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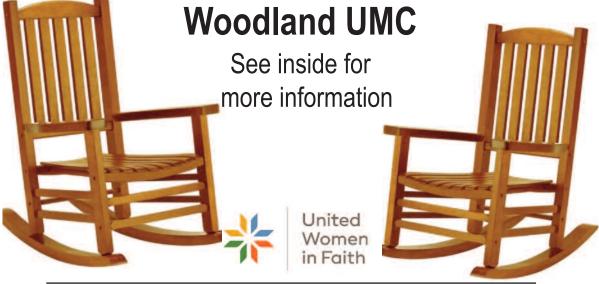


SCC UWF Newsletter | September 2024

# ROCKING IN ROCKHILL

October 25 & 26, 2024 at the

SCCUWF Annual Meeting



# Coming Soon

Special Election Edition of the Mission Echo

Everything you need to know about voting at the Annual Meeting

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# Greetings From the Desk of the President

Clarice Blakeney

# Days Away from the Fifty-Second Annual Meeting

We are only a month away from the 52nd Annual Meeting of the South Carolina Conference United Women in Faith. I am so excited about the many things the

program committee has planned with the help of the Rock Hill District and the UWF of Woodland United Methodist Church.

I am thrilled to be connected to an organization that puts faith, hope, love and action at the forefront of what we do. Our accomplishments are astronomical, we have 2 persons serving on the

SEJ Board. Azilee Dickey is the Vice-President and Betty Void is the Chair of Nominations. Sue Owens did an excellent job as president this past quadrennium. The funds she was able to raise with the help of the 14 conferences will make a large impact on the needs of the marginalized.

Serving is a gift and blessing and I am very aware of your commitment to mission.

Thanks for always stepping up for our projects and your willingness to give extra.



Although my term will be up in October, please know that I will always be an active member of UWF. Everyone has talents and yours is always needed on all levels; local, district, conference, jurisdiction and general. Learning and doing is what we will need to continue the growth of our conference. Your kindness, encouragement and support will always

be an unforgettable treasure.

Thanks for all you do, it does not go un-noticed. Rewards on earth and in heaven.

Clarice Blakeney

President SCCUME

### LISTENING TO THE VOICE



Greetings to everyone! I love poems. They are my go-to. They inspire me. They make me laugh. A few of them make me cry. I enjoy reciting them. I love to personalize them. One of my

favorite poems is "Once Upon a Pew". I have read this poem hundreds of times. I have recited it so many times at my church and in the community that the congregation often finishes the lines for me. People have heard me do this poem so often they ask me for copies of it, so they can read it at their event.

Through the years the poem has changed what it means to me. Early on, it was just one of the many poems that I said from time to time. As I have gotten closer in my walk with God, the poem has taken on a new meaning. When I am asked to do something, the poem makes me think before I answer. So many times in the past, I have fallen in the rut of saying, "ask someone else", 'I can't do that", or "if you can't find anyone, let me know". In its own way, this poem shares what can happen if we always turn a deaf ear to the request to serve. We need you. The church needs you! All of you! There is something for everyone. Everyone is valuable. If we answer the call, when it comes, then no one will get burnt out. No one will have too much on their plate because there is a pew for you.

W. Chandler-Flowers is the Communication coor for the SCC UWF

### ONCE UPON A PEW

Once upon a pew I sat - And heard the preacher ask, "We need someone to teach a class, Now who will take this task?"

Then God sat down beside me there
And said, "Son, that's for you."
"But, Lord, to stand before a class - Is one thing I can't do.

Now **Clarice** would be the one to call, There's nothing she won't do. I'd rather hear the lesson taught - From here upon my pew."

Once upon a pew I sat - And heard the preacher ask, "We need someone to lead the songs, Now who will take this task?"

Then God sat down beside me there
And said, "Son, that's for you."
"But Lord, to sing before a crowd - Is one thing I can't do.

Now Sister **Beth** will do the job, There's nothing she won't do. I'd rather hear the music played - From here upon my pew."

Once upon a pew I sat - And heard the preacher ask, "I need someone to keep the door, Now who will take this task?"

Then God sat down beside me there And said, "Son, that's for you." "But saying things to strangers, Lord, - Is one thing I can't do.

Now **Barbara** can talk to people, Lord, There's nothing she won't do. I'd rather someone come to me - And greet me on the pew."

As years just seemed to pass me by, I heard that voice no more.
Until one night I closed my eyes
And woke on heaven's shore.

'Twas four of us together there To face eternity. God said, "I need just three of you To do a job for me."

"O Lord, I cried, "I'll do the job, There's nothing I won't do." But Jesus said, "I'm sorry, Friend, In heaven there's no pew."



Author Unknown

Names changed for personalization

# VICE PRESIDENT ROYS SPEAKS...

Get ready to have a "rocking good" time in Rock Hill with our South Carolina United Women in Faith "sisters" to celebrate all our accomplishments this year! Our Conference Annual Meeting is being held on October 25-26, 2024 at Woodland United Methodist Church, 801 Cherry Hill Road.

Our scripture focus will be Psalm 146 with our theme being "Praise the Lord! Justice for All!" Rock Hill District Superintendent, Anthony Hodge, will be preaching at our Friday evening worship service.

We are highlighting the Catawba Nation located in Rock Hill by inviting their first female assistant

chief, Patricia Leach, to be our keynote speaker. Our **Limitless** group of youth and younger women will be doing their annual local organization collection drive to benefit the children and youth attending the Catawba Nation **Boys and** 

Girls Clubs with school

supplies, cleaning supplies and clothing. One of our registration time activities will be a tour to the Catawba Nation Cultural Center. The tour can only accommodate a specific number of participants, so please plan to visit the Catawba Cultural Center before or after attending Annual Meeting if you are not able to go during our activities time on Friday afternoon. Confirmation will be emailed.

We will be doing **Move 4 Mission** activities such as chair exercise and a class on stretching as a fundraiser for our **Mission Giving**. Participants will also be able to learn about

Vision Boards that can help them focus on selfcare, tour various Conference and District displays, and talk to our four state mission project directors or a representative from Wallace Family Life Center, Killingsworth, Bethlehem Center Spartanburg, and Columbia Bethlehem Community Center. These mission projects would appreciate receiving gift cards.

We will have our Prayer Room with a Soul Care display to help church units and districts learn how to organize their own Soul Care events. We will be learning some new hymns with familiar tunes during our Saturday session. This year we will finish by lunchtime, so everyone can get back home earlier or maybe have time to

visit the Catawba Cultural Center, I 536 Tom Steven Road.

We were hoping to offer a virtual option to participate this year, but technologywise, we discovered we were not ready to do that. Please note that check-in on the 25th will be from 3:00pm-5:15pm. The various activities will be happening

during this time. Our first meeting session will begin at 5:15pm. Saturday check-in on October 26th will be 8:00-9:15am with the meeting session beginning at 9:15am.

Participants are encouraged to register in September for the lower early registration fee of \$45. The regular registration fee starting October 1st is \$55 and later registration from October 16 until onsite will be \$65. We need time to have everything ready for you! The updated registration form is in this issue.

Kathy

Kathy Roys, VP SCC UWF

### 52<sup>nd</sup> South Carolina Conference United Women in Faith Annual Meeting October 25-26, 2024



### Woodland United Methodist Church 801 Cherry Rd., Rock Hill, SC

For registration information contact Frances Bratton, 803-230-6913, <u>bratton.frances60@outlook.com</u>

Theme: "Praise the Lord! Justice for All!"

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**United Women in Faith** 

postmarked by September 30.

Regular registration fee is \$55 if postmarked by October 15. Late fee and onsite fee are \$65.

Mail early registration fee of \$45 payable to SCCUWF to Registrar Frances Bratton, PO Box 74, Clover, SC 29710

# South Carolina Conference United Women in Faith Fifty-Second Annual Meeting Celebration October 25-26, 2024



Woodland United Methodist Church 800 Cherry Street • Rockhill, SC

Theme: "Praise the Lord! Justice for All!"

# Register Today!



Keynote Speaker:
Patricia Leach
Assistant Chief of
the Catawba Nation



Friday Services:
Rev. Dr. Anthony
Hodge
Rockhill District Superintendent

# Patricia Leach

Patricia, a trailblazer within the Catawba Nation, made history as the first female Assistant Chief. She grew up with very humble surroundings and was able to get ahead through hard-work and sheer determination. She holds a Master of Business Administration and a Bachelor of Science in Business. Patricia owns an HR consulting business, Red Spirit Consulting, which is not currently taking any new clients due to her current role serving the tribe.

With a background in HR along with various leadership roles within the tribe, her experience showcases her dedication to the community and a commitment to serving others. Patricia's leadership has had a significant impact on the Catawba Nation, advancing tribal initiatives and improving the well-being of its members. Her passion for uplifting people shines through, she loves to inspire innovation, creativity, and authentic connections. Patricia is dedicated to leadership, committed to progress, and creating a positive impact on the community. She is always ready to ignite inspiration and drive positive change!



# Keynote Speaker For SC United Women in Faith Conference

October 26, 2024 10:45 am

Located at:
Woodland United Methodist Church
801 Cherry Rd.
Rock Hill, SC 29732

# Annual Meeting

Ladies are encouraged to call to check current price

# Hotels in Rockhill, South Carolina

# Hampton Inn

2111 Tabor Drive (803) 325-1100

# \$110

Plus Tax

## Holiday Inn

503 Galleria Blvd. 803) 323-1900

# \$110

# Staybridge

Galleria Blvd. (803) 329-0000

\$129 Plus Tax

# Hilton Garden Inn

650 Tinsley Way (803) 325-2800

\$139 Plus Tax

# ANNUAL MEETING LIMITLESS DONATION SUPPLIES LIST

for Boys & Girls Club of Catawba Nation - for Children and Youth Attending the After School/Summer Camps

Suuk Sarak ("Sprout House") K5-5th Grade (50 children):

Spiral Notebooks

Cleaning Supplies
Lysol • Sanitizer • Clorox

(with and without pockets)

Pencils & Highlighters

Wipes •
Paper Towels • Facial Tissue
& Hand Soaps, etc.

Clothes & Shoes\*
(for boys and girls)

\*No specific sizes were given.

The items will be used for accidents and for those in need.

Suuk Yap ("Tree House") 6 th -12 th Grade (48 teens):

Highlighters

Spiral Notebooks

Pencils

Folders
(with and without pockets)

Socks\*
(adult sizes - for boys and girls)

\*\*The Catawba Nation is very thankful to be receiving these supplies for their children and youth.

# **Charter for Racial Justice**

# THANK YOU

A big thank you from our committee goes to those who were able to attend the Racial + Environmental Justice virtual presentation on June 22nd. A special thank you goes to the groups who met at churches to watch the program and included other activities or a meal to discuss what you learned about the threat of incompatible development near historical Black settlement communities in our state. Our guest speakers, Faith Rivers James, Director of the Coastal Conservation League; and Amy Armstrong, Director of the South Carolina Environmental Law Project, did an excellent job sharing the concerns of these vulnerable populations and what their organizations are doing to protect them. To continue to follow this issue and the work being done, you can go to these websites:

https://coastalconservationleague.org/programs/land-and-community/

https://www.scelp.org/strategic-priorities/justice Black settlement communities are being affected state-wide. Stay informed of zoning hearings being held by your local governments and speak up for these communities.

As a follow-up to this issue, the CRJ Committee is planning a visit to St. Helena Island to tour the Penn Center Museum and grounds on February 15, 2025. The tour for the museum will start at 1:00pm. That will take about 90 minutes. The Penn Center has maps of the campus for visitors to do self-guided tours. A limited amount of lodging is available at the Penn Center and will need to be arranged as soon as possible. Transportation and lodging arrangements will be left up to dis-

tricts or churches. We are highly encouraging the participation of our youth. We will be using our Racial Justice grant money from National United Women in Faith to pay for their admission and lunch and perhaps more depending on how many participate. Admission will be \$15 for adults and \$10 for youth. You may want to allow extra time to tour around St. Helena Island.

While in the area, groups may also want to visit

the International African American Museum in Charleston. Tickets must be purchased online to reserve a time slot. South Carolina residents can apply for a discount.

For more Information: scelp.org

Please let Kathy Roys know if you will be going on this fieldtrip. Kathy5339@att.net Include your district and church with the names of participants. Also include the number of youth coming. This visit can be counted towards a Diamond Unit activity for 2025.

https://www.penncenter.com/book-an-event#ac-commodations

https://iaamuseum.org/faq/

Racial Justice will also be highlighted at this year's SCCUWFaith Annual Meeting including our keynote speaker from the Catawba Nation in Rock Hill. This is another chance for a Diamond Unit credit.

Kathy Roys

Charter for Racial Justice Committee member

# Education and Interpretation

By Beth Addis, Education & Interpretation Mission Coordinator

THANK YOU! THANK YOU! We did extremely well in the Mission u Craft Room this year, since registration was down. We raised \$816.75 for our four South Carolina Mission Projects, which is \$55.01 lower than last year's \$871.76. I want to thank Barbara Gaither, Damita Bridges, Patricia Armstrong, and others who helped staff, setup, or pack up the Craft Room. I received a nice thank you from Jane Crawford, the Mission Representative, Columbia Bethlehem Community Center, that some of the knitted and crocheted items we sent them were especially appreciated.

It's time to start thinking about Mission Today. Please check and make sure you have the latest

Mission Today form. It was last updated Feb. 2022. It has a purple border around it and item #2 says "Daily Prayer Guide" not "Prayer Calendar." District Coordinators and District Presidents, my deadline for getting your district reports to me is Sept. 18.

At the Conference Annual Meeting in Rock Hill, Oct. 25-26, we will once again shower our Mission Projects with gift cards and new stamps. The Project Directors said they still used new stamps, so if you buy stamps, please get **Forever stamps**. They all should have a display and I hope to have a basket on each of their display tables where you can leave your gift cards and stamps. **PLEASE** indicate on your gift cards the amount of the gift card [even if you have to put a sticky note on it.]

• **Bethlehem Center, Spartanburg** requests gift cards from office supply stores (Office Depot, Staples), Walmart, or Amazon.

- Columbia Bethlehem Community Center requests gift cards from Dollar General, Home Depot, Lowe's, Ross, Target, Walmart, any Grocery Store, or Movie theaters.
- Killingsworth requests gift cards from Food Lion, Visa, Walmart, or Uber.
- Wallace Family Life Center requests gift cards from Walmart.

I attended an Education & Interpretation Zoom Open House with Shannon Priddy, Executive for Donor Relations and the Liaison for Conference Education & Interpretation Coordinators on Wednesday, July 31. She told those in attendance that the **Pledge re-**

ceipts to National through the end of June were at 22.73% for the year, 1.4% higher than the last few years. If giving continues at that rate, the yearly giving may be up as well. Let's keep giving to the Pledge to Mission and the other four Channels of Giving in our local units, our dis-

tricts, and our conference, so we can meet our **2024 South Carolina Pledge to Mission**.

**Officers Training** will be virtual this year on **Sat**, **Nov. 9**. I hope all District E&I Coordinators will attend. A packet will be mailed to you ahead of time. It would be great to have Coordinators in Anderson, Charleston, and Walterboro Districts.

Both Addis

My Contact Info: 703 Autumn Oaks Anderson, SC 29621-2686 baddis1108@yahoo.com "Truly I tell you, if you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you".

Matthew 17:20

# Join us for Move 4 Mission!

Hosted by United Women in Faith (UWFaith) groups, Move 4 Mission is a fun and inspiring fundraiser that unites sisters of faith through various activities like walking, running, dancing, chair exercise, knitting, Zumba, hiking, and more. Promote health and wellness while raising essential funds to support programs for women, children, and youth. Your participation in Move 4 Mission helps build a stronger, supportive community. Let's get moving and make a difference together!

Every dollar raised will support the mission of United Women in Faith, benefiting women, children, and youth.

To participate, host, or attend a Move 4 Mission: **#move4mission**To learn more, visit: **uwfaith.org/move4mission** 

### Donations by check can be sent to:

United Women in Faith, Attn: Development 777 United Nations Plaza, 11th Floor Church Center for the United Nations New York, NY 10017

Write "Move4Mission" in the memo section.

\*Indicate your conference, district, and local unit so your conference will receive credit. Questions: Email missiongiving@uwfaith.org or call 800-278-7771.



# SPECIAL EMPHASIS MONTHS

September - Killingsworth November - Bethlehem Center Spartanburg

February - Wallace Family Life Center

April - Columbia Bethlehem Community Center

### **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: vtharvey62@gmail.com 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:

# Get Ready

# Unit Survey is coming in the Fall

Questions are related to how your unit or group is thriving in sisterhood, faith and action and how you are committed to act boldly for justice and transform communities.

### Your responses matter.

Your answers will allow the United Women in Faith National Office to:

- Deliver more resources on the areas that matter most
- Gather engagement data based on region
- Celebrate all the work you are doing on behalf of women, children, and youth

For more information Contact Anglea Allen at: angela.allen@charter.net

# Mission u 2024 in Pictures Photos takes at Spartanburg Methodist College - Mission u 2024



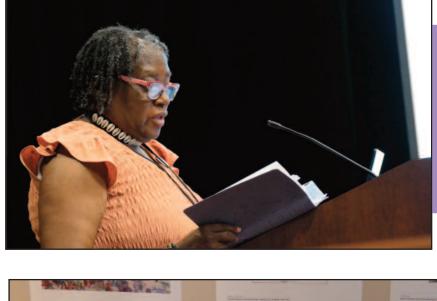








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# SC UMC Annual Conference





Attendees listens intently during the SC UMC Annual Conference in Greenville, SC



UWF display two sample baskets that where given away during the SC UMC Conference





Beautiful voices radiated through out auditorium during the SC UMC Annual Conference

# From the comforts of your home VIRTUAL

# DISTRICT OFFICERS' TRAINING

# Saturday November 9th 9am

Connect as early as 8:45am



Presidents • Vice Presidents • Secretaries • MN& O • Communications • Treasurers • Social Action • Historians • Cluster Leaders • Education and Interpretation • CON • Spiritual Growth • Secretary of Program Resources

All district officers, historians, and cluster leaders are requested to attend Officers' Training.

Registration Link: https://shorturl.at/ilx5Z



### Greetings

# South Carolina Conference United Women in Faith!

Kara Simmons, Executive Director, expresses her gratitude for the support and commitment she has received for Columbia Bethlehem Community Center. Because of SCCUWFaith and the surrounding community, the Center has successfully sponsored several programs / events.

During Spring Break, high school youths participated in an Acting/Filmmaking Masterclass where they produced an original film.

During the month of April, several children participated in a Sow and Grow activity. Each child decorated flower pots, filled them with small plants, and watched them grow. The children presented the potted plants to their moms on the Saturday before Mother's Day at the Mommies and Movies event.

In June, CBCC partnered with Richland School District One's Summer Café and Francis Burns UMC to sponsor a Summer Feeding Program. An average of 30 children received free breakfast and lunch daily.

The **Ready! Set! Read!** Literacy Initiative afforded students an opportunity to enhance reading and comprehension skills, and receive free books. An added bonus was the appearance of Dr. Aaron Bishop, Chair of the Richland School District 1 Board of School Commissioners, and his wife, who read aloud to the children and expressed the importance of reading to succeed.

Local South Carolina farmers in conjunction with the Columbia Housing Authority continue to donate fresh fruits and vegetables to CBCC. Board members and volunteers gather monthly to assemble eighty to one hundred bags that are distributed to residents near CBCC and to those throughout the Columbia Area.

The Center partnered with **Discover ME Academy 2024**: **Black Girls' Clubhouse, Inc**. The focus of this event was to provide a safe space for black girls to develop meaningful relationships; discover their talents; and experience healthy emotional and social aspects of child development. Attendance was very good.

Recently, I delivered items from the SCCUWFaith Mission u Craft Room to CBCC. The items were well received and will be available for give away at the August 10<sup>th</sup> Back to School Event and prizes at the BINGO event for kids.

Upcoming Events include the following:

August 10, 2024: Back to School Give Away 12:00pm

➤ September 16, 2024: Community Appreciation Day 12:00pm – 4:00pm

➤ October 7, 2024: Fall Festival 12:00pm – 4:00pm

November 18, 2024: Give Thanks Dinner

➤ Hiring: Child Care Center Director (See facebook page for qualifications <a href="mailto:cbccinfo@umcsc.org">cbccinfo@umcsc.org</a>.)

The current Newsletter is attached.

Carrie R. Murray SCCUWFaith Representative Columbia Bethlehem Community Center





# You dont have to be a United Methodist to be....



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

**MISSION:** We seek to connect and nurture women through Christian spiritual formation, leadership development, creative fellowship and education so that they can inspire, influence and impact local and global communities.

**VISION:** We are a powerful, fearless force driven by God's love and united in sisterhood. With a focus on women, children and youth, we act for justice and transform communities.

We face the realities we see in the world, even when they are not the ones we would like to see. However, our goal is not to bear witness simply to harms but also to God's love by acting boldly to change those harms.

**ACTION:** Bold action, like faith, takes courage. Our bravery is inspired by God's love and our powerful commitment to improve the lives of women, children and youth. United Women in Faith works for justice through compassionate service and advocacy to change unfair policies and systems that harm women, children and youth—from racial and gender injustice to economic inequality, climate issues and more.



### 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.

### Hole sponsors (\$150)

Signs will be posted at the tee box on holes. Donors can send logos for the signs.



Scan to sponsor

### **Swag Bag Sponsors** (\$300)

Multiple Sponsors available. This will include logo on he swag bag each golfer will receive.

### 2024 CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

### COMPLETED FORM AND CHECK ARE DUE BY 9/20/24 KILLINGSWORTH ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAME Your NAME: COMPANY: SEPTEMBER 30, 2024 lindermere Golf Club EMAIL: 1101 Longtown Road E PHONE: Blythewood, SC 29016 ADDRESS: Your **Sponsorships** CITY/STATE/ZIP: are needed to help **GREENS FEES** INCLUDES: Green fee, cart fee, lunch, and prize bags. \$120 per player (Includes two mulligans) Shotgun Starts at 9 AM \$480 per team Teams \$ Golfers\$ Check-in begins at 8 AM

PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED FOR OVERALL TOURNAMENT WINNING TEAM ALL FEMALE WINNING TEAM LONGEST DRIVE FOR MEN LONGEST DRIVE FOR WOMEN CLOSEST TO PIN FOR MEN CLOSEST TO PIN FOR WOMEN

WE WILL HAVE A HOLE IN ONE COMPETITION SPONSORED BY DIXON GOLF

### REGISTER YOUR TEAM TODAY

TEAM NAME	
PLAYER 1 NAME & EMAIL	
PLAYER 2 NAME & EMAIL	
PLAYER 3 NAME & EMAIL	
PLAYER 4 NAME & EMAIL	

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



Tear off and mail this portion with check/money order: 1831 Pendelton St. Columbia, SC 29201 (Payable to Killingsworth Inc.) All information below required for registration.

Name	 		
Address	 	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Phone#	 	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Email			



# Sponsorship Available

SIGNATURE	\$10,000
PLATINUM	\$5.000
DIAMOND	\$3,000
RUBY	\$1,000
<b>EMERALD</b>	\$500

# Greetings from Killingsworth!

Submitted By: Samnoria Session

## About Killingsworth - A Place of Safety, Caring, and Support

Killingsworth, a beacon of hope for women transitioning from crisis to continues stability, its mission of transformation. With 14 women currently residing at Killingsworth and two recent graduates, the organization remains steadfast in commitment its empowering women to reclaim their lives. The dedication of Killingsworth's staff and volunteers has been instrumental in these success stories. A special thank you is extended to

the interim

Director, whose

leadership has

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Killingsworth Home, 1831 Pendleton Street, Columbia, SC 29201

803.771.6359 www.killingsworth.org

of women in need. By attending the Gala or making a donation, you are playing a vital role in the lives of these women, offering them a chance at a new beginning. If you're unable to attend the Gala, there are still ways you can support Killingsworth and its residents. The organization has a wish list of items that are needed to ensure the smooth operation of

donation made during this event will directly contribute to the ongoing support

> operation of the facility and the comfort of its residents. These items include:

guided the organization through these crucial times, ensuring that every resident receives the support and resources they need. To celebrate and support the vital work of Killingsworth, the organization is hosting its annual Gala, "Putting On The Ritz," on November 14, 2024. The event will take place at Seawell's Restaurant, located at 1125 Rosewood Drive, Columbia, SC 29201, from 6:00 to 9:00 pm, with doors opening at 5:30 pm.

The Gala is not just an evening of elegance and entertainment; it is a crucial fundraiser that helps keep the doors of Killingsworth open. Every ticket purchased and every stamps, gift cards from Food Lion, Walmart, Visa, and Uber, paper products, cleaning supplies, standard pillows and twin-size sheets. Your contributions, whether through donations or attending the Gala, are essential in allowing Killingsworth to continue being a place of refuge and renewal for women in need.

Together, we can help change lives, one resident at a time.

Respectfully submitted,

Samoria

Killingsworth Representativeµ

# **SOCIAL ACTION**

Greetings my sisters,

I hope you have and or will take some time this summer to just **enjoy.** We are more than half way through the year. Be encouraged and finish the year strong. Remember **we serve**, **we advocate**, **we make a difference**.

As you make plans for ministries and advocacy please keep in mind our current national justice campaigns are **Just Energy for All** and **Ending Mass Incarceration and Criminalization of Communities of Color.** 

Visit our Just Energy 4 All campaign page. Watch the video

Never Give Up: Cynthia and Michelle's Faithful Fight Against Mass Incarceration



Lets continue to support our local, district and state initiatives. Contact your legislator and let your desires be known. If you haven't registered to vote do so, encourage others to register and to vote. Together we have seen success.



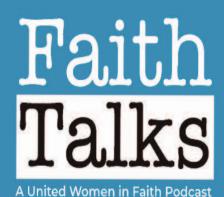
Patricia Armstrong Social Action Coor.

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Epworth Childrens Home, Columbia. *This will be an in person conference event* 

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