1 Thessalonians 4

United Women in Faith local units, please allow me to extend my heartfelt gratitude to everyone who contributed to the "155th Legacy Fund Day of Giving" on March 23. **Your gift to Day of Giving for the Legacy Endowment Fund builds a strong tomorrow for United Women in Faith.**

Bishop L. Jonathan Holston, Bishop of SCCUMC, presented a workshop presentation on "Strengthening the Soul of Our Leadership" at Trinity UMC in Orangeburg, SC on Saturday, May 13, 2024. The workshop was informative, the fellowship was enjoyable, and the hospitality was exceptional.

On behalf of the Orangeburg District UWFaith Executive members, we thank Bishop Holston, Rev Kenneth Nelson, UMC Leadership Representatives, and Orangeburg District United Women in Faith for their support and participation. The experience was wonderful!

Orangeburg District UWFaith Day apart Spring into Mission program originally set for May 13, 2024, has been rescheduled for June 1, 2024, 1:00pm at St Mark United Methodist Church in North, South Carolina. Please come and bring a friend; we are looking forward to an afternoon of worship and fellowship together.

Respectfully Submitted,
Barbara Simpson, President, Orangeburg District UWFaith



Following the Compass as We Journey Forward in Faith



WE ASK FOR A MAP TO DEAL WITH LIFE, BUT INSTEAD, JESUS GIVES US A COMPASS AND SAYS, "FOLLOW ME."

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2024

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United Women in Faith



*“I will bless the Lord at all times: His praise shall continually be in my mouth.” O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt His name together.”
Psalm 34:1,3*

Thank you for your generous financial support as we continue be restored, reconnect and get back to in-person meetings, programs and some activities. I regret some units are still facing challenges. Thankfully, The United Women in Faith continue to support missions, locally, nationally and globally. Sincere thanks to those units who have sent their 2024 pledges to MISSION GIVING and your 2023 audits. If your unit is one of the units who have NOT done so; please, try to get them into me as soon as possible. Remember that you CANNOT be recognized as a MISSION TODAY UNIT at the District Annual UW in Faith meeting, if you do not PLEDGE to MISSION GIVING and meet your pledge.

A reminder that there is a new Special Mission Recognition (SMR) Pin – Gold in color and depict the new LOGO. However, the “CROSS PIN” is still available. Either can be received with your minimal donation of \$40. Please indicate on your forms. I regret to share that the “In Loving Memory” and “Thoughts and Prayer” cards are no longer available for me to order until further notice via the “Gift to Mission and Gift in Memory” form.

Blessings to all of you,

Hazel L. Darby
109 Meatcutter Road
Bamberg, South Carolina 29003
Cell (803) 516-1354
email: hazeldarby@bellsouth.net

Local Unit	Pledge	Gift to	Gift in	WTO	Rainbow	Call to	Legacy	Fund	Wallace	RC(Sp)	KMZ	W.C. Total	
1st Quarter 2024	Mission	SMR	Mission	Memory		Morgan	Bright	BC(C)	FamLife			Scholar	
Barnwell												0.00	
Bethel (Bamberg)	200.00		5.00				25.00		60.00			290.00	
Bethel (Jackson)												0.00	
Bethel (Lexington)												0.00	
Bethel Park	200.00						100.00		50.00			350.00	
Bethlehem	300.00											300.00	
Beulah	250.00		10.00	50.00			50.00	25.00	90.00	25.00	25.00	525.00	
Bethel (Rowesville/Bowman)												0.00	
Branchville												0.00	
Calvary (Swansea)	400.00	60.00	60.00	60.00								580.00	
Canaan	165.00						50.00		138.00			353.00	
Cedar Grove	50.00						30.00		70.00			150.00	
Ebenezer (Bowman)	200.00		10.00	10.00	50		50.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	720.00	
Ebenezer (North)												0.00	
Edisto Fork	500.00						25.00		198.00			723.00	
Elloree												0.00	
Eutawville												0.00	
Forest Chapel												0.00	
Franklin												0.00	
Gerzim												0.00	
Holly Hill												0.00	
Jericho												0.00	
Lebanon	100.00		10.00				23.00	50.00	54.00	50.00	50.00	337.00	
Livingston												0.00	
Mays Chapel									25.00			25.00	
Mt. Carmel	200.00	40.00		5.00	50.00			75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	595.00	
Mt. Nebo	100.00						25.00		90.00			215.00	
Mt. Zion	100.00						25.00		150.00			275.00	
New Beginning												0.00	
New Covenant	100.00	40.00	10.00	10.00	20							180.00	
New Light	100.00						60.00		100.00			260.00	
North UMC (NORTH)	250.00			10.00					96.00			356.00	
North Orangeburg	187.50			35.00	40		55.00	100.00	375.00	75.00	75.00	942.50	
Orange Grove												0.00	
Pelion												0.00	
Pine Hill	189.00						169.00		73.00			431.00	
Pineville												0.00	
Pleasant Hill												0.00	
Prospect												0.00	
Providence	525.00						54.00		180.00			759.00	
Shady Grove	100.00		100.00	50.00					200.00			450.00	
Silas	25.00		20.00				20.00	20.00	20.00		20.00	125.00	
St. Andrews												0.00	
St. John's (Aiken)												0.00	
St. John's (Norway)												0.00	
St. John (Orangeburg)												0.00	
St. John (Edisto Che)												0.00	
St. Mark	675.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00		50.00	250.00	250.00			1,425.00	
St. Paul (New Ellenton)	255.00						50.00		90.00			395.00	
St. Pauls (O'burg)												0.00	
St. Stephen (Bowman)												0.00	
St. Stephen (O'burg)	400.00											400.00	
Swansea												0.00	
Target												0.00	
Trinity (Aiken)	100.00	40.00	5.00	20.00					240.00			405.00	
Trinity (Bamberg)	36.00						152.00		60.00			248.00	
Trinity (O'burg)	400.00								200.00			600.00	
Union	30.00								40.00			70.00	
Wagner	20.00											20.00	
Wesley												0.00	
Wesley Chapel												0.00	
Wesley Grove												0.00	
White House												0.00	
Williston	50.00						25.00		50.00			125.00	
District												0.00	
Total	6,207.50	230.00	280.00	300.00	210.00	0.00	1,038.00	0.00	620.00	3,074.00	325.00	345.00 #	12,629.50



“¹⁰Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might. ¹¹Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil. ¹²For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places.” *Ephesians 6:10-12*

Greetings United Women in Faith,

I hope you are having a blessed year thus far.

The Communications team email address is to be used as official communication of the Orangeburg District United Women in Faith. The email address is oburgdistrictnews.2@gmail.com. We will continue to use this email to send out the quarterly newsletter, “The Lantern”, and any official information from this group. If you would like to be added to the email group, please send an email to this address along with your email, name, and church affiliation.

All units are encouraged to send information about their unit activities and special programs they are implementing each quarter.

If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact me at my personal email, nimmons@bellsouth.net, or cell phone number, 803-383-1334.

Be Blessed,

Barbara Nimmons
Orangeburg District Communications Coordinator
oburgdistrictnews.2@gmail.com
nimmons@bellsouth.net
803-383-1334

Note: A digital copy of THE LANTERN is sent electronically to each Local Unit president and each circle leader. Presidents or Circle Leaders, please copy THE LANTERN and share with your members. Please visit the following site to view other digital copies of The Lantern: <https://www.umcsc.org/uwfnewsletters/>.

Greetings United Women of Faith,

As we continue to elevate and expand our mind through reading. Let us remember this important date for the summer: **August 15**. Please submit to me your reading plan by this date.

" Reading gives us somewhere to go when we have to stay where we are" by Mason Cooley.

Please complete the Reading Program form that is listed below. Make sure you mail your program plan to me by August 15, 2024. The mailing address is:

Linda Huggins
2218 Binnicker Br. Rd.
Cope, SC 29038

Thank You,

Linda Huggins



Today is the day!!!

Saturday, June 1, 2024
Time: 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Orangeburg District United Women in Faith

Day Apart and Spring into Mission

“Be Who God Created You to Be”

Galatians: 6:4-6



United Methodist Women in Faith

Saint Mark United Methodist Church

8502 North Rd., North SC 29112

Reverend Dr. Marvin Moss, Pastor

Come Fellowship with Orangeburg District United Women in Faith!

Greetings Everyone!

There is still a need for you!!!! We need your willingness to share your gifts and talent in the Orangeburg Community. We still have people who are oppressed, in poverty, and others are hurting and need healing. The Orangeburg District Executive Team can benefit immensely from your volunteer service as a district leader.

Please strongly consider making a commitment to serve. The nominations committee is working to fill the following district positions:

- Vice President
- Nominations - Bowman

As a sisterhood, we act in faith with boldness to tackle challenging work to improve the lives of women, children, and youth.

A profile sheet is included in this Lantern Newsletter for your convenience. You may forward your form to one of the following nominations committee members: Sylvia Robinson 803-347-6626 (Orangeburg), Shirlain Darby 803-347-6375 (Springfield), Vicki Snow -803-646-0905 (Aiken), and Eva Manigault – 803-245-4319 (Bamberg/Denmark).

You may also mail your form to

Sylvia Robinson
594 Woodberry Dr.
Orangeburg, SC 29115.

Your Sister in Christ,

Sylvia Robinson, Chairperson of Nominations

Cell: 803-347-6626

Email: sylviarobinson@live.com



INFORMATION ON PROSPECTIVE LEADERSHIP

(To be completed by a prospective leader)



Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: Home/Cell _____ Work _____

Email _____

Local Church: _____ District: _____

Office(s) held in United Methodist Women or position(s) interested in:

Offices

Dates of Service

Local Church _____

District _____

REMINDER TO ALL LOCAL UNIT PRESIDENTS CHECK-LIST FOR DISTRICT ANNUAL MEETING DEADLINE FOR ALL REPORTS IS AUGUST 15, 2024

The District Annual Meeting will be held Virtual on Zoom September 16, 2024, Host Church New Light, Orangeburg, SC. Further information will be forthcoming in the September *Lantern*. All reports are due to the respective coordinators on or before August 15, 2024, in order that information can be included in the program booklet.

The LOCAL UNIT PRESIDENT'S REPORT FOR 2024 should be sent to Barbara Simpson 139 Simpson Rd., Cope SC 29038 or emailed to: ba09simp@gmail.com Deadline is August 15, 2024. The president's report form is included in this issue of the *Lantern*.

A form is included in this issue of the *Lantern* to be sent to Patricia Salley 530 Northridge St. Orangeburg, SC 29118 to report the names of any deceased members since the last Annual Meeting. Even if you have no deceased members, complete the form, and send it to Patricia. Deadline is August 15, 2024.

Reading Program participants' names and books read should be sent to Linda Huggins, 2218 Binnicker Bridge Rd., Cope, SC 29038. The form is included in this issue of the *Lantern*. Deadline is August 15, 2024.

Mission Today forms should be sent to Dr. Jimmie Shuler, 298 Waterford Parkway, Orangeburg SC 29018. The form can be found in this issue of the *Lantern*. Remember that to be a Mission Today Unit, you must have made and met your pledge for 2024. Even if you have met the other requirements, you must meet Requirement # 1 and #10 to be a Mission Today Unit. Deadline is August 15, 2024.

Diamond Unit forms should be sent to Shirley Hugee, 780 George St NE, Orangeburg, SC 29115. The form can be found in this issue of the *Lantern*. Deadline is August 15, 2024.

Remind your treasurer to send in quarterly reports to the district treasurer so that you can be assured of being a 5-star unit and mission unit. Fourth quarter of 2023 and the first 3 quarters of 2024 count for these awards.

Hope to see you at the District Annual Meeting!! If you have any questions, call, or email your cluster leader or any other district officer who may be able to help.

REMINDER TO LOCAL UNIT PRESIDENTS (Deadline is August 15, 2024)

UWFaith LOCAL UNIT PRESIDENT'S REPORT FOR 2024
Report should cover September 1, 2023, through August 31, 2024,
REPORT IS DUE AUGUST 15, 2024

Church: _____ **City:** _____

President: _____ **Address:** _____

Email Address: _____ **Phone No.:** _____

Number of Members: _____ **Number of Circles:** _____ **Number of Deceased Members:** _____

MEMBERSHIP TOTALS: _____

NUMBER MAKING PLEDGE: _____

Pledges and Contributions: Total Pledge Made: _____

Actual Amounts through Local Treasurer: _____

Gift in Memory: \$ _____

Pledge to Missions: \$ _____

Special Mission Recognition: \$ _____

Call to Prayer and Self Denial: \$ _____

Wallace Family Life Center: \$ _____

Bethlehem Columbia: \$ _____

Killingworth: \$ _____

Bethlehem Spartanburg: \$ _____

World Thank Offering: \$ _____ **Gift to Mission: \$** _____ **Legacy Fund: \$** _____

PARTICIPATION: (# IN ATTENDANCE OR VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE)

District Officers' Training: _____ 1/20/2024

District Legacy Day: _____ 3/23/2024

Day Apart: _____ 6/1/2024

District Annual Meeting: _____ 9/21/2024

MISSION EDUCATION (# PARTICIPATING)

Charter Racial Justice Book Study: _____ 1/6/24, _____ 2/17/24, _____ 3/9/24

Legislative Day: _____ 2/8/24, _____ 2/15/24, _____ 2/24/2024

Conf. Legacy Fun Day: _____ 3/23/2024

Spiritual Growth Retreat: _____ 4/6/2024

SEJ Tennessee: _____ 4/19-21/2024

Come Together/Be Together: _____ 5/18/2024

Charter for Racial + Environmental Justice Event: _____ 6/22/24

Mission U: _____ 7/18-20/2024

SCCUWFaith 52nd Annual Meeting (Rockhill Dist.): _____ 10/24-25/2024

READING PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS for 9/ 2023- 8/2024: _____

Subscribe to Response: _____ **# times Use Daily Prayer Guide:** _____ **# times Program Book used:** _____

Other information about your unit may be attached. Please include other mission projects supported. Please send report to Barbara Simpson, 139 Simpson Road, Cope SC 29038, or e-mail to: ba09simp@gmail.com

REMINDER TO LOCAL UNIT PRESIDENTS (Deadline is August 15, 2024)

Please complete the form and send to:

Patricia Salley

530 Northridge St. Orangeburg, SC 29118 Email: pat0444@yahoo.com

Name of Local Unit: _____

Names of Deceased Members Since Last District Annual Meeting or since August 15, 2024, or those whose names did not appear in the 2023 Annual Meeting booklet

Please check this if applicable:

No deceased members to report.

Reading Program participants' names and books read should be sent to:

Linda Huggins, 2218 Binnicker Bridge Rd., Cope, SC 29038

Deadline is August 15, 2024.

President: _____

Address:

Date form Mailed: _____ **Church Affiliation:** _____

Eligible years: For 2024, books from the 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021–2022, and 2023 Reading Program lists are all eligible for Reading Program reporting credit. Regular if you have not previously read them, also regular reading of response magazine.

PARTICIPANTS' NAME:

PLAN I	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
PLAN II	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
PLAN III	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
Plan IV	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>

MISSION TODAY ACTION

PLEASE SEND COMPLETED FORM BY AUGUST 15, 2024 TO:

Jimmie Shuler, 298 Waterford Parkway, Orangeburg, SC 29118 or E-Mail: jbshuler_md@hotmail.com

Unit Name: _____ Number of Members in Unit: _____

All units must complete #1. Units, which include all circles, must complete at least 10 of the following items.

CHECK ALL ITEMS if UNIT HAS COMPLETED:

- _____ 1. *Made and met its Pledge to Mission.

- _____ 2. Used the Daily Prayer Guide at most meetings to pray for people in mission and for our mission works with Women children and youth.

- _____ 3. Added at least one or more members to its roll.

- _____ 4. Had at least one member who subscribes to response: the magazine of women in mission.

- _____ 5. Had at least one member (other than a conference or district officer) attended Mission U and/or a district or local mission study.

- _____ 6. Had at least one member (other than a conference or district officer) attended the District Annual Meeting.

- _____ 7. Had at least one member (other than a conference or district officer) attended the Conference Annual Meeting.

- _____ 8. Had at least two members who wrote to at least five people listed in the Daily Prayer Guide – at least once during the year.

- _____ 9. Participated in education programs for children through prayers and donations of funds, supplies or volunteer hours at schools, homes, and churches. This includes Vacation Bible School participation.

- _____ 10. * Is a Five Star Unit, contributing to all five channels of Mission Giving which are Pledge to Mission, Gift in Memory, Gift to Mission, Special Mission Recognition and World Thank Offering.

- _____ 11. Had at least one person complete one of the plans in the Reading Program.

- _____ 12. Invited a district or conference officer, other than a member of the unit, to one unit meeting during the year. Check if your unit, circle, or subgroup.

- _____ 13. Included a response moment where an article from response: the magazine of women in mission were lifted up as a way to tell the mission story in at least three meetings.

- _____ 14. Had at least two programs from the Program Book

- _____ 15. Implemented the Charter for Racial Justice Policies in at least two ways.

**Those items noted with an asterisk will be verified by the district treasurer. Rev. 1/1/2024*






Charter for Racial Justice Diamond Units

The Diamond Unit certificate is awarded at each District Annual Meeting to each unit that completes three or more activities from the list below that demonstrates the unit's commitment to the ideals in the Charter for Racial Justice. At least one of the diamond-marked activities must be included. You are to send a copy of this completed form to your District Social Action Coordinator by **August 15th**.

in order to be recognized at your district annual meeting and receive the Diamond Unit certificate.

Name of Church: _____

Contact Person & Phone: _____

<u>DATE COMPLETED</u>	<u>ACTION CHOICES</u>
1. _____	1.  Watch a video related to the Charter for Racial Justice
2. _____	2.  Give a book report on a Reading Program Book selected from the Social Action area
3. _____	3.  Share articles from <i>Response</i> and <i>New World Outlook</i> or <i>UMW Action Alerts</i> relating to racism
4. _____	4.  Supply each member with a copy of the <i>Charter for Racial Justice</i>
5. _____	5.  Present a program using the Charter for Racial Justice
6. _____	6. Use a program on racial justice/human rights from the UMW Program Book
7. _____	7. Participate in a UMW Social Action/Human Rights Mission Study
8. _____	8. Give a report to the unit about an experience of attending a musical or theatrical performance by person(s) of a different race, culture, or ethnic background
9. _____	9. Send at least one member to Capital Day (Legislative Day)
10. _____	10. Participate in postcard-writing which encourages legislation favorable to the economically deprived or challenged (or email)
11. _____	11. Experience worship, Bible study, or UMW unit program/activity with an ethnic group different from your own (All Orangeburg District UMW gatherings)
12. _____	12. Attend or host an international tasting party, culture fair, or other international event
13. _____	13. Participate in a Bible Study on Racism
14. _____	14. Celebrate Black History Month in February
15. _____	15. Suggest and plan with your pastor a pulpit (or Choir) exchange with a pastor of another race
16. _____	16. Plan an event with a unit of a different race or ethnic background (a celebration, worship, Vacation Bible School, Service of Prayer and Self Denial)
17. _____	17. Other – (Collect Items/funds for UMCOR Kits -- Collect items for other community social welfare/educational purposes)

Send completed form by August 15th to: Shirley Hugee, 780 George St NE, Orangeburg SC 29115 or email to sahugee4@hotmail.com Phone 803536-9999



SAVE THE DATE

MISSION u JULY 18-20, 2024,

Spartanburg Methodist College, Spartanburg, SC

Theme: The Kin-dom is Among You: Drawing Closer to God and One Another

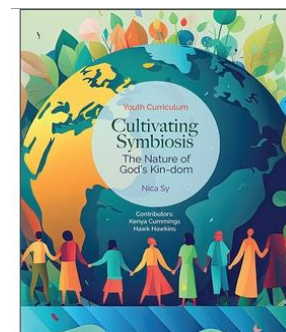
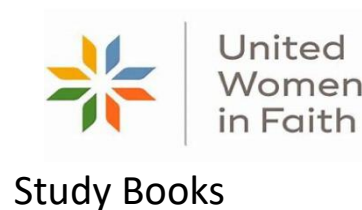
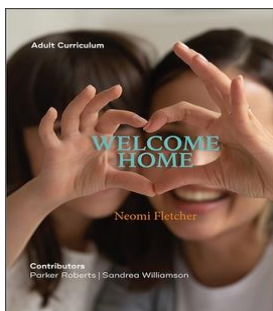
Join us at Mission u, July 18-20, 2024, as we explore what it means to draw closer to God and one another.

Jesus told his followers the kin-dom was among them (Luke 17:21). What does that mean? Who does Jesus say will inherit the kin-dom? How do we transform ourselves and our communities in ways that bring us closer to the kin-dom and the kin-dom closer to us? Dive into these questions and more at Mission u 2024 as we examine Scripture together and join in worship, fellowship, and action.

Our Mission u 2024 offers two exciting curricula on this theme: **“Welcome Home** written by Neomi Fletcher (Adult study) and **Cultivating Symbiosis: The Nature of God’s Kin-dom** written by Nica Sy. Purchase your copy from: uwfaithresources.org

Adult — Welcome Home by Neomi Fletcher - The adult curriculum uses the image of home to explore how living in close proximity to the kin-dom is like making a home with God. Participants are invited to develop practice for building healthy, welcoming communities as a result of being anchored in the abiding love of God.

Youth — Cultivating Symbiosis: The Nature of God’s Kin-dom by Nica Sy. In Creation, we see the power of symbiosis, or interdependent relationship. The youth curriculum explores the idea of symbiosis between our relationships with one another and our relationship with God. By drawing closer to one another and our world, we draw closer to the kin-dom.



For more information contact:

Betty Swinton, Interim Dean at 843-845-1971 or swint723@aol.com



2024 Mission u Registration Form

Thursday July 18 – 20, 2024: Spartanburg Methodist College, Spartanburg, South Carolina

Theme: "The Kin-dom is Among You: Drawing Closer to God and One Another"

Please print clearly

Name: _____ Suitemate names (s): _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Zip _____ Cell phone: _____ District: _____

email: _____

FORMS OF SUITEMATES MUST BE MAILED TOGETHER

Please check all that apply

Under 40 Youth Attending first time Conference Officer District Officer Clergy

Missionary Day Participant Youth Chaperone Limitless Deaconess

Special Needs: Please help us address and meet your needs by listing them on the back of this form. (If you have a physical condition that requires our consideration for classroom, campus or dorm; also, please indicate dietary needs.)

Emergency contact: _____ Contact number: _____.

All Adult Participants will take the Spiritual Growth study, "Welcome Home" by Neomi Fletcher.

For Youth Only: Youth Study: **"Cultivating Symbiosis" The Nature of God's Kin-dom.**

_____ Age. _____ Date of Birth _____ Grade to enter in the fall

Name of Chaperone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Youth registration, chaperone registration and additional required forms must be mailed together.

Are you interested in participating in a plenary? _____. Are you interested in driving a golf cart? _____.

Adult Residents - \$185 Day Student - \$120 Youth Residents - \$130 Total enclosed _____

Mail completed form(s) with payment (payable to SCCUWF) to Vikki Hill SCCUWF-Mission u 518-A Oak Drive Lexington, SC 29073

****Registration deadline is July 1, 2024.**

Please see General Information Sheet for more details about this event.

2024 SC Conference UWFaith Mission u

Thursday, July 18 - Saturday, July 20, 2024

Spartanburg Methodist College

Theme: The Kin-dom is Among You: Growing Closer to God and One Another

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General Information Please Read Carefully

Youth /Chaperone Covenant and Consent forms: Youth participants must complete a registration form, covenant, and parental consent form, information, and covenant forms for adult chaperones. These forms must be mailed together. Registration is incomplete until all forms are received by the registrar. Forms are located on the web at [hCps://www.umcsc.org/women/](https://www.umcsc.org/women/) or may be secured from the registrar.

Registration: Thursday afternoon from 12:30-3:50pm and 6-6:45pm in Ellis Hall Atrium **First Timer's and Clergy Orientation:** Thursday, 3:00-3:45pm in Ellis Hall

Opening Plenary: Thursday, 4pm

Offering: An offering will be received during the closing plenary on Saturday before lunch.

Books: Please remember to purchase your study book prior to coming to Mission u. Study books will NOT be available in the resource room. The is a change made by UWF National:
<https://www.umwmissionresources.org/>

Housing: Resident participants will be housed in college dormitories. You need a pillow, bed linen (college dorms style twin bed is longer length than a regular twin bed. Two flat sheets will be better than a fitted sheet) and bath linen, bathmat, soap, flashlight, raingear, Bible, water bottle/drinking cup, pens, notebook, trash bags, jacket or sweater, tote bag/bookbag for Bible and study book and other items necessary for your comfort away from home for a few days. (Classrooms and dorm rooms may be cold. Bring appropriate linens and clothing.)

Please bring cash or a checkbook for shopping in the craft room and resource room. No credit cards accepted.

Refund policy: Request must be submitted to the registrar via email before July 1, 2024.

Registrations are transferrable if you need to cancel. NO REFUNDS AFTER JULY 1, 2024.

Keys: There is a \$10 deposit at registration for keys and it is refunded at checkout.

THERE WILL BE A \$100 CHARGE FOR LOST KEYS – NO EXCEPTIONS. Please bring cash (\$10) or a check.

REGISTER HERE



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Annual GOLF Tournament

July 22, 2024

Sponsorship Opportunities

Tournament Sponsor (minimum \$3000)

This will include up to **two free teams** in the tournament, and publicity on all literature for the tournament. In addition, tournament sponsor will receive free advertising in the Killingsworth Newsletter and an opportunity to have your logo on Sway Bags and promotional material in Swag Bag.

Lunch Sponsor (\$2000)

This will include one free team in the tournament, publicity at the tournament, and on the Killingsworth website. Signage will be available as players get lunch. In addition, your logo can be included on swag bags.

Awards Sponsor (\$1000)

This will include publicity at the tournament and on the website. Logo and promotional material can be on swag bags.

Beverage Cart Sponsor (\$500)

Two sponsorships are available. This will include publicity at the tournament and website. Beverage cart will have signage.

Swag Bag Sponsors (\$300)

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United Women in Faith Women Day Program
September 17, 2023
New Beginning United Methodist church Norway, SC



Estelle Sistrunk, Unit President



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1st Lady Edith Sims, Unit Secretary



New Beginning UWFaith & Rev Thomas Sims Pastor

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 United Women in Faith Tea Mission Project
 March 2, 2024
 Trinity United Methodist Church Aiken, SC



Barbara Simpson, President
 Orangeburg District UWFaith



Linda Gulick, Secretary
 Orangeburg District UWFaith



Vicki Snow, Member
 District Nomination Com.



Trinity UMC, UWFaith Members



Kim Sinclair, Member
 Most Creative Easter Bonnet
 Winner!!!



Ira King Unit President
 Trinity UMC



Trinity UMC, UWFaith Members



Mary Jo Herring
 UWFaith Member

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 United Women in Faith Women Day Program
 March 17, 2024
 Mount Carmel United Methodist Church, SC



April Dobson Unit President
 Mt. Carmel UMC



Dr. Cletra Peters
 Guest Speaker



Barbara Simpson, President
 Orangeburg District UWFaith



Guest of Speaker Cletra Peters,
 Mr. and Mrs. Mel Williams



Helena Kirkland
 Unit Vice-President



Dr. Jimmie Shuler, Dr. Cletra Peter, Rev. Dr. Albert Shuler,
 Pastor, April Dobson, Hattie James and Alice Flemings



Mt. Carmel UMC, United Women in Faith Members

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2024 Linda J. Williams Scholarship *Calvary United Methodist Church, Swansea SC*

The Calvary United Women in Faith Unit presented the third annual Linda J. Williams Memorial Scholarship to a deserving Swansea High School Senior. This year's \$1,000 scholarship recipient is Adin Busbee. Busbee plans to pursue a career in healthcare. She wants to make a difference in the lives of people by providing compassionate and great patient care. She recently took the state test to become a Certified Nursing Assistant. In the fall, she will be attending Midland's Technical College to pursue her dream of becoming a Registered Nurse.



(L to R) Sharon Hensley (Calvary UWF Sec/Trea), Adin Busbee, and Joyce Saylor (Calvary UWF Pres)

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Orangeburg District United Women in Faith 2024 Calendar

January 20	Orangeburg District Officers Training (<i>Local Units</i>) 8:30 Registration (Mt Zion UMC) <i>in person</i> <i>District Executive Committee Meeting-In Person</i>
February	<i>Special Emphasis Month – Wallace Family Life Center</i>
February 8, 15, 24	SCCUWFaith Social Action Workshop Virtual
February 15	Deadline for Articles for March Lantern
March 1	Lantern Published
March 23	Legacy Fund Day of Giving 155 th year
April	<i>Special Emphasis Month – Columbia Bethlehem Center</i>
April 13	Orangeburg District Day Apart and Missions” 8:30 Registration (St. Mark UMC) – <i>in Person</i> Rescheduled (JUNE 1, 2024) 1:00
April 19-21	SEJ Tennessee
April 23- May 3	United Methodist General Conference, Charlotte, NC
May 15	Deadline for Articles for June Lantern
May 18	SCCUWFaith: Come Together Be Together
June 1 Lantern Published. ~ Orangeburg District Day Apart and Missions, 1:00 pm (St. Mark UMC)	
June 9-12	SCUMC Annual Conference Greenville, SC
June 22	Charter for Racial Justice TBA
July 6	Limitless Event <i>-in person</i>
July 17-20	SCCUWFaith Mission U: Spartanburg Methodist College, Spartanburg, SC District Executive Committee Meeting
August 15	Deadline for Articles for September Lantern
August 24	District Executive Committee 9 am -Virtual /in person
September	<i>Special Emphasis Month – Killingsworth</i>
September 1	Lantern Published
September 21	District Annual Meeting In-Person/ Virtual Host Church New Light District Executive Committee Meeting
October 25- 26	SCCUWFaith 52 nd Annual Rockhill. District
November 9	SCCUWFaith District Officer’s Training 9:00 a.m., Columbia District Host District Executive Committee Meeting
November 15	Deadline for Articles for December Lantern
December	<i>Special Emphasis Month – Spartanburg Bethlehem Center</i>
December 1	Lantern Published
December 7	Limitless Event/10 am-Virtual